



Mission Fellowship garden meeting Tuesday 13th February at 2pm at the home of Jennifer and Keith Finnie, 193 Gladstone Rd, Mosgiel.
All welcome



WORKING BEE

Fence Building Working Bee at Fairfield Manse:

Come along and help build a new fence as well as meet some new people or catch up with some old friends on Saturday 17th February and Saturday 24th February 2018.

17th Feb will be digging holes and concreting in the posts – please bring spades, shovels, spirit level, wheelbarrow.

Does anyone have a post hole borer??

24th Feb will be adding the wooden palings – bring drills, spirit levels, hammers, nail guns.

Morning tea and lunch will be provided – please let Leeanne know if you are able to attend – email manager@etchurch.co.nz

Learn how to minimise your waste and maximise your recycling...

Come along and get some ideas and tips for your household/family.
Wednesday 21st February, 7pm, Coronation Hall, Gordon Rd, Mosgiel

eWaste Collection service

Cargill Enterprises (Disabled Citizens Society Otago) is offering to take unwanted electronic devices off your hands for a small fee. EFTPOS available.
Saturday 24th February, 10am-midday, Memorial Playground, Reid Ave.

Toolbox Parenting Course (Middle Years 6-12 years)
Wednesdays starting 21 Feb-28 Mar 2018, 7-9pm at Elmgrove School
Bookings essential. Contact Leeanne for more info—
manager@etchurch.co.nz or 489 6308 ext 722

Fuel Breakfast Café
78 Main Rd,
Fairfield
Term time only
8.30am

East Taieri Church
12a Cemetery Rd,
Mosgiel
Services at 10am &
2pm

EPIC service
Cnr Gladstone &
Cemetery Rd
Term time only
6.30pm

Welcome to the service 11 February 2018

Speaker: Martin Macaulay

Scripture: Nehemiah 5:1-19

www.etchurch.co.nz ph: 489 6308



Sebastian Murrhiy
Associate Pastor

On the 6th of February 1840, a treaty was signed between two people groups which birthed the nation of Aotearoa New Zealand. Through the treaty, the *tangata whenua* (people of the land) and the *tangata tiriti* (people of the treaty) become one people. This doesn't collapse our cultural differences but allows us to be bound together as covenant partners – as people who will enrich each other's lives. And that's not just between Maori and Pakeha, but includes Pasifika people, Australians, Koreans, Iranians and all people who have chosen to make this land their home.

It reminds me of a song in Revelation 5:9-10: 'He (Jesus) is worthy to take the scroll and open its seals, because you were slain, and with your blood you purchased for God persons of every tribe and language and people and nation. You have made them to be a kingdom and priests to serve our God, and they will reign on earth.'
God—by his blood shed on the cross—is gathering people of all ethnicities and languages through time and space together to be his people. In a small way, New Zealand is a microcosm of that future hope with the plethora of people who live in our country. As we continue to reflect on Waitangi Day, let's take some time to thank God for the people, the languages, the history and the richness of cultures that is present in our beautiful country because God has created and values each one. And let's look forward to the day when all those languages and cultures will create a symphony of worship before the throne of God.

*Confidential Prayer Chain available at all times.
Please phone Adrienne Watson 489 3753 or Christine McKinlay 489 3149*



**Coffee and dessert evening
Monday 19 Feb at 7.30pm in Oak Hall.**

Fund-raiser for Malawi projects for STM trip June 2018
Afghanistan: Pictures, Stories and Insights
Rachel Trevathan will share about her two trips to Afghanistan over recent years. Learn about the Christians in Afghanistan and the reality of life there.
Admission charge - \$10pp or donation.
All food provided.



Business Breakfast

7am—Thursday

22 Feb 2018

Aurora Café

Gordon Rd, Mosgiel

Buffet breakfast \$10 pp

RSVP 20th Feb

Contact:

joy@etchurch.co.nz

489 6308 ext 703

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with Anna Campbell

Managing Director Abacus Bio

(Agribusiness Consulting)

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Global Missions

Our next distribution to our missional families goes out at the end of February. Those who wish to add to the church allocation for a specified family or to give generally (which means the money will be evenly spilt between the missionaries), please place your gift in the offering in a nominated envelope before the end of February. Please continue to pray for our missionaries, this is the greatest gift for them.



Children's Ministry

FUEL

Starters for ages 2-4 and Pitstop for Year 1-8

East Taieri

Under 2's area in the Fellowship room where parents can hear the sermon

Bubbles for ages 2-5 in the Kiwi Room

Kidzown for Year 1 to Year 6 in Oak Lounge. Contact Philippa Lord 486 2730

Plunge for Year 7-9 Sunday mornings 10.15am during term time at the HUB.

Contact Nathanael 489 6308 intern@etchurch.co.nz

Youth

R@NDM? For Year 9-13 Friday nights 7:30-9pm term time Contact Jess 489 6308 ext 719

Dynamyte For Year 7 & 8 Fortnightly Friday nights 7:30-9pm term time Contact Caleb 489 6308 ext 718

First EPIC Youth discipleship service for 2018 tonight-6.30pm, pizza tea.



Cooking Apples!

Bags of cooking apples are being sold for \$5 as a fundraiser for the Vanuatu mission trip in July.



If interested, please call or text Ben Hackfath @
Landline: 489 6333 Text: 022 315 6200

Cellphones, laptops, scarves & spectacles for Malawi

We have already received a number of donations of scarves and spectacles from earlier request - thank you. We are now also looking for cellphones and laptops that are no longer being used. Boxes are in the office or can be dropped into the Mosgiel Christian Bookshop.



ET weekly Choir practice resume Monday 19th Feb with a potluck meal, 6pm at 4 Gebbie St. Thereafter Mondays 7-8.30pm in Oak Hall at ET Church. Our commitments are monthly morning services at Mossbrae Retirement Home and 2pm Communion and special services at ET.

We would love to have some new members as we are badly in need of reinforcements! Contact Christine 489 3149 or 0211344484



Join us at 9.45am on the window seats in Fellowship to prepare our hearts for worshipping God. We will pray for awesome, vibrant worship that honours God and inspires and transforms people.



*Sugar and Spice
Tuesdays
(fortnightly)
during term time*

*6pm—7.30pm @ The Hub
All girls aged 7—10 years are welcome
Cost \$3.00 per night.
The programme includes Games, Crafts and Devotions
The leader is Lynda Bayne.
For more information contact Lorraine 488 2096.*



Please pray for the Prison Ministry Team—that the word of the

Lord does not go out null and void but bears good fruit. The Prison Team is now running 2 services at the prison, on the 3rd Sunday of every month.

Invitation to Life Groups...

Would your life group like to “adopt” one of our missionary families to support in prayer and any other way. Contact Pam Grant if interested—
pam.grant@etchurch.co.nz or phone 489 6308 ext 717

The Molly Burns Trust provides financial assistance in meeting the cost of education and cultural activities directly relating to ET Church and its members. To have your application considered pick up an application from the Information Centre.



Senior Pastors Prayer Breakfast
Sharing Life, eating and praying together.

Join us as we seek God's will and blessing. Fellowship Centre @ ET
7am—8am. Thursday mornings
Everyone welcome



**The Global Missions Team meets regularly at ET Church.
All welcome.
Contact Elaine Scurr
486 1863 for more information**

**Turning Point Christian Counselling Service
Professional and Affordable Counselling**

At ET Church we have three experienced counsellors:
Paul Reet , Elaine Gough and Deborah Taylor

For appointments please contact
Paul 476 1462/027 233 3597, Elaine 4897581/021 166 1509, Deborah debtaylor898@gmail.com

Each session is private and is around 50-55 minutes long.

Costs:

Community Services/Job seeker Support Beneficiary: \$25.00

Regular income: *from* \$50.00

Supervision: *from* \$70.00

Person on Disability Allowance: \$50.00

Extra charge of \$20.00 for couples work
Group work/Community Education; \$50.00 per counsellor per hour; plus admin costs.



Deborah Taylor



Paul Reet



Elaine Gough



Please check the lost property basket at ET

It's located by the door to the playground.

www.facebook.com/EastTaieri
To keep up to date with news and information check out our website
www.etchurch.co.nz

WHAT'S ON?.....Check out our noticeboard at ET (located on the wall beside the information centre) for events and important notices.

Your offerings can be made by one of the following methods

- Payment by Telephone/Electronic Banking to our BNZ Bank Account, Mosgiel Branch: 02 0938 0018236 00
- Automatic Payment forms are available at the office
- By using the Envelope supplied. If you would like to subscribe to this giving contact the office for a Confidential Envelope number
- By EFTPOS-available at the Information Centre following the 10am service

Check out our Classifieds in the News tab on our Website and contact the office if you would like to advertise in our classifieds: office@etchurch.co.nz