

## COMMUNITY formation

### Community Lunches

Join us on Monday and Tuesday for our Community Lunches. This is a great time to get to know other students and staff while enjoying a delicious lunch together.

### Chapel This Week

#### The Community of the Different

Launching Chapel this year is lecturer Andrew Picard talking on Eph 3:1-13

## WEDNESDAY prayer

**Wednesdays at 12.40pm** we come together as a community to pray. Join this week's facilitator, Sam Kilpatrick, as we pray specifically for new students and new staff. **All are welcome!**

## ESOL academic help offered

**ESOL** (English-as-a-second-language) students: If you find English language a bit hard in your Carey studies (especially writing essays), **free one-to-one help** is available through Laurie Guy (adjunct lecturer). Help can be given weekly (usually Wednesday morning) at Carey.

### Laurie Guy

(09) 5754214 | [laurieguy4@gmail.com](mailto:laurieguy4@gmail.com)

(Priority is given to students in their first or second year of Carey study who are hard working.)

## LIBRARY hours | from 26 Feb

**Monday – Thursday** 8:30am–6:30pm

**Friday** 9am–5pm

**Saturday** 10am–12:30pm

All new students are

recommended to do the First Steps :

### Carey Essentials Course.

It is located on [Carey Online](#) under my courses. Any questions, please contact [library@carey.ac.nz](mailto:library@carey.ac.nz)

## CAREY Scholarships extended

### New date, Tuesday 6th March

Carey has a number of Scholarships still available for 2018:

- Academic Women
- Chinese
- Maori and Pasifika
- Baptist Pastors
- Master of Applied Theology
- Masters

Check out the details on [carey.ac.nz](http://carey.ac.nz). The deadline has been extended until 6th March! Contact Neroli Hollis [registrar@carey.ac.nz](mailto:registrar@carey.ac.nz) for more details.

## THE CHURCH

GRACE EMBODIED

TE RAUĪKA  
O TE AROHA NOA

基督的  
教会  
体现恩典

ἡ Ἐκκλησία  
χάριτος ἐν τῇ σαρκί

## ORIENTATION day



## KEY semester dates

Intermission Begins	Tue 20 Feb
Lectures Begin	Mon 26 Feb
Final date for late/ change of enrolment/ Final Payment	Fri 09 Mar
Final date for Withdrawal from course	Fri 23 Mar
Graduation	Sat 24 Mar
Easter	Fri 30 Mar – Tue 03 Apr
Mid-Semester Break/Study	Mon 16 Apr – Fri 04 May
Queen's Birthday	Mon 04 Jun
Lectures End	Mon 18 Jun
Final Assessments	Mon 18 Jun – Fri 29 Jun
Semester One Ends	Fri 29 Jun
Inter Semester Break	Mon 2 Jul – Fri 20 Jul

Kia ora koutou.  
Welcome to Carey!  
We're so glad you've  
chosen to study with us.

Here at Carey, you'll study the Scriptures and theology; you'll reflect on the practices of Christian ministry and leadership; you'll learn about culture and the world in which we live and serve. And, crucially, you'll develop the ability to integrate these insights.

This will mean lots of academic study. It'll mean reading for classes, researching for assignments, formatting footnotes, and following style guides. But theological study is not an individual journey. It's best done in community. Here at Carey, you'll not only find lecturers who are approachable and genuinely care about you and your formation. You'll also discover a warm, supportive, and diverse learning community.

So I encourage you to participate fully in our community life. If you're on-site, come to our free lunches on Monday and Tuesday, make Tuesday chapel a priority, join us for prayer on Wednesdays. If you're a distance student, participate in online forums, interact with other students, and feel free to phone your lecturers.

To help with your orientation into Carey, we've produced a number of online modules. Please take the time to work through each module. They'll assist you enormously as you begin your journey with us. If you have any questions, feel free to ask one of the librarians.

Whatever it is that God has for you after your time here at Carey, our prayer for you is that this would be a season of rich nourishment and growth as you feed on God's word, reflect on God's work, and study God's world. May you not just collect information, but experience integration, transformation, and ultimately greater participation in the mission of God.

John Tucker  
principal

