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

Welcome Table: Paul & Khomotso Duba (Zazi & Caleb)

Tea : Volunteer Needed

Readers: Ntando Ntenza (1st) & Tadisa Jakachira (2nd)

In Church This week (16-22 July)

Monday: No services or meetings scheduled 18H30
Tuesday: Centering Prayer (note change in time) 16h00
NA Weekly Meeting (Outside/Narthex) 19h00

Wednesday: NAC Service (Church) 19h00—21h00

Bible Class (Fr. Mikes Office) 19h00

No service or meetings scheduled 18h30

Confirmation Class / Bible Study 18h30

Saturday: SDA Service 09h30– 12h30

Fundraising Meeting 10h30
Bell Ringing 12h45
Bible Class 13h00
Said Eucharist 07h30
Eucharist 09h00

NAC Service 12h00—14h00

Lorelle will be back in office on Tuesday (17th July)

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# All SAINTS FOURWAYS GARDENS 15 July 2018

15th Sunday of the Year

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**

Almighty Father,

You have broken the tyranny of sin

And sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts:

Take and receive our freedom

And bring us into the glorious liberty of the Children of God:

Through Jesus Christ our Lord,

Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and for ever, Amen

### **Today's Readings**

1st Reading: 2 Samuel 6: 1-5, 12b-19

Psalm: 24 (Pg. 631)

2nd Reading: Ephesians 1: 3-14 Gospel: Mark 6: 14-29

Next weeks Readings (22 July 2018)

1st Reading : 2 Samuel 7 : 1-14a Psalm : 89 : 20-37 (Pg. 716) 2nd Reading : Ephesians 2 : 11-22 Gospel : Mark 6 : 30-34, 53-56



**Prayers of the Church :** Renette Johnson (received kidney transplant 04/05)

Fr. Gerald Steward (unwell), Louisa Snyman (unwell); Craig Stacey (cancer), Fr. Mike, Maureen Kear (Cancer); Graham Taylor (Colon Cancer—Surgery -14/05); Mariette

(Mara) Oosthuizen (Cancer)

#### Please prayer for our Debs & Squires:

Caleb Bailey, Roarke Bailey, Ntando Ntenza, Kemello Joyini, Shola Adelusi, Tunde Adelusi, Zazi Nelana, Sally Maunye, Lani

Maroleni, Tyler Petersen, Sinimile Ngubane



# Thank you to Heather Mutch for tea after the 07h30 service and to Ntando Ntenza for tea after the 09h00 service.



**Mums-in-waiting:** Sheridan Seller, Shanley Anne King, Alex van Rooyen

**New Arrivals:** Oliver Jon, Luke Louwrence, Siyanda Mnene

Please contact Heather (0837897311 / <a href="maccserv@mweb.co.za">hmaccserv@mweb.co.za</a>) or the Church office for

any additions

## **NOTICES**

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 Weekly Confirmation-Class every Friday
   6.30 pm. Classes have begun for candidates aged 14 years and above
- <u>100 Club 100 Club</u> <u>next draw will be held on 1st August after 9am service</u>
  Please will all members who are in arrears with payments pay their arrears ,plus
  July amount, before the next raw. All numbers have now been sold.
- Messy Church are hoping to make a couple of sets of "big feet". If you have some
  planks of wood measuring 1.2-1.5m long, about 15-20cm wide and about 1.5-2cm
  high that you are prepared to donate, please let us know. We can always arrange
  for it to be cut to size too! Please contact Jean 083 2343371 if you are able to help.
- We are having our first ALL SAINTS INTERNATIONAL FOOD FAIRE on Saturday
  afternoon, <u>28 July</u>. There will be a R50 entrance fee, R30 for children. We will have
  tables selling food from different countries around the world. To book your country
  now contact Beth on 072-172-5589 or beth@tplanning.co.za
- Thursday soup kitchen. Please remember, bring to church already frozen soup and put into the kitchen freezer. Many thanks for helping to fill hungry tummies. Di Levinsohn 0824411221
- PARISH ROLL UPDATE: We are updating our Parish Roll. Please see the Parish Roll at the entrance of the Church and check that your details appear and that they are correct. If you need to make any amendments/additions please can you fill in the form at the Back of the Parish Roll or email allsaintsadmin@yebo.co.za.
- NEXT JUMBLE SALE 4 AUGUST AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH: Please bring any clothing, curtains, bedding for our jumble sale. Also take a jumble notice to give to your staff or the security where you live who can give to the complex staff. The more advertising means more customers and more income for us. Without this income we would have to stop our outreach. Please see notice board for outreach expenses. Many thanks for your support, Di Levinsohn 0824411221

Dear Saints,

The pew leaflet of last week ended with a quote from Richard Rohr:

"This is the basis for God's justice: Since everyone is made in the image of God, then we need to recognize, honour, and respect the image of God in everyone. No exceptions."

It is a profound statement, worthy of our meditations. Respecting the image of God in everyone has certainly been found wanting over the centuries not least amongst religious people. Rohr who publishes a daily column which is accessible to everyone has the following to say. When reading such in depth spiritual articles, it is unwise to rush through it. Allow your stillness to dampen your busy-ness and let the Spirit speak to you. Sometimes it isn't easy but persevere or find another time. We will take this in small chunks for easy eating!

You (and every other creation of God) begin with your unique divine DNA, an inner destiny as it were, an absolute core that knows the truth about you, a true believer tucked away in the cellar of your being, an imago Dei that begs to be allowed, to be fulfilled, and to show itself. "You were chosen in Christ before the world was made—to stand before God in love—marked out beforehand as fully adopted sons and daughters" (Ephesians 1:4-5). This is your True Self or soul.

Jesus revealed and accepted a paradox: human and divine are not separate, but one! Why do we resist this destiny? For most of us, this seems just too good and too dangerous to be true. There is so much contrary evidence! Are we afraid to bear the burden of divinity? It is precisely the divine part of you that is great enough, deep enough, gracious enough to fully accept the human part of you. If you are merely human, you will tend to reject your embarrassingly limited humanity.

Maybe we realize subconsciously that if we really recognized our True Self—which is the Divine Indwelling, the Holy Spirit within us—if we really believed that we are temples of God (see 1 Corinthians 3:16, 6:19; 2 Corinthians 6:16), then we would have to live up to this incredible dignity, freedom, and love.

Continued next week

Blessings g

67 Minutes for Mandela: For the 2018 Mandela Day initiative we request that everyone please make a donation of R67 or more with the reference 67 Madiba. All the funds collected will be used to purchase uniforms and school shoes at the end of the year.

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