

## THANK YOU

Rob and Glynis Steer, who coordinated the Sea Sunday service and the collection of toiletries and stationery etc. for the Seafarers, would like to thank those members of the congregation who supplied the items.



Tessa T-S would like to thank her group “Knitting for a cause” ladies for all the beanies, teddy bears and fleece scarves which were handed over to Rev. Cedric

Rautenbach last Sunday.

(PS new members are always welcome to join the group)

Rob, Glynis & Tessa

## FAMILY CROSS

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



### This week's families (16 Sept)

07h30 Roger & Sue Tinsley  
09h30 Cliff, Chantelle, Katelin, Kael & Kayleigh Agar  
18h00 Pauline & Ann Hepple

### Next week's families (23 Sept)

07h30 Ray & Sandy Tricker  
09h30 Ian Anderson  
18h00 Cindy & Thomas Geffen

### Following week's families (30 Sept)

07h30 Patricia Truscott  
09h30 Jabu Aphane  
18h00 Monique Howse

### Thursday's family (11 Oct)

09h30 Jan & Annette Wetselaar

# 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

**16 September 2018**

## Response to Jesus:

### Who do you say that I am?

Our answer to this question is one of the most important we will make.

To many people in the world Jesus is a wise teacher, a moral man. To others he is irrelevant. To some he is just a swear word.

But to those who love and follow him, who accept him as Lord of their lives, he is God in human form; he is the alpha and the omega – the beginning and the end.

Jesus turned the world's values upside down when he came to earth, and since then he has changed countless lives.

Jesus died for your sins but he is alive today and available to transform your values and enrich your life for ever.

Who do you say he is?

David

## The Word of God

### 07h30 & 09h30— Holy Communion

Celebrant: Allan Williams  
Preacher: Jerry Bailey

1st reading (07h30) Proverbs 1: 20-33

Psalms Psalm 19

2nd reading James 3: 1-12

Gospel Mark 8: 27-38

### 16h30 — Power Hour Meeting

### 18h00 — Holy Communion

The Call of the Jericho Road

Celebrant: Allan Williams  
Preacher: Jordan Theron

Gospel Luke 10:25-37

### 09h30 Thursday—Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: David Edwards

Reading James 3: 1-12

Gospel Mark 8: 27-38

**Rector:** Revd David Edwards

**Senior Assistant Priest:** Revd Allan Williams

**Assistant Priest:** Revd Janette Ross

**NexGen Pastor:** Jordan Theron

**Senior Lay Minister:** Richard Hatfield

**Church Wardens:** Mario Kuisis, Angela Mhlanga, Charles Sarjoo (alt) and Anthony Still (alt)

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## PRAYER FOCUS:

### Thanksgivings:

- The signs of Spring all around
- Katelin Agar, Chandre Lekay, Sibusiso Khoza and Irene Khoza confirmed last week, being welcomed into our congregation as the 09h30 service
- Those who volunteer their time to work in our Ministry here

### Our Parish

- Those who are suffering or ill, in hospital or at home: Beryl Bailey, Jean Beaver, George Bibb, Caitlin Black, Lyn Bull, Stanley Chocho, David Edwards (broken bone in foot), Pam Gibson, Joy Green, Margie Hoffe, Rowena Knodell, Janet McMurray, Teboho Selele, June Smith, Sandra Tricker, Allie Vellacott and Liz Zylstra
- For guidance, wisdom and discernment as we pray for a successor for David

### Our Diocese and the Church

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

### Our Country and World

- 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
- 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
- Victims of violence & terror



### Birthdays this week



- Davey Edwards  
Nelly Mahone
- 16 Kgotso Matabane  
John Vice  
Kirsten Whitlock
- 17 Margaret Kusambiza  
Claire Myhill
- 19 Shane Chacko  
Maria Mokaba
- Mike Allin
- 20 Innocent Mkhonto  
Samuel Myerscough
- James Ashton
- 21 Pauline Hepple  
Samantha Pollecutt-Chiorboli



### Anniversaries this week



- 17 Mervyn & Trudy Low 1994
- 19 Jimmy & Sarah Myerscough 2009
- Mike & Linsey Sherman 1992

### We remember in love those who have died 16-22 Sept

- 18 Sept 2015 Red Stewart
- 20 Sept 2017 Freda Mullen

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

## Prayer @ St. Luke's

Corporate prayer is an important part of the life of the church. Corporate prayer edifies and unites 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:

**12h00—13h00:**

Prayers for our Country

**(4th Thursday of each month)**

**18h00—18h30:** Centering Prayer

**Saturday (2nd Sat of the month)**

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

**All Welcome**

## 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 Pew Leaflet)

## Dates to Diarise

**24 Sept** *Public Holiday*

**5 Oct** *Citchin Cook-up*

**14 Oct** *St. Luke's Day*

**14 Nov** *Holy Spirit Refreshing*

**24 Nov** *Quiet Morning*

## St. Luke's Newsletter

- Have you had a touch of God on your life recently?
- Has God worked in a way that could ONLY be God?
- So whether it is a good book you've read, or a good film you've seen, or a Scripture that has leapt out at you, or an 'occasion' involving other members of St. Luke's, let us know about it – and if possible include some photos!

We are ALWAYS looking for articles! Please let us know so that we can share it with others through our newsletter.

Our deadline for our next newsletter is **Wednesday, 3 October**, please either email it to [shirley@stluke.co.za](mailto:shirley@stluke.co.za) or bring your contribution to the office.

## 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**