

NOTICES

[Notices for the Pew Slip must reach the office by Wednesday morning.]

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Siphokazi Mabongo (16), Gerald Smith (16), Beryl Keel (17), Ann Mitchell (17), Praticia Muralindi (17), Jeanette Oliphant (17), Tony Peters (18), Yolene Peterson (19), Kyla Peterson (19), Leah Rangata (21), Caleb Gunkel (22), Stacey Lawrence (22)

EASTER CAKE RAFFLE WINNER

Congratulations to our lucky winner Thenjiwe Mahlutshana. We would like to thank everyone who participated in this raffle

SABBATICAL LEAVE

Fr Reggie will be going on a Sabbatical leave from 16 April to 17 May 2018. Please contact office if you have any needs.

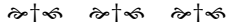
EASTER BONNET COMPETITION – *Start Making Your HAT!*



- Must be worn to church on 22 April 2018.
- Entry fee: A tin of food for the Pantry.
- Judging will be done after the 09:00 Service
- There will be a 1st, 2nd and 3rd Prize

THE HABIT April / May 2018 - Errata

My apology for not changing the Church Warden details on the last page. Keith Holliman (082 900 5468) and Pheli Mbambo (083 397 0024) are our new Church Wardens. – Fr Reggie



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St Francis of Assisi
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Reaching out in the Community

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

15 April 2018

President: Fr Reggie Venter, Preacher: Cherie van der Merwe

Welcome to our worship. We hope that you find the service meaningful and uplifting. If you are new to the area, please fill in our visitor's slip so that we can make contact with you.



Introit: CP 305 I come with joy a child of God

Collect: Risen Christ,
you revealed yourself to the disciples
and calmed their fears:
meet us in our uncertainties
and walk with us into the new life you bring;
for you live and reign with the Father
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

1st Reading: Acts 3:12-19 pg. 141

Psalm: Psalm 4 pg. 609

2nd Reading: 1 John 3:1-7 pg. 284

Gradual: CP 599 Thine for ever God of love

Gospel: Luke 24:36b-48 Pg. 105

Offertory: CP 467 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

Eucharist: 2nd Eucharist Prayer

Please use our Prayer Ministry in the Chapel during Communion

Communion: CP 319 Praise the Lord, rise rejoicing
CP 456 Happy are they, they that love God
CP 277 All for Jesus all for Jesus

Recessional: LP 27 Christ is made the sure foundation

Please join us for tea/coffee and Fellowship in the courtyard/hall between the 07:00 and 09:00 Services and after the 9:00 service.

DIARY AND READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon 16 Acts 6:8-15 Psalm 119:161-168 John 6:22-29 19:00 NO EUCHARIST SERVICE
Tues 17 Acts 7:51 – 8:1a Psalm 31:1-5 John 6:30-35 09:00 Whispers of Wonder–Cherie: 083 296 1457 19:00 Companions in Christ–Jane: 093 310 8221
Wed 18 Acts 8:1b-8 Psalm 66:1-6 John 6:35-40 09:30 Eucharist Service 18:30 Council Meeting 19:00 Woman of Grace–Wilhelmina: 082 467 9674 19:00 Faith Sharing Group–Johan: 083 643 8046
Thurs 19 Acts 8:26-40 Psalm 66:7-8, 15-19 John 6:44-51 10:00 Senior’s Prayers & Tea
Fri 20 Acts 9:1-20 Psalm 117 John 6:52-59
Sat 21 Anselm, Archbishop of Canterbury and Teacher of the Faith, 1109 Acts 9:31-42 Psalm 116:11-18 John 6:60-69 08:00 Men’s Fellowship 14:00–16:00 Servers’ Practice
Sun 22 Acts 4:5-12 Psalm 23 1 John 3:16-34 John 10:11-18 07:00 Holy Eucharist Said Service 09:00 Holy Eucharist Sung Service 11:00 MU Prayer Meeting and Induction

FOR OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

OUR CHURCH

Communion: The Church of Ireland

Province: The Diocese of Lesotho

Diocese: Thembisa East, Church of the Holy Name, Thembisa West, Christ the King

Bernard Mizeki Guild and Anglican Men’s Fellowship

OUR PARISH FAMILY

- our country and for wisdom for our State President, governing authorities, judges, magistrates and police.
- all our people that we will understand each other and work together.
- The conversion of those who resort to violence and crime.

Our Parishioners who are ill or in need:

Dave Drummer, Ron Duhig, Engelbrecht Family, Helen Holmes, Winnie Kapousousoglou, Rosa Leone, Errol and Helen Lloyd, Kevin Menge, Mary and Dee McNiece, Dave Mouton, Dereck Roper, Karen vd Merwe and Johan vd Merwe, Maria Van Niekerk.

Prayer for Family and Friends of our Parishioners:

Dick Cavender, Shirley Cavender, Phillip Chetty, Lillian Francis, Dorothy Greene, Lorraine Le Hanie, Jason and Jesse Neethling, Alicia Roelofs, Mark Scott, Charmaine Smith, and Chantel vd Schyff.

Years Mind: Departed Loved Ones over the past seven years

Names for Years Mind for the month are before the Lord in the Chapel.

OURSELVES: Luke 24:36b-48

- “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you.” Jesus has already spoken many words to me. But do I remember? Do I take them to heart?
- Jesus wants repentance and forgiveness of sins to be proclaimed – this is the astounding, word-changing news. Today I will ponder how to communicate to others the transformative power of repentance and forgiveness.