

Pew Sheet: Sun 3rd May, Saint Mary's Anglican Church



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Vicar: Rev. David Smithson

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10am Family Communion Service

Sermon: "The Ethiopian" Rev. David Smithson

Refreshments: Sally-Ann Riddell

Prayer: David Smithson

Throughout the Bible, the writers were inspired by God to write words of encouragement. These are captured in many verses throughout the Bible. God knows that from time to time we can become discouraged. When we dwell on the negative aspects of life and our circumstances it can plunge us into deeper discouragement. Reading encouraging Bible verses, that are inspirational, is the best way to get our mind off of our circumstances and to fill our mind with encouraging thoughts and God's truths. When you read scripture from the Bible, it can be comforting and the verses can be inspirational.

Look up Luke 18:27, Romans 15:5 and 1 Peter 5:7 God bless, David

Readings for 3rd May:

OT: Psalm 22:25-31

NT: Acts 8:26-40

Gospel: John 15:1-8

Children & Youth: Cool activities in the Kidz Space!



Christmas Fair Meeting: After church today over coffee & refreshments

Refreshment Roster: Please put your name next to the dates that you can do for the 2nd 1/2 of this year – roster is on the info table by the church entrance

Confirmations: If you are baptized, in Year 9 to adult, and are wanting to grow in your journey with Jesus, please see the vicar if you wish to be Confirmed on Sun 28 Jun 9:45am at the cathedral.

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+ Prayer Points +

- For Arthur and Muriel as they prepare for their wedding next Sunday
- For those thousands affected by the Kathmandu earthquake.
- For our Mission Family; the Frasers working for Betel in the UK
- For Christian refugees fleeing from persecution in Syria, Iraq, Libya

