

Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sun 2nd April



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Vicar: Rev. David Smithson

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10:00am Family Communion Service

Sermon: "Dem Dry Bones" Rev. David Smithson

Refreshments: Melanie Holdsworth

As we progress through Lent I pray that you are being spiritually nourished and growing closer in your walk with the Lord. Holy week is just around the corner, and is a very important time in the Christian Calendar and in our lives. I ask that you support the church all you can in attending the services, and it is a very busy time – have a look the church newsletter for April! Please pray for your vicar as well, as he prays for you. This Sunday, in readiness for Palm Sunday (9th April) the children/Juniour Youth will be making palm crosses. Please bring along some flax leaves for this if you can. God bless – David

Readings for 2nd April:

OT: Ezekiel 37:1-14

NT: Romans 8:6-11

Gospel: John 11:1-45

Reader: Melanie Holdsworth

Children's Church/Junior Youth: Making palm crosses!

Youth: Friday's 7pm @ Oaks church, Gordonton, & Weds 7pm "Ignite" @ - Horsham Downs Church.



CHILDREN'S CHURCH/JUNIOUR

YOUTH This Sunday Children's church will be held for kids to make palm crosses for the upcoming Palm Sunday. We require some flax for this thanks ☺

LENTEN APPEAL: Help our starving Christian brothers & sisters in South Sudan by making a direct payment to via barnabasfund.org



+ Prayer Points +

- For a holy Lent as we reflect on our need to repent and to "get right with God".
- For the volunteers at the Combined Christian Foodbank



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