

Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sun 17 Mar



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10am St Patrick's Day Holy Communion Service

Homily: "Lord Hear My Prayer!" Rev David Smithson

Morning Tea: Helen

Bad things in life still happen to followers of Christ – Christianity is not an insurance policy that stops bad things from happening. We all experience "mini deaths" – loss of health and love, redundancies, passing of loved ones. We cry out to God – Lord hear my prayer! Jesus himself went through bad times, and made "loud cries and tears to God". Jesus faced the worst possible of things, and yet...

God bless, David



Readings & Intercessor for 17 Mar

OT: Jeremiah 31:31-34 (p 857)

NT: Hebrews 5:5-10 (p 1345)

Gospel: John 12:20-33

Reader: Charles

Intercessor: Helen

Have a Blessed St Patricks Day



Study and Prayer Group meets every Weds @ the church 7 pm. Learning about the 39 Articles of our Faith. See Charles for more details

ARTICLES OF RELIGION

A TABLE OF THE ARTICLES

1. *Of Faith in the Holy Trinity.*
2. *Of Christ the Son of God.*
3. *Of his going down into Hell.*
4. *Of his Resurrection.*
5. *Of the Holy Ghost.*
6. *Of the Sufficiency of the Scriptures.*
7. *Of the Old Testament.*
8. *Of the Three Creeds.*
9. *Of Original or Birth-sin.*
10. *Of Free-Will.*
11. *Of Justification.*
12. *Of Good Works.*
13. *Of Works before Justification.*
14. *Of Works of Supererogation.*
15. *Of Christ alone without Sin.*

+ Prayer & Praise Points +

- For the Lord's blessing to be on Catherine and the girls – may they be keenly aware of the Lord's presence
- For the Holy Spirit to lead our parish closer to the Lord this Lent and onwards



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