## Methodist Church of New Zealand

***Te Hāhi Weteriana o Aotearoa***

# 2027 Calendar

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| **JANUARY** | | |
| **5(Tue)** | Connexional Office Open | |
| **28(Thu)** | Audit and Risk Committee | |
| **30(Sat)** | Public Issues Network | |
| **FEBRUARY** | | |
| **1(Mon)** | Moemoeā Grant Fund | ***Application Open*** |
| **3(Wed)** | Communications Committee | *Teams* |
| **6(Sat)** | **Waitangi Day** | |
| **8(Mon)** | **Public Holiday for Waitangi Day** | |
| **8(Mon)** | Pastoral Committee | *Auckland, 10am-4pm* |
| **11(Thu)** | Board of Administration | *Christchurch* |
| **11(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **12(Fri)** | **Mangungu Day** | |
| **15(Mon)** | Professional Development Grants | *Applications due* |
| **15(Mon)** | Pastoral Committee | *Teams* |
| **17(Wed)** | Mission and Ecumenical | *409 Great South Road or Zoom, 4-6pm* |
| **18(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **19-20(Fri-Sat)** | Council of Conference | *409 Great South Road, Auckland* |
| **20(Sat)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Standing Committee | |
| **25(Thu)** | Professional Developments Grants Committee | *Zoom* |
| **25(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Zoom* |
| **26(Fri)** | Connexional Financial Review | *Christchurch* |
| **MARCH** | | |
| **1(Mon)** | Rekindle the Vā of Papatūānuku Grant Fund | ***Applications Open*** |
| **1(Mon)** | Robert Gibson Trust Board | |
| **11(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **16(Tue)** | Connexional Budget Task Group | *Christchurch* |
| **18(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **20(Sat)** | Smethurst Trust Fund | ***Applications Close*** |
| **25(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Zoom* |
| **26(Fri)** | **Good Friday** | |
| **29(Mon)** | **Easter Monday** | |
| **30(Tue)** | **Easter Tuesday (Connexional Office Closed)** | |
| **APRIL** | | |
| **1(Thu)** | PAC Distribution Fund | ***Applications Open*** |
| **7(Wed)** | Communications Committee | *10.00- 4.00pm Auckland* |
| **8(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **10(Sat)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Standing Committee | |
| **15(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **17-18(Sat-Sun)** | Tauiwi Strategy | |
| **22(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Zoom* |
| **25(Sun)** | **ANZAC Day** | |
| **26(Mon)** | **ANZAC Day Observed** | |

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| **MAY** | | |
| **6(Thu)** | Audit and Risk Committee | *Zoom* |
| **13(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **15(Sat)** | Professional Development Grants | *Applications due* |
| **19(Wed)** | Mission and Ecumenical | *409 Great South Road or Zoom, 4-6pm* |
| **20(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **20(Thu)** | Board of Administration | *Zoom* |
| **25(Tue)** | Professional Developments Grants Committee | *Zoom* |
| **27(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Zoom* |
| **30(Sun)** | Moemoeā Grant Fund | ***Applications Close*** |
| **JUNE** | | |
| **2(Wed)** | Communications Committee | *Teams* |
| **5 -7(Sat - Mon)** | UCANZ Standing Committee Forum | *TBC* |
| **7(Mon)** | **King's Birthday** | |
| **10(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **12(Sat)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Standing Committee | |
| **18(Fri)** | Moemoeā Grant Fund Committee | |
| **20(Sun)** | Smethurst Trust Fund | ***Applications Close*** |
| **24(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **24(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Face-to-face* |
| **25(Fri)** | **Matariki** | |
| **30(Wed)** | PAC Distribution Fund | ***Application Close*** |
| **30(Wed)** | Rekindle the Vā of Papatūānuku Grant Fund | ***Application Close*** |
| **JULY** | | |
| **1(Thu)** | Audit and Risk Committee | *Zoom* |
| **3(Sat)** | Rekindle the Vā of Papatūānuku Grant Fund Committee | |
| **8(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **11(Sun)** | **Disability Awareness Day** | |
| **15(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **15(Thu)** | Media and Communications endowment fund | *Mt Albert Methodist church* |
| **15(Thu)** | Board of Administration | *Christchurch* |
| **22(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Zoom* |
| **23-24(Fri-Sat)** | PAC Distribution Group | *Christchurch* |
| **26(Mon)** | Robert Gibson Trust Board | |
| **AUGUST** | | |
| **4(Wed)** | Communications Committee | *10.00- 4.00pm Connexional Office, Christchurch* |
| **14(Sat)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Standing Committee | |
| **15(Sun)** | Professional Development Grants | *Applications due* |
| **8-10(Sun-Tue)** | Tauiwi Strategy | |
| **10-11(Tue-Wed)** | Tauiwi Stationing | |
| **18(Wed)** | Mission and Ecumenical | *409 Great South Road or Zoom, 4-6pm* |
| **20-21(Fri-Sat)** | Council of Conference | *409 Great South Road, Auckland* |
| **26(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Zoom* |
| **30(Mon)** | **CONFERENCE REPORTS DUE** | |
| **SEPTEMBER** | | |
| **2(Thu)** | Professional Developments Grants Committee | *Zoom* |

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| **2(Thu)** | Audit and Risk Committee | *Zoom* |
| **9(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **16(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **16(Thu)** | Board of Administration | *Zoom* |
| **23(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Zoom* |
| **OCTOBER** | | |
| **1-2(Fri-Sat)** | Ordination Retreat | *TBC* |
| **3(Sun)** | Ordination | *TBC* |
| **5-9(Tue-Sat)** | **Conference 2027** | ***TBC*** |
| **6(Wed)** | Communications Committee | *Teams* |
| **9(Sat)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Standing Committee | |
| **14(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **20(Wed)** | Smethurst Trust Fund | ***Applications Close*** |
| **21(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **23(Sat)** | Bradley Trust Grant | *Applications Close* |
| **25(Mon)** | **Labour day** | |
| **28(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Zoom* |
| **NOVEMBER** | | |
| **2(Tue)** | Bradley Trust Grant | *Meeting* |
| **11(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **15(Mon)** | Professional Development Grants | *Applications due* |
| **17(Wed)** | Mission and Ecumenical | *409 Great South Road or Zoom, 4-6pm* |
| **18(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **25(Thu)** | Audit and Risk Committee | *Zoom* |
| **DECEMBER** | | |
| **1(Wed)** | Communications Committee | *Teams* |
| **2(Thu)** | Professional Developments Grants Committee | *Zoom* |
| **2(Thu)** | Methodist Connexional Property Committee | *Face to face* |
| **9(Thu)** | Te Taha Māori Property Trust | |
| **9(Thu)** | Board of Administration | *Christchurch* |
| **9(Thu)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Grants Committee – 7pm | |
| **11(Sat)** | Te Hāpai Ō Ki Muri – Standing Committee | |

| **Synod and Hui Pōari Meeting Dates 2027** | |
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| **Hui Pōari** | 22 -23 January<br>5-6 March<br>7-8 May<br>2-3 July<br>3-4 September<br>30 September – 4 October<br>3 – 4 December |
| **Northern** | Ministerial Synod 12 March 2027<br>General Synod 13 March 2027<br>Ministerial Synod 16 July 2027<br>General Synod 17 July 2027 |
| **Waikato-Waiariki** | Executive:<br>Saturday 20 February<br>Saturday 15 May<br>Saturday 3 July<br>Saturday 30 October |

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| | Synod:<br>Saturday 13 March (Ministerial & General)<br>Friday 16 July (Ministerial)<br>Saturday 17 July (General)<br>Saturday 4 December |
| **Lower North Island** | March Ministerial Synod Friday 19 March 2027<br>Synod Saturday 20 March 2027<br>July Ministerial Synod Friday 16 July<br>Annual Synod Saturday 17 July 2027<br>End of year Synod Saturday 20 November 2027 |
| **South Island** | Synod 13 March 2027<br>Synod 17 July 2027 |
| **Sinoti Samoa** | TBC |
| **Vahefonua Tonga ʻo Aotearoa** | Synod 9-11 April 2027<br>Synod 23-25 July 2027 |
| **Wasewase ko Viti Kei Rotuma** | TBC |