

On duty next week at the 09h00 service (22 April 2018)

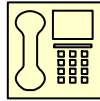
Welcome Table : Brian & Jenny Stacey
Tea : Lindi Kekana
Readers : Ethel Jakachira (1st) & Tadisa Jakahira (2nd)

In Church This week (16-22 April)

Monday: No Services or Meetings Scheduled
Tuesday: NA Weekly Meeting 19h00
PC Meeting 19h00
Wednesday: NAC Service (Church) 19h00—21h00
Bible Class (Fr. Mikes Office) 19h00
Thursday: No services or meetings scheduled
Friday : No services or meetings scheduled
Saturday: SDA Service 09h30-12h30
Bible Class 13h00
Shisa Nyama 15h00
Sunday: Said Eucharist 07h30
Eucharist & Children's Church 09h00
NAC Service 12h00—14h00

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All SAINTS FOURWAYS GARDENS

15 April 2018

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

2nd Sunday after Easter

**We welcome all who are worshipping with us today to our service,
Particularly our newcomers and visitors.
May God bless your encounter with Him.**

COLLECT FOR TODAY

Risen Christ,
You revealed yourself to the disciples
And calmed their fears;
Meet is in our uncertainties
And walk with us into the new life you bring;
For you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
One God, now and forever.
Amen

Today's Readings

1st Reading : Acts 3 : 12-19
Psalm : Psalm 4 (Pg. 609)
2nd Reading : 1 John 3 : 1-7
Gospel : Luke 24 : 36-48



Next Weeks Readings (22 April 2018)

1st Reading : Acts 4 : 5-12
Psalm : Psalm 23 (Pg. 630)
2nd Reading : 1 John 3 : 16-24
Gospel : John 10 : 11-18

YEARS MIND : Francis Hammond, Reta Caroline Webb, Martin Masipa,
Barbara Carey, Graham Balcomb

Prayers of the Church : Renette Johnson (on dialysis awaiting a transplant)
Fr. Gerald Steward (unwell), Louisa Snyman (unwell);
Craig Stacey (cancer)

SERVICES TODAY

07h30 Said Mass
09H00 Sung Mass
09h00 Children's Church

Thank you to Pru Hall for tea after the 07h30 service and to Tshepiso Motau for Tea after the 09h00 service.



Mums-in-waiting: Wendy-Lee Louwrence, Sheridan Seller, Ayanda Mnene
New Arrivals : Zariyah Makan (New family to the Parish. Baby Zariyah is 9 months old)



Welcome to Baby Oliver Jon. Mum (Kirsty Webb) and baby are both doing well.

Please contact Heather (0837897311 / hmaccserv@mweb.co.za) or the Church office for any additions and/or changes

NOTICES

- Rotary are offering us **blankets** to hand out again. We need to order by May. The price has not yet been confirmed but we expect that it will be in the region of R80. Please put your name and order on the list on the noticeboard
- **Bible Class**—Join us every week on Wednesday's 7.00 - 8:30 pm and Saturday's 1:00 -2:30 pm. For more details contact Mango +27818542459
- **Youth bible study/ Confirmation classes** - The monthly youth bible study began on 2nd March as part of the Debs & Squires program. This will serve as a "confirmation class " and will be held every 3rd or 4th Friday of the month subject to changes. For more details contact Mango +27818542459
- **100 Club - next draw to be held on 19 April 2018 after the 9 am service** : 18 members who chose numbers have not yet paid for their chosen numbers. Please pay asap. 12 numbers are still available for purchase if you would like to be a member. Cost R50 pm from April - Oct 18. For more details see Ernie after service
- On Saturday, the **21st of April 2018**, the Fund Raising Committee and Debs & Squires will be hosting a **Shisa nyama Chill Session** at our premises. There is a list on the noticeboard for interested parties to put their names (to confirm attendance for catering purposes). For more info they can contact Danny (0829092020).
- Please note the date of the **next Baptism Class is 30 June @ 09h00**. Please contact the office if you would like to have a child or adult Baptism or if you require any further information.
- **Craft Workshop for Debs and Squires: Sunday, 22 April after the 09h00 service.** If anyone has ideas for relatively simple idea to make and would be willing to demonstrate how to make them for an hour or so, please contact Karen on 082 441 7436 (mikar@global.co.za) or any other Fundraising Committee Member

TRUST IN THE SLOW WORK OF GOD.

Some earlier musings:

Lest this devolve into a lament about old age which I refuse to allow because of my reverence for the wisdom of my elders, I remind myself of the advice of the great Jesuit paleontologist and theologian Pierre Teilhard de Chardin who is often quoted as saying: "Trust in the slow work of God." I've known that line for a long time but this morning I came across the text from which that line originates.

Above all, he writes, trust in the slow work of God. We are quite naturally impatient in everything to reach the end without delay. We should like to skip the intermediate stages. We are impatient of being on the way to something unknown, something new. And yet it is the law of all progress that it is made by passing through some stages of instability – and that it may take a very long time.

And so I think it is with you; your ideas mature gradually – let them grow, let them shape themselves, without undue haste. Don't try to force them on, as though you could be today what time (that is to say, grace and circumstances acting on your own good will) will make of you tomorrow. Only God could say what this new spirit gradually forming within you will be. Give our Lord the benefit of believing that his hand is leading you, and accept the anxiety of feeling yourself in suspense and incomplete.

Blessings

