

On duty next week at the 09h00 service (28 October 2018)

Welcome Table : Russel & Natasha (Kemello & Caleb/Roarke)
Tea : Blessing
Readers : Tadisa Jakachira (1st) & Ntando Ntenza (2nd)

In Church This week (22—28 October)

Monday: No meetings or services scheduled
Tuesday: Centering Prayer - 16h00
NA Weekly Meeting (Outside/Narthex) 19h00
Parish Council Meeting 19h00
Wednesday: NAC Service (Church) 19h00—21h00
Bible Class (Fr. Mikes Office) 19h45
Thursday: No meetings or services scheduled
Friday : No meetings or services scheduled
Saturday: SDA Service 09h30— 12h30
Bell Ringing 12h45
Bible Class 13h00& 14h00
Sunday: Said Eucharist 07h30
Eucharist & Children's Church 09h00
NAC Service 12h00—14h00

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at
All SAINTS FOURWAYS GARDENS
21 October 2018
29th 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

Lord Jesus Christ,
You came among us as the servant of all :
Overturn our wrongful pride and make us eager
To serve our brothers and sisters with loving self-sacrifice;
For you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
One God, for ever and ever.
Amen

Today's Readings

1st Reading : Job 38 : 1-7
Psalm : 104 : 1-10, 35-36 (Pg. 733)
2nd Reading : Hebrews 5 : 1-10
Gospel : Mark 10 : 35-45

Next weeks Readings (28 October 2018)

1st Reading : Job 42 : 1-6, 10-17
Psalm : 34 : 1-8 (Pg. 642)
2nd Reading : Hebrews 7 : 23-28
Gospel : Mark 10 : 46-52



Years Mind: Lloyd Stedman, Nel Hollis, Navino Walker, Ann Badenhorst

Prayers of the Church : Renette Johnson, Fr. Gerald Steward, Louisa Snyman;
Craig Stacey (cancer), Fr. Mike, Maureen Kear,
Graham Taylor; Mariette (Mara) Oosthuizen Kimone &
Mark Ingham, Palesa Seretlo, Anne Marumahoko,
Maseri Seretlo, Edna Francis

(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, Senamile Ngubane, Destiny Bunn

Thank you to Pru Hall for tea after the 07h30 service and to Ethel Jakachira for tea after the 09h00 service.



Mums-in-waiting: Shanley Anne King, Alex van Rooyen, Mary Maunya, Truly Sitho, Dominique Madlener

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

Clinton and Sheridan Sellar welcomed their little girl Mila on 14 October.

NOTICES

- **100 Club Bumper Draw and Party - Friday 9th November 2018.** See enclosed leaflet setting out rules and details of the above. Please read rules carefully
- Our **MEGA DRAW** is back and as always, one person gets the **key to the vault!!!** Ticket price is **R1000** and only 100 ticket are available for sale. Three ways of playing this year; direct deposit into All Saints bank account, SnapScan and cash payment at the door (*Reference: MEGA Name and Surname*). The draw will be held on the **02 December 2018** during the 09h00 service. For more information please contact **Danny Mathibe** on **082 909 2020** or danny.mathibe@gmail.com.
- Jumble sale at All Saints Church will be on November 3rd from 7.45 – 10.30am. Please tell your staff members and also clear your cupboards for the final time this year. Many thanks. Di
- For our annual Cosmo City Christmas Party I'd like offers to make chicken stew instead of soup please. We need it by 1 November (frozen). Just please make sure you mark it chicken stew so we keep it separate. Same applies as with soup. **Our freezers are empty again and we need more soup to last until mid November. Please help.** Many thanks. Di
- Our Debs and Squires will be presented to the Bishop, followed by a Cocktail evening and dancing, on Saturday **3 November 2018**, starting at 6pm. Please join us for a fabulous evening as we celebrate the dedication of our youth, to the Church. Tickets are on sale for R70 each. Any donations towards the evening will also be much appreciated. See the notice board for more details
- In the narthex this week you will see examples of the items made by the sewing ladies from Cosmo City. Please feel free to order, they make wonderful **Christmas Gifts** and many people are using the shopping bags as a gift bag too. Thanks Di Levinsohn
- **ALL SOULS SERVICE : 1 November at 7pm**—The years mind list is on the noticeboard. Please go through it and if there are names you would like to have added please do so on the list provided or you can email the office.

SAVE THE DATE : 11 NOVEMBER—PATRONAL FESTIVAL

Unknowing by Richard Rohr – Opening Thoughts

Human history is in a time of great flux, of great cultural and spiritual change. The psyche doesn't know what to do with so much information. I am told that if you take all of the information that human beings had up until 1900 and call that one unit, that unit now doubles every ten years. No wonder there's so much anxiety, confusion, and mistaking fact for fiction and fiction for fact!

In light of today's information overload, people are looking for a few clear certitudes by which to define themselves. We see various forms of fundamentalism in many religious leaders when it serves their cultural or political worldview. We surely see it at the lowest levels of religion—Christianity as well as Judaism, Islam, and secular fundamentalism, too—where God is used to justify violence, hatred, prejudice, and whatever is “my” way of doing things. The fundamentalist mind likes answers and explanations so much that it remains wilfully ignorant about how history arrived at those explanations or how self-serving they usually are. *Satisfying untruth is more pleasing to us than unsatisfying truth*, and Big Truth is invariably unsatisfying—at least to the small self.

Great spirituality, on the other hand, seeks a creative balance between opposites. As Jesuit William Johnston writes, “Faith is that breakthrough into that deep realm of the soul which accepts paradox with humility.” [1] When you go to one side or the other too much, you find yourself either overly righteous or overly sceptical and cynical. There must be a healthy middle, as we try to hold both the necessary light and darkness.

We cannot settle today's confusion by pretending to have absolute and certain answers. But we must not give up seeking truth, observing reality from all its angles. We settle human confusion not by falsely pretending to settle all the dust, but by teaching people an *honest and humble process for learning and listening*, which we call contemplation. Then people come to wisdom in a calm and compassionate way. There will not be the knee jerk overreactions

Regards,
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