

PETERSGATE COUNSELLING CENTRE

Key statistics for **June 2010**.

Comparative figures for 2009 are shown in brackets.

Number of counselling sessions: **771 (698)**

Number of new requests for counselling: **153 (126)**

Income from fees: **\$29,092 (\$25,513)**

Expenses: **\$43,678 (\$34,742)**

We have lodged our application for building consent with the City Council. This is the final step in the approval process for the redevelopment work we are planning that when completed will enable us to provide counselling in 8 individual rooms and give us a new group room.

More success on the fundraising front during June for our Building Development Appeal. The total raised has now reached \$170,000. The Rotary Club of Riccarton has donated a further \$20,000 to the Appeal and we feel extremely fortunate to have been the beneficiary of their generosity and support over many years.

If you would like to make a donation please either phone Petersgate on 343 3391 or donate directly into our bank account number 03 0830 0280160 00. If you choose this method please let us know so we can issue a receipt for tax refund purposes for donations over \$5.00.

Requests for counselling continue at record levels and our counsellors are working hard to meet the needs of our clients. In the first 6 months of this year we have conducted over 4,000 sessions at an average of 170 sessions per week.

We are indeed very fortunate to have such a dedicated team of counsellors and volunteers and we thank them so much for their on-going commitment to Petersgate and its clients.

Denis Warren
Manager