

On duty next week at the 09h00 service (2 September 2018)

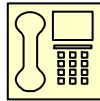
Welcome Table : Tshepo & Bathabile Manyaka (Sally & Tyler)
Tea : Volunteer Needed
Readers : James Jakachira (1st) & Catherine Dryden (2nd)

In Church This week (27August—2 September)

Monday: No meetings or services scheduled
Tuesday: Centering Prayer 16h00
NA Weekly Meeting (Outside/Narthex) 19h00
Wednesday: NAC Service (Church) 19h00—21h00
Bible Class (Fr. Mikes Office) 19h00
Thursday: AGM (9 on Richard) 18h00
Friday : No Meetings or services scheduled 18h30
Saturday: SDA Service 09h30– 12h30
Bell Ringing 12h45
Bible Class 12h00 & 13h00
Sunday: Said Eucharist 07h30
Eucharist & Children’s Church 09h00
NAC Service 12h00—14h00

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at
All SAINTS FOURWAYS GARDENS
26 August 2018
21st 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 have the words of eternal life :
Set your living bread before us that,
Feasting around your table, we may continue the work to which you call us;
For you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
One God, for ever and ever. Amen

Today’s Readings

1st Reading : 1 Kings 8 :22-30, 41-43
Psalm : 84 (Pg. 710)
2nd Reading : Ephesians 6 : 10-20
Gospel : John 6 : 56-69

Next weeks Readings (2 September 2018)

1st Reading : Song of Solomon 2 : 8-13
Psalm : 45 : 1-2, 6-9 (Pg. 659)
2nd Reading : James 1 : 17-27
Gospel : Mark 7 : 1-8, 14-15, 21-23



Years Mind: Julia McEntegart

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), Kimone & Mark Ingham
(Fertility)

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 the Samuel's for tea after the 07h30 service and to Maseri Seretlo for providing the eats for the 09h00 service.



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

New Arrivals : Siyanda Mnene

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

NOTICES

- Thanks to Ernie Mutch for making a prototype of the "big feet" for Messy Church. The children loved playing and learning co-operation! If anyone has some "old" wooden planks in the garage - about 1.5m long, 10cm wide and about 1.5cm high, please let us know. We would love to make another set so that teams can race against each other.
- Next Messy Church is on Sunday 9 September from 3-5pm. Please bring along your families and friends and enjoy a relaxed, but spirit-filled time creating, being and learning together. A light supper is also served. Donation of R30 per person requested. Contact Jean 083 2343371 for more information.
- **100 Club - next draw will be held on Sunday 2nd September after the 9 am service** Please could you pay your arrears to Cheryl Donaldson at the entrance to the church where I normally stand as I will be away on holiday for the next 2 Sundays. All arrears should be paid before the next draw. Ernie
- We have had such a wonderful response to our frozen soup appeal that our freezer is full. Thank you all very much
- **100 Club - next draw will be held on Sunday 2nd September after the 9 am service** Cash prizes of R1900 to be won. Arrears for July R500, August R600. Please pay before the next draw. Check with Ernie if you are up to date with your payments

Thank you to all who participated in International Food Faire one way or another, i.e those who supported by attending the afternoon/evening, those who provided the food; as well as those who worked on the day. Your efforts paid off and we made a PROFIT of R12872.35 detailed below:

Total Revenue	24344.90
Total Expenses	-11472.55
NET PROFIT	R 12 872.35

Insert from the Spirituality Centre in Cape Town

The Hebrew word 'hesed', often translated as 'compassion', is said to be a picture word; and the image Thomas Merton suggests is that of a parent cradling a child. Much like Giovanni Gaulli's 'Saint Joseph and the Infant Christ.'

In this picture, there is love and interdependence – a tender recognition that – regardless of difference (of age, size, weight, or whatever), there is this profound recognition that *I am related to you. We are made of the same stuff.*

Another picture comes to mind, speaking of this same recognition, but this time, it is in the form of a poem by Gregory of Narek (951-1003), an Armenian monk. Here it is, slightly edited and reworked; words of gratitude whispered to God from the depth of one's soul:

*There was a time when I did not exist
Yet you created me;
I asked you for nothing
Yet you lavished me with me;*

*I did not come into the light
Yet you still saw me;
I had not yet appeared
And still, your heart had
compassion on me;*

*I had not invoked you
Yet you took care of me;
I did not raise my head
Yet you looked lovingly at me...*

*I did not utter a sound
And yet your heart heard me...*

*You tend to me with such care, you
who are behind me
and also before me.*

Perhaps, sometime this week, you could find a third picture to cradle in your hands or gaze upon on your phone. During this time, shine the light of compassion upon whomever or whatever you are gazing at – and, when you are ready, say softly, 'I am related to you.'