



**OUR NEXT OPEN DAY** is coming up this month!  
Invite your friends and family to come along and explore what God might be calling them to.

**TUE 29 MAY**  
8am-3pm

## COMMUNITY formation



### Can you Help in Chapel?

This year in chapel we're trying to develop a new culture around our gathered worship. In particular, we want to nurture creativity, celebrate diversity, and increase participation (beyond singing). So, here's my question: Do you have a gift that might enrich our worship? Are you a visual artist? Do you write poetry? Do you perform spoken word? Can you plan the cello? Do you have some other skill or gift that could enrich our worship? If so, could you please let me know? Our plan is to compile, for those who are curating our worship times, a big list of the resources in our community. [Let me know what you can offer](#) and I'll pass this on to our worship leaders, who may then invite you to help out very occasionally. Don't worry: you won't end up on a roster. But you might end up sharing your gift as a member of the body—for the benefit of us all. Thanks. —John.

### Church at Its Best is Inclusive

What's your story. What do you bring to the table? We all have a unique place in making church an inclusive community.

Rachel Roche will be speaking in Chapel this week.



## WEDNESDAY prayer (12:40pm)

Come and join Lorraine Tucker as she leads us in a time of praying for one another. Bring any prayer requests you have and as a community we will pray with you!

## LIBRARY hours

The library is back to normal hours during semester.

- Mon–Thu: 8.30am – 6.30pm
- Fri: 9am – 5pm
- Sat: 10am – 12.30pm

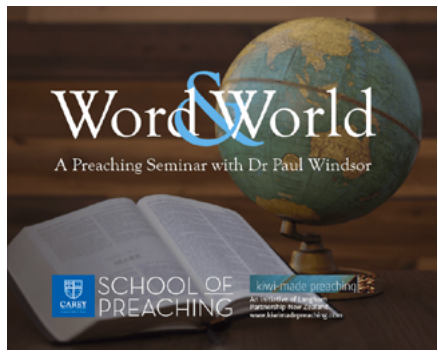
## WORD & WORLD Preaching Seminar

Are you a budding Preacher or been preaching for a while but need a fresh shot in the arm?

These preaching seminars will sharpen your ability to open up Scripture and culture, word and world.

Our guest speaker is **Dr Paul Windsor**. Paul is the International Programme Director for Langham Preaching and Lecturer in Homiletics at a graduate school in South Asia. He also used to be the Principal of Carey before Charles Hewlett. He was also one of the founders of Kiwimade Preaching.

Go to [carey.ac.nz/events](http://carey.ac.nz/events) for more details



- Auckland – 24 May
  - Wellington – 25 May
  - Dunedin – 26 May
- \$30 student price.



At Carey we occupy the classroom and we occupy the minds of our students.

Theological educators know that pedagogy involves far more than the mere impartation of facts and knowledge to otherwise empty-headed students. Good teaching has as much to do with the relationship between the tutor and the students as it does with the tutor's content expertise. In short, the social context within which teaching takes place is crucial to good pedagogy.

Knowledge of God has to do not only with the ability of humans to be able to think and rationally reflect, it also has to do with the context within which thinking and reflection takes place. Thomas Torrance referred to these contexts as “social coefficients of knowledge.” Or in other's words, “a social matrix of forms of thought and life that invariably shape our apprehension of reality.” Israel and the Church are the primary social coefficients, but any social context can become a medium for the reception of God's revelation including the theological classroom.

We can give thanks for God's long and patient dealings with Israel: calling and forming a community, giving it rules to live by, regulations to worship, by, and knowledge of God to live into.

We give thanks for God's long and patient dealings with the Church: calling and forming community of disciples, gifting them and filling them with his Holy Spirit, and bringing them into communion with each other.

We give thanks for God's long and patient dealing with Carey: calling and forming life-long learners in which God the Father makes possible our education by making actual the content. God the Son provides the standard by which teaching and truth are measured. And God the Spirit leads us into all truth by making us willing to believe it.

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