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ST. SAVIOUR'S

Greetings Friends and family of St. Saviour's

Here we are, the last Sunday of August, getting ready for a new month and a new season. Spring is upon us, and with it comes the sunshine and warmer days. This week our lectionary takes us on a 'new journey', for the next 5 weeks we will have a reading from James as our New Testament reading. To this end, I will spend the next 5 weeks using my sermon, to offer a teaching on James and this will include 3 questions weekly, as part of my note to you. You are invited to reflect, discuss, and respond to the questions.

I am constantly aware of the dire needs of so many, and this week with the unemployment stats being released I spent some time in prayer, praying for those who are seeking employment. For many of the unemployed, it will be a time of great stress and worry, as employment not only give one a sense of dignity but simply puts food on our tables. Scripture reminds us we need to be doers of the word. **In light of this could I request that we restart the food basket.** If we could please bring nonperishables, and place them in the basket, at the end of the services it will be taken to the pantry in our Admin block, and this will be used to give those who come to our door seeking food. If anyone wants to drop off non-perishables for the pantry, please arrange with the Parish office.

At the Rectory, we are getting into the rhythm of a working family; with Sam back at work full time, the Parish office nice and busy and Sarah at School. So, our drive home in the afternoon, after school and work, are great opportunities to catch up, until we get home to Noah, who then absorbs all the attention.

Questions (James 1:17-27):

How have you experienced God and the gifts bestowed by God? What would you describe as the role of religion in your life? What would you describe as the pattern of Christian living?

God Bless.

Fr. Chesnay Frantz

READERS

07h30 – Anthea Fabing

09h15 – Mary Davids

LAYMINISTERS

07h30 – Johan Ferndale

09h15 – Paul Williams

READINGS OF THE DAY

OT Reading Deuteronomy 4: 1-2, 6-9

Psalm: 45: 1-2, 6-9

NT Reading: James 1: 17-27

Gospel: Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God of eternal light, your word is truth: make us quick to listen and slow to speak that the word implanted in us will take root to nourish all we say and do; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

HYMNS

Introit: SOF 42 Be Thou my vision

Offertory: SOF 234 Immortal, invisible

Communion 1: SOF 510 Spirit of the Living God

2: SOF 200 I am the bread of life

Recessional: SOF 466 Praise my soul

NOTICES

- ❖ Communication: If you would like to be added to the Parish WhatsApp group, please send a message to Nerine (072 180 0592).
- ❖ Parish Prayer Group: A parish prayer group has been created via WhatsApp. Its purpose is to facilitate prayer requests for our parish family and invites us to keep praying as a community for those who need our prayers most.

https://chat.whatsapp.com/JfZT7zQ2ecr6CiqDRhxcXi

Weekly Evening Prayer: We will meet on Wednesday online at 18h00 for evening prayer as a Parish, on ZOOM.
https://us05web.zoom.us/j/84520873818?pwd=S3dBWEpRdDJVejVPN1pkWFc3NEkydzo9

Meeting ID: 845 2087 3818

Passcode: Church

- ❖ Memorial stones in relation to interment of ashes in the unmarked open area: Please contact the parish office before ordering a memorial stone for this area as there are limitations on the size permitted.
- ❖ <u>Baptism:</u> Baptism applications are open. However, due to COVID-19 and the many protocols in place, if you would like to have your child baptised, contact the office with your details as well as to set up an appointment with the Rector.
- ❖ Fundraiser: Cake sale on Sunday 5 September after the 9:15am service.
- ❖ Fikelela Appeal: Please see notice boards.
- ❖ <u>Matriculants:</u> As a Parish, we would like to pray for our Matriculants, who are preparing for their prelim and final exams. Please submit the name of matriculants preparing for their final exam to the office.
- Confirmation(Bible Class): Resumes Sunday 5 September; For further info please contact Marcia Perumal

LECTIONARY FOR THE WEEK

READINGS FOR THE WEEK		
MONDAY 30 AUGUST	WEDNESDAY 1 SEPTEMBER	FRIDAY 3 SEPTEMBER
Morning Prayer:	† ROBERT GRAY, FIRST	Morning Prayer:
Psalms 72	BISHOP OF CAPE TOWN, 1872	Psalm 81, 82
2 Chronicles 6: 32-7:7 James 2: 1-13	Morning Prayer:	1 Kings 11: 26– 43 James 4: 13-5:6
Evening Prayer: Psalms 73	Psalms 77 1 Kings 9: 25-10:13 James 3: 1-12	Evening Prayer:
Job 12: 1-25 Mark 14: 53-65	Evening Prayer:	Psalms 68 Job 9: 1-15, 32-35
	Psalms 78: 1-38 Job 14: 1 – 22 Mark 15: 1 – 11	Mark 14: 27-42
TUESDAY 31 AUGUST	THURSDAY 2 SEPTEMBER	SATURDAY 4 SEPT.
♦ SOPHY GRAY, ARTISIT, ARCHITECT, WIFE OF		
ROBERT GRAY, 1871	Morning Prayer:	Morning Prayer: Psalms 85, 86
Morning Prayer: Psalm 74	Psalms 78: 39-70 1 Kings 11: 1-13	1 Kings 12: 1-20 James 5: 7-20
1 Kings 8: 65-9:9 James 2: 14-26	James 3: 13-4:12	values 3. / 20
·		Evening Prayer:
Evening Prayer: Psalms 75, 76	Evening Prayer: Psalms 79, 80	Psalms 87, 88 Job 22: (1-4), 21-23:7
Job 13: 1-28 Mark 14: 66-72	Job 16: 16-17:1, 13- 16 Mark 15: 12-21	Mark 15: 33-39

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for the sick or hospitalized:

Audrey Collop, Reggie Pfeiffer, India Tyers, Mervyn Bost, Edith Abrahams, Sandra Fourie, Crystal Bouwers, James April, Iris Hartnick, Mervyn Johnson, Frank Kennel, Monica Fry, Muriel Tshitshiba, Martin Dyers, Ellen Constant and Ellen Olivier

Housebound and elderly:

Christabel Nokumbuza, Rachel Vermeulen, Breval Brown, Aletta Cloete, Freda Connelly, Brenda de Vos, Linda de Vos, Joyce Hiebner, Edith Lekay, Daniel & Magdalene Meyer, Joanne White, Ronald Smedley, May Rushin, Maureen Sieglar and Trevor Kleinsmith.

PRAYER DIARY

MONDAY: Pray for all clergy, especially Father Chesnay and his family.

TUESDAY: Pray for all affected and infected by Covid-19 also success of vaccination campaign.

WEDNESDAY: Pray for our Country and its leaders.

THURSDAY: Pray for all frontline workers and those responsible for law and order.

FRIDAY: Pray for the resources of the world and protection of God's creation.

SATURDAY: Pray for all involved in education, especially schools and teachers.

SUNDAY: We pray for an end to all forms of Gender-Based violence and abuse.

PARISH BANK DETAILS

STANDARD BANK

CLAREMONT

CURRENT ACCOUNT

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