

Saint Mary's Anglican Church, Gordonton. Sun 5 May



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10am Holy Communion Service

Homily: "Love one another" Rev David Smithson

Morning Tea: Majella

Last week at the ANZAC service, part of my welcome address had John 15:13 in it: *"No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friend"*. Love is at the heart of Christian discipleship. Jesus showed this himself by laying down His life for us. What can we lay down/give up for Him?

When we love one another, we fulfil one of the two greatest commandments of Jesus.

God bless, David



+ Prayer & Praise Points +

- For Barnabus Fund and their work with persecuted Christians
- For Catherine and girls during the anniversary of Aphia's passing



Readings & Intercessor for 5 May

OT: Psalm 98 (p661)

NT: Acts 10:44-48 (p 1220)

Gospel: John 15:9-17

Reader: Charles

Intercessor: Majella

Foodbank: Keep those items coming 😊 Baby food, milk powder, sugar, flour, baked beans and spaghetti, tinned fruit, tinned fish, tinned stews, tinned tomatoes, tinned cream corn, pasta, rice, biscuits.



Study and Prayer Group this Weds @ the church 7 pm. Looking at the 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.*

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