



St Francis of Assisi, Parkview
Diocese of Johannesburg
Anglican Church of Southern Africa



14 MAY 2017
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Eternal God,
your Son Jesus Christ is the way,
the truth and the life for all creation:
grant us grace to walk in his way,
rejoice in his truth,
and share in his risen life;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen

I AM

the way and truth and the life.
No one comes to the Father except through me.
JOHN 14:6

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH:

Together with the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for the Church in New Jersey, The Episcopal Church and The Rt Revd William Stokes

We pray for **Steve our Bishop** and for Liziwe and **Thabo our Archbishop** and Lungi and for **Justin**, Archbishop of Canterbury.

PRAYER FOR THE WORLD:

A place that is home is a need shared by your people throughout the world. Many have had to flee their homes because of violence, persecution and famine. Others have left because it is only possible for them to make a living elsewhere. We pray for those who feel alienated and disconnected amid cultures and languages not their own; those who long for familiar people and places. Our true and shared home is in you. We pray that you will make us ready to welcome those known and loved by you, yet strangers to us.

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS:

Birthdays: Sunday 14: Melissa Malgas, Megan Peters; **Monday 15:** Eddie Jooste, Craig Yammin;

Tuesday 16: Abigayle Holloway; **Wednesday 17:** Nicky Pryor, Robert Setshedi, Cally Tuckey;

Thursday 18: Miranda Hunt, Valentino Meirotti; **Saturday 20:** Julie Rodgers

Wedding Anniversaries: Sunday 14: Craig and Zoe Waterston

Families to be prayed for this week: Angelique and Niki Blumentritt and Sharon, Michael and Kyle Botha; Bunty Booysen; Cynthia and Eunice Botha; Jodie Botha; Millicent Botsi; Matthew, Jamie-Lee and Nathan Bremmer

Prayers for those in need of prayer: Dew Barry; Jeffery Gavin; Sonja Grieve; Xenka Kinnaird; Ally Martin; Maria Miszti; Wendy Price

Prayer for those who have a long term need: Sonja Begg; Pat Cawthorn; Bill Currie; Tsungi Ngwenya; Val Robertson; Desmond Tutu

Years Mind: Jocelyn Cole; Earle Condon; Lesley Oliver

READINGS FOR TODAY:

Acts 7: 55-60

Psalms 31: 1-5, 17-18

1 Peter 2: 2-10

John 14: 1-14

HYMNS FOR 7:30 SERVICE

135 Rock of ages, cleft for me
(omit v 3)

128 Thou art the Way: by thee
alone (Tune 279)

175 Ye that know the Lord is
gracious

143 Jesus shall reign where'er
the sun

**We invite you to come to the
Lady Chapel during and after
communion if you would like
someone to pray for you or with
you**

EUCARIST 7:30 AM EUCARIST 9:30 AM

Celebrant	Paul Germond	Paul Germond
Preacher	Paul Germond	Paul Germond
Synaxis	Motshegwa Mgeyane	Patience Dlamini
Prayers	Chloe Heylen	Motshegwa Mgeyane
Server	Alan King	Clementine Nishimwe
First Reader	Mymie Vos	Doreen Mufamadi
Second Reader	Amanda van Ryneveld	Doris Setshedi
Music	Claire Armstrong	Ruth Coggin
Sides Person	Neil Archer	Andre Cloete June Impey Mothers Union
Chapel Prayer	Val Archer	Jentina Frahm-Arp
Keys Open	Mymie Vos	
Keys Close	Theo Coggin	
Tea 09:30	Mothers Union	
Flowers	Kim Carlile	
Rock n' Roll	Louise and Ludwig Frahm-Arp	
Power Point	Terri Miller	

St Francis Bank Details:

Our banking details - Account name: St Francis Church Parkview, Account number: 50331107348

Bank: FNB Branch: Killarney 256 205

THE WORK OF THE CHURCH

We are delighted to welcome the Mothers' Union from Region 6 and 10 to our 9:30 service this morning and for the General Regional Meeting afterwards.
Bo-'mè le amohlehile. Your presence with us today will enrich our worship.

Passion to Pentecost *50 days of moral action*

Bishop Steve has sent out a call for a programme called **Passion to Pentecost - 50 Days of Moral Action**. In response, at St Francis, we will do the following **every Friday**:

1. A **7 am Eucharist special Eucharist** for our county.
2. A **Prayer Vigil in the church from 6 am to 6 pm** and draw it to a close with **Evening Prayer at 6 pm**.
3. A **Public Silent Vigil from 12 noon to 1 pm** at designated places in our area.
4. **Fast from 6 am to 6 pm** from all food except water to the extent that we are able.
5. We do this starting Friday April 21 until June 2.

Next Noon Vigil: Friday 19th May The Bridge over the M1 Between Donald Gordon and Mandela Children's Hospital *50 days of moral action*

CHORAL EVENSONG: Please join us for Choral evensong on Sunday 14 May at 17:30.

This is a wonderful, contemplative service that is an excellent way to start the new week.

SOUP KITCHEN: Winter has come and our soup kitchen has started. We still need **volunteers** to sign up for soup kitchen duties on the roster. The sign-up form is at the back of the church. Please be sure to respond with generosity of time and donations of dried foods or cans to make the soup more nourishing.

07:30 SIDES PEOPLE: We are in need of more Sides People for the 07:30 Service. If you would like to volunteer, please email stfrancis@stfrancisparkview.co.za or call the office between 08:00 and 12:30.

BLANKETS AND MENS CLOTHING DONATIONS: With the sudden drop in temperature, our Social Worker has asked for blankets and **men's** clothing and shoe donations so she can start handing them out to those in need of a blanket and some clothes. Please drop any blankets and clothes off in the office during the week or on a Sunday.

PICNIC CONCERT: Please make a note in your diaries about the PICNIC Concert on 4 June at 12.30 when the Symphonic Wind Band of the Johannesburg Youth Orchestra will enthuse you again with their music. More details to follow.

NIGHT OUT WITH SEAN BROKENSHA THE MUSIC GURU will be speaking about music in 60's and 70's. A fundraiser in aid of Vuleka School happening on 23 June at St Martin's-in-the-Veld from 18:00. Tickets cost R150pp for snacks, drinks and a talk. Your support is greatly appreciated. Please contact Brandon on 011 477 6917 or marketing@vulekaschool.co.za.

VULEKA SCHOOL FUNDRAISER: Vuleka School is looking for 947 cycle challenge riders to join their team. If you would like to join please contact Brandon on 011 477 6917 or marketing@vulekaschool.co.za.

FURNITURE: We are looking for a lockable cupboard at least 750mm(w)x 600mm(d) and anything from 1800mm to 2300mm in height for our kitchen for Social Concerns. If you would like to donate a cupboard or towards a cupboard please call or email the office and let Ceri know.

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Our PRAYER CHAIN works for any need or emergency:

Please phone Anita Speedy 011 678 4742 or Susan Alexander 011 486 3389 or 083 549 4345

For counselling needs, please contact our Anglicare Counsellors:

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Colleen Gordon 083 503 8187

Terri Miller 072 691 1484

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Revd Paul will be away on a Diocesan Retreat from Monday 15 May till Friday 19 May.

In case of an emergency please call Revd Cynthia. Her contact details are above.

Tuesday 16 May	17:30 Eucharist 18:00 Education Meeting
Wednesday 17 May	09:30 Morning Prayer 09:30 Office closed during Morning Prayer 18:00 Choir Practise
Thursday 18 May	10:00 Knitting Circle 18:30 Young Adults Bible Study 19:00 Finance Committee Meeting
Friday 19 May	06:00 to 18:00 Prayer Vigil in the Church 07:00 Special Eucharist 12:00 – 13:00 Public Vigil on Bridge over M1 18:00 Evening Prayer
Sunday 21 April	07:30 Eucharist 09:30 Eucharist with Rock n Roll 11:00 Peanut Butter Sandwich Preparation 11:00 Admission to Communion Classes 11:00 Confirmation Classes

LIFT FROM LINDEN SPAR AREA FOR SUNDAY 09:30 SERVICE: A Parishioner is looking for a lift from the Linden Spar on Sundays. If you can help please call the office and let Ceri know.