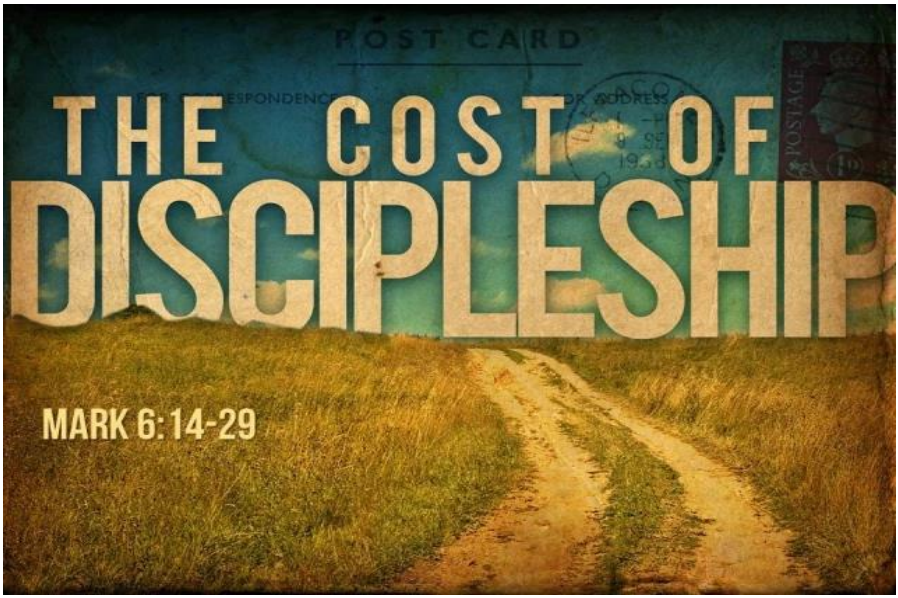
**St Francis of Assisi, Parkview**
**Diocese of Johannesburg**
**Anglican Church of Southern Africa**

## 14 July 2024

## EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Almighty Father,
you have broken the tyranny of sin
and sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts:
take and receive our freedom
and bring us into the glorious liberty
of the children of God;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit, one God now and for ever.
Amen.



# 14 JULY 2024

**READINGS FOR TODAY**

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19 Psalm 24 Ephesians 1: 3-14 Mark 6:14-29

**PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH**

**We pray for The Church of Ireland.** We pray for Steve our Bishop and Liziwe and our Diocese, for Thabo our Metropolitan and Lungi 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 worry about the terrible wars raging in Palestine, Ukraine, Sudan, the DRC, Myanmar and elsewhere, please remind us Lord that peace is possible. You brought an end to violent conflict in South Africa in 1994, to Rwanda later that year, and to Northern Ireland in 1998. Today particularly Oh Lord, soften the hearts of the negotiators from Israel and Hamas, and the hearts of their political principals, and help them to agree on a lasting ceasefire in Gaza. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

**PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS**

**BIRTHDAYS**

**Monday 15th** Rod Charlton, Siyanda Mbatha. **Tuesday 16th** Liam Dirsuweit. **Wednesday 17th** Laurel Wozhele Muparadzi. **Thursday 18th** Kate Leishman, Wendy Mcconnell.

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

**Tuesday 16th** Nithin and Merin Mani. **Friday 19th** James McDonald and Gabrielle Goliath

**FAMILIES TO BE PRAYED FOR THIS WEEK:**

Alicia Siyasiya; Roshanne, Sabienne and Xavier-Luc Smith; Joanne Speedy and John Speedy; Bernard, Linda Sebastian and Bella Spies; Sue Sprott and Chris Clayton; Elizabeth Stanley, and Ange Stewart-Buchanan.

**FOR THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYER:**

Silas Kasambira, Alan and Jill Lawson, Qhayiya Luvuyo, Vera Manfield, Kefiloe Morand, Angelina Setshedi, Gustav Sibanda, Merle Spratt, Bongumusa Zungu, Martin Groenewold.

**FOR THOSE WHO HAVE LONG-TERM NEEDS:**

Bianca Beaumont, Bunty Booysen, Marilyn Gianadda, Lucille Evans, Anne and Nicholas, Maria Frahm-Arp, Pat Lawson, Elzett Mufamadi, Alden Muir-Mills, Jim Peter, Wendy Price, Ethan September, Byron Spratt, Amanda van Ryneveld. May they find comfort and hope in you Lord.

**YEAR'S MIND:** Mary Archer, Gilbert Motsa, Frank Smetherham, and Viv Pottier.

# 2024 – OUR RHYTHM

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| **Tuesday** | **6:00 pm Choir Practice** |
| **Wednesday** | **10:00 am Eucharist at church** |
| **Friday** | **7:00 am Eucharist on Zoom & in person on the 2nd & 4th Friday of every month followed by breakfast. Please see our new link. All are welcome!** |

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81457064170?pwd=VXpnb3lEejNwejRlOTN4ZTMrNkZPUT09

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| **Friday** | **5:00 - 8:00 pm at church – Youth Ministry** |
| **Saturday** | **8:30 am Meditation (fourth Saturday of the month)** |
| **Sunday** | **9:00 am Church Inclusive – Live on YouTube** |

https://www.youtube.com/@st.francisanglicanchurchpa9465

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| **Sunday** | **9:00 am Children's Church – in person** |

# NOTICES

**GIVING**

Your giving helps us grow our ministry to those in need, the work of the clergy in the Parish, and to properly provide for the Youth and Children's Ministry. Every donation, no matter how modest, has the remarkable power to create a ripple effect of change. All your contributions matter, thank you. If you have any queries about giving, please contact the Office.

**BANK DETAILS:**

**Account name: St Francis Church Parkview Account number: 50331107348**
**Bank: FNB Branch: Killarney**

**SAVE THE DATE**

You are all welcome on a Spiritual Adventure / Retreat to Golden Gate from the 11th – 13th of October 2024.

**ECHOES OF AFRICA**

Join us at St Martin's in-the-veld for the next Chanticleer Singers Concert on 23 July 2024 at 19H30PM, conducted by Esté Meerkotter and Louise Frahm-Arp. Esté will be premiering her new piece, "Song of Africa", with words by Martin Prozesky.

**CLERGY MOVEMENTS**

Ven Michelle is steadily recovering from her shoulder surgery. We continue to keep her in our prayers, and for donation of meals, contact the Office. Rev Cynthia is at St Thomas today.

**NELSON MANDELA DAY**

We have received a donation of cooked food for Nelson Mandela Day, if there are any volunteers to assist serving food, you are most welcome to join us at St Francis at 12H00PM until 13H00PM.

**AUDIOVISUAL VOLUNTEERS**

We are looking for committed, teachable, reliable volunteers, with some technical savvy, to provide technical audio and video oversight during Sunday services, weddings, funerals, and other important church activities. Please contact the Office or Ps Fabian.

**SOCIAL CONCERNS**

There is a particular need for men's clothing. Donations of any gently worn clothing, shoes, and socks can be made to the Office or Ps Fabian for distribution to the Parkview homeless community directly from the church.

# SUNDAY DUTIES AT THE CHURCH

| | Sunday 14th July | Sunday 21st July |
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| Celebrant | Diana Lawrenson | Diana Lawrenson |
| Preacher | James Martin | Diana Lawrenson |
| Parish Minister | John Ridler, Motshegwa Mgeyane | Mbali Dlamini, Sue Jordaan |
| Servers | Kea Moleme, Zinhle, Sedi Nhlapo | Ona Alagbaoso, Kwezi Nhlapo, Zinhle, Sedi Nhlapo |
| Reader | Mymie Vos | Kerry Joughin |
| Organist | Esté Meerkotter | Esté Meerkotter |
| Sides Persons | Gavin Jacobs, Veronica Jacobs | Dave Nabarro, Doreen Mufamadi |
| Chapel Prayer | Jean Butcher | Janette Webster |
| Tea | Lerato Thekiso Mymie Vos | Veronia Jacobs, Lynette Mbatha |
| Children's Church | Fabian Oliver | Amy Lawrenson/ Candice Desmond |
| Flowers | Anette Strachan | Christine Pole |
| PowerPoint | Tim Wilson | Nakitah Geemooi |
| Sandwiches | All Welcome | All Welcome |

## THE CLERGY

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