

During September please pray for:

1st	Opawa Baptist Church that as we may need to make significant decisions regarding our future over the coming months that we would wait on God in prayer and be guided by the Holy Spirit.
2nd	Koru as they meet this evening that the leaders would have enthusiasm and wisdom and the young people who attend would have an enjoyable time.
3rd	Rod Robson that he would continue to know God's guidance for his leadership at Opawa and in his other responsibilities.
4th	God's blessing on the services today, particularly at Opawa, but also in other churches across the city.
5th	The church building repairs, that progress would be made and that any decisions still to be made would be wise.
6th	People who are unwell at present or who have significant ongoing health issues that they would know God's comfort and healing.
7th	The small groups in the church that those attending would be able to encourage one another and learn things that deepen their Christian faith.
8th	Tranzsend missionaries and particularly those we help support: Peter and Lynley, Lizzie, and John and Helen that they would continue to know God's strength and provision.
9th	The Opawa Youth Group to encourage each other and grow in Christian maturity. Pray for Andrew, Bella and Elliot as they provide leadership.
10th	As church members relate with each other and with other people today, pray that all conversations would be God-honouring and encouraging.
11th	The Christmas Child Appeal that as the boxes will be available today many people would feel they are able to contribute.
12th	The church finances, that God would continue to supply all our needs and that we would be wise in how we spend this money.
13th	That institutions in Waltham such as the Community Cottage and School would be places where people are encouraged. Pray that the Holy Spirit would work in the lives of people in this part of the city drawing them towards God.
14th	Emma Richardson as she serves as our Custodian and as Children's Ministry Leader that she would continue to know God's strength and wisdom.
15th	The Church Board that they would be united in perceiving God's will in matters they need to discuss and decisions they need to make.

16th	The Little Readers group this morning that both the caregivers and children would have a good time of fun and fellowship.
17th	A good time of fellowship at the Women's Spring Event today and the Youth fundraiser Variety Show tonight.
18th	God's blessing and a sense of His presence at each of the services at Opawa today - the 10.30am service, Hymn Service and Unite.
19th	Chris Landers as he leads the Worship Ministry Team, that he and his team would be able to lead us to love and appreciate God more and more.
20th	Girl's Brigade that God would continue to bless the girls who attend this ministry of the church.
21st	Hugh and Norma as they continue to minister to people in the community that they would be wise and effectively show compassion.
22nd	Crafts and Bowls this morning that all who attend would have a good time of fellowship and be encouraged by the devotional time.
23rd	The children of the church, as Term 3 concludes today that they would have good times over the next two weeks and be protected from all evil.
24th	Young teenagers attending the AMPED camp over the next two days that they would be challenged and make wise decisions.
25th	The church worldwide as congregations gather for worship today that we would all worship in Spirit and in truth.
26th	The Pastoral Care Ministry of the church that people would be able to care in effective and appropriate ways. Pray especially for Elizabeth Taylor as she coordinates this ministry.
27th	The next Senior Pastor of Opawa Baptist that God would be preparing that person to receive a call.
28th	The Vege Co-op today that the process would run smoothly, good times shared amongst the volunteers and good connections made with customers.
29th	Robyn Peterson as she works in the church office that she would continue to know God's wisdom and strength and would share His love with those who visit during the week.
30th	The DIEM Young Adults as they meet that they would have good fellowship and be encouraged in their faith.