# Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sun 17th June



#### Parish Office Hours & Contacts

Office Hours: Fridays 9am to 3pm
Email: stmarysgordonton@hotmail.co.nz
Web: www.saintmarysgordonton.azurewebsites.net

Vicar: Rev. David Smithson

Vicars Phone: 027 4213200 during the day, 07 8492761

after hours.

**Peoples Warden:** Sally-Ann Riddell 07 8243850 **Vicars Warden:** Roger Jennings 07 8243712

## 10:00am Family Communion

Sermon: "Get more than you bargained for" Rev David Smithson

Refreshments: Muriel Riddell

We've all heard the phrase "top dog" and "underdog". Scripture is packed with stories of God's upside-down kingdom, and how God uses the most unremarkable people to do the most remarkable things. In fact, He passes over all the powerful elite, and politicians, the "topdogs" and chooses very surprising "small" people to accomplish huge things! From one of the smallest seeds like a mustard seed, grow large trees. God bless, David.



Morning Tea Roster for July onwards is on the welcome table. Please put your name down where you can. There an option for helping with the Scripture readings as well ☺

Foodbank: Current needs are tinned tomatoes, tinned soups, sugar, pasta sauce, pasta, rice, milk powder. Fresh fruit and vegetables are also most welcome.



## Readings for 17<sup>th</sup> June:

**OT:** 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13 **NT:** 2 Corinthians 5:6-17 **Gospel:** Mark 4:26-34

#### Reader:

**Children:** Kids activity packs with a chocolate treat ⊕

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



### + Prayer Points +

- For our persecuted brothers and sisters in Pakistan.
- For freedom of religion and speech throughout the world including the West



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.