

**Women's Event – *Daughters, Daughters, Daughters.*** For women of all ages. Enjoy the ambience of a Cafe with its coffee/tea and cake, along with meeting women from other churches/community. Also enjoy the privilege of Sherry Boyd sharing a powerful story of God's far-reaching grace in her life. At "The Wooden Spoon" Cafe, Richmond, 7.30pm Thursday 2 November. \$10 (earlybird before 24 October) \$15 after 24 October. Tickets available from Manna, Richmond Mall info desk. For more information Neila Barnes Ph. 544 5420 [www.cwcinz.org.nz](http://www.cwcinz.org.nz). A Christian Women Communicating International event.

**Seminar - Shock Capitalism or Commonwealth - creating the future we want.** What society do we want? How do we get there? "These are burning questions we all must face, if we are to leave a more equal, free, prosperous and Earth caring world for those who come after us". Hear Martin Large, social innovator, academic, business consultant, publisher, international speaker and author. Martin is known for his innovation in social thinking and how we co-create our future. His work spans organic farm and community-owned affordable housing trusts, commons such as community supported agriculture, social businesses, community-run schools and social, environmental and political change projects. He is in New Zealand as key-note speaker for the symposium on "Echoes from the future: what is our response?" Wednesday 11 October 7.30 to 9.00pm, NMIT, 322 Hardy St., Johnny Cash Room, Media Centre, Creative Industries building. Access from Nile St. Koha entry, all welcome. Contact: [Carolyn.hughes@silkweb.net.nz](mailto:Carolyn.hughes@silkweb.net.nz)

**Sunrise Walk for Wellbeing - 6.00am Saturday 14 October.** Help destigmatise depression and promote mental wellbeing with the second Sunrise Walk for Wellbeing – the 6km walk is the finale to Mental Health Awareness Week that starts in the dark and finishes with the sunrise. Join us make a difference. Starts and finishes at Golf Club car park, 38 Bolt Road, Tahunanui, Nelson. Please park on Bolt Road. No dogs or bikes, sorry. Wear something yellow. The event is free, donations/ koha most welcome. All proceeds from the walk will be donated to Supporting Families in Mental Illness, Nelson. There will be mental health help and advice available during and after the walk.

**Nelson Civic Choir -** Following their participation in the US premiere, the Nelson Civic Choir present the latest work by Sir Karl Jenkins, one of the most performed contemporary choral composers: *Cantata Memoria: For the children of Aberfan*. The Nelson concert, under the direction of Chris Lukies, will be the first New Zealand performance of this work. *Cantata Memoria* commemorates the tragedy in Aberfan, South Wales 50 years ago, where a mining tip engulfed a primary school, killing 116 children and 28 adults. Through the power and beauty of Karl Jenkins' music, the work depicts the story of that day, together with the process of grieving and finding meaning in life after tragedy. With singers and instrumentalists from the Top of the South, Christchurch and Wellington, a youth choir, full orchestra, and a specially commissioned video to complement the music, this promises to be an emotional and memorable event. The soloists are Amanda Crehan (Soprano) and Joel Amosa (Baritone). 2.00pm Sunday 15 October at Nelson College. Tickets from Alison Heslop Ph.544 5067 and Madelaine McRae Ph.544 4639.

**Men -** The next forum will be held at 7.00pm on Monday 25h September 2017 at 20 Elmsdale Close, Richmond. I invite all those who will be attending to bring a subject to the meeting for discussion. To assist the free flow of ideas and counter arguments, liquid refreshments will be offered in return for robust discussion. This is your opportunity to lead discussions of a subject close to your heart. Hope you will all be fired up after your celebration of winning or commiseration of losing of your chosen party. See you next Monday evening. Jacob Klootwyk 544 5269

**Children's Holiday Programme –** Children of Oz Nelson Cathedral 10am -12.00pm Monday 9 – Friday 13 October 2017. Fun, games, prizes, crafts, puppets, cool God stuff. \$2 per child per day, \$5 per family of 3. Phone 548 1008 to register.



# LOCAL HOUSES OF PRAYER

## Introducing Local Houses of Prayer

Does your prayer life need a new release of God's life and direction?

We invite you to come along and hear about Local Houses of Prayer (LHOP's). This is an initiative flowing out from the move of God at Ffald-y-Brenin in Wales, as described in the bestselling book "The Grace Outpouring". Typically commencing with 2-3 people they adopt a small local area for Jesus, worship and praise for the breaking in of the Kingdom of God and play their part in its release through their life and witness. Local Houses of Prayer are prayer based and thoroughly missional.

'Praying the Kingdom in, and working for the Kingdom street by street.'

The vision of a Local House of Prayer is:

'To see the Kingdom come and God's will be done on this particular area of earth, as in heaven.'

### Local House of Prayer Training Day

WHEN: 9.30am - 3.00pm Saturday 14th October

WHERE: Holy Trinity Anglican Church  
27 Dorset Street  
Richmond, Nelson

LUNCH: Bring your own (Tea and coffee provided)  
Morning and afternoon tea provided

COST: \$5 donation to cover printing and morning and afternoon teas.

The training day will be led by Steve Mitchell from Invercargill using training material supplied by Ffald-y-Brenin. Steve has led several of these training days and will be able to update us on how LHOPs are developing in New Zealand. The purpose of these training days is to explore together some of the Key Principles of a Local House of Prayer, enabling you to start a Local House of Prayer in your area/community.

Whether you are interested in finding out more about Local Houses of Prayer or just wanting to bless and pray more effectively for your local area you would be welcome to join us!

Please Register by 7th October giving your name and contact details to:  
church.onhill@xtra.co.nz or phone 03 544 8844

