



KAPITI UNITING PARISH

ChristianChurchesNZ – Methodist – Presbyterian
10 Weka Road, Raumati Beach, Paraparaumu 5032

Mission Statement: To promote Christian faith and values in the communities of the Kapiti Coast.

Weekly Notices 13 December 2024

**This Sunday
15 December**

United@9 – Rev Anna Gilkison
Raumati 10am –Maureen Calhaem
Waikanae 10am – Readings and Carols
Worship Group
Raumati church door duty
Ian Patterson, Jan Rae

**Next Sunday
22 December**

United@9 combined Raumati 10am
Lessons and Carols Service
Rev Roger Wiig
Waikanae 10am
Waikanae Christmas Service
Worship Group
Raumati church door duty
Ian Patterson, Merrill Baker

Lectionary readings for this Sunday 15 December: Zephaniah 3:14-20; Isaiah 12:2-6;
Philippians 4:4-7; Luke 3:7-18

Readings and Carols Services:

- The Waikanae 10am service this Sunday 15 December will be a Readings and Carols service led by Sue Hodgson and the Worship Group
- The Raumati 10am combined with United @9 service on Sunday 22 December will be a Lessons and Carols Service, led by Rev Roger Wiig

Carol Singing at our Advent service at Coastal Villas

We warmly invite church members to come to our advent service to join in carol singing with our Coastal Villas congregation in the dining room at 10.30am on Thursday 19 December
All are welcome, please contact the parish office if you would like more details.

Carols and Cake

Thank you to Merrill and Lyn and to all our wonderful volunteers who helped provide the afternoon tea for the Carols and Cake event on Sunday.
And thank you, especially, to Kevin for his guitar playing, and to Erice and Merle for their expert piano playing.
It was a well-attended event and everyone enjoyed the music and the afternoon tea.

Rev Anna Gilkison

New Zealand Youth Choir fundraising concert

taking place at Raumati Church on Saturday 21 December 2024 4:00pm - 5:30pm

Update – the Eventfinda kiosk in Coastlands Mall will not be selling the tickets so you will need to buy them online, this is a shortcut to the ticket page:

<https://events.humanitix.com/the-firefly-wakens-kapiti/tickets>

you need to select the button 'pay another way' if you want to pay by credit card:

If you need any help with buying your tickets online, please contact the Parish Office

Diary Dates

Tuesday 17

Advent Study

2-3pm

Waikanae

Thursday 19

Coastal Villas Advent Service

10.30am – 12pm

Dining Room

Saturday 21

New Zealand Youth Choir
fundraiser

4 - 5.30pm

Raumati

New documents on our KUP.org.nz website: UCANZ 10/12/24, Presbyterian Central Roundup 11/12/24, Moderator's Christmas Message

Christmas Presents for Women's Refuge

Again this year we are hoping Kapiti Uniting members will support the Women's Refuge by donating Christmas presents for the families they have under their care.

Although presents for children are welcome the Refuge says they would be especially grateful for presents for teenagers - and presents for mothers are also welcome.

The gift doesn't have to be wrapped as the Women's Refuge workers will need to see which gift is suitable for each mother or young person.



Women's Refuge is always very grateful for the presents we donate.

Please put the gifts under the Christmas Tree by Sunday 15 December.