

The Prayer Request

A businessman needed a million dollars to close an important business transaction. He went to church to pray for the money. He knelt and started praying next to a man who was praying for a hundred dollars he needed to pay an urgent debt. The businessman took out his wallet and pressed the hundred dollars into the other man's hand. Overjoyed, the man got up and left the church. The businessman then closed his eyes and prayed, "And now, Lord, that I have your undivided attention...."

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 71 1 Sam 24 Acts 3:11-end	Tuesday Ps 73 1 Sam 26 Acts 4:1-12	Wednesday Ps 77 1 Sam 28:3-end Acts 4:13-31
Thursday Ps 78:1-40 1 Sam 31 Acts 4:32-5:11	Friday Ps 55 2 Sam 1 Acts 5:12-26	Saturday Ps 98,138,147:1-11 Isa 7:10-15 Luke 11:27-28

The Five Marks of Mission:

Teach -
Teach, baptise
and nurture
new believers

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active.**

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

Welcome to
Holy Trinity this
morning for our
Family Eucharist

**19th Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

9 August 2026



Sentence

Collect

Immediately Jesus spoke to them.
**"Have courage!
It is I.
Don't be afraid."**

Matthew 14:26-27

Jesus, Saviour in storm, when
the waters of the deep are
broken up, when the landmarks
are washed away or drowned,
come to us across the water;
for the glory of your holy name.
Amen.

Hymns

When we walk with the Lord
Turn your eyes upon Jesus
Because He lives, I can face tomorrow
I the Lord of sea and sky

Readings

1 Kings 19:9-18
Psalm 85:8-13
Romans 10:5-15
Matthew 14:22-33

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**Coming up:
Saturday 22 August**

CHURCH GARAGE SALE



Join us at Croydon Lodge Friday 14 August
at 12noon to celebrate Dianne
Hewitt's birthday.

Let Anne know if
you are able to come.

027 311 0625



2026 CALF REARING FUNDRAISER

Thanks to the generosity of the Baynes family we are invited to sponsor a calf by a donation of \$250 or any amount up to \$250 towards a calf's rearing. Information and donation forms are at church, or on the website or facebook.

We would very much appreciate any contributions towards this project whether you would like to sponsor a calf entirely or make a donation towards its rearing. However, donations to this project should not replace your regular giving to our church, but as an extra donation please. If you wish to support this project, would you please fill in the form below and leave it at the church office before 31 August.

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We wish to support this calf rearing project and are willing to donate \$..... towards this.

Name.....Phone.....

I/We have deposited \$..... into the Church Bank Account. OR I/We enclose \$..... in cash.

Bank Account—**Holy Trinity Church 060923-0004683-00**

Please write your **Name** and **Calf Project** when you make your donation online.

HAPPENING NEXT WEEK

Tuesday 11 August

9am Morning Prayer

11am Parata Service

Wednesday 12 August

9.30am Eucharist Service

10.15am Priests and Lay Ministers Meeting

7pm Safeguarding Training in the Narthex

Thursday 13 August

9am Morning Prayer

12pm Soup 'n' Buns

Friday 14 August

9am Morning Prayer

10.15am Home Group 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 Waikato Taranaki and their bishop Philip Richardson
- * the local churches of Gore and their priests, ministers and pastors
- * refugees and agencies that support them
- * our rest homes and hospitals and all who work or volunteer to support our elderly, our sick and those with disabilities
- * those grieving for the loss of a loved one
- * people in need of God's healing: Bill, Lazlo, David, Karen, Gary, Russ, Pat, Dorothy, Paul, Peter and Libby

A memorial service for **Shirley Turnbull** will be held at Parata at 2pm on Sunday 9 August.



Safeguarding Training

Wednesday 12 August at 7pm in the Narthex

Hour of Power - this week we pray for:

Lex & Jan Miller, Rev'd Maud Milligan, Nancy Moffat, Lyn Nichol, Robyn & Hamish Pahl, Marianne Parks, William & Debbie Patterson, Steve & Leisa Perry, Davina & Jack Prattley, Dianne & Jeff Rankin, Hilary & Stuart Riordan, Davy & Penny Roberts, Helen Robertson