

**Joy Ministries (NZ)
Central/West Auckland
NEWS!!!**



This is to let you know when our next meeting is.

Welcome to the

Joy Family

If **YOU** aren't there, then part of **OUR GROUP** is missing, and it's not as much fun!

WEBSITES: <http://elevatedcdt.org.nz/joy-ministries/>
<https://www.facebook.com/JoyMinistriesNZ>
<http://elevatedcdt.org.nz/joy-ministries/blog/>
[where you can see our **monthly Notice**]

WHEN: This month – **Sunday, 9th October 2016**

TIME: 2pm to 3:30pm

WHERE: At Church of the Saviour Anglican Church, at the Blockhouse Bay roundabout, in the hall underneath.



Wheelchair-friendly access is down the ramp, on the **Kinross Street** side of the building, where there is **plenty of parking**.



God bless you all,
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(the contact for **Central/West Auckland Joy Ministries**, while **Jan Bridgeman** is overseas, returning 16th October 2016)

+++++ **Theme for 2016: PROVERBS (from the Book of Proverbs)** +++++
Come and hear **Jeanette Scott** speak on **Proverbs 27v19**.



+++++ **NOTICES** +++++
+++++ **Central/West Auckland Joy services for 2016** +++++
(usually 2nd Sunday of each month, February to November)
13 November [the last service for 2016, a special service].
+++++ **Jan Bridgeman is enjoying her holiday overseas** +++++

Jan comes back to Auckland on **16th October 2016**.

CORRECTION: The photo of Jan (in the 11 September 2016 NOTICE) was actually with 3 of her grandchildren, in USA (not nieces).

Here she is, with a carved woodsman, on Grouse Mountain, 24 Sep 2016.



+++++++ **Theme for 2016: PROVERBS (from the Book of Proverbs)** ++++++

Do you remember the Proverbs (from the Book of Proverbs, in The Bible) that we have looked at so far this year?

13 March,

Proverbs 4v23: "Above all else, guard your **HEART**, for everything you do flows from it."

10 April,

Proverbs 18v10: "The Name of the LORD is a fortified tower; the righteous run to it and are safe."

8 May,

Proverbs 17v22: "A cheerful **HEART** is good medicine, but a crushed spirit dries up the bones."

12 June,

Proverbs 3vs3-4: "Let love and faithfulness never leave you; bind them around your neck, write them on the tablet of your **HEART**. **4** Then you will win favour and a good name in the sight of God and man."

10 July,

Proverbs 3vs5-6: "Trust in the LORD with all your **HEART** and lean not on your own understanding; **6** in all your ways submit to Him, and He will make your paths straight."

14 August,

Proverbs 12v18: "Hurtful words cause stress and pain, but the tongue that speaks wise, kind, encouraging words brings healing and happiness."

11 September,

Proverbs 19v21: "Many are the plans in a person's **HEART**, but it is the LORD's purpose that prevails."

+++++++ **"The Encourager", Issue 152, August 2016** ++++++

The latest Magazine, a "**SOUVENIR ISSUE (celebrating 40 YEARS OF MINISTRY)**", is now available.

You can get a copy from the Elevate Christian Disability Trust "**Drop In Centre**" [173 Mt Smart Road, Onehunga], Tue-Thur, 10am-2pm, during the school term [ph **6364-763**].

Or download it from the Elevate website:

<http://elevatecdt.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/THE-ENCOURGER-152.pdf>

+++++++ **HELPERS SEMINAR this Saturday (8 October 2016)** ++++++

Helpers Seminar



Register on 09 636 4763 or info@elevatecdt.org.nz

Our helper's seminars are an opportunity to hear personal experiences of disability and some practical ways to assist people. Here are two comments;

"Thanks everyone for a practical, inspiring and faith-filled day". "Overall it was practical, educational and a learning pathway"

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8th October

173 Mt Smart Road, Onehunga

9:15am – 3pm

Cost: \$10

(Bring your lunch with you)

+++++++ **New Zealand Post "Community Post" envelopes** ++++++

We are grateful to **NZ Post** for **100 FREE envelopes**, to help us let our **Joy Ministries** folk know what is happening [the few who don't have an email address].



+++++ **A BIG THANKYOU** to all who came, and took part +++++
 "Central/West Auckland Joy Ministries" put on a Drama: **"THE GREAT WALL"** that **Jan Bridgeman** wrote, at the Elevate Christian Disability Trust **"40th Anniversary Celebration"**, held Saturday 3rd September 2016.



+++++ **A suggestion, regarding the Book of Proverbs** +++++
 As there are **31 Chapters** in the **Book of Proverbs**, what about us (in our homes) reading a Chapter a day (or even part of one). It doesn't matter where we start. Many months have 31 days, so if it's the 10th day of the month (for example), read Chapter 10. King Solomon collected many "sayings" (Proverbs) that are really worth reading, thinking, and praying about.

+++++ **Are we FIRST to ...?** +++++



+++++ **At 11 September 2016 Joy service** +++++
 This **BANNER**, donated by a youth group to us, presented at the Elevate **"40th Anniversary Celebration"**, 3rd September.

