

Tawa Union Church

Christ centred, community facing

May 2025



*We are on a spiritual journey, exploring our place in God,
in the community and in creation.*

It's a journey that's unfolding: we don't claim to have arrived.

If you'd like to join us, there is space for you to come along.

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Our services in May

Sun 4th 10am Faka-Me—Tongan Congregation Sunday School

3.30pm Longview service—Rev Nua Langi

Sun 11th 9am Early communion—Rev Nua Langi

10am Mother's Day Service—Rev Nua Langi & Women's Group

1pm Tongan language service—Sapate Fa'e (Mother's Day)—
Seluvaia Tongi Nuku

Sun 18th 9am Early communion—John Melville

10am Service—Jay Smith

1pm Tongan language service—Sapate Tamai (Father's Day)—
Rev Hiueni Nuku

Sun 25th 9am Early communion—Bryan Chapple

10am Service—Bryan Chapple

1pm Combined Tongan Youth Service – Hosted by Ututa'u at
Maungaraki, Lower Hutt

June

Sun 1st 10am Combined Communion—Nua Langi

3.30pm Longview service—Nua Langi

Join our 10am worship on Zoom

- by computer—<https://zoom.us/join>
Meeting ID: 838 5103 9194—Passcode: TUC2021
- by phone—call 04 886 0026:
Meeting ID: 838 5103 9194—PIN: 578545



Monthly events

Walking Group—1st Friday: meets 9.15am in the church carpark.

May walk: Friday 2 May

Youth group: meets fortnightly on Sundays at 5.30pm

For more information, contact Loleseti Poasa 021 209 2080

Prayer Group: meets fortnightly on Tuesdays at 10am in Luke's Chapel

For more information, contact Nua 021 144 2352

Women's Group— 4th Wednesday: 7.30pm in Stephen's Lounge

May meeting: Wednesday 28 May

Men's Group—4th Friday: monthly outing by public transport

For details, contact John Morrison 477 1020 or 021 102 8124

Workgroup Meetings (contact convenors for details)

- Finance & Property—convenors: John Melville & Ian Harris
- Pastoral Care—convenors: Barbara Russell & Jenny Wharton
- Worship—convenors: Heather Collins & Nua Langi

Weekly Events

Monday to Friday	9am	Redwood Club—Redwood Hall
Monday	6pm	Girls' Brigade*—the Centre
	7.30pm	Faith Explorers*—Luke's Chapel
Tuesday	6.45pm	Tawa Learners Band—Stephen's Lounge
	7.30pm	Indoor Bowls—Aidan's Hall

**not in school holidays*

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	4 May	11 May
9am Service	Faka-Me	Nua Langi
Music		Robin Thomson
Steward		Kirisimasi Poasa
10am Service	Faka-Me	Nua Langi
Minister's Elder	Gill Knox	Andre Milkop
Music	Tongan congregation	Gillian George
Reader	Tongan congregation	Margaret Lake & Pat Matheson
Prayers of the People	Tongan congregation	Heather Bray
Technical Crew	Nuku Family	Toa Fifita & Loleseti Poasa
Stewards	Heather & Bruce Collins	Jenny Wharton & Margaret Lake
Morning Tea	Tupou Family	Mark Hutton & Andrew Boyes
Tellers	David Bray & Geoff Hughes	Geoff Hughes & Andre Milkop
WCA Pantry	Ian Harris	Ian Harris
Cleaning	Vave Fifita	
Longview Service	Nua Langi	
	18 May	25 May
9am Service	John Melville	Bryan Chapple
Music	Faith Delaney	Faith Delaney
Steward	Andre Milkop	John Melville
10am Service	Jay Smith	Bryan Chapple
Minister's Elder	Bryan Chapple	Andre Milkop
Music	Robin Thomson	Gillian George
Reader	Kirisimasi Poasa	Mark Hutton
Prayers of the People	Jonathan & Mary-Lynn Boyes	Gill Knox
Technical Crew	Loleseti Poasa & Bruce Collins	John Melville & Bruce Collins
Stewards	David Bray & Andre Milkop	David & Barbara Russell
Morning Tea	Poasa Family	Joy Tu'itupou & family
Tellers	Andre Milkop & Graham Ellett	Graham Ellett & Max George
WCA Pantry	Ian Harris	Ian Harris
Cleaning	Heather & Bruce Collins	