

Monday 6 October	5:30-8:30	<i>Clergy Day Off</i> KYB study group (Parish Centre)
Tuesday 7 October		
Wednesday 8 October	8am 10am 11am 1:30-3:15pm 7-8:30pm 6.30—8pm	Parish Prayer Meeting in Parish Centre Dixon House Holy Communion (Marge) Granger House Holy Communion (Marge) Ripple Effect Course (Parish Centre) Ripple Effect Course (Parish Centre) Runanga Healing Rooms, Community House, 29 Carroll St, Runanga
	7pm	Organ Recital at St Patrick's by Ron Newton
Thursday 9 October	5pm	10am Music Practice (church)
Friday 10 October	9am-12pm 7pm	Kids 'n' Coffee Youth Shed at 186 Main South Rd
Saturday 11 October	10.30am	CWCI Safari (Cobden Anglican Church)
Sunday 12 October	2.30—4pm	Runanga Healing Rooms, Community House,

Services 12 Oct 2025

GREYMOUTH:

8am Traditional Holy Communion (no music)
10am All age service with Communion & Contemporary Music
2pm Holy Communion with music

KUMARA: 4pm Making Space

Please let clergy know if you or someone you know would like to be visited in hospital. Policy changes at Te Nikau Hospital no longer allow clergy our church pastoral visitors to request a list of those of their denomination who are in hospital.

Prayer Requests to: Joanna Lorimer - 027 380 2989



FLOWERS

Rose &
Jeanette

CHURCH CLEANING

Deb Johnson &
Hilda Van Wyk



CHURCH MOWING

Roger Lavers



Last Weekend: Attendance: 56 Offertory: \$4,046 (Budget weekly total needed: \$3,700)
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**HOLY
TRINITY**
Church

**Anglican Parish
of Greymouth & Kumara**
5 October 2025
Growing Disciples of Jesus
Blessed to be a Blessing

Theme: Learning to Pray

Readings: Philippians 1:3-11 (p.1524); Luke 11:1-13 (p.1331)

Prayer for the Day:

**Almighty and merciful God, more ready to hear than we to pray,
giving more than either we desire or deserve;
pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy,
forgive us those things of which our conscience is afraid,
and give us those good things which we are not worthy to ask,
except through your Son our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Preacher: Robin Kingston

Theme for next weekend: Healthy Food, the Lord's Supper.

Readings for next weekend: 1 Corinthians 11:17-20, 26-30; Luke 22:14-20

Preacher for next weekend: Robin Kingston

DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

Our sincere condolences to Robyn White and all her family on the death of her uncle Kerry Eggeling a dedicated member of the South Westland community serving in many capacities over many years.

We also extend our sympathy to the family of Barrie Calder whose daughter and granddaughter, Cailin and Ellie, are part of our current Kids 'n' Coffee family. Barrie was a quiet man who did much to help and encourage others and will be missed by many.

Our heartfelt sympathies also to Dot Hastings whose husband David died on Thursday night. David served as a retired priest in our parish for many years. Many of you will remember his laughter, puns and passion for Alpha.

Please hold the families and friends of these men in your prayers at this time.

LIVES TRANSFORMED SEMINARS

Greymouth Elim Church (41 Guinness St) is hosting six seminars presented by Kathy King on Fri-Sat Oct 17th—18th.

Friday's seminars are:

- Defining the Emotional Brain
- Flying with Two Wings
- Healthy Communication

Saturday's seminars are:

- Insecure or Incredible Self
- Healing the Wounded Self
- Stress Free Relationships

Please take a flyer on foyer notice board for details of each seminar and timings.

Cost is \$10/session to cover cost of printing book. For couples \$10/session if sharing book.

BYO Lunch. Tea and Coffee provided.

Registration & Enquires: Kathryn Tuck
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phone: 027 340 3937



Marge Every week the diocese puts out a digital magazine called

Writes *Kōroro*. It is delivered by email to anyone who requests it. A few of the digital articles over the last few months have been compiled in hardcopy form bearing the title *The Witness*. A few copies of these are in the foyer. If you do not subscribe to the digital version, then feel free to **BORROW** a hardcopy. Please return it to the foyer for others to borrow when you are finished.

If you would like to sign-up to receive the weekly digital *Kōroro* by email, please go to the dio website: nelsonanglican.nz and scroll down to complete a subscription form. It's good to hear of things around our diocese.

With love and blessings, *Marge*

CWCI WEST COAST SAFARI

Christian Women Communicating International will run an event at Cobden Anglican next Sat 11th Oct at 10:30am.

Three guest speakers will reflect on the topic of "How God Can be Found if You Seek Him with all your Heart."

Bring your Bible.

There will also be a book stall available with items for sale.

See poster on foyer notice board.

HOW'S IT GOING?

Why do you read the Bible? Interest? Study purposes? To learn what God is teaching you?

Last weekend we looked at how it is possible to hear God speak directly to us individually as we do our reading.

We read the passage we have chosen for the day, carefully seeing if there is any message in that portion of the Bible that we sense God might be speaking to us. A thoughtful way is to ask Jesus what He is saying to us through it.

Once you have determined the point God is pressing on your heart, repeat it in your mind or out loud. The intention is to try and remember the main point of it during the day. One suggestion is that you try and recall it at least three times during the day.

You may use meals and other food breaks to pause and recall the point God impressed on your heart.

Others write the key message on a card that fits in a pocket or purse or somewhere they can see it easily.

Initially Robin kept forgetting to check his memory whenever he stopped to eat. Now, after making a deliberate effort, he is recalling the day's message as he pauses to eat.

So, how's it going for you?

UPCOMING GUEST SPEAKER OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AT COBDEN ANGLICAN CHURCH

On **Sat Oct. 18th at 7.30pm** there will be a public meeting with **Dr. Chris Marshall**, a former Laidlaw lecturer and professor Emeritus of Victoria University who will be speaking about **the future of the church in the NZ context**.

PARISH FAIR RESPONSIBILITIES

Robin has begun starter sign-up sheets for various fair jobs based on who did what last year. Please check them over and either remove, shift, or add your name accordingly.

Remember the fair is Saturday, November 8th with set-up on Friday the 7th.

Any questions, ask Robin

RIPPLE EFFECT MODULE 4

The final module of The Ripple Effect Course will begin on this Wed Oct 8th and conclude on Nov 26th. The Topic is "The Real Jesus" and will focus on how we can read the Gospel of Luke with someone who is investigating Jesus.

There will be 2 sessions on offer each week:

Wed 1:30—3:15pm

Wed 7:00—8:45pm

Please let Marge or Robin know if you are interested in attending and which session will work for you. You do NOT need to have completed the first 3 modules to join.

ROSTER UNAVAILABILITY DATES

If you serve on the services roster, please send your unavailability dates for 1 Nov—28 Feb. Please specify if you are also not available for Christmas. Send to info@htcgreymouth.co.nz

ORGAN RECITAL AT ST. PATRICK'S

Ron Newton will be giving an organ recital this Wednesday, Oct 8th at 7pm at St. Patrick's Church in celebration of their organ's 125th anniversary. See notice on foyer board. Ron looks after our organ as well. See poster in foyer. There is NO entry charge.

GRATEFUL THANKS FROM NICKI

Tim, myself, our SHED leaders and especially our young people want to send our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to all of you who donated funds to help them get to Spring Camp. We have been overwhelmed and humbled by the outpouring of love and donations. All the young people who wanted to come to camp but couldn't afford it are now all registered and excited for camp. The response was so great that we now have funds to cover transport and to carry over to next year's camp and they have been set aside for that. Without doubt, there will be young people needing help then. So again thank you so much, it has been incredible and moving.

CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER DAY

Our fifth prayer day for 2025 will be held on

Saturday 18 October from 10am - 2pm

Venue: The Salvation Army,

77 Shakespeare St, Greymouth

(will advise later if venue changed due to renovations)

Our theme for this year is **"PRAYING THE ORDINARY"**

and the day's focus will be

St Benedict

Please bring your Bible, journal, pen and your lunch.

To register your attendance or for further information,

please contact Sharryn McAuliffe –

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