

Saint Mary's Church, Gordonton. Sun 13th Feb



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10am Holy Communion Service

Homily: "Jesus' Resurrection = Our Resurrection" Rev David Smithson

Refreshments: Trish Smithson

I hope you all had a wonderful break and got some time away for rest and relaxation. I spent most of my time at Papamoa beach, and enjoyed walking along it to a little creek that runs out to the ocean – a good space and time to think and to pray and to reconnect. Last year we held firm together, and at times we had to be innovative to be able to gather, and it solidified to me that Christ is the Head of the Church, not bishops, not the denomination, not the govt. *"Far above all principality and power and might and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in that which is to come. And He put all things under His feet, and gave Him to be head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all."* (Ephesians 1:21-23). I'm looking forward to what 2022 holds for our church, and we know that *"we can do all things through Christ who strenghtens us"* (Phillipians 4:13) God bless, David



+ Prayer & Praise Points +

- For the people of Tonga
- For the over 27,000 business owners and their families who have lost their businesses
- For God's truth and peace to spread upon the Earth



Readings & Intercessor for 13th Feb:

OT: Jeremiah 17:5-13 page 839

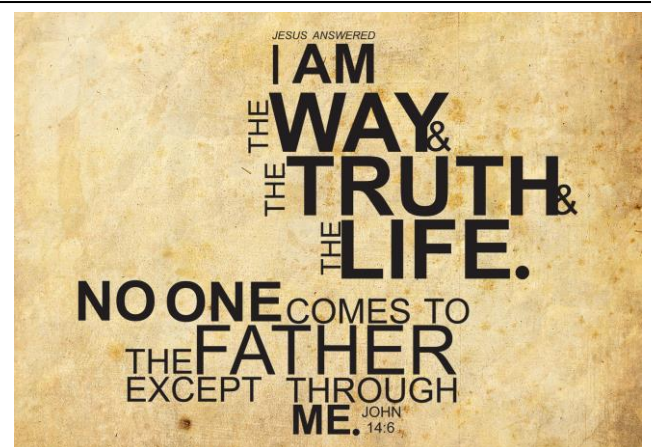
NT: 1 Corinthians 15:12-20 page 1281

Gospel: Luke 6:17-26

Reader: Trish Smithson

Intercessor: Trish Smithson

Foodbank ideas: Biscuits, Pasta Sauces, Milo and Drinking Chocolate, Toiletry items, Soup, Rice, Milk Powder, Sugar, Baby Food and Nappies



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