




“Empowering people to be Christ’s followers in the world.”

SUNDAY SERVICE, 7 June

“Catching the Wind”

SPEAKER: Josh & Jeremy

READINGS: Acts 2:41-47; John 3:8

<p>Wednesday Morning 10am Service</p>	 <p>Join Us for WORSHIP</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY SERVICE, 10 June - 10.00am SPEAKER: Judy Carey “Jacob, Pharaoh and the famine” Genesis 46:28-47:27</p>
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NEXT SUNDAY, 14 June - 10.00am

SPEAKER - Josh Jones

“Fully Human Fully Alive”

VISITORS ... It’s great to have you worshipping with us today. We hope you feel at home, and please join us in hall after service for morning tea.

Reflection from Josh

On Friday I listened once again to our Youth led Pentecost Sunday service. I said on the day it was one of the most inspiring services I've had the privilege to be part of. In particular I re-visited the mature wisdom we heard from 3 of our young people in the sermon slot, Lizzie, Katie and Ollie.

I want to highlight a few of their collective thoughts that very much speak into the heartbeat of our **Catching the Winds** initiative that both Jeremy and myself will be exploring today.

Here are a few reminders of their wisdom.

Their observation that all their peers are ***“thirsty for genuine authentic connection with each other.”*** ***“Texting all day is not the same as actually sitting down with someone in honest conversation.”***

“Thirsty for meaningfulness” in a time when so many ***“have an underlying sense of unfulfillment.”*** Their peers want to be ***“properly seen for who they truly are.”***

I was taken by how they saw God's good creation and ***“walks in nature as a way to experience God's presence in their lives.”*** ***“The beauty and delicacy of every detail God has made.”***

“I try to notice God in most aspects of my life, whether it's small things, big things, remembering that God is the creator of everything”

How they hold on the spirit of hope.

“It's very easy to look out at our world and see so much chaos, violence and hurt. But I've been really trying to focus on finding blessings in the small things, to remind me that even in darkness, hope can be found.”

“We know that our prayers make a difference, especially when we're praying about the world and others.”

Thank you our young people for these wise words.

Above all I think we were all very moved to hear of their collective desire to experience more intergenerational connection. A wish to get to know each other and grow closer. Let us make this the prayer of our community in Christ as we move forward together.

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Welcome to our service this morning, we're so happy to have you join us for kids church in the hall



Jess, Hayley and the team



Attention new families! If you have a child or youth that has begun attending recently, please complete this registration for so we have all the information we need to best support your family.

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ST. GEORGE'S
KIDSCURCH
**FAMILY
PICNIC!**

TODAY!

Sunday 7 June
12pm

Griffin Park, 13 Griffin Ave, Epsom

Join us for an afternoon of food, fun, games, and connection!
Bring a plate to share, a picnic rug, and come enjoy time together with our kidschurch families.

Please rsvp to Hayley on WhatsApp or email
hayleyl@stgeorgesepsom.org.nz

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Dinners and Lunch in Homes - June

Friday 19th, Saturday 20th (dinners) - Sunday 28th (lunch)
To confirm a date to be either a host or a guest
Please Contact Julie Macdonald - 0274442577
by the weekend before

Everyone is welcome

Next Working Bee!

Wednesday 10th June

The team will meet between
9am & 12pm.

New helpers welcome!

Please Join Us For Morning Tea

You are invited to stay for morning tea in the Hall after the service.

Everyone welcome

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Men's Retreat

All men ages 13 to 93 welcome

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SEP 4-6, Flaxmill Bay



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Prayer Ministry: After every service there are always people available to pray with you. All those offering prayer have been trained to pray with others.

Confidential Prayer Chain: Contact: Lynette Wood dandlwood@gmail.com