Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sun 23rd July



Parish Office Hours & Contacts

Office Hours: Fridays 9am to 3pm Email: stmarysgordonton@hotmail.co.nz Web: www.saintmarysgordonton.azurewebsites.net Vicars Phone: 027 4213200 *Fridays only* 9am - 3pm. Then 07 8492761 any day during a/hours Vicar: Rev. David Smithson Peoples Warden: Sally-Ann Riddell 07 8243850 Vicars Warden: Roger Jennings 07 8243712

10:00 am Family Communion service

Sermon: "Jacob's Ladder & an Awesome Place" Rev. David Smithson

Refreshments: Trish Smithson

Welcome to St Mary's, to parishioners and visitors alike! People dislike being lied to, it makes us upset when we are not told the truth. So what is truth? Jesus said that He is the way, the *truth* and the life. (John 14:6) If you are a truth seeker, seek Jesus! We gather on Sundays to worship God in Spirit and in truth (John 4:24). Scripture is the truth, and in it you will find how God revealed Himself to mankind as Father, Spirit and Son through Jesus Christ our Lord on earth. God bless – David



First Aid Course held at East West College: Revalidation Course; 29 Jul (\$65) Comprehensive Course; 29 Jul & 5 Aug (\$100). Call Sue Shepherd 07 8243767 or 027 4454855

Refreshment Roster: Please fill out your name in the spaces available for this second half of the year. Contact Sally-Ann

Foodbank: The current need is: baby food, milk powder, jam, washing powder, toilet soap toilet paper, newspapers. Items can be placed in the basket located in the church porch

Readings for 23rd Jul:

OT: Genesis 28:10-19 **NT:** Romans 8:12-25 **Gospel:** Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Reader: Trish Smithson

Children's Church/Junior Youth: Activity Sheets with a chocolate treat!

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



+ Prayer Points +

- For those who are lonely, sad, or sick
- For our Parish Hall Resources Study



In case of a fire during a church service, please note the nearest exit: Front porch entrance and the side door to the vestry office. Fire extinguishers are also located near these two doorways.