

NOTICES



Thank you to the Samuel Family for tea and eats today .



ALL SAINTS FOURWAYS GARDENS

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ON DUTY NEXT WEEK (19MARCH)

Tea : Tshidi Teleki
Welcome (09h00) : Russel Bailey & Ntenza's
Readers : Tandisa Tanga (1st) & Di Levinsohn (2nd)

- Please bring your friends and their families to join us for Messy Church **TODAY, from 3pm-5pm**. Messy Church is a once-a-month gathering for all-ages who want to explore their Christian life and spend intentional time with folk that they care deeply about. We start with craft and scientific activities that are linked to a theme, then worship together and enjoy a light meal together. If anyone wants any further information you are welcome to contact Jean: 083 234 3371
- SAVE THE DATE : **25 MARCH 2016 from 09h00—11h00** : Preachers Guild/ Sharing / Testimonies
- **NEXT JUMBLE SALE SATURDAY 8 APRIL** Wanted: Clean clothes in good/ reasonable condition to sell on the jumble sale. The jumble sale income is used to fund our outreach into Cosmo City ensuring people get to Clinics and hospitals to collect their chronic medication. Also for baked beans to supplement the protein food parcels provided by St Michaels church for the same group of people. Thanks: Di and Tebogo
- **Confirmation Classes 2017** : Confirmation Classes will commence on Saturday, **8 April from 09h00—11h00**. Please contact the office on allsaintsadmin@yebo.co.za if you would like to attend the classes. The classes will take place on the 2nd Saturday of every month.
- **23 April 2017 : Freedom Park Outing—After the 07h30 service**. There will only be a 07h30 service on this day. Final details will be communicated closer to the date.
- **2017 100 Club** - 29 numbers have already been sold. Buy your number soon and stand a chance of winning a cash prize. **If you are not in it, you can't win it**. See Ernie at the entrance to the church between or after services on Sundays.

Congrats to Tsholanang & Motsegoa on the birth of your baby girl on 7 March and to big sister Kgalalelo

Its a Girl

ALL SAINTS BANKING DETAILS:	All Saints Fourways, Standard Bank, Fourways Crossing Branch Code: 009953 Account No: 421 462 507
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**12 MARCH 2017
2ND SUNDAY IN LENT**

**We welcome all who are worshipping with us today to our service,
Particularly our newcomers and visitors.
May God bless your encounter with Him.
We invite you to join us for tea after the services**

Sunday Services

Said Eucharist	07:30
Said Eucharist with hymns	09:00
Young Saints/Children's church	09:00

Weekday Services (Tuesday)

Centering Prayer 12h00

(Wednesday)

Said Eucharist	09:30
Tea, Fellowship & Bible Study	10:30

THE COLLECT

God of amazing compassion
And lover of our wayward race,
You call us to be a blessing for all the world:
Keep us on this holy path,
Confident in the radiant life you offer;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
One God, now and for ever. Amen



THE READINGS

FIRST READING : Genesis 12 : 1-4 The LORD had said to Abram, “Go from your country, your people and your father’s household to the land I will show you. ²“I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. ³I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.” ⁴So Abram went, as the LORD had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he set out from Harran.

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SECOND READING : Romans 4 : 1-5, 13-17 What then shall we say that Abraham, our forefather according to the flesh, discovered in this matter? ²If, in fact, Abraham was justified by works, he had something to boast about—but not before God. ³What does Scripture say? “Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him as righteousness.” ⁴Now to the one who works, wages are not credited as a gift but as an obligation. ⁵However, to the one who does not work but trusts God who justifies the ungodly, their faith is credited as righteousness. ¹³It was not through the law that Abraham and his offspring received the promise that he would be heir of the world, but through the righteousness that comes by faith. ¹⁴For if those who depend on the law are heirs, faith means nothing and the promise is worthless, ¹⁵because the law brings wrath. And where there is no law there is no transgression. ¹⁶Therefore, the promise comes by faith, so that it may be by grace and may be guaranteed to all Abraham’s offspring—not only to those who are of the law but also to those who have the faith of Abraham. He is the father of us all. ¹⁷As it is written: “I have made you a father of many nations.” He is our father in the sight of God, in whom he believed—the God who gives life to the dead and calls into being things that were not.

GOSPEL : John 3 : 1—17 Now there was a Pharisee, a man named Nicodemus who was a member of the Jewish ruling council. ²He came to Jesus at night and said, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the signs you are doing if God were not with him.” ³Jesus replied, “Very truly I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God unless they are born again.” ⁴“How can someone be born when they are old?” Nicodemus asked. “Surely they cannot enter a second time into their mother’s womb to be born!” ⁵Jesus answered, “Very truly I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless they are born of water and the Spirit. ⁶Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit. ⁷You should not be surprised at my saying, ‘You must be born again.’ ⁸The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit.” ⁹“How can this be?” Nicodemus asked. ¹⁰“You are Israel’s teacher,” said Jesus, “and do you not understand these things? ¹¹Very truly I tell you, we speak of what we know, and we testify to what we have seen, but still you people do not accept our testimony. ¹²I have spoken to you of earthly things and you do not believe; how then will you believe if I speak of heavenly things? ¹³No one has ever gone into heaven except the one who came from heaven—the Son of Man. ¹⁴Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, ¹⁵that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him.” ¹⁶For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

YEARS MIND : Alicia Zondo nee Mhlabi, Anthony Michael Mathers, Michael Bosworth, Timothy Jackson, Violaine Junot

If you require prayers or communion at home please contact the Parish Office.

Lent 2 (12 March) – The Open cup

The cluttered cup
Space for listening
Empty cup
Readiness to Receive
Trusting
Solitude
Integration and Review

NEXT WEEKS READINGS

Exodus 17 : 1-7
Psalm 95
Romans 5 : 1-11
John 4 : 5-42