

WELCOME TO

MT ROSKILL BAPTIST CHURCH



17 MARCH 2024

Family of Nations; Followers of Jesus

Mark 4:1-34

We're so glad you could join us today. **You're welcome** to stay for a tea or coffee after the service, we'd love to get to know you, or hear what's been happening in your week!



He also said, "This is what the kingdom of God is like. A man scatters seed on the ground. Night and day, whether he sleeps or gets up, the seed sprouts and grows, though he does not know how.

Mark 4:26-27, NIV

UPCOMING EVENTS

Life Course | 19 March, 7-9pm

Welcome Lunch | Sun, 10 March, after church

Mystery Lunch | Sun, 24 March (more details to come)

SERMON NOTES

THE MYSTERY OF JESUS' KINGDOM | MARK 4:1-34

- Parables - Stories that cause us to ponder the kingdom

- The mystery of how to get into Jesus' growing kingdom
 - It's all to do with your heart

 - There's a warning here... Don't let life choke you

 - There's an alternative - receive the gospel

- The mystery of the unstoppable nature of Jesus' growing kingdom

NOTICES

Making the switch to elvanto

If you are involved in serving with our church in any way you will have received an email for a new login request from elvanto. This is not a spam email. Please use it to create a new login so we can keep you up to date with rosters. Any problems email office@roskillbaptist.com

prayer@roskillbaptist.com is our church family prayer email. If you have a prayer request, drop us an email and we share it once a week via email with our faithful pray-ers.



Life | Next session Tuesday night, 7-9pm

Explore what life is all about over 5 weeks. This is a **low key course** over dessert, designed to help you or a friend explore what life is all about, and how Jesus answers some of the questions we have.

We were so encouraged that more than 20 people came out on Tuesday night.

You haven't missed out. If you couldn't make it to the first one, or if you've heard it was good - please join us on Tuesday night. Let us know if you can make it office@roskillbaptist.com

OUR SUNDAY KIDS PROGRAMMES

Pre-school

(3-4 years)

Meet in the Kindergarten



SPARKS

Primary School

(School years 1-5)

Downstairs



Intermediates

(School years 6-8)

Church Hall



IGNITE

ROSKILL YOUTH

High School

(School years 9-13)

Friday nights |

7pm Church Hall



OUR COMMUNITY MINISTRIES

Mt Roskill Baptist

Kindergarten

(3-5 years)

mrbk.org.nz



New 2 U Op Shop

Mon- Fri | 9am-1pm

Sat | 9:30am- 1:30pm

1/489 Richardson Rd

Friendship Group

Christ-centered relationship building

Tues, 10am | Church Hall

ESOL

English for NZ living

Fri, 9:30am | Foyer & Hall

MYSTERY LUNCH & DINNER

Sign up in the foyer after church

24 MARCH 2024

GOOD FOOD. GOOD FRIENDS. GOOD FUN.

Mystery Lunch | Sunday 24 March, after church. How does this work? Some people offer to host and some people agree to attend. We mix up the attendees and let them know the address of where they are going for lunch. The hosts have a list of who is coming (and any dietary requirements). Why are we doing this? Meeting over lunch is a great way to get to know each other. **Sign up today on the clipboards or online**

All in the family

We are looking forward to dedicating baby Maia Nayagam in the service on 7 April.



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