# The thought for the month

#### AUCKLAND DEAF CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

February 2024 – No.65

Letting you know of another hearing church that has Deaf people attending and has interpreters.

New Lynn Salvation Army 32 Delta Avenue New Lynn

Services are 10.00am on Sunday with interpreters.

There is a Children's Church for CODAs.

Contact is Jennifer Sua 021 140 3516 - text only.

The services run all year - even in January.



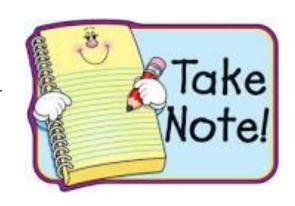
#### Dates for your diary

4 February 2024 - Sunday at 2.15pm ADCF service with communion.

6 February 2024 - Bible Study starts - every Tuesday - see notice

17 February 2024 - Social – See Notice

**18 February 2024-** Sunday at 2.15pm ADCF service.



- **3 March 2024** Sunday at 2.15pm ADCF service with communion.
- 5 March 2024 Bible Study every Tuesday see notice
- 9 March 2024 -Social See Notice.
- 17 March 2024- Sunday at 2.15pm ADCF service





The powerpoint of the service is on the website page called PowerPoints from Services. It will be on the website later in the day after service.

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## Please pray for

Pray for God's blessings and good

health to all these people

Deaf people in Kenya.

Pamela Brens (Johanna B's Mum).

Des Marett.

**Rhona Gibling** 

Val Jillings - Barbara's Mum.

Koronawa, Johanna G and family

Tricia Morrison

COVID virus—they find a solution for this.

The Russian / Ukraine war – this stops and a peaceful solution can be worked out.

Israel - this stops and a peaceful solution can be worked out.

Our new government and their decisions.

## Birthdays coming up

Val J – 22 Feb (Barbara's Mum)

# BIBLE STUDY

WHERE: ON ZOOM

WHEN: EVERY TUESDAY NIGHT'S 7 - 8

OR TO 8.30.

PLEASE CONTACT MICHELLE TO BE

CONNECTED

#### Restarts

6 February 2024

## Bible quiz

Romans 6

1 Why should we be stop doing sin?

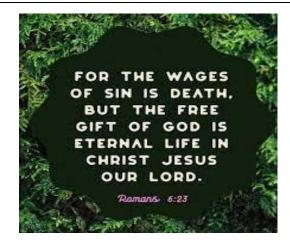
2 Why did Christ die on the cross?

3 What rules does Paul (the writer of Romans) give us to stop serving sin?

4 We have God's grace, does this mean we can keep on doing sin because God will forgive us?

5 What does sin do to your soul?

6 What does live for God do to your soul?



#### Social we had



About social

Brenda H, Beth, Terry got together.

A lovely day and great to be out of the hot weather outside.

Michelle was there but didn't see them.

#### **February Social**

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Where: 17 February 2024.

When: 2 pm.

Where:, The Café in Albany Palmers Garden Centre, 65 Greville Road, Albany, Auckland.

See you there



### March Social





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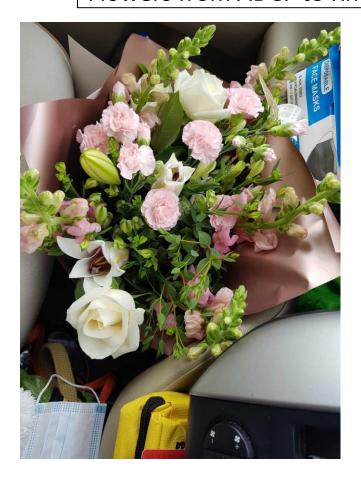
Where: 9 March 2024.

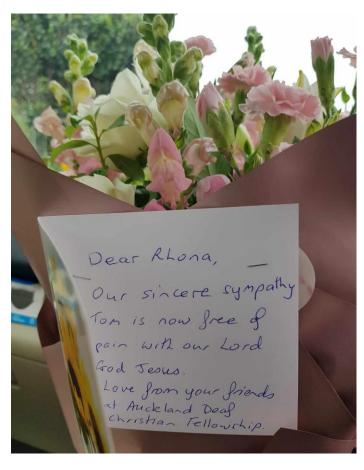
When: 2 pm.

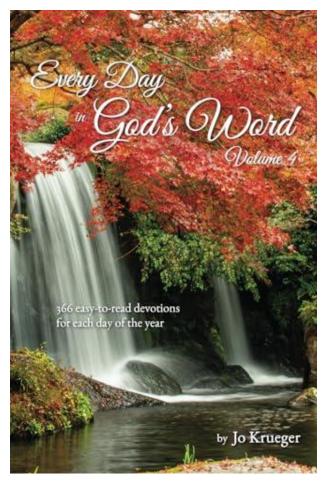
Where:, Café in Kings Plant Barn – Henderson, 224 Universal Drive, Henderson, Auckland.

See you there

#### Flowers from ADCF to Rhona G after Tom died







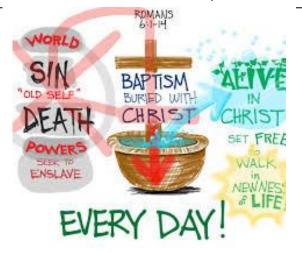
Michelle has a spare copy of the book 'Every Day in God's Word.' Volume 4

This is a 366 easy-to-read devotions for each day of the year, very good for Deaf people and easy to understand.

Contact Michelle if you would like this. (contact details at the end of this newsletter.



- 1 We should stop doing sin, we died from our old sinful ways when we accepted Christ Jesus as our saviour. (the temptation is sin is still there but it does not control us or have power over us like before we accepted Jesus into our life, bad habits and addictions can a type of sin).
- 2 Christ died on the cross for our sin. Jesus has the power to defeat sin, we need to pray to him to help us overcome our sinful selves so sin does not control us.
- 3 The rules Paul gives to stop serving sin
  - Don't offer parts of your body to serve sin.
  - Don't use your bodies as things to do evil with.
- 4 When we are part of Gods family, we have God's grace, this does not mean we can keep on doing sin like before we were baptised just because God will forgive us. We have a new Master when we get baptised in Christ and that Master is God / Jesus / Holy Spirit. Slaves and servants obey their Master and we (Christians) are to obey our Master too and our Master says to stop doing sin.
- 5 Sin bring spiritual death to your soul. Your soul will not live after you die.
- 6 When we live for God, when our body dies, our soul goes to live with Jesus.





#### COVID 19

There is more COVID-19 in our community than during lockdown!

Please test if you have any symptoms, and do the test again if you still have symptoms a few days later.





Last service for 2023 – 17 December 2023.

Back Row: Koronwana G, Johanna B with Marco, Glenn S

Front Row: Des M, Michelle S,

Karen W, David M

Photo taker: Terry M







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