

All are invited to our
**Parata ANZAC
Service** to be led by
Rev Bruce.

**Thursday April 23
commencing at
11am** in the Day
Centre.

Come and share our
service with
Residents and Village
people.
Morning Tea to
follow.



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*Please ring a cell phone number
rather than leaving a message on the
office answering machine.*

Holy Trinity Anglican Church

Parish of Gore & Districts - where faith and life meet
10am Eucharist Service followed by Morning Tea
Prayer for healing is offered every Sunday following Communion

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THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

12 April 2026

Sentence

Collect



Eternal Father, through the resurrection of your Son, help us to face the future with courage and assurance, knowing that nothing in death or life can ever separate us from your love. This we ask through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Hymns

Alleluia Alleluia Give Thanks
Thy word is a lamp unto my feet
It's about the Cross
Tell out my soul

Readings

Acts 2:14, 22-32
Psalm 16
1 Peter 1:3-9
Matthew 28:16-20

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PARISH WOMEN'S BIRTHDAY CLUB

You are all invited to come to Croydon Lodge on **Friday 17 April** at 12 noon to celebrate **Louise Mace-Brown's** and **Dianne Rankin's** birthdays. Then on **Friday 24 April** we will celebrate **Sue Sanson's** and **Sally Hannabus's** birthdays. Please let Anne know by **Thursday 16 April** if you are going to join us so that she can give numbers to the hotel.



We warmly welcome the Dunbar Family to our Sunday Service

Please bring a plate to share for morning tea after the Sunday Service. This will give us time to fellowship with the Dunbar Family.

Soup and Buns begins Thursday 16 April at 12 noon in the Narthex.

Are you able to make a pot of soup to feed 12 people, or help with serving and dishes? Please put your name on the sign up sheet on the Narthex table.

Parish Morning Prayer 9am Tuesday, Thursday, Friday by Zoom using the following link - <https://zoom.us/j/91088205757>
Meeting ID: 910 8820 5757 Passcode: 759012

Monday Ps 19 Exod 15:1-12 Col 1:1-14	Tuesday Ps 8 Exod 15:22-16:10 Col 1:15-end	Wednesday Ps 30 Exod 16:11-end Col 2:1-15
Thursday Ps 28 Exod 17 Col 2:16-3:11	Friday Ps 61 Exod 18:1-12 Col 3:12-4:1	Saturday Ps 84 Exod 18:13-end Col 4:2-end

The Five Marks of Mission:

Tend —
Respond to human need by loving service

HAPPENING NEXT WEEK

Tuesday 14 April
9am Morning Prayer
11am Parata Service

Wednesday 15 April
9.30am Eucharist Service
2pm Tapanui Service

Thursday 16 April
9am Morning Prayer
10.30am Bible Study
12pm Soup 'n' Buns

Friday 17 April
9am Morning Prayer
10.15am Home Group "Sample the Psalms" at 4 Lennox St

LORD, WE PRAY FOR:

- * the clergy and people of the Anglican Church in NZ and the Pacific
- * our Bishop Anne Van Gend, Michael and their family
- * Rev'd Gary and Debbie, bless them and their family
- * the Dunbar family
- * the diocese of Wellington and their bishop Justin Duckworth and assistant bishop Anashuya Fletcher
- * agencies supporting vulnerable people
- * the Roman Catholic Bishop of Dunedin Rt Rev'd Michael Dooley
- * those grieving for the loss of a loved one
- * people in need of God's healing: Bill, Keith, Whandana, Lazlo, David and Karen

Do you or a loved one need prayer? Please add names to the prayer list notebook at the back of the church

The Florist

Joe was opening a new business, and one of his friends decided to send flowers for the occasion.

The flowers arrived and Joe read the card. It said, "Rest in Peace." Joe, enraged, called the florist to complain. The florist replied, "Sir, I'm really sorry for the mistake, but rather than getting angry, you should imagine this: somewhere there is a funeral taking place today, and they have flowers with a note saying, "Congratulations on your new location."

Join our Parish family for an

Hour of Power

PRAYER

between 7 & 7.30am or 4 & 4.30pm
Refer to the Link for people to pray for each day this week.

Hour of Power - this week we pray for: Julie Tattershaw, Kathy Tirczka, Mary Tremaine, Frances Trewby-Gunn, Paul Turner-Heaton, Patrica Tytler, Rosemary Van Uden, Lyall Varlow, Stan Waihanui, Gloria Waikare