

# ADDINGTON TIMES

THE VOICE OF THE ADDINGTON COMMUNITY. DECEMBER 2008



**FROM HELEN ROSS AND THE TEAM AT MANUKA COTTAGE**

## COMMUNITY DIARY

**Pin this to your fridge and watch for these upcoming local events.**

**DECEMBER 11th.** Addington.net will be holding a Christmas class from 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm. See advertisement inside.

**DECEMBER 19th.** Community Christmas Carols at St. Marys Church, at 7.30 pm. run by the Riccarton Theatre trust. See inside for details. All welcome, supper to follow.

**DECEMBER 24th.** Teddy Bears Christmas eve service at St. Marys Church 7.15 pm. All Teddies welcome. Supper follows.

**DECEMBER 25th.** Christmas day Eucharist at St. Marys church At 10.00 am. Families welcome.

# CHRISTMAS AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH



**Community Christmas Carols** at St Mary's, Church Square, Friday 19th December  
7.30pm

Come along and join in at this years community Christmas carols run by the Riccarton Theatre Trust. Supper to follow.

**Teddy Bears Christmas Eve service** at St Mary's, Church Square, Wednesday  
24th December 7.15pm

You are all invited to the Teddy Bears Christmas Eve service. This annual event is especially for the children and their families. Come along for a special Christmas Eve event. Supper to follow.

**Christmas Day Eucharist** - 10 a.m. on Thursday, 25th December.  
Families welcome.



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**WE ARE TAKING A WELL-EARNED BREAK OVER THE CHRISTMAS PERIOD, SO THERE WILL BE NO JANUARY EDITION OF THE ADDINGTON TIMES, BUT WE WILL BE BACK IN THE NEW YEAR. SO I WISH ALL ADDINGTON RESIDENTS A MERRY CHRISTMAS, AND A RELAXING NEW YEAR. DAVE.**

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## SEASONS GREETINGS

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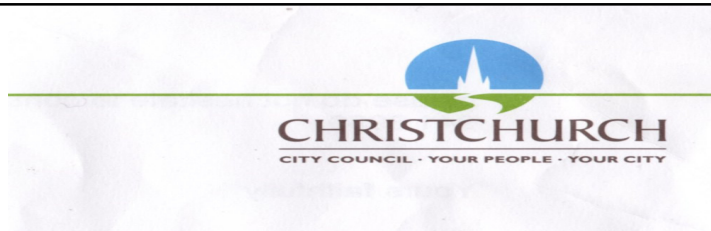
## NEW HARVEST TRUST

*Caring in the Community*  
18 Bernard Street  
Addington



**WE WILL BE CLOSED FROM 15TH DECEMBER  
2008  
AND WILL RE-OPEN 12TH JANUARY 2009**

### Addington Street Renewal



A further group of six street plans is now available for your consideration and comment, under the Christchurch City Council's Community Consultation programme.

Proposed new street layouts, including kerb and channel renewal, for Emerson Street, Feilding Street, Macaulay Street, Meredith Street, Spencer Street and Ward Street are detailed in a new booklet that has been delivered to all residents and property owners in the area between Selwyn St, Jerrold St, Lincoln Road and Brougham St. The plans are also available on [www.ccc.govt.nz/haveyoursay](http://www.ccc.govt.nz/haveyoursay) and at libraries and Council Service Centres.

If you would like a copy of the booklet posted to you, or if you wish to discuss any aspect of any of the plans, please contact Christine Toner on 941 8355 or email [christine.toner@ccc.govt.nz](mailto:christine.toner@ccc.govt.nz)

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our community computing centre

**We are holding a Christmas Class on  
Thursday 11 December from 6.00-8.00 pm.**



Come and make your Christmas newsletter or a personalised Christmas card.

The class is free but donations are always welcome.

Telephone 962 7244 for more details or to register.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a safe and enjoyable Christmas and New Year.

Addington.net will be closing for the holiday break on Monday 22 December and re-opening on Monday 5 January 2009.



## SEASONS GREETINGS FROM MANUKA COTTAGE.

The Cottage will close for the year on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December and reopen for 2009 on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> January.

The Playgroup Christmas Party will be held on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December.

The final Community Lunch/Christmas break up will be held on Wednesday the 17<sup>th</sup> of December.

Please feel free to join us for some festive fare, fun and friendship. Contributions to the proceedings will be gratefully received on the day or prior.

Our grateful thanks go to all of those people who have contributed their time, energy, skills and other resources throughout the year to the Cottage's various groups, projects and events. We hope you all have a safe and happy holiday season and look forward to seeing everyone back in 2009.



Left Kathryn Byfield, Family Community Development Worker with Jan Rogers, Divisional Manager, Family and Community, Anglican Care

Below left Kathryn cutting her welcome cake.

Below right Kay Gardiner, our new Partnership Health Community Worker, holding cake.



### THE LAST WORD

" There is no ideal Christmas: only the one Christmas you decide to make as a reflection of your values, desires, affections and traditions" May each of us choose from the best of our values, desires, affections and traditions for a great, if not ideal, Christmas".