Moderator's Lent Message

The 3D's of Lent: Discipline, Die, Disciple "I will live again, and you will too" says the Lord Jesus. John 14:19

The Lent season is the period between the Christmas-Epiphany season and the Easter season. Our lectionary booklet describes it as, "The season of preparation and discipline, which begins on Ash Wednesday and concludes at sun-down on Holy Saturday. During the 40 weekdays and six Sundays in Lent, the church remembers the sacrificial life and ministry of Jesus leading to the cross and renews its commitment to costly Christian discipleship".

Discipline for Jesus: The Christian life is a disciplined and an orderly life. It is not wishy-washy, or flaky and all over the place. Indiscipline for the Lord - you are an example, promote honour, and show Christ being first and foremost in all of life.

Die for Jesus: The Christian life is exemplified in the life of Jesus Christ. In accepting and believing in Jesus, you die to self and live in him. In Christ, you are a new person, born anew, the old is gone and a new person steps up.

Disciple for Jesus: The Christian life is portrayed as a life of a disciple and a follower of Christ. You do your best, give your all, and live a humble and committed life. Your life becomes an offering, a living sacrifice for Christ.

> Blessed Lent season. Fakaofo Right Reverend Fakaofo Kaio Moderator Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa New Zealand moderator@presbvterian.org.nz

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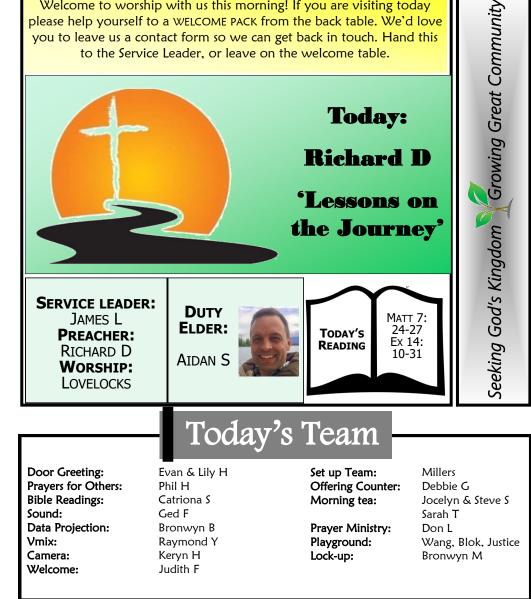
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Service Leader	Hannah T-H
Preacher	Richard D
Worship	Hannah T-H
Prayers for Others	Rachel/Russell
Bible Reading	Chris F
Door Greeting	Shannons
Children's Talk	Communion
Morning Tea	Campbells
	Debbie G
Sound/Data	Liam H/Bronwyn B
Vmix/Camera	Janine K/Anna C
Duty Elder	Don L
Prayer Ministry	Robyn & John W
Welcome	Mal & Helen C
Offering	Trudie C
Set up	Thurlows/Brian S
Playground	Koh, Foote, Huang

LEITH VALLEY **PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH** Sunday 14 February 2021



Welcome to worship with us this morning! If you are visiting today please help yourself to a WELCOME PACK from the back table. We'd love you to leave us a contact form so we can get back in touch. Hand this to the Service Leader, or leave on the welcome table.



Leith Notices

SMALL GROUPS -**CONNECT FOR GROWTH**

Do you want to join a small group?



See the list of groups open to new people on the noticeboard at the back of the church.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING:

Raise your awareness by viewing the movie 'The Twelve Thousand' 7.00pm Monday 15 February St Patrick's Basilica, 32 Macandrew Road, South Dunedin (Mercy Parish). Presented by Rev Ian Guy, Presbyterian Minister, Frankton, Collection taken, supper provided. The evening is sponsored and hosted

by Talitha Kum, Dunedin in honour of St Bakhita.

DUNEDIN HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY

have asked Leith Valley to supply 8-10 helpers to get patients to the Sunday service on February 21st, from 9.45am - 11.30am. Please let us know at the office if you can help: admin@leithvalley.org.nz

Prayer by Zoom:

Wednesdays 6.30am, Saturdays 8.00am

FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE: Roster

Pick up your new roster today!! **Church Directory**

We are updating the Church Directory. Clipboards with a draft are on the back table.

- Please check off your details and write corrections on the sheet provided.
- If your name is not in the directory and you would like it to be, please fill in the form underneath.

Notices

If you would like to have a notice printed in the church bulletin, please send it to Fran at the church office, email admin@leithvalley.org.nz by Friday 9am at the latest, The notices are uploaded to the church website each week. www.leithvalley.org.nz and usually sent out attached to the Friday email. THANK YOU

FOOD FOR THE SOUL

Meets 10-11am on Fridays @ Leith Valley Church, 267 Malvern St.

> HAD A BIRTHDAY **OR ANNIVERSARY?** send details to Rachel batesr71@gmail.com

Children & Youth

SENIOR YOUTH

Tuesdays 7-9pm At Leith Valley Church Years 9-13 at High School Contact Tessa Barlow 027 867 78137



Sundays during the service. Years 7-10. Contact Rachel Bates 027 737 72952

JUNIOR YOUTH

Leader today: Mark Lokman See also notice below

KID7TIME

Sunday mornings during the services. Years 1-6 at primary school. Contact Miranda Fairmaid 027 518 7360

SPARKLERS PRE-SCHOOL



Sunday mornings during the services. Ages 0-5 Contact Fran Dawson 027 456 1188



FUN FRIDAY! **Junior Youth**

fortnightly event at Leith Valley Church. This week (19 February) 6-8pm. Dinner and Games \$3 per person.

If you are in years 7 to 10 and haven't received an email about this, please text or call Rachel Bates on 027 737 7295



MAINLY MUSIC mainly music is a music and movement

programme for pre-schoolers and their parents/ caregivers, and it will begin again on Wednesday February 28 at 10am at Leith Valley Church, 267 Malvern St.

There are two ways you can help:

1. Provide and/or serve morning tea on a Wednesday morning. 2. Be part of a team to pray regularly for mainly music. Please sign the clipboard coming round if you can help in either or both of these ways. Thank you! Contact Fran Dawson 027 456 1188 for more information.

OTAGO HOME SCHOOL CHOIR

Ages: Years 7-13 Time: Thursdays 2-3.30pm starting Feb 11 Venue: Back Hall, All Saints Church, 786 Cumberland St Cost per term: \$30 per child, \$80 for family of 3, \$90 for family of 4. Contact Courtney Hickmott courtney.hickmott@outlook.com

