

Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sun 9th June



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10:00am Family Communion

Sermon: "Pentecost Power" Rev David Smithson

Refreshments: Karen Boyer

This Sunday marks a major day in the Church calendar – Pentecost, a celebration of the coming of the Holy Spirit and the birth of the Church. It also marks the watershed of the beginning of the reversal of what occurred at the tower of Babel: God had destroyed the tower, creating a babel of different languages, scattering peoples into nations who eventually worshipped other gods. Hundreds of years later Pentecost saw those people groups from those nations gathering in Jerusalem. The power of God through the Holy Spirit came upon them, and they then returned back to their nations bringing with them the good news of the restoration between God and man through Jesus Christ. God bless, David

Intercessions: There is an opportunity for a new parish ministry in overseeing the prayers during the service and working in with helpers. Please see the vicar if you are interested.

Foodbank: Current needs are tinned baked beans & tinned spaghetti, sandwich fillings, pasta, tinned pasta sauce.



Readings for 9th June:

OT: Genesis 11:1-9

NT: Acts 2:1-24

Gospel: John 14:8-17

Reader: Karen Boyer

Children: Kids activity packs are available with a chocolate treat 😊



+ Prayer Points +

- For Beth as she recovers from a stroke/turn
- For Operation Safe havens of Barnabas Fund - assisting Christian refugees from Syria find passage to Australia



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.