

Pew Sheet: Sun 12th April, Saint Mary's Anglican Church



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Vicar: Rev. David Smithson

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10am Family Communion Service

Sermon: "Locked doors, locked lives" Rev. David Smithson

Refreshments: Brenda Stobie

Prayer: David Smithson

This Sunday will one week since we celebrated the resurrection – Christ coming out from the tomb. What happened to the disciples during that week? They are in their house – all the doors locked. They are in a tomb of their own! Are we afraid, and living our lives behind closed and locked doors? Closed lives, closed hearts, closed minds? Jesus wants to enter the locked places of our lives. Will we let Christ in to stand before us and say to us, and speak into our lives "Peace be with you?" as He did to the disciples? God bless, David.

Readings for 12th Apr:

OT: Psalm 133

NT: Acts 2:14a-22-32

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Children & Youth: Kids Activity Packs with a chocolate treat!



+ Prayer Points +

- That we will shine the light of Christ into the darkness of the World
- For grieving Christians in Kenya after the Jihadist attack, and all who are sick, sad, bereaved or lonely.
- A new prayer group being formed soon – Bead it Prayer Group!



AP Account: The best and easiest way to contribute to St Mary's so it can be sustainable, is via Automatic Payment. A large % of what you donate is able to be tax refunded back to you. Please see the monthly News Letter that has the church bank account number

Little Blue Boxes don't forget these to fill with loose change for Anglican Missions

Food Bank – Don't forget that non-perishable Food items for the Food Bank are much appreciated. The basket for them is in the church porch