

# TIMETABLE



## Tuesday 19 September

4.00 p.m. Doors open, registration, meet others

5.00 p.m. **MIHI WHAKATAU**

6.00 p.m. **DINNER**

7.00 p.m. **EVENING SESSION**

### **Worship**

Led by Grant Norsworthy, producer of the Blessing Aotearoa

### **Issues facing the New Zealand church**

Panel

### **A Snapshot of Christianity and the Churches in New Zealand**

Associate Professor Geoff Troughton

### **The Big Picture**

Dr Stuart Lange

**Closing prayers** (various people)

8.45 p.m. End of evening programme

## Wednesday 20 September

9.00 a.m. **WORSHIP AND WORD**

Worship: led by Grant Norsworthy

Word: Bishop Steve Maina: 'The spiritual renewal of the church in New Zealand'

9.30 a.m. **Ideas/Ideologies helping re-shape New Zealand society and church**

Dr Roshan Allpress, Rev Mark Maney. Chair: Tim Wilson

### **Confidence in the Gospel, in our current context**

Professor Paul Trebilco, Ben Carswell, Josh Irving, Rev Keri-Ann Hokianga,

Pastor Hung-Li Pan. Chair: Chris Clarke

10.30 a.m. **MORNING TEA**

11.00 a.m. **Reaching Aotearoa New Zealand with the Gospel today**

Dr Mark Keown (chair), Kate McClelland, Dave Mann, Lew Meyer, Justin O'Malley, Ronji Tanielu, Raj Narayanan

12.00 p.m. **Navigating sexuality and gender issues, with grace and truth**

Ps Andy Shudall, Rev Becky Heale, Kris Morrison. Chair: Jade Hohaia

12.30 p.m. **LUNCH**

## Wednesday 20 September continued

1.30 p.m. **AFTERNOON SESSION**

### **BREAK-OUT ELECTIVES 1**

2.30 p.m. **Threats to freedoms of Christian belief, practice, and speech**  
Professor Paul Moon, Jonathan Ayling, Alex Penk. Chair: Sophia Sinclair

3.30 p.m. **AFTERNOON TEA**

4.00 p.m. **How can Christians speak well in our current context?**  
Tim Wilson, Sophia Sinclair, Phil Guyan. Chair: Maryanne Spurdle

4.45 p.m. **Māori, Te Rongopai, Te Tiriti, and New Zealand church and society**  
Brad Haami (chair), Jade Hohaia, Rev Dr Malcolm Falloon,  
Dr Alistair Reece, Rev Keri-Ann Hokianga, Hana Seddon

5.45 p.m. Break

6.00 p.m. **DINNER**

7.00 p.m. **EVENING SESSION**

### **Worship**

**Global Church Update: The Growing Edges of the Global Church**  
Dr Jay Matenga

**Compassion in action: one way the NZ church can have a global impact**  
Matt Buchan and Stephanie Johnston

**Pasifika churches in New Zealand today**  
Dr Robert Siakimotu, with others

**God at work among NZ Asian Christians**  
Won-Kon Bong, with Hyen Seung Cho, Stan Yeung, Jeremy Yoon

**Unity**  
Ps Jonathan Dove, Ps Phil Coates, Dr Stuart Lange

**Prayer**  
Dale Campbell, Gayann Phillips, Ben Mai, Rachel Afeaki-Taumoepeau

**Reviving the Church**  
Ps Tak Bhana

8.45 p.m. End of evening programme

## Thursday 21 September

- 9.00 a.m.      **WORSHIP AND WORD**  
Dr Paul Windsor
- 9.30 a.m.      **Re-gearing and renewing our churches for our current and future contexts**  
Ps Alan Vink (chair), Dr Maja Whittaker, Ps Clint Ussher, Tim Hodge,  
Ps James and Viv Anson, Dr Christa McKirland, Dong Bin Kim,  
Rev Dr John Tucker
- 10.30 a.m.     **MORNING TEA**
- 11.00 a.m.     **Responding to sexual abuse in the church**  
Frances Tagaloa, Ps Chris Bethwaite. Chair: Gayann Phillips
- 11.30 a.m.     **Ensuring our house is in order: good church governance and practice**  
Steven Moe (chair), Doris Tsu, Dan Mazengarb
- 12.30 p.m.     **LUNCH**
- 1.30 p.m.      **BREAK-OUT ELECTIVES 2**
- 2.30 p.m.      **CLOSING SESSION**
- What are we hearing?**
- Congress Statement (TBC)**
- Prayer and worship**
- 3.30 p.m.      **AFTERNOON TEA**
- 4.00 p.m.      Close of Congress