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Prince William to Visit Christchurch

Monarchy New Zealand welcomes the news that Prince William will be attending the National Memorial Service to honour victims of the Christchurch earthquake on March 18th.

“This is a major New Zealand event, and we would expect New Zealand’s Royal Family to be there” said Simon O’Connor, Chair of Monarchy New Zealand.

“The bond between kiwis and the Royal Family is strong, and so it is no surprise that members of our Royal Family have chosen to come down to support the families of the Canterbury earthquake.”

Amongst many good aspects of the visit, the presence of Prince William will draw the world’s attention to the continuing need for international support for the relief efforts.

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