

# The Lamb of God Chronicle

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**\*\*\*Late news regarding the Lamb of God Centre- refer to page 5**

### REFLECTIONS... "The Lord speaks to us from Gabriela in Mexico..."

Gabriela Hernández is a young lady from the 'Incienso de Dios Community' in Xalapa, Veracruz, Mexico. We have never met, but we have communicated over a couple of years as Gabriela has a passion to serve in a Gap Programme here in Lamb of God. God willing, this will happen.

A couple of weeks ago Gabriela wrote me regarding something that happened as she prayed for our Christchurch Branch and the on-going challenges we face in the aftermath of over 10,000 earthquakes and aftershocks. Her note got my attention, and the Lord got my thanks. What a great witness this is to have a young Mexican girl, who we have never met, at serious prayer for us thousands of kilometres away. What a witness this is to the Lord at work in the hearts of the young people of the Sword of the Spirit. What a future we have in the Lord...



This is what Gabriela wrote: 'The other day, during prayers, I remembered some beautiful trees (I love trees) that are in the village where my mom grew up. One particular tree that still stood after a hurricane in 1957 came to my mind. This tree didn't return to its original state, but the surprising thing is that the hurricane didn't succeed in knocking the tree down. The tree survived. Now this tree still is producing fruit and is leafy. Its roots are still firm, and in fact they now are stronger. It is a unique and beautiful tree, very different from the rest. God gave it another opportunity, more strength, and more vitality than before. While I was thinking about this, I remembered you all, of the changes you all have been going through as a community after the earthquakes. I was thinking about how difficult it must be for you all to assume so many

changes, but in turn, I was thinking of all the blessings from the Lord because I am sure that already you all are receiving the fruits. I give thanks to God for your lives and for being a community example of strength, faith, and perseverance in the Lord. God bless you all. And to Roger and Veronica, I send my congratulations on your anniversary. Peace in the Lord. Gabriela'

Yes, I might have been serving in leadership now thirty-three years, but in times like this I stand in awe of the intimate love and care of God displayed to me in my time of testing through a faithful and prayerful girl whom I have never met, and is young enough to be my grandchild. Gabriela - keep on with God. I hope we meet one day. We are blessed to have young people like you in The Sword of the Spirit.

Roger Foley: Senior Coordinator

## OUR PEOPLE...

### **With sadness, yet confidence in the Lord, we remember:**

- Bronwyn & Bruce Harborne [Ashburton] as Bronwyn's dad has passed away
- Jenny & Bill McElhinney [Blenheim] as Jenny's mum has also passed to the Lord

**[Note to all Branch leaders: Please send your local news/snippets to Roger Foley or Tom Caballes so that we can acknowledge important occasions in the lives of our brothers and sisters and make sure we do not miss any of them.]**

## NEWS AND ARTICLES

### **MAREE MEETS THE LORD**

Long-time full covenant member Maree Coutts passed peacefully to the Lord over the Easter Season. Maree had been unwell for some time. The Lamb of God Christchurch Branch was well involved in the farewell for Maree and Branch Elder, Philip Middlemiss, in his capacity as a JP and a funeral director, presided at the proceedings.

Roger and Veronica



### **CHRISTCHURCH EARTHQUAKE UPDATE**

Members of our community, together with many generous donations from Sword of the Spirit members and communities and others worldwide, raised a significant Donation Fund to assist with member needs resulting from the earthquakes. The fund is also intended to help the Christchurch Branch get re-established, including assisting with repairing the Lamb of God Community Centre. In April the team charged with responsibility to overview this fund started the long and complex journey towards understanding present and upcoming member needs, and began the task of drawing up guidelines for application to, and disbursements from, the fund.

Roger

## ROGER'S AND VERONICA'S MEANDERINGS...

As earlier indicated, we are intending to do a great deal of travelling to, and fellowshiping with, our members nationwide during this year of our fiftieth wedding anniversary. To date we have already visited with some of our people in Lamb of God Nelson, Blenheim, Kaikoura, Timaru, Dunedin and Ashburton. It has been a rich and blessed experience. I see a sure sign that God has called us together to live the commitment we have is in the relationship of love and commitment which is so obvious when we gather together. It is indeed a grace of God, a blessing of his love, and I thank him for it and continue to commit my life to it.

## CHRISTCHURCH GIRLS ENJOY DINNER PARTY AND SLEEPOVER

An evening of fancy dresses and gorgeous young ladies was held in Christchurch. The young ladies arrived from 4:30pm to get dressed and made up. Two hours later everyone was ready for photos followed by a three course meal. A game and a movie were followed by the sleepover for the twelve young ladies. A fun evening was had by all. It was a joyful, fun-filled, and somewhat noisy and giggly occasion!



## AUCKLAND BRANCH UPDATES

### Stock Take at Four Square

The Lamb of God – Auckland Branch had the Annual Stock Take at Four Square in Mt. Albert toward the end of March. This was well coordinated and organized by the Fund Raising Committee and was well supported by the members (of all ages) who were present in large numbers.

The highlight of the stock take was the presence of many kids who were quite enthusiastic to do the stock take. For most of them it was a first time experience and it was quite heartening to see them going about their work with so much enthusiasm. Initially the owner was a bit apprehensive to see the kids but he was at ease when he saw the kids were being managed very nicely by the adults who did a good job of ensuring that the children were focused as well. I am sure most of them will look forward to come back next year as well. An excellent job was done and all were pleased that this was a repeat offer by the Four Square Management.

### Aqua Blast

The Aqua Blast is an annual fund raiser event, organized by the Auckland Branch at the Mt. Albert Aquatic Centre during the school term break and never fails to draw people from all walks of life. It was held on the 13th of April.

This year saw a much larger turnout, and there was fun for all – the oldies who came to sit around and have a bit of a chinwag, the bold ones who donned their swimsuits in spite of their otherwise prim outlook.....and of course, the kids – in all sizes and colours, had an enjoyable evening as they got to experience again, the fun at the water slides and smaller pools. This was demonstrated through the squeals and shouts, as parents had a time trying to get them to get out for a respite. Seen in the spa and hot pools, the otherwise in-between the “daring and baring” get a chance to do the once a year ritual of having a relaxed time in the water. The lane pools were swarmed by the teenagers and adults, who competed in the aqua games, so meticulously thought of by the organizing team and never failed to amuse all the bystanders, who added to the festivity.

No function organized by the Auckland branch is ever complete without the element of food, when all the gastronomic skills are out at play. This year saw the famous Mumbai “vada pau” do its round in Auckland, which was an instant sell out. As the games were over, the crowd by now ready to take on another round of the goodies were back at the stalls, to finish the spoils, all of which went for a song. It was amazing to see the ladies all rally round to serve the crowd that grew into large queues for the sausage sizzle and the muffins. Kudos and God Bless Lamb of God Team Auckland...GO, GO GO!!! You make our world so much happier seeing all the ages enjoy this event each year.

### **WELLINGTON BRANCH EASTER CELEBRATION**



The Lamb of God Wellington branch recently celebrated Easter. It involved sharing this day with loved with good food and fun activities. It was a memorable event as everybody was asked to wear white, which symbolizes the robe worn by Jesus Christ when He died on the cross.

The glorious sunny day was a real feast for everyone as we commenced singing few praise songs and thanked God for His redeeming work. The Community prepared savoury food and scrumptious dessert for the enjoyment of everyone. Next were the games. The group was divided into 4 teams such as the adult men, the male teen, the female teen and the women. The games comprised of Bible trivia, bring me and the funniest game called the Chinese whisper which the women won the prize. We have fun activities for the little ones to play

and prizes for the best white suit were won by John Caballes, Tiza Sison and Therese Sison. To top it all we had a guest from Auckland, Rosanna and a Singaporean couple by the name of John & Lucy, who were here for the holidays. I would say that Easter is a divine celebration of life eternal.



Angie Briguera

### **LATE NEWS: THE LAMB OF GOD CENTRE EARTHQUAKE DAMAGE**

In mid-April the Lamb of God Centre was again visited by structural engineers and unfortunately, at the time of writing, there are indications they have uncovered an area of 'structural compromise' where the older original Baptist church adjoins the newer lounge. Interestingly the large sliding doors in this part of the building, which separate the auditorium from the lounge, have locked solid on several occasions. So there appears to be some sort of a problem.

We of course have quite serious damage to the main hall and kitchen and these areas have been out of bounds now since the September 2010 big 7.1 magnitude earthquake.

We are still to receive a formal written report from the April inspection. We should have this within a week or so and it will indicate the extent and nature of any damage to our facilities. However we are taking no risks and we cancelled the General Gathering for Sunday 15 April. As yet we are still uncertain when, and if, we can return to the Lamb of God Centre.

We are most grateful to Pastor Nigel Ripley and his team at the Burwood Christian Centre, a local church which is located in the very heart of the Burwood Cluster. Nigel has welcomed the Lamb of God so we can hold our Sunday Gatherings at BCC.

The facility is ideal for location and set up and we have arranged for three Sunday Gatherings there thus giving us time to receive and understand the Lamb of God Centre structural reports.

Roger

## GETTING TO KNOW YOUR NATIONAL COUNCIL MEMBERS: Andre Geelen

*[Note: Over the coming months, we will continue to feature one of the National Council Coordinators so that Lamb of God members and friends can get to know each of them better. This month, we feature Andre Geelen from Napier.]*

I was born in Amsterdam in 1950 to a Russian father and Dutch mother who had met prior to World War II while my father was studying in Holland. The family migrated to Hamilton in 1952. We were a strong Catholic family and I developed a regular prayer habit. While growing up I was passionate about two things: tennis and nature. Nature won out and at Auckland University graduated in plant pathology (diseases of plants). While there I met Karen, a Baptist, and through her involvement in Teen Challenge I also became involved, leading to being baptised in the Holy Spirit some months later in August 1969. This was at the very beginnings of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal. They were wonderful times and we were heavily involved in the movement and after graduating I served on the Auckland leadership team.



Karen and I were married in my final year at University and 10 months later had our first child and just \$80 in the bank. God was so good to us during those hard early years and we really learned the truth of what Abraham said “the Lord is my provider.” After a year of working for the Ministry of Agriculture, I got a job in Nelson as a researcher for a chemical company and moved there in 1974. We were very involved in the prayer group scene there and the folk who began the Light of Christ Community. In 1980 we shifted to Hawkes Bay and six months later our fifth child was born and we bought our first car. We continued to be deeply involved in the renewal but became concerned that it was a parents’ only movement and so became more attracted to the community movement that was occurring in USA. In May 1982 together with another family we began meeting weekly and praying about this. The outcome of this was the establishment of the Hawkes Bay Covenant Community. This became a thriving group of over 80 people before some leadership issues split the group and we realised that for our survival we needed to be joined with other similar groups. In 1992 we joined the Lamb of God Community as the Hawkes Bay branch. Although still very small today without the support and encouragement of the community, the branch would not have survived until today.



I continued to work for the last 25 years as the director of an agricultural contract research company working for international companies investigating new agricultural chemicals for controlling pests and diseases on various crops in New Zealand. Karen runs a busy life of caring for the family, which now involves six grandchildren, as well as continuing her music ministry to the wider church which she has done for many years. For the past 18 years we have taught “Bible in Schools” to 7-9 year olds on a weekday morning at a local secular primary school. I still enjoy my tennis and fit in tramping when I can. Both of us serve in the National leadership of the Community.

## CHALLENGES IN LIVING TOGETHER AS COMMUNITY

Resource for House Group Discussion by Tom Caballes  
Born Into A Battle - May 2012

*Put on the whole armour of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. [Ephesians 6:11-12]*

Probably very few of us have ever experienced being in an actual war. It must be a frightful and dangerous experience to be in an actual war – with all the injury, death and destruction. But as Christians, we are at war: we do not fight human forces but spiritual ones. This war rages on within us, among our relationships, and within the personal lives of all of us. Our enemy is hell-bent in bringing us down with him – but the good news is that we are on the winning side!

### **So How Can We Do Our Part in the Spiritual Battle?**

1. We need to be always aware of the spiritual battle that is raging on – and not see things just by human eyes. We also need to look at things in the eyes of God. We need to be alert and not let our own guards down from the wiles and attacks of the enemy.
2. Know well that we have a lifetime battle with our very own unredeemed human nature referred to as the flesh. It is like an enemy inside us – it connives with the enemy to bring us to ruin and destruction. We need to claim our own bodies and desires under the Lordship of Jesus Christ – He is our Lord and Captain.
3. We are not called to conform to the world but to transform it [**Romans 12:2**]. There are times we should say no even if this will cause inconvenience or conflict at times. We need to stand our ground and draw the line with our speech and relationships.
4. We need to be “*strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might*” [**Ephesians 6:10**]. In our personal and family life, we need to resist temptations and the wiles of the enemy. Our enemy is strong – like a tide of raging floods. If our own defence is weak, how can we do other battles against the enemy – in school, at work, etc.?
5. Remember: Jesus has already won the victory for us on the cross! We are not victims, but we are the victors through the bold of the Lamb. Let us not give in to discouragement, hopelessness and despair, for we know how the story ends.
6. *Therefore take to yourselves the whole armour of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Therefore stand, having your loins girded about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness and your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace. Above all, take the shield of faith, with which you shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God, praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching to this very thing with all perseverance and supplication for all saints. [Ephesians 6:13-18]*

### **Other Scripture References**

1. *Resist the devil, and he will free from you. [James 4:7]*
2. *Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. [1 Peter 5:8]*
3. Other verses: **James 4:4, Ephesians 4:22-23; Ephesians 4:26-27.**

### **For Personal Reflection and Group Sharing:**

1. How can I see more with spiritual eyes the things that happen around me?
2. As a soldier for Christ, in what way can I contribute more to His cause in my everyday life?

## KAIROS NEW ZEALAND YOUTH NEWS

### Kairos New Zealand Schedule of Events for 2012 and 2013

June 29 to July 1, 2012	Mid-Winter V in Christchurch
July 6 to 8, 2012	Winter Oasis in Auckland
January 6 to 11, 2013	Summer Oasis in Christchurch
January 4 to 17, 2013	Single Men's and Women's Households
April 26 to 28, 2013	Youth Event in Wellington
July 19 to 21, 2013	Winter Oasis in Auckland

### PISTOP 2012 IN BLENHEIM - 'Come As You Are'

Around 40 young people gathered from Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch and Blenheim for the youth camp called Pitstop held in Blenheim. Many of them were so glad to mingle with each other after the cancellation of the Summer Oasis in Christchurch – but fellowship was not the only blessing those who attended received. Great time for praise and worship, good teaching and sharing, and many other things were in store for them too. The Pit Stop weekend was significant to some of those who attended as they made important decisions in their lives.



Thanks to all the brothers and sisters in Blenheim – for their joy in hospitality and their solid commitment to the youth of the community – well done! As we look towards Wellington next year, we will miss Blenheim brothers and sisters!

### WEB SITES WORTH NOTING

KAIROS South Pacific Web Site – go take a look ...

Check it out at: [www.kairossp.com](http://www.kairossp.com)

You can network and chat with other young people by going to this website:

<http://www.kairossp.com/kairosspnzchatroom.htm>

We designated every Friday night at 10pm as a time to meet other young people.

Go and visit the International Kairos Media website: <http://www.kairos-media.org/>

### Sign up [free] for Youth Culture Newsletter

The most recent edition of the Youth Culture Newsletter is now available online. It will no longer be sent to you via the Lamb of God e-mail list but you can get it at this link:

<http://www.kairos-na.org/youthculturenewsletter.htm>

This is a recommended Sword of the Spirit publication for youth and parents.

### Living Bulwark Sword of the Spirit - Highly Recommended!

This Sword of the Spirit on-line publication has received more than 43,000 visits (an average of 135 visits each day) in its first year. All back issues for the past 12 months can be found at: <http://www.swordofthespirit.net/bulwark/archives.htm>. The current issue of the online magazine can be seen at: [www.swordofthespirit.net/bulwark/index.html](http://www.swordofthespirit.net/bulwark/index.html) .

## **SENDING NEWS FOR CHRONICLE PUBLICATION**

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### **IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT OUR RECORDS**

Membership Records and Data: Branch leaders are responsible to keep updated records and then email all new attendee additions, deletions, address and phone changes, births, deaths, transfers, etc to -

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### **BIRTHDAY INFORMATION**

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### ***Birthdays for May - Happy Birthday!***

<b>NAMES</b>	<b>BIRTHDAY</b>	<b>BRANCH</b>
Rachel McKenzie	01/05	Auckland
Philip Middlemiss	04/05	Christchurch
Martin Patrao	04/05	Auckland
Shayna Celestine	05/05	Auckland
Saahil Castelino	05/05	Auckland
Clyde D'Souza	06/05	Auckland
Gail D'Mello	07/05	Auckland
Emily Matthews	07/05	Christchurch
Kathryn O'Malley	08/05	Central
Mike Prendeville	08/05	Southern
Rohini Lewis	09/05	Auckland
Alessi Mendoza	11/05	Central
Alpert Mendoza	11/05	Central
Carlos Briguera	12/05	Central
Alison Middlemiss	12/05	Christchurch
Cynthia D'Souza	13/05	Auckland
Ludeth Mariposa	13/05	Central
Sue Greig	14/05	Central
Kester Rebello	14/05	Auckland
Winona D'Costa	15/05	Auckland
Ruby Lowe	16/05	Auckland
Daniela Slovak	16/05	Blenheim
Trevor Wall	17/05	Ch/Ashburton
Anita Fredericks	18/05	Blenheim
Sasha Holliday	20/05	Auckland
Jacqui Blackwell	22/05	Nelson
Kimberly Coutinho	22/05	Auckland
Mike Garrett	25/05	Blenheim
Leroy Lobo	25/05	Auckland
Winnie D'Costa	26/05	Auckland
Sarah Nicholas	26/05	Christchurch
Maryanne Hall	27/05	Auckland
Dominic D'Sa	28/05	Auckland

### ***Wedding Anniversaries for May - Happy Anniversary!***

<b>NAMES</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>BRANCH</b>
Joel and Tiza Sison	01/05	Central
Thomas and Irene Hong	02/05	Auckland
Terry and Sandy Westbury	03/05	Nelson
Priyan and Anusha Jayahama	06/05	Auckland
Mark and Kirsten Challies	09/05	Christchurch
John and Janet McManus	10/05	Southern
Ariel and Tina Araza	11/05	Central
Nick and Rosalie Barber	11/05	Nelson
Ivan and Annette Carvalho	11/05	Auckland
Raema and Ray Muollo	14/05	Nelson
Alan and Margaret McKenzie	15/05	Southern
Tony and Christie D'Costa	21/05	Auckland
Ronnie and Rina D'Souza	27/05	Auckland

## **PRAYERWATCH - SOLDIERS OF CHRIST, ARISE**

### **Fight the good fight**

As the Israelites left Egypt, [see Exodus 13-14] they were a people who were used to being slaves and when the Egyptian army caught up with them they were unready to go into battle. The first lesson to learn was that the battle belongs to God and he gives the victory as in crossing the Red sea they gained the victory but the Egyptian army was totally destroyed. The Israelites continued through the desert forming themselves into a nation with God providing for them and leading them to the Promised Land. On reaching the Promised Land they sent 12 spies to scout ahead [Numbers 13:-14:] and report on what the land held. Ten spies came back seeing the people of the land as giants and in secure fortified cities. They forgot that the battle belonged to God and he would support with the weapons and the plan of attack. The other 2 spies, Joshua and Caleb with faith in God looked at the land and what it could be for the people of Israel. As we know the people believed the 10 spies and went on to die in the desert before Joshua and Caleb were to lead the Israelites into the Promised Land. Their first battle was against a fortified city where they followed God's plan and marched around Jericho for a number of days and saw the city crumble before their eyes.

Do we see ourselves, the Church, as grasshoppers among giants or as a mighty army with Jesus leading us into battle? Do we remember that Jesus won the victory by his death on the cross and all we need do is follow him and be obedient? Jesus said the following:

*I will build my church, and the gates of Hell will not overcome it. **Matthew 16: 18***

Do we use the weapons [Ephesians 6: 10-18] Jesus has armed us with, to take our place in his mighty army? If we have not yet, it is time to wake up, too arise and be the army God intended us to be, the army of the Lord of Hosts, the King of kings. Soldiers of Christ, arise!

If you have any comments or questions concerning the Prayerwatch then please send them to me or give them to one of your branch leaders to send to me. God bless and watch over you all.

Alan McKenzie - National Coordinator, Prayerwatch

## **LAMB OF GOD PRAYERWATCH - PRAYER INTENTIONS**

### **SPIRITUAL WARFARE**

Against strongholds of Apathy, Witchcraft, Confusion and other named spirits.

### **INTERCESSORY PRAYER**

**COMMUNITIES** Protect and bless the life and mission of SWORD OF THE SPIRIT, Patmos & Cornerstone Lamb of God [Fiji], Families for Christ [Melbourne], Vanuatu

Group, Light of Christ [Nelson], The Covenanted Community For Christ, [Penang & Taiping], protect and bless their life and mission.

**FAMILY** Auckland: Keith & Rohini Lewis, Bernie MacNevin, Yvonne D'Souza, Peter & Margaret Stoddard, Lovlin & Honorine Franswah, Central: Jun & Angie Briguera, Henri & Cutie Zalamea, Rose Buladaco, Joel & Tiza Sison, Blenheim: Jamie & Judith Rodgers, Mark & Mary Jackson, Mike & Cheryl Garrett, Christchurch: Roger & Veronica Foley, Robert & Karin Van Doorn, Darren & Julie Humphries, Tai & De Stirling, Bruce & Bronwyn Harborne, Niul & Coila Kay, Lyn Keane, Pauline Marsden, John & Monica Haughey, Annette Sargisson, Southern: John & Janet MacManus, Richard & Christine May, Mike & Judy Prendeville,

**PREGNANCY** Auckland: Anusha [Priyan] Jayamaha,

**HEALING CANCER** Blenheim: Carol Cullimore, David Aberhart, Christchurch: Mary Anngow, Robin Corbett,

**HEALING HEART** Auckland: Isabel Morais, Central: Paul Oliver, Dave Taylor, Blenheim: Chris Fredericks, Christchurch: Dorelle Ham, Undine Cavanagh, Philip Middlemiss,

**HEALING** Auckland: Annette Carvalho, Winona D'Costa, Olivia Fernandes, Lucy Misquita, Blanche & Denis Hollingsworth, Cheryl Donald, Mira D'Souza, Warren Holliday, Jemima Rebello, Peter D'Souza, Delia D'Mello, Elizabeth Locke, Gidget Mendonca, Maria dos Anjos D'Souza, Bruce Donald, Central: Henri Zalamea, Aly Fernandes, Rae Taylor, Nelson: Stephanie O'Connell, Sharon Powick, Michael Powick, Jacob Muollo, Blenheim: Peter Greig, Josiah Grieg, Grace Weston, Mike Garrett, Micah Rodgers, Anita Fredericks, Jamie & Judith Rodgers, Barbara Ryan, Christchurch: Fr John Rea, Lisa Borkus, Karin Van Doorn, Chris Aston Grieve, Veronica Foley, Siobhan Forster, Andrew Black, Bernie Black, John Murray, Chris Lyons, Monica Haughey, Joan Corbett, Southern: Fr Merv McGettigan, Daniel MacManus, Steven & Judy Homes & Family, Pat Forster, Michael Quigley,

**BEREAVEMENT** Blenheim: Julia Dekker, Christchurch: Robert & Karin van Doorn, family of Maree Coutts,

**OTHERS NEEDS** Auckland: Keith & Rohini Lewis & family, Mark & Elizabeth Stolten, Bob Misst, Greg Hall, Alwin D'Souza, Allen & Judy Carneiro, Jacob & Petronella Kahonde, Gillian Puch,

### **COVERING PRAYER**

National Council, Kairos Ministries, Branch Life, Lamb of God Centre, Branch Visits, Clustering in Auckland, Ministry of Fr John Rea, Employment of Members, Light of Christ Special Ministry, Wellington branch [sickness among extended family], and Ashburton Group, Christchurch.

***I have made you a Watchman" Ezekiel 33: 7***