

**Te Aroha
Co-operating Parish**

March 15, 2026,
10.00 am

Worship Leader

Megan Gore

Musician:

Myra Gore

Reader:

David Buchan

Prayers of the People:

Flo Mace



Lectionary Readings this week –

1 Samuel 16: 1-13; Psalm 23; Ephesians 5: 8-14; John 9: 1-41

Saint David's

Worship Leader

Preacher

Musician

Worship Leader's Assistant

Reader

Prayers of the People

Welcomer

Sound and Data

Morning Tea

March 22, 2026

Alli Edwards

Rev Andrew Doubleday

Tom Luxton

Peter Kampenhout

Ruth Hale

robyn brown

John Hatden

Mel Woodley

Lyn and Mel Woodley

Thank Offering:

Parish Council is aware that most of our members are on a fixed income and contribute what they are able through the weekly offering.

The income for the Parish is considerably lower than in previous years. We ask that you prayerfully consider whether you may be able to make a **'one off Thank Offering'** during the month of March. Special Envelopes are available in the Foyer. Please include your normal envelope number or name if you want a receipt for tax purposes. Or you can make a direct payment into the Parish Account. Please put the reference *Thank Offering*.

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Te Aroha

Wednesday March 18

9.30 am Care and Craft Group

10.00 am Music & Movement

11.30 am Community Lunch – (a \$5 donation would be appreciated please)

Thursday March 19

1.30 pm Women's Fellowship - in the Lounge. Donations for this year's Special Project would be appreciated.

Waitoa

Tuesday each week

10.00am to 1.30pm

Red Cross Opportunity Shop in the Waitoa Church Hall.

Wednesday March 18

10.00 am Friendship Group

Sunday March 22

9.30 am Rainbow Club Worship - Deacon Dianne Hight

Good News!

It was great to have a good number of people enjoying the presentation by the Hamilton Community Gospel Choir last Sunday afternoon. What a joyful occasion. The refreshments that followed were also appreciated.

We have many people to thank for making this occasion a success. I am not going to name individuals as I will be sure to forget someone! So, thanks first of all for the idea, the people who willingly prepared the cheese and fruit platters, the ones who prepared the cold drinks (wasn't the Island punch a 'hit'), the people who set up, cleaned up, packed up and most of all made people welcome.

I believe we can put this occasion down as a great success and on top of all that we were given **\$674.30** in Koha to enable us to put a 'feature display' in the garden we see as we enter the Church Foyer. Watch that space as it evolves. With gratitude, robyn

Prayer Chain:

If you, or someone you know is in need of the ministry of prayer, please contact Ruth Hale 884 8046.

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