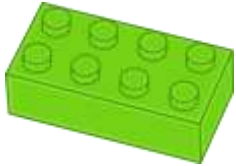


SHOP 'n TAIERI

Fashionable Little Op Shop :
135 Gordon Rd, Mosgiel

Hello December, hello summer, hello Christmas countdown! We've got specials all month, currently everything in the kids section (except lucky dip bags) is half price, clothes, toys, books!!



If anyone is interested in joining the Building Fundraising team or has some brilliant fundraising ideas please speak to Robert Whyte, Chris Jones or Amy Roxburgh.

WANTED: Claudia and her family are looking for someone to look after their two dogs in the second week of January (10 Jan to 17 Jan). They are also looking for anyone with an 8 seater vehicle that they can borrow for that same week (family is coming to visit from South Africa). Please contact Claudia on 027 435 0876 if you can help with either of these things.

3rd Tuesday
of each
month

Worship
Night

7.30pm at
East Taieri
Church
Everyone
welcome

Let everything that has
breath praise the Lord.
Psalm 150:6

*Confidential Prayer Chain available at all times.
Please contact Adrienne Watson 027 387 4529 or
Christine McKinlay 021 134 4484*



Know Grow Go
EAST TAIERI CHURCH

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

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

NIGHT CHURCH
12a Cemetery Rd,
Mosgiel
Term time only
6.30pm

Welcome to the service 7 December 2025

10am & 2pm: Peter Cheyne

Excited by Evangelism—part 3
etchurch.co.nz ph: 489 6308



Excited About Evangelism,
Part 3

Good At Investing
Good At Inviting

If you ordered Christmas resources, please pick them up on Sunday. We will not be ordering more but anything that is still available can be bought.

Peter has written a book of Christmas short stories, portraying different situations but all reflecting on the meaning of Christmas. If you are interested, see him. They cost \$16

The Christmas Outreach team are looking for **waterproof** gazebos to use over the weekend of Friday 19 to Sunday 21 December. If you have one that we could borrow please drop it into the office asap. Thank you!

Giving Update

One of my roles as Parish Manager is to keep track of our operational budget and as part of the Property and Finance Committee, I am reporting that offerings for the year to date are slightly under budget overall.

We are very thankful for God's provision through offerings, and we recognise that some people may be facing personal financial pressures in these uncertain times, but we encourage you to take this opportunity to look at your direct debits and consider increasing them by 10% if you are able to, so that we can resource East Taieri's mission and services in the church and the community.

If you would like to contribute to the wonderful work that God is calling us to do, you will find out how to do so on our website, etchurch.co.nz

What is this resourcing achieving?

- We celebrate what God is doing through us:
- Work is well underway for our Christmas Outreach. This is a great opportunity for us to help people understand the real meaning of Christmas and God's love for us.
- Our children and families ministries are experiencing growth. Watch out for the first Sunday in December, when Kids Church are taking over the 10am service! We are very blessed to have so many amazing families and leaders.
- Our counselling service, Turning Point is continuing to see growth, with two new Christian counsellors coming onboard.

Parish Manager: Leeanne McKinlay

	Giving	Giving Budget	% of Budget
Offerings	Actual 2025-26	Budget 2025-26	% of budget
July	30,307	31,106	97.43%
August	31,697	38,754	81.79%
September	29,339	31,100	94.34%
October	35,998	38,754	92.89%
Total as at end October 2025	127,341	139,714	91.14%

A Jericho Prayer Walk around the church properties at ET on Monday 8 December at 7pm, to ask God to reveal barriers and remove those that are holding back the progression of our facilities. This is to follow up from the Elders call to pray we held in the Vestry last Sunday. Suitable footwear for paddock walking is recommended. Contact Chris Jones for more information.

At the same time, praying through the main church to bless the spaces and pray for the Christmas outreach. Everyone to meet at the church. If you are able to come that would be grand. Remember when Joshua called the people of Israel to surround Jericho for 7 days, everyone took part! However if you are not able to be there in person or you live too far away to make it or can't come (as it is busy time of the year) please would you set aside some time from 7pm on Monday to pray with us.



Mission Fellowship

Tuesday 9 December at 2pm in Oak Lounge
Christmas theme (dress up—optional)
Share a special Christmas memory—home or away; you may like to bring something of

significance to you: any short story

Please bring something to share for afternoon tea

Offering. No market table. All welcome

Saddle Hill Foundation Trust is looking for a new staff member to commence work at the beginning of next year.

Youth & Community Worker – 35 hours per week

We are looking for a person with proven experience in youth and community work who will be able to lead and facilitate our youth programmes and be able to help run community events. We are looking for someone who has the ability to lead and motivate volunteers and young people.

If you would like to know more please contact Nick Muirhead on 027 740 1013 or shftexecofficer@shft.org.nz

Pastoral Care is available at all times. In the first instance, please contact your Life Group leader or Gareth Bruce 489 6308 ext 1707

If you are available to help in any way, please contact the office to discuss what activity would most suit you.

CHRISTMAS ACTIVATED: THE ANGELS' MESSAGE

A FREE interactive walk-through
with food, activities, craft
& a 20 minute drama

Saturday 20 December

10am-12pm: drama at 11am

1pm-3pm: drama at 2pm

Sunday 21 December

1pm-3pm: drama at 2pm

EAST TAIERI CHURCH

12A CEMETERY RD, MOSGIEL



join us for our
CHRISTMAS EVE CAROL SERVICE

Wednesday 24 December at
8.30pm

East Taieri Church
12a Cemetery Rd, Mosgiel

FREE Cafe to follow

Christmas Day 10am Family Service

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 EFTPOS available at the office. Monday-Friday 9am-3pm



Here at East Taieri Church, situated on the wall in the foyer beside the office, we have a Automated External Defibrillator. To watch a short video on how to use the AED please go to <http://www.etchurch.co.nz/resources/health-and-safety> and click on the link.

What's on?.....

Check out our notice-board at ET (located on the wall beside the coffee cart) for events and important notices.

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

Pray.

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.

Are you remembering to pray by using our prayer app - ECHO Prayer?

To find the app go to Google Playstore/Apple app store on your phone and install the free ECHO prayer app—once installed search for East Taieri Church and follow. You will receive ET's weekly prayer points on the app and you are able to set reminders to pray!

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 Office.

Turning Point Counselling Service

Professional and Affordable Counselling

Turning Point offers:

- ◆ Counselling & Psychotherapy
- ◆ Supervision
- ◆ Spiritual Direction
- ◆ Mental Health Education



And is available for adults, children, youth, couples and groups.

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

Go to our website www.etchurch.co.nz or pick up a brochure from the foyer by the office for more information.

Counsellors are also available to run interactive workshops for church and community based groups on a wide variety of topics.

Chapel
10am Monday
mornings in Oak
Lounge
Join us for a short
devotion followed by
morning tea.
Everyone welcome

Prayer Breakfast
Sharing Life,
eating & praying
together. Join us
as we seek God's
will & blessing.
Fellowship Centre
@ ET Thursday
7am-8am. Everyone
welcome.

For girls aged
7-10years
during term
time—games,
craft and
devotion

Sugar & Spice
Tuesday
fortnightly
6-7.30pm in
Oak Lounge

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

www.etchurch.co.nz



Please check the
lost property basket
at ET. It's located
by the door to the
playground.

The Global Missions Team
meet every 4th Tuesday of
the month, 3pm at East
Taieri.. All welcome. Contact
Elaine Scurr 486 1863 for
more
information.

