

## Notes:

### FAMILY CROSS

Please pray for the recipients of the family cross every day during the week



#### This week's families

#### Next week's families (4 Sept)

07h30 Graham & Janine Edwards  
09h30 Donovan, Paola & Luke Chellew  
18h00 Sifiso Khoza

#### Next week's families (11 Sept)

07h30 David and Bridget Edwards  
09h30 Patricia, Bianca & Kerri-Ann  
Chepape  
18h00 Dave & Sally Kitley

#### Following week's families (18 Sept)

07h30 Beth Ferrett  
09h30 Jane Chocho  
18h00 Clive, Shirley, Bev, Natalie &  
Courtney Lacy

#### Thursday's family (6 Oct)

09h30 Alan & Jill Lawson

# congratulations

to Jordin Haywood on being awarded Junior Gauteng Colours for Women's Artistic Gymnastics for 2016.

**Rector:** Revd David Edwards

**Senior Assistant Priest:** Revd Allan Williams

**Assistant Priest:** Revd Janette Ross

**New Generation Pastor:** Jordan Theron

**Church Wardens:** Charles Sarjoo, Camilla Leeds, Isaac Takawira (alt) and Mondo Mazwai (alt)

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# St. Luke's Church, Orchards



St. Luke's seeks to build God's Kingdom by helping believers to develop a *covenant relationship* with God—Father, Son and Holy Spirit—that will enrich our daily lives and equip us for service to others

**4 Sept 2016**

## Mission to Seafarers

The Mission to Seafarers is 160 years old this year and an integral part of the outreach of the Anglican Communion. We give thanks for the work of its founder, Revd John Ashley, and all who have heard God's call to build his kingdom amongst seafarers. They stepped out in faith, knowing it would bring difficulties and challenges, clear that it was inspired by God who would travel with them.

The Mission started in a small way, but now ministers in over 200 ports in 50 countries. The famous "*Flying Angel*" logo is respected by seafarers everywhere. When the Mission started there was no knowing where it might lead. Like so many Biblical journeys, it is one which has brought abundant life and blessing to generations of seafarers.

Our Gospel today, the Good Samaritan, speaks of some of the perils of journeying and of the life-changing impact of hospitality and love shown by strangers to those far from home.

*Cedric*

## The Word of God

### Morning— Holy Communion

07h30: Celebrant: David Edwards  
Preacher: Cedric Rautenbach

09h30: Celebrant: Allan Williams  
Preacher: Cedric Rautenbach

1st reading Deuteronomy 6: 1-9

Gospel Luke 10: 25-37

### 18h00— Holy Communion

Celebrant: David Edwards

Gospel Matthew 18:21-27

### Thursday-09h30—Holy Communion

Celebrant: David Edwards  
Preacher: Simon Reed

Reading

Gospel

## PRAYER FOCUS:

### Thanksgivings:

- Clive Beaver and his team on the Finance Portfolio
- For our NexGen Pastor Jordan and his wife Helen's safe arrival in Joburg

### Our Parish

- RIP Rodney van Wyk, we pray for Barbara, Odette, Samantha, Maddison and the rest of the family
- Simon Reed as he prepares for his visit and that we will have hearts to hear his message
- Those who are suffering or ill, in hospital or at home: Kathleen Vincent, Beryl Bailey, Fiona Hopkins, June Smith, Anthea Cereseto, Jill Lawson, Margie Hoffe, Marie Myhill, Julie Faber
- For us all to develop a lively sense of God in our lives

### Our Diocese and the Church

- Bishop Steve and his wife Liziwe
- For the power of the Holy Spirit to be evident in all our clergy

### Our Country

- For our Government in these times
- For integrity in all our leaders
- For peace as the new municipal councils begin operating
- For all policemen and women, esp for Lt. Gen. de Lange (the Commander in our area), Revd Musa Shihambe (Chaplain) and Const Mashabaphala (Com Liaison for Orchards)
- For all who use our roads to do so responsibly
- Creativity in solving the drug crisis
- For all educators, for them to remember the reason they 'teach', and learners to respect them



## Birthdays this week



- 4 Tamara Barnwell
- Dawn Lock
- 5 Marita Matthews
- 7 Katie Shepherd
- Terence Lawrenson
- 8 Sphamandla Sithole
- Carolina Barnwell
- 10 Fumane Matsoso



## Anniversaries this week



- 4 Franklin & Carol Sekonya 1995
- 4 Anthony & Tessa Thornton-Smith 1976
- 6 Elijah & Khushu Koloti 2006
- 8 John & Sara Dewar 1967

## Prayer at St. Luke's

*All requests are treated with confidentiality.*

Should you have any prayer requests, please contact the Office, or fill in the form in the pews, which you can place in the box at the back. These requests are forwarded to the Intercessors.

(Please note: if your name does not appear on the left—it does not mean you are not being prayed for—all prayer requests are placed on the prayer list—but not all those being prayed for are in the Bulletin)

## Corporate Prayer @ St. Luke's

Corporate prayer is an important part of the life of the church. Corporate prayer edifies and unifies us as we share our common faith.

Please consider joining one or all of the Prayer Meetings that take place in our Church weekly. You are also welcome to join for just part of the prayer time.

### Monday—Friday:

**08h30—09h00:** Morning Devotions

**16h30—17h00:** Evening Prayer

### Monday

**17h30—18h30:** Prayers for St. Luke's

### Thursday:

**13h00—14h00:** Prayers for our Country

### Saturday (2nd Sat of each month)

**09h00—10h00:** Prayers for St. Luke's

## All Welcome

## St. Luke's Coffee Shop

The coffee shop is no longer open every Saturday. It will operate on those Saturdays when there is some activity taking place at the Church e.g. prayer meeting, which happens on the 2nd Saturday of each month (9 – 10 a.m.); lay ministers training also on the second Saturdays and Saints seminars.

The following are confirmed dates when the coffee shop will be open:

- 10 and 17 September
- 8 and 22 October
- 12 November

## Dates to Diarise

- 5-11 Sep** *Simon Reed Visit—Creating Community*
- 17 Sept** *SAINTS with Bishop Steve and Moses Thabethe*
- 16 Oct** *St. Luke's Day*
- 23 Oct** *Bible Sunday*
- 1 Nov** *All Souls' Service*
- 6 Nov** *Baptisms*
- 12 Nov** *Confirmation*
- 16 Nov** *Holy Spirit Refreshment*

## SAINTS in September!

### Bishop Steve & Moses Thabethe

at the SAINTS workshop  
on **Saturday 17 September**  
at St Luke's from **09h00 to 12h00.**

He will be talking on:

**“What contribution can we best make to the new South Africa?”**

The cost is R30

**We hope to see you here!**

## Anglicare at St. Luke's

We have trained counsellors available to meet with you if you need to talk to someone about anything that might be troubling you. There is no charge for this service and complete confidentiality is guaranteed.

**Call 011-728-8888**

To our St. Luke's Community

Please join us for our  
**Parish Bring & Braai**  
together with Simon Reed  
**Sunday 11 September @ 12h00**



Bring your own meat and drinks ... we'll do the rest.

We look forward to enjoying each others' company