



ST. SAVIOUR'S

Greetings Family.

Today, the first Sunday after the feast of Pentecost, we celebrate Trinity Sunday. Trinity Sunday is one of those days which get many preachers tongue tied, in trying to explain how ONE God is Three persons. I believe Trinity Sunday with its theological assertions is indeed a time when we are called to celebrate the mystery and wonder of God and our faith, but so too the gift of community. For upon reflecting on the gift of a God who is indeed three persons in one, we are challenged to remember that our faith journey is a journey lived in and through community. So too we are called to recognise the intimacy presented through the Trinity, the intimacy of being in communion with God and each other.

Mystery and wonder have escaped so many of us; we live in spaces where all we are seeking is security and familiarity. The books we read, the movies we watch, these have all transcended from novels and fairy tales, from mystery and discovery, to material which is more 'real'; documentaries, reality shows, etc; things where we no longer have to wonder and imagine. We live in a world of fact and there seems to be no space for mystery and wonder. Trinity Sunday invites us into the mystery of our faith, a faith which proclaims: a Christ who died, a Christ who was raised and a Christ who will come again. This past week I have spent time lamenting at the State of our Nation, I cannot fathom how during times such as these (a pandemic), we have ministers in government enriching themselves and those close to them, when what should be happening, is saving the livelihoods of our people. I am disgusted at the impunity which goes along with these atrocious acts of corruption and malfeasance.

Through my lamenting I have been deeply challenged to reflect on the role of the Church in uprooting corruption and dishonesty in our Country. I invite you, Parishioners and friends of St. Saviour's, to join me on Monday at 12 Noon, to spend time in prayer, discerning that which God is calling us to do, in this part of God's vineyard in response to these atrocities.

Amidst all of this, we today give thanks to God for the Sacrament of Baptism, and we thank our St. Saviour's family for the privilege of being here and having Noah baptised in this Church. It will certainly occupy a special place in our hearts as a family for the years to come.

God Bless.

Fr. Chesnay Frantz

READERS

07h30 – Ruth Fry-Snyders

09h15 – James Smith

LAYMINISTERS

07h30 – Ursua Jacobs

09h15 – Sidney Scheepers

READINGS OF THE DAY

OT Reading

Isaiah 6: 1-8

Psalm:

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NT Reading:

Romans 8: 12-17

Gospel:

John 3: 1-17

COLLECT OF THE DAY

God of unchangeable power,
 you have revealed yourself to us as Father, Son and Holy Spirit:
 keep us firm in the faith that we may praise and bless your holy name,
 for you are one God, living and reigning in glory now and for ever.
 Amen

HYMNS

Introit:	AMR 161	Bright the vision that delighted
Offertory	SOF 183	Holy, holy, holy
Communion 1:	AMR 164	Father of heaven
2:	AMR 163	Three in One and One in Three
Recessional:	SOF 415	O God, our help in ages past

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for the sick or hospitalized

India Tyers, Mervyn Bost, Edith Abrahams, Sandra Fourie, Joyce Erasmus, Crystal Bouwers, James April, Iris Hartnick, Mervyn Johnson, Frank Kennel, Monica Fry, Muriel Tshitshiba, Martin Dyers, Avril Steyn, Derek Jacobs

Housebound and elderly:

Christabel Nokumbuza, Rachel Vermeulen, Evan Brink, Breval Brown, Aletta Cloete, Freda Connelly, Brenda de Vos, Linda de Vos, Joyce Hiebner, Edith Lekay, Daniel & Magdalene Meyer, Lionel & Muriel Woldson, Joanne White, Ronald Smedley and May Rushin.

R.I.P.

Evan Brink whose funeral was held here on Saturday 29 May 2021.

PRAYER DIARY

MONDAY: We pray for those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week.

TUESDAY: Pray for orphans and children at risk - their care and safety.

WEDNESDAY: Pray that the rollout of vaccines may run smoothly.

THURSDAY: Corpus Christi. Thank God for the means of grace.

FRIDAY: Praise God that we are “fearfully and wonderfully made” (Psalm 139: 14)

SATURDAY: World Environment Day – may we care for the earth and its resources.

SUNDAY: Pray that we may seek God’s will and be obedient to what we are called to do.

“For 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.” John 3: 16

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LECTIONARY FOR THE WEEK

READINGS FOR THE WEEK		
<p>MONDAY 31 MAY ✠ The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</p> <p>Morning Prayer: Psalms 72 1 Samuel 1: 1-20 Colossians 3: 12-17</p> <p>Evening Prayer: Psalms 146 147 Zechariah 2: 10-13 John 3: 25-30</p>	<p>WED 2 JUNE ✠ The Martyrs of Lyons, 177</p> <p>Morning Prayer: Psalms 25: 1-9 Tobit 4: 19 – 5: 6 Mark 12: 18-27</p> <p>Evening Prayer: Psalm 132, 133 Deuteronomy 13: 1-11 2 Corinthians 7: 2-16</p>	<p>FRIDAY 4 JUNE</p> <p>Morning Prayer: Psalms 139 Deuteronomy 26: 1-11 2 Corinthians 8: 16-24</p> <p>Evening Prayer: Psalm 140, 141, 142 Ecclesiastes 5: 1-7 Luke 18: 9-14</p>
<p>TUESDAY 1 JUNE</p> <p>◇ <i>Orphans & children at risk</i></p> <p>✠ Justin Martyr, c 165</p> <p>Morning Prayer: Psalm 126, 127, 128 Deuteronomy 12: 1-12 2 Corinthians 6: 3-13</p> <p>Evening Prayer: Psalms 129, 130, 131 Ecclesiastes 2: 18-26 Luke 17: 11-19</p>	<p>THURSDAY 3 JUNE CORPUS CHRISTI: COMMEMORATION OF THE HOLY COMMUNION</p> <p>Morning Prayer: Psalm 23, 43 Exodus 16: 14-31 1 Corinthians 10: 1-17</p> <p>Evening Prayer: Psalm 81 1 Kings 19: 1-8 Luke 24: 13-35</p>	<p>SAT 5 JUNE</p> <p>◇ <i>World Environment Day</i></p> <p>✠ Boniface, Bishop and Martyr in Germany, c 755</p> <p>Morning Prayer: Psalm 143, 144 Deuteronomy 29: 2-15 2 Corinthians 9: 1-15</p> <p>Evening Prayer: Psalms 145 Ecclesiastes 5: 8-20 Luke 18: 15-30</p>

NOTICES

- ❖ **The Parish office hours: Monday-Friday; 09h00-12H00.**
- ❖ Rectors off day: As an interim measure the Rector's off day moves from Monday to Friday.
- ❖ Communication: If you would like to be added to the Parish WhatsApp group, please send a message to Nerine Meyer (072 180 0592).
- ❖ Service of thanksgiving: A service of thanksgiving for Avril Steyn, our Parish secretary will be held on Sunday 6 June 2021. **WE WILL HAVE ONE SERVICE AT 08H30** in the morning, as we thank God for Avril's ministry and work within our Parish. Envelopes will be made available towards a thanksgiving gift for Avril.
- ❖ Stewardship: A list of pledges received for 2020 will be published on our notice board in the coming days. Please check your pledge number and contribution for last year. If you have any queries, please speak to any of the Churchwardens.