Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sun 19th May



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10:00am Family Communion

Sermon: "Making All Things New" Rev David Smithson

Refreshments: Valerie Crowther

Last Sunday we dipped into the book of Revelation - an interesting text that St John wrote while in exile on Patmos island. It is a mysterious book full of imagery, prophecy and visions. Revelation is often misused or misunderstood, and this Sunday we seek to clarify Rev 21:1-6, Heaven, Salvation, God dwelling with mortals in the New Jerusalem, and we will even touch on that controversial "rapture". God bless, David



Readings for 19th May:

OT: Psalm 148 **NT:** Revelation 21:1-6 **Gospel:** John 13:31-35

Reader:

Children: Kids activity packs are available with a chocolate treat [⊕]



Foodbank:

current needs are tinned baked beans & tinned spaghetti, sandwich fillings, pasta, tinned pasta sauce.



+ Prayer Points +

- For Lynda Jellyman as she mourns the tragic passing of her son Simon, after losing her husband, Keith, in April
- For the Fraser's in the UK



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