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# ST. SAVIOUR'S

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Dear Friends and Family of St. Saviour's. Greetings!

Today we celebrate the Feast of Christ the King, a feast day which ends the liturgical calendar for this year. The feast of Christ the King 2021 brings with it the wonderful joy of having 3 new lay ministers licensed in our Parish, and with this we give God thanks. Today is also the final Sunday Johan Ferndale spends with us a layminister. He goes back to St. Aiden's where he will prepare for his ordination, God willing.

As with many things in the life of the Church, the end of one season brings with it the joy of a new season, pregnant with new hope and new beginnings. The season which follows, is Advent, a time of preparing for the wonderful season of Christmas, which climaxes with the birth of our Saviour Jesus Christ.

For many, we simply skip over Advent and move swiftly into Christmas. I want to implore you to take time this year after all that was and all that is to come to absorb the moment of Advent tide. Advent is indeed a beautiful season which slows us down and invites us very intentionally to reflect on hope, peace, love and joy.

As intimated, Advent ushers in the beginning of a new liturgical year and at St. Saviours you will start noticing little NEW things taking effect from Advent, things which I have felt will enhance our worship and our journey of faith as a community. Please allow yourself the space to enjoy the newness and embrace it. As with anything new, it might be uncomfortable in the beginning but give it a chance.

One of the Advent highlights this year, will be our Carol Service in the garden. We will gather and simply sing Christmas carols. Bring along your picnic blanket, snacks, candles, and some bells to ring, and together we will get the Christmas spirit going.

God Bless.

Fr. Chesnay Frantz

## READERS

*07h30 – Ruth Fry Snyders*

*09h15 – Anthea Fabing*

## LAYMINISTERS

*07h30 – Ivan Fortune*

*09h15 – Kenny Daniels*

## READINGS OF THE DAY

**OT Reading:**                      **2 Samuel 23:1-7**

**Psalms:**                              **93**

**NT Reading:**                      **Revelation 1: 4b-8**

**Gospel:**                              **John 18: 33-37**

## COLLECT

Gracious Lord, your Son came to bring us good news and power to transform our lives: grant that when he comes again as judge we may be ready to meet him with joy, through Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

## HYMNS

Introit:                      AMR 367      King of Glory

Offertory:                      AMR 620      Blessed City Parts 2,3 & Doxology

Communion 1:                      SOF 200      The bread of life

Recessional:                      AMR 382      Praise to the Lord

# NOTICES

- ❖ Communication: If you would like to be added to the Parish WhatsApp group or Parish Prayer group, please send a message to Nerine (072 180 0592).
- ❖ Contemplative Prayer: Every Tuesday morning at 09h00AM - 09h30AM.
- ❖ Sunday School: The Rector is inviting anyone who is wanting to be a Sunday School Teacher in 2022 to please make contact via the Parish office.
- ❖ Diocesan Synod: Synod resumes on Friday 26 November 2021 and continues to Saturday 27 November. Please pray for Synod. Our Parish is a Sacred Hub for the Rondebosch archdeaconry and so the space will be out of bounds for these days, and only accessible to accredited reps.

## Advent Diary

- ❖ 28 November Advent 1: Baptism at 11:30am
- ❖ 5 December Advent 2: Ordination Diocesan Service at 3:00pm
- ❖ 12 December Advent 3: Carols in the garden at 17:30pm
- ❖ 19 December Advent 4: Building of the Crib and putting up of Christmas tree at 17:30pm
- ❖ 21 December: Tuesday last Contemplative Prayer
- ❖ 22 December: Last Wednesday Mass

## Christmas Diary

- ❖ 24 December: Christmas Eve Service, Blessing of Christmas Tree and Blessing of Crib at 6:30pm
- ❖ 25 December: Christmas Day Services at 7:30am and 9:15am
- ❖ 26 December: One service at 8:30am
- ❖ 31 December: New Year's Eve service at 5:00pm

## 2022 Diary

- ❖ January 2022: One Sunday Service at 8:30am for the month
- ❖ 29 January 2022: Planning Day
- ❖ 1 February 2022: Tuesday Contemplative Prayer resumes at 9:00am – 9:30am
- ❖ 2 February 2022: Wednesday Mass resumes at 9:45am
- ❖ 6 February 2022: All Parish Organisations resume

## LECTIONARY FOR THE WEEK

<b>READINGS FOR THE WEEK</b>		
<p><b>MONDAY 22 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>✠ <b>Cecilia, Martyr at Rome, c230</b></p> <p><b>Morning Prayer:</b> Psalm 129, 130, 131 Joel 3:9-17 1 Peter 1: 1-12</p> <p><b>Evening Prayer:</b> Psalm 132, 133 Zechariah 10:1-12 Matthew 19:1-12</p>	<p><b>WEDNESDAY 24 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p><b>Morning Prayer:</b> Psalm 137, 138 Obadiah 15–21 1 Peter 2: 1-10</p> <p><b>Evening Prayer:</b> Psalm 139 Zechariah 12:1-10 Matthew 19:23-30</p>	<p><b>FRIDAY 26 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p><b>Morning Prayer:</b> Psalm 145 Isaiah 24:14–23 1 Peter 3:1-22</p> <p><b>Evening Prayer:</b> Psalm 146, 147 Zechariah 14: 1–11 Matthew 20:17-28</p>
<p><b>TUESDAY 23 NOV</b></p> <p>✠ <b>Clement, Bishop of Rome and Martyr, c.100</b></p> <p><b>Morning Prayer:</b> Psalm 135 Nahum 1:1-13 1 Peter 1:13-25</p> <p><b>Evening Prayer:</b> Psalm 136 Zechariah 11:4-17 Matthew 19:13-22</p>	<p><b>THURSDAY 25 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p><b>Morning Prayer:</b> Psalm 140, 141, 142 Zephaniah 3:1-13 1 Peter 2:11-25</p> <p><b>Evening Prayer:</b> Psalm 143, 144 Zechariah 13:1-9 Matthew 20:1-16</p>	<p><b>SATURDAY 27 NOV</b></p> <p><b>Morning Prayer:</b> Psalms 148, 149, 150 Micah 7: 11-20 1 Peter 4: 1–19</p> <p><b>Evening Prayer:</b> Psalm 94 Zechariah 14:12-21 Matthew 20:29–34</p>

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### Matriculants:

Casey-Lee Saal, Kristen Fabing, Hannah Gomez, Kiona Pfeiffer, Jayden Peskin, Mia Rose Ah-Sing, Lisa van der Merwe, Caitlyn Riffel, Stephen Jacobs

### Pray for the sick or hospitalized:

Reggie Pfeiffer, India Tyers, Edith Abrahams, Sandra Fourie, Crystal Bouwers, James April, Iris Hartnick, Mervyn Johnson, Frank Kennel, Monica Fry, Martin Dyers, Ellen Constant, Maureen Le Fleur, Ellen Olivier, Mr and Mrs Conradie and Ms Thembisa Jordan

### Housebound and elderly:

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

## PRAYER DIARY

**MONDAY:** Lord increase our Faith and our Trust in you.

**TUESDAY:** We pray for those going through a crisis in their lives.

**WEDNESDAY:** We pray for all Handicapped people.

**THURSDAY:** We pray for the homeless and those who must beg for food on the streets.

**FRIDAY:** We pray for ourselves and each other.

**SATURDAY:** We ask Jesus, Son of David, to have mercy on us.

**SUNDAY:** On this first Sunday of Advent, May the God of Hope be with us, lead and guide us as we prepare for the Birth of Jesus.

# PARISH BANK DETAILS

STANDARD BANK

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CURRENT ACCOUNT

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# PARISH DIRECTORY

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