

Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sunday 31 July



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10am Fresh Expressions Service

“Matthew”

Refreshments: Trish Smithson

Fresh Expressions is a thought provoking and very informal service held on the 5th Sundays of the month.

We watch a short video clip to inspire and challenge us. This Sunday's video is about tragedy and mourning, and should not be missed, as we will all face this in our lives at some stage, and this is a message that we all need to hear. The service is a bit more interactive than usual – you move around a bit more than normal; coming up and lighting candles etc. We also listen to some wonderful songs and music. If you haven't been along to a Fresh Expressions service before, come and experience it!

God bless
David

Children & Youth: This Sunday there are Kids Activity Sheets with a chocolate treat!



CARE OF CREATION; CHURCH GULLY PLANTING: Please donate \$ towards a native tree for our gully planting next month. The donation container is on the table by church porch entrance

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Foodbank: The current need is: flour, sugar, peanut butter, jam, baby food. These can be placed in the offering basket in the church porch

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Prayer: If you require prayer please see the vicar after the service, or contact him by phone.



In case of a fire during the service, please note the nearest exit: Porch and side door to vestry office. Fire extinguishers are located near these doorways in both the church and vestry office.

+ Prayer Points +

- For those parishioners who are ill and unwell.
- For Richard & Fee Fraser in the UK and their work for BETEL.
- For our persecuted Christian brothers and sisters – for comfort to those of them who mourn, for safety, for strength, and for endurance.

