Saint Mary's Church, Gordonton. Sun 2nd Oct



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10:00 am Pet Blessing Service

Sermon: "St Francis: A Man Close to God" Rev. David Smithson

Refreshments: M Holdsworth

This Sunday we are holding our annual Pet Blessing Service. The service is linked to Saint Francis of Assisi who was a saint in Italy in the 12th Century, and is the patron saint of animals – because he loved them as part of God's wonderful creation. Francis loved all creation, and even called the Sun his Brother and the Moon his sister. God bless, David.



Foodbank: The current need is baby food, milk powder, sugar, flour, baked beans and spaghetti, tinned fruit, tinned fish, tinned stews, tinned tomatoes, tinned cream corn, pasta, rice, biscuits.



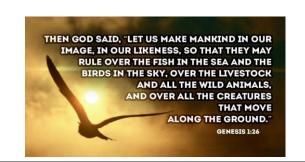
Readings & Intercessor for 2nd Oct:

OT: Genesis 2:15-20

NT: James 3:7

Gospel: Luke 12:6-7

Reader: M Holdsworth Intercessor: M Holdsworth



+ Prayer Points +

- For a speedy recovery of Albert
- For the SPCA, for Vets, for Paws for Life etc who all do fantastic work in caring for our animals



In case of an emergency during a church service, please note the nearest exit: The Fire extinguisher is located near on the floor at the end of the kitchen bench