# Saint Mary's Church, Gordonton. Sun 27th Nov



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## 10am Advent 1 Holy Communion Service

Homily: "King of the Mountain" Rev David Smithson

Morning Tea: R Trolove

Goodness me Advent is here already! Our worship space is all ready for Advent and the Christmas season – the tree is dressed, the Nativity is up and the wreaths adorn the windows ③. Advent is a time to prepare for Christ's coming. Advent looks both back to Christ and forward to Christ; to prepare in expecting the Christ Child, and prepare that Christ will one day soon return again. Keep watch

God bless, David



### + Prayer & Praise Points +

- For a Holy Advent as we prepare for the arrival of our Lord
- For David & Trish as both his parents are in hospital
- For the Lord's guidance for our Parish as we continue with seismic strengthening plans



### Readings & Intercessor for 27th Nov

**OT:** Isaiah 2:1-5 (page 746) **NT:** Romans 13:11-14 (p 1262) **Gospel:** John 4:21-24

<u>Reader:</u> R Trolove <u>Intercessor:</u> R Trolove

Foodbank: Let's put in some Christmas treats as well as the usual Biscuits, Pasta Sauces, Milo and Drinking Chocolate, Toiletry items, Soup, Rice, Milk Powder, Sugar, Baby Food and Nappies. Keep them coming ©





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