



Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa New Zealand

FINANCE NEWSLETTER 187

TO: Parish Treasurers, Presbytery and Parish clerks
FROM: Brendan Sweeney, Manager, Financial Services
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1. Church Finance Workshops in September, October

Further to the August newsletter, over the next couple of weeks I will be participating in a series of eight finance workshops for churches hosted in conjunction with Baptist Savings. The Schedule and venues are:

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| Auckland | Monday Sept 26 | 10.00 am | Northcote Baptist Church 67 Eban Ave, Hillcrest |
| | | 3.00pm | Manukau City Baptist Church 9 Lambie Drive Manukau |
| Tauranga | Tuesday Sept 27 | 10.00am | St Andrews Presbyterian Church Cnr Macville and Dee Streets Mount Maunganui |
| Hamilton | Tuesday Sept 27 | 4.00pm | Hillcrest Baptist Church 278 Clyde Street, Hillcrest (cnr Knighton Road and Clyde St) |
| Palmerston North | Thurs Sept 29, 10.00am | | Crossroads Church 220 Church St Palmerston North (cnr Cook and Church Streets) |

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| Wellington | Friday Sept 30 | 10.00am | St Johns in the City Cnr Dixon and Willis Streets |
| Christchurch | Mon Oct 3 | 12.00pm | Cashmere Presbyterian Church 2 Macmillan Ave Cashmere |
| Dunedin | Tues Oct 4 | 11.00am | Dunedin City Baptist Church 19 Main Road, Concord, Dunedin |

The presentations will be for three hours and are aimed at updating church administrators, treasurers, governors and ministers on reporting, management and financial planning. The events are open to all churches and will be notified to representatives of other denominations via the Inter Church Bureau. There is a registration process detailed in the attached but pre-registration is not a requirement – you can simply turn up. The event is free to attend.

My apologies for the late notification but I recommend church representatives attend if possible as there is some good information and exciting initiatives to be discussed.

Please refer to the PCANZ website, or to the attachment for further details.

http://www.presbyterian.org.nz/sites/public_files/CS_Financial_Workshop_DL_print.pdf

2. Updated Vehicle Mileage Rates

[2016 motor vehicle mileage rates](#) have been released by the Inter Church Bureau. Please refer to the link above or summary:

- Up to 14,000 km annual running for all purposes - reimburse work running at 67 cents (formerly 71 cents).
- Up to 20,000 km annual running for all purposes - reimburse at 55 cents (58 cents).
- Up to 26,000 km annual running for all purposes - reimburse at 48 cents (51 cents).
- For mileage beyond chosen band range - reimburse at 25 cents (28 cents).

Please disregard the rates quoted in the Church Management Support Guide.

3. Change to PIF account internet access

I have been advised by the Church Property Trustees that Grosvenor, the organisation that maintain the Presbyterian Investment Fund database, has re-branded and is now known as Booster. The internet link to the PIF on the Church Property Trustees' webpage has been updated to <https://bfs.booster.co.nz/Account/Logon.aspx> and will take you directly to the logon screen below. From there logon details are unchanged and it is business as usual.



The image shows the Booster login interface. At the top left is the Booster logo with the tagline 'making sense of money'. Below the logo is a blue square containing a photo of a woman and a small line graph. To the right of the photo are two input fields labeled 'User Id' and 'Password', followed by a 'Login' button. Below the input fields are two links: 'I forgot my password' and 'I am having trouble logging in.' Below the photo and links is a section titled 'Looking for Grosvenor' with a paragraph of text and a link to 'www.booster.co.nz'. At the bottom of the page are three links: 'Contact Us', 'Terms and Conditions', and 'About Booster'.

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