



Te Aroha
Co-operating Parish
August 9, 2026,
 Worship 10.00 am

Worship Leader
 Graham Robertson
Musician
 Diane Bellamy
Reader
 Robbie Powick
Prayers of the People
 Hester Cheong

Lectionary Readings for this week:

Genesis 37: 1-4, 12-28; Psalm 105: 1-6, 16-22, 45; Romans 10: 5-15;
 Matthew 14: 22-33.

<i>St David's</i>	<i>August 16 2026</i>
<i>Welcomer</i> <i>Worship Leader</i> <i>Worship Leader Assistant</i> <i>Musician</i> <i>Reader</i> <i>Prayers of the people</i> <i>Sound and data</i> <i>Morning Tea</i>	Alli Edwards Megan Gore Robyn brown Myra Caldwell David Buchan Patrick Chong Peter Kampenhout Velonika Siale, Dawn Harrison

Prayer Chain:

If you, or someone you know is in need of the ministry of prayer, or if you would like to join the Prayer Chain to pray for those in need, please contact **Ruth Hale 884 8046**.

Contacts:

Deacon: Dianne Hight Ph.884 7947 or 0274 817 643
PC Chair: Patrick Chong Ph 022 684 0387
PC Secretary: Graham Robertson Ph. 884 4155/0274 422 546
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Wednesday August 12

10.00 am Music & Movement

11.30 am Community Lunch – (a \$5 donation would be appreciated please).

Waitoa

Tuesday each week

10.00am to 1.30pm

Red Cross Opportunity Shop in the Waitoa Church Hall.

Wednesday August 12

10.00 am Friendship Group

Sunday August 16

9.30 am Rainbow Club Worship – Deacon Dianne Hight

Looking Forward:

Our Parish Annual General Meeting will be held on September 6, following our Morning Worship. Rev Doris Elphick will lead Worship and Chair the Annual Meeting

I need all reports to me no later than Wednesday August 12 at midday to allow time for collating and printing for distribution on Sunday August 16. To date, I have **received five** of the anticipated **eleven!**

I urge you to carefully consider whether God is calling you to either continue to be an active member on Parish Council or is prompting you to nominate another member of the Parish to join.

I believe one of the ways we can affirm the people who are currently serving on the Parish Council is to nominate them to continue. In the past, we have simply automatically reappointed them if they are willing to continue. I encourage a much more active affirmation of the importance of the work they undertake by completing a Nomination Form (available in the Foyer today) and placing it in the box provided once you and the Nominee have signed it.

robyn brown

Next Community Dinner – Friday September 4, at 5. 00 pm.

Are you able to help. Please see the Helpers Form on the table in the Lounge. Every little bit helps; the various tasks are clearly set out on the For. Thanks, robyn