



**St Francis of Assisi, Parkview**

Diocese of Johannesburg

Anglican Church of Southern Africa



*Season of Creation*

**12 SEPTEMBER 2021**

**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Jesus, redeemer of our common home and  
provider for all of creation;**

**Teach us to value the habitats of all  
your creatures given into our care,  
so that we can preserve the world in all of its diversity**

**For you live and reign in the blessed Trinity,  
Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer**

**Amen**



# SUNDAY 12 SEPTEMBER -SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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## READINGS FOR TODAY

Proverbs 1: 20-33

Psalms 19

James 3:1-12

Mark 8: 27-38

## THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

We pray for **The Anglican Church of Tanzania**. We pray for Steve our Bishop and our Diocese, for Thabo our Metropolitan and the Anglican Church of Southern Africa, for Justin of Canterbury, the Anglican Communion, and all Christians in the world.

## PRAYER FOR THE WORLD

As we pray for the world this week, we feel the pain and suffering of so many and are tempted to see only the darkness of wickedness and violence. Help us Lord to remember the power of faith and of hope, and the importance of every little act of kindness and love. As we rejoice in the beauty of Spring, help us to keep faith in your power and goodness, to embody hope, and to spread love. We ask this in Jesus' name, Amen.

## PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS:

**Baptism:** We give thanks and pray for Joshua Driol baptized today. we pray for his parents Guy and Marco, his family and his life of faith.

**Birthdays: Sunday 12:** Hugo Schonborn; Zara Bromfield; Zenda Fisher **Monday 13:** Jonathan Van Rensburg; Cheryl Mackay **Wednesday 15:** Angus Morris; Bronwyn Tucker **Thursday 16:** Sibusiso Xhama; Antoinette Walsh; Melanie Deyzel **Friday 17:** Jillian Carman; Janette Webster; Meghan Evans **Saturday 18:** Zoleka Furusa; Xavier-Luc Smith

**Wedding Anniversaries: Monday 13:** Kim and Alan King **Friday 17:** Ziyanda and Wanele Mngomezulu **Friday 17:** Louise and Ludwig Frahm Arp

**Families to be prayed for this week:** Gustav, Monica, Tebogo, Bonolo, Khumo and Boitumelo SEBAMBO; Angelique, Brigitte and Enver SEBASTIAN; Tumi SEBOGODI

**For those in need of prayer:** Susan Alexander; Bianca Beaumont; Isaac Bergover; Richard Boyce; Carol Cayton-Boxall; Paul Germond; Lerato Mapefane; Malcolm McDonald; Thabani Mudau; Wendy Price; John Reynders; John Ridler; Alicia Siyasiya; Francis and Lindy Wilson; Jacqui Zwambila.

**And for those who have long-term needs:** Lucille Evans; Maria Frahm-Arp; Marilyn Gianadda; Joyce Halse; Elzett Mufamadi; Thandazo Ndlovu; Byron Spratt.

**Year's Mind:** Eileen Smetherham; Zorah Zwambila

Rest in peace and rise in glory Pat Cawthorn. We pray for Pat's husband, Grant and their children Becky, Iain, Katy and James and their families.

## ECO QUOTE

*We can't change people, but we can plant seeds  
that may one day bloom in them.*

**Mary Davis**

# OUR WEEKLY RHYTHM

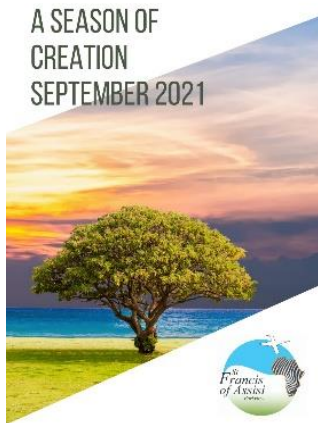
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Wednesday	<b>Reflection on YouTube</b>
Friday	<b>7:00 am Eucharist on Zoom</b> <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87859747270">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87859747270</a>
Friday	<b>4:00 pm &amp; 6:00 pm Youth meet on Zoom.</b>
Saturday	<b>Meditation</b> (Fourth Saturday of the month)
Sunday	<b>8:30 am Church Inclusive – Live on YouTube</b> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCt35PbtR_ZhmeLxXjQ3EIBg">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCt35PbtR_ZhmeLxXjQ3EIBg</a>

## SOME NOTICES

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### SEASON OF CREATION



#### PLANTS FOR THE GARDEN

This month, we have a Henkel's Yellowwood tree (*Podocarpus henkelii*) joining us in church. It is a protected indigenous conifer which enjoys morning sun, the company of birds, copes well with drought and even adapts well to a pot. We will plant it at our tea in the garden at the end of the month. **In this spirit please, consider donating a tray of seedlings or a plant to our garden bearing in mind that shade loving ones are also welcome. You can drop them off at the office during the week or when you come to church on Sunday.**

#### A WALK IN THE WILDS – Saturday 18 September 2021 at 09h30

Here is the chance to beat the “COVID Blues” by walking with family and friends and enjoy our wonderful Spring sunshine. James Delaney, the artist who played a pivotal role in the restoring The Wilds he has agreed to give us a short talk on the history of the Wilds and its renewal. Bring walking shoes, hats, and drinks and only bring your cell phone as a camera! We will need numbers of those wanting to join us so please put your names down on the list at the door of the church or contact Janet Magner on 0837027885.

#### GIVING AND SUNDAY UNUSUAL OFFERINGS

We are so grateful for the generosity of this community. Should you wish to know more about giving, please contact the office. If you would like to make a donation, thank you! Please use the baking details below. If it is for a particular purpose, please reference this, e.g., *Social Concerns, Parish Support Fund, Collection*

**Standard Bank. Acc: Parkview St Francis. Acc no: 000496502.**

**Please note:** If you would like to contribute to Paul's gift, please do so using our bank details with the reference, "Paul's Gift"

# SOME PEOPLE OF THE CHURCH

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