

PETERSGATE COUNSELLING CENTRE

Key statistics for **July 2009.**

Comparative figures for 2008 are shown in brackets.

Number of counselling sessions: **664 (723)**

Number of new requests for counselling: **144 (127)**

Income from fees: **\$27,210**

Expenses paid: **\$35,057**

It is a pleasure to welcome Lindsay Stowell to our Board of Trustees as the new representative from St Barnabas Anglican Parish.

Seven months into the year and already our counsellors have conducted over 4,300 sessions, a record number. We have kept the waiting list manageable and most new clients are seen within two weeks.

The Friends of Petersgate have responded very generously to our request for support and have contributed \$8,632 up to the end of July. A great big thankyou!

Progress continues with our plans for the building improvements at 29 Yaldhurst Road and we will be putting the final touches on our plans to raise approximately \$300,000 in the next month or so. When completed our new premises will give us a more client and counsellor friendly environment and will enable us to achieve cost savings at the same time. Copies of our plans are available at Petersgate and you are welcome to come in and have a look at them. Just give Denis or Susan a call and we'll be happy to show you around.

Denis Warren
Manager