

Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sun 4th Nov



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10:00am All Souls/Saints Family Communion

Sermon: "Those who have Gone Before Us" Rev David Smithson

Refreshments: Muriel Riddell

This time of year sees our Church Calendar mark the days of All Souls and All Saints days – special days in which the Church commemorates all the dearly departed. It began when Christians who were martyred were remembered on their anniversary of their passing, and then there inevitably came the time when there were too many saints for the days contained in a year, so one special day was set aside to commemorate all of them together. We as a parish will commemorate our own dearly beloved who have passed into the hands of our Heavenly Father. Please bring a photo of your passed loved ones along. We will pray to God to watch over them and we will light a candle in their memory. God bless, David

Readings for 4th November:

OT: Lamentations 3:17-26

NT: 1 Peter 1:3-9

Gospel: John 6:37-40

Reader: Catherine Tuwi

Children: Kids activity packs with a chocolate treat ☺

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



Thank You to all who rolled their sleeves up and got stuck in for our Spring spruce up working bee last Saturday – the church looks spic and span!

Foodbank: Current needs are tinned tomatoes, tinned soups, sugar, pasta sauce, pasta, rice, milk powder. Perhaps some special Christmas treats?



+ Prayer Points +

- For Rich, Fee & family in the UK (see their latest newsletter on the noticeboard)
- For the health and wellbeing of Roger, Kerry and Judy and their families



In case of an emergency 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.