

PRAYERFUL PATHWAYS

We remember:

Kaleb O'Brien 26 Jun 2001
Philip Wilson 26 Jun 2003
Andrew Renata 20 Jun 2005

We pray for the sick:

Ngaire Rogers Carmen Rupe
Aphir Tahitahi Sam Morunga
Ken Rau Fred Kaa

UPCOMING EVENTS

KAPA HAKA PERFORMANCE AT TE WAIRUA TAPU

Te Puna Marama Juniors will be performing at
Te Wairua Tapu this Sunday 26 June 2011 at
the end of the 10.30am karakia. JOIN US!!!!

USED CLOTHING SALE / SHOES

NOTHING OVER \$5

SUNDAY 26th JUNE, in the ALL-PURPOSE
ROOM
AFTER KARAKIA

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Our annual memorial service will be held on
Sunday 24 July at 2pm at Te Wairua Tapu. All
are welcome to join us to remember those of
our loved ones whom we love but see no
longer!

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

Attendance: **31**
Communicants: **22**
Our Weekly Target is \$2500.
Donations: **\$0.00**
Congregational Giving: **\$264.45**
Direct Debit: **\$350.00**
Auto Donations: **\$177.50**
Fundraising: **\$0.00**
Total contributions: **\$791.95**

DONATIONS

If you want to make an
automatic payment or a
donation, our **Westpac Bank**
account details are as follows:

**The Sydney Maori Anglican
Fellowship**
Number 2 Account
BSB: **032082**
Account Number: **155562**

Sunday 26 June 2011

CHURCH OF TE WAIRUA TAPU

www.tewairuatapu.com.au



"GOD'S LOVE FOR US"

Rarangi:

*Na inaianei, e Ihowa, ko koe to matou papa; ko matou te paru, ko koe to matou
kaipokepoke; he mahi hoki matou katoa na tou ringa. **Isaiah 64:8***



ATIRIKONA: Kaio Karipa

KAIKARAKIA: Karol Field

HYMNS:

Opening Hymn: **211**

Gradual Hymn: **248/248A**

Offertory Hymn: **255**

Closing Hymn: **116**

SENTENCE:

Yet, O Lord, you are our Father; we are the clay, and you are our potter; we are all the work of your hand. **Isaiah 64.8**

COLLECT:

Almighty Father grant that we your children may never be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified, but continue his faithful servants to our lives' end. **Amen**

1ST READING: Genesis 22:1-14

The Command to Sacrifice Isaac

After these things God tested Abraham. He said to him, 'Abraham!' And he said, 'Here I am.' He said, 'Take your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt-offering on one of the mountains that I shall show you.' So Abraham rose early in the morning, saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him, and his son Isaac; he cut the wood for the burnt-offering, and set out and went to the place in the distance that God had shown him. On the third day Abraham looked up and saw the place far away. Then Abraham said to his young men, 'Stay here with the donkey; the boy and I will go over there; we will worship, and then we will come back to you.' Abraham took the

wood of the burnt-offering and laid it on his son Isaac, and he himself carried the fire and the knife. So the two of them walked on together. Isaac said to his father Abraham, 'Father!' And he said, 'Here I am, my son.' He said, 'The fire and the wood are here, but where is the lamb for a burnt-offering?' Abraham said, 'God himself will provide the lamb for a burnt-offering, my son.' So the two of them walked on together. When they came to the place that God had shown him, Abraham built an altar there and laid the wood in order. He bound his son Isaac, and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood. Then Abraham reached out his hand and took the knife to kill his son. But the angel of the LORD called to him from heaven, and said, 'Abraham, Abraham!' And he said, 'Here I am.' He said, 'Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him; for now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son, from me.' And Abraham looked up and saw a ram, caught in a thicket by its horns. Abraham went and took the ram and offered it up as a burnt-offering instead of his son. So Abraham called that place 'The LORD will provide'; as it is said to this day, 'On the mount of the LORD it shall be provided.'

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the
Church

Thanks be to God

2ND READING: Romans 6:12-23

Therefore, do not let sin exercise dominion in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions. No longer present your members to sin as

instruments of wickedness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace. What then? Should we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! Do you not know that if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? But thanks be to God that you, having once been slaves of sin, have become obedient from the heart to the form of teaching to which you were entrusted, and that you, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness. I am speaking in human terms because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to greater and greater iniquity, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness for sanctification. When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. So what advantage did you then get from the things of which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death. But now that you have been freed from sin and enslaved to God, the advantage you get is sanctification. The end is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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GOSPEL READING: Matthew 10:40-42

'Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.'

This is the Gospel of Christ
Praise to Christ the Word

[CHURCH COLOUR IS GREEN]



TWT GROUPS

TWT CHOIR SMAC

Choir practice is every
Wednesday night at 7pm. Call Char
Roberts – **0416-135-894** for more
information.

TE WAIRUA TAPU FACEBOOK

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NGA KUPU TAPU

Nga Kupu Tapu i Roto i Te Reo hold Maori language classes every Sunday from 7:30am to 9:30am at the Church of Te Wairua Tapu.