

Refresh 2013 – A gathering of women to worship, pray and engage with God's Word. Saturday, 2nd November 9.30am -3.30pm at St Stephens, Tahunanui. Cost: \$10 (includes lunch). Guest Speaker is Bron Tait. Come along to hear Bron and be 'refreshed'. Register online: www.ststephenstahunanui.co.nz/refresh or Ph 546 4051, or email: office@ststephenstahunanui.co.nz. Information is on the noticeboard and registration forms at back of church.

Honey for Sale - New Building Fundraiser. 500gm \$6.00, 1kg \$11.00,2kg \$20.00. Anne Askin Ph 544 9059

Food Bank - The food bank needs replenishing! Can you help by donating non-perishable goods or supermarket vouchers? Phone Alice Burrough 544 5390.

Visit of Pastor Chris Gore - Chris Gore is Director of Healing Ministries at Bethel Church in Redding California and he will be ministering with a team on the theme: 'Getting Jesus What He Paid For! 7.15pm Tuesday 19 November Richmond Community Church (243 Queen St - Behind Number One Shoes)

Chris is seeing large numbers of people healed of many conditions including blindness, deafness as well as cancer. Chris will share of amazing miracles and will also pray for the sick.

He has ministered across denominational lines in many countries including Australia, Canada, Germany, Brazil, Switzerland, Netherlands, USA, Norway, Mexico, Mozambique, India, Singapore, Guatemala and Ecuador.

Chris believes we are called to preach the Gospel of the Kingdom and his heart is to see God's people released to a revelation of "*Christ In You the Hope of Glory*" and for everyone to experience this as the normal part of Christian living! As believers we are all called to heal the sick and walk in the full inheritance that Jesus left for us.

His latest book 'Walking in Supernatural Healing Power' has just been published and copies will be available to purchase. In the book Chris demystifies God's supernatural power, showing how you can be effectively trained, equipped, and activated into a lifestyle of walking in healing and miracles.



Financial Giving - If you don't put cash in the offering bag you may like to put in one of the cards kept on the hymnbook shelf. So many of us contribute financially to the life and mission of the church by automatic payment or via the internet these days. This is a good thing. However it can feel awkward not putting something in the bag.

Perhaps some feel their money is not blessed in the same way as the cash and envelopes that go forward. Putting a card in the offering bag is an opportunity for you to feel more part of the physical action of giving. Thank you for your financial commitment to the Richmond Parish. - Susan.

Reflection questions:

- Where do you see examples of churches working together?
- What would interdenominational unity look like in Richmond?
- What small step could you take to be part of making that happen?

You are welcome to discuss any of this with Susan or other church leaders.

