

Appeal for Soft Toys

The Revd Patricia Lane is Priest in Charge at a Church in a very poor area—she is looking for soft toys for babies and toddlers that she can distribute.

St. Luke's knitting and crocheting group:

There will be a get-together of the group on Saturday 10 March in the Church gardens from 10h00 – 12h00.

Please come and join us and meet the other members, or alternatively join the group.

The Coffee Shop will be open so we will support them in their charity drive. Coffee, tea and cake is on sale.

Don't forget to bring your needles and finished articles.

All welcome!



FAMILY CROSS

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

This week's families (04 Mar)

07h30 Danny Gumbi
09h30 Leon & Tanya Newman
18h00 Peter, Jennie, Daniel & Michelle Hall

Next week's families (11 Mar)

07h30 Donald & Barbara Halley
09h30 Thabile & Yazi Nkosi
18h00 Ann, Pauline, Amy & Jess Hepple

Following week's families (18 Mar)

07h30 Rob, Megan, Tamlyn & Bethany Harker
09h30 Alex, Di & Michael Panas
18h00 Monique Howse

St. Luke's Newsletter

Our deadline for our next newsletter is **Monday 19 March**, please either email your contribution to shirley@stluke.co.za or bring your contribution to the office.



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 March 2018

The Word of God

07h30 & 09h30— Holy Communion

Confession

Celebrant: Janette Ross
Preacher: Jerry Bailey

1st reading (07h30) Leviticus 16:1-10, 21-22

Psalm Psalm 51:1-17

2nd reading 1 John 1 :5-10

Gospel Luke 15:11-21

18h00 — Holy Communion

Celebrant: Janette Ross
DVD: Prayer Course: Adoration

Thursday-09h30—Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Jerry Bailey

Reading 1 John 1 :5-10

Coming Home

Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD;
O Lord, hear my voice.

Let your ears be attentive to my cry for
mercy.

If you, O LORD, kept a record of sins,
O Lord, who could stand?

But with you there is forgiveness;
therefore you are feared ...

put your hope in the LORD,
for with the LORD is unfailing love
and with him is full redemption.

He himself will redeem Israel
from all their sins.

(Psalm 130)

Jerry

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PRAYER FOCUS:

Thanksgivings:

- For all of God's provision for us
- For God's mercies—that are 'new every morning'

Our Parish

- All those who were on Happening last weekend,: Katelin Agar, Chandré Lekay, Allistar Kunene, Thabang Modiba, Daniel Ndlovu and , and Michael Wyngaard who was Spiritual Director
- Those who are suffering or ill, in hospital or at home: Beryl Bailey, Stanley Chocho, Pam Gibson, Joy Green, Margie Hoffe, Fiona Hopkins, Marian Kruger, Yvonne Loizou, Poppie Mushwana, Eric Myhill, Sonja Read, June Smith; Liz Zylstra
- For us all to develop a lively sense of God in our lives
- For us to seek God's will in our lives
- David and Bridget on Leave

Our Diocese and the Church

- Bishop Steve and his wife Lizwiwe
- God's wisdom and discernment for all clergy

Our Country

- For our Government in these times especially President Cyril Ramaphosa and all those in positions of authority
- For Herman Mashaba, Mayor of JHB
- For integrity in all our leaders
- Rain! Especially in the Western and Eastern Cape and other catchment areas
- For all of us to move from anger to grace, repentance & forgiveness
- For teachers, educators and learners
- For all policemen and women
- For all who use our roads to do so responsibly



Birthdays this week



4	Daphne Payne	
6	Barbara Halley	Idah Mwapaura
7	Eric Myhill	
8	Lethabo Komako	Quentin Leeds
9	Kirshan Ruthunsamy	Barbara van Wyk
10	Jenny Marcus	



Anniversaries this week



13	Mark & Dee Shepherd	1993
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We remember in love those who have died 4—10 Mar

7 Mar 2014 George Coppin

10 Mar 2017 Michael Maskell

"The God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles" 2 Cor 1:4

Dates to Diarise

10 Mar	Coffee Shop
25 Mar	Palm Sunday
30 Mar	Good Friday
1 Apr	Easter Sunday
9 May	Evening of Refreshing

Prayer @ St. Luke's

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:

12h00—13h00: Prayers for our Country

Saturday (2nd Sat of the month)

09h00—10h00: Prayers for St. Luke's

All Welcome

Sundays in Lent & Palm Sunday

Sunday 4 March

@ 07h30 & 09h30

Confession—Jerry Bailey

@ 18h00

Prayer #1 DVD: Adoration

Sunday 11 March

@ 07h30 & 09h30

Thanksgiving—Chris Viljoen

@ 18h00

Prayer #2 DVD: Confession

Sunday 18 March

@ 07h30 & 09h30

Supplication—David Edwards

@ 18h00

Prayer #3 DVD: Thanksgiving

Sunday 25 March (Palm Sunday)

@ 07h30 & 09h30

Bishop Brian Germond

@ 18h00

Prayer #4 DVD: Supplication



Our Lent Course 2018

A six week course starting the week after Sunday 11 February

DVD in your Home Group supplemented by the Sermon on the previous Sunday.

There are pop-up groups running at the Church—on Monday mornings & Thursday evenings in the Lighthouse Hall.

Palm Sunday ~ 25 March '18

We need:

- Palm Branches—plenty of them! If you have a Palm Tree, or have access to one, please let us know.
- People (men and women of all ages, including children) to come and make the Palm Crosses on **Saturday 24 March @ 09h00—**
- Strong men (and strong women!) to decorate the Church with the Palm Branches (also at 09h00).
- **On Sunday 25 March we will process from the corner of Orchards & High, along High to the Church starting at 09h15.**

