

Notes:

FAMILY CROSS

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



This week's families (23 Sept)

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

Next week's families (30 Sept)

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

Following week's families (7 Oct)

07h30 Allie Vellacott
09h30 Ros Armstrong
18h00 Quentin & Camilla Leeds

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

23 September 2018

The Word of God

07h30 & 09h30— Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Jerry Bailey

1st reading (07h30) Genesis 12:1-4

Psalm (07h30) Psalm 19

2nd reading Romans 1:1-6

Gospel John 15:1-17

18h00 — Holy Communion

Theme: Amazing Grace

Celebrant: Chris Viljoen
Preacher: Jordan Theron

Gospel Luke 15: 11-32

09h30 Thursday—Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Jerry Bailey

Gospel John 15:1-17

On earth as in Heaven

There is only one way of salvation – and that is God's way. Jesus talks of it as a small gate and a narrow way – and then explains it by saying that He is the Gate and He is the Way. Very explicitly He tells us that no one comes to the Father except through Him. Others may boast of having lived life 'My way.' Ours has to be that we sought to live this life, and the beginnings of the life to come, His way. It is the mark of our faith in Him

Jerry

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 beauty of creation that surrounds us daily.
- Those who carefully pray for those in need.

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, Rob Hofmeyr (pneumonia), 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
- Allan & Linda on leave

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
- The unrest in the Middle East



Birthdays this week



- 25 Daniel Ndlovu
26 Sifiso Khoza
Wendy Teubes
Justin Fleurs
28 Bruce Nourse
Patricia Truscott



Anniversaries this week



- 26 Graham & Janine Edwards 1981
26 Basil & Wendy Teubes 1969
27 Ryan & Mairead Edwards 2008

We remember in love those who have died 23—29 Sept

24 Sept 2013 Margie Ramsay

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

CITCHIN COOK-UP

Friday 5 October — @ 6pm

to cook for the Thursday stew kitchen

Bring: R120 for stew ingredients, & Liquid refreshment (for you)

If you can't make it your donation towards ingredients would still be welcome!

Come and enjoy supper, songs and good company; ~no experience necessary!

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 or bring your contribution to the office.

We need you!

We need someone to assist in serving tea at the 07h30 service, and a couple of people to serve tea at the evening service.

Please contact the office if you are able to be part of this important ministry.

MEDIATION SERVICES AT ST. LUKE'S

Mediation is a process where a trained facilitator (mediator) helps two people to settle their legal dispute in a manner that is acceptable to both people.

A trained mediator who is a member of St. Luke's is offering her services as a mediator, free of charge.

If you are involved in a legal dispute with someone; if both of you want a win-win solution, and if you would both prefer not to fight it out in court, then mediation may be the right way forward for you.

The mediator does not give legal advice, and does not have the power to decide the outcome of the dispute. The mediator helps both people to think "outside of the box", explore possible solutions and settle their dispute out of court.

Everything said during the mediation remains confidential and may not be repeated in court proceedings.

If you would like to know more, kindly contact the Church Office
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