

# Saint Mary's Church, Gordonton. Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Feb



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## 10am Holy Communion Service

**Homily:** "Choices" Rev David Smithson

**Morning Tea:** T Smithson

I trust we all had a wonderful summer break and are feeling recharged and refreshed and ready for a new year of 2023. Pray for the year ahead of 2023 for our parish that we seek God's will for direction in all that we do and to make Him and God's Kingdom the centre. As we make choices, we should keep in mind that we must decrease and He must increase.

God bless, David



### + Prayer & Praise Points +

- For the Frasers in the UK
- For the Tuwi's in Vanuatu
- For the people of Syria and Turkey: To donate go to [cws.org.nz](http://cws.org.nz)



## Readings & Intercessor for 12<sup>th</sup> Feb

**OT:** Duet 30:15-20 (page 225)

**NT:** 1 Corinthians 3:1-9 (p 1268)

**Gospel:** Matthew 5:21-37

**Reader:** T Smithson

**Intercessor:** T Smithson

**Foodbank:** A reminder for Biscuits, Pasta Sauces, Milo and Drinking Chocolate, Toiletry items, Soup, Rice, Milk Powder, Sugar, Baby Food and Nappies.



**Summer Fair:** Roll up roll up! Our parish Summer Fair commences **Sat 25<sup>th</sup> Feb**. Be there at 8am to set up. Bring baking, preserves, books, plants, puzzles



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