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### Readings for Today

1 Kings 2:1-4

Luke 4:38-44 - 5:12-16

### Verse for the Week

If you want to become a disciple of Jesus, deny yourself, take up your cross and follow him.

Matthew 16:24-25

### Prayer for the Week

God of unchangeable power, our strength at all times; guard us from all dangers and support us in all difficulties that we may live victoriously now and forever; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.  
AMEN

## How to connect in, meet people, grow in faith, & belong at SumRed Church.

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### Connect

Want to connect in with life here at SumRed Church? Complete the Connection Card in a welcome pack, scan the QR code on the front of this bulletin, or come along to one of our community events! Our regular Coffee & Kōrero gatherings are a particularly great way to meet others & connect. Details are on our website, at the welcome desk, & in our welcome pack.

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### Grow

Want to grow & invest in your spiritual life? Chat to our welcome crew about joining a home group or signing up for an Alpha Course to learn more about Jesus & the Christian faith.

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### Belong

Life is better when we do it together. Belonging to a community is fantastic and the best way to feel connected into a new community is join in! So scan the QR code on the Term Card or chat to a home group leader about all the different ways we can all muck in with life here at SumRed Church.



Bringing faith to life for every **generation**.



## Welcome to Church

E te whānau a te Karaiti, kia ora! Nau mai haere mai!

It is so good to be here to worship with you today. If you are a visitor, relatively new to SumRed Church or if SumRed doesn't yet quite feel like home – welcome!

If you are a visitor please do come and say hello to one of our friendly welcomers after our services. We have a welcome pack we would love to share with you that includes a summary of life here at SumRed Church as well as what is on offer for our tamariki and rangatahi.

To connect, fill in a connection card or scan the QR code here 🙌



## ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS

### New Here

If you're new here then WELCOME!

If you'd like to know more about us simply scan the QR Code on the front of this newsletter or our new Connect Cards and we'll be in touch soon!

### SumRed Connect26 Conference

Kicking off early on Saturday 10 October, with a combined service on Sunday 11 October to close things out together as one church family. With Guest Speaker: Carl Tinnion, Worship, Workshops, Food, Connection & Fun. All info found on our website and church app - don't miss out & register today!

### Ladies Inspire Night - Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September

Joining us is Wendy Bowen Graham Head of Waiora & Counselling at Middleton Grange School. Learning about our own Mental Health and how we Journey through that with God by taking care of our own Wellbeing. Come and learn some practical gems that help us manage through some of life's storms. 7-9pm, 148 Main Rd, Redcliffs \$5pp  
RSVP Deb Johns 021707769 - Save the date!



### 150TH CELEBRATIONS

Grab one of our Celebrating 150 years brochures today! A week of worship and thanksgiving. 24-29<sup>th</sup> November



### SYNOD 2026

Please pray for our annual SYNOD this coming Thursday evening 3 September to late Saturday afternoon 5 September 2026



### CHURCH APP

Our Church App is ready to download. Search for SumRed Connect - our access code is SumnerRedcliffs

## ORDER OF WEEKLY SERVICES

### Sundays

Sunday 9am - Communion

St Andrews Church; 148 Main Road, Redcliffs

Sunday 10.30am Family Service- Nayland Street Chapel

[Morning Tea at 10am, before the service, all welcome!](#)

Sunday 7pm - Substance - 87 Nayland Street Chapel

### Wednesdays

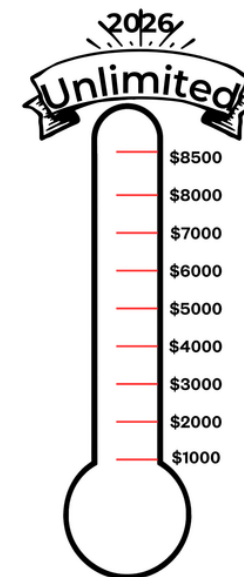
Wednesday 10am - Communion

St Andrews Church; 148 Main Road, Redcliffs

For all up to date information and anything SumRed Church visit [sumred.org.nz](http://sumred.org.nz) (03) 326-6251 - [office@sumred.org.nz](mailto:office@sumred.org.nz)

For the month of August we celebrate and share with you news from our Mission Partners. Make sure you grab one of our Mission Booklets 2026! It was great to have Paul Somerville sharing with us last week. This week we will share a video update from Nick & Tessa Laing.  
Giving - If you'd like to donate towards Missions Month simply make a direct payment to our bank account with Mission as your reference, or scan the QR Code found in our Missions Booklet, thank you!

### MISSION MONTH GIVING



*Thanks for your support*

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