#### 5<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2023 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY YEAR A PSALTER WEEK I

Welcome to all our new parishioners. If you are intending to make St. John Fisher Parish your spiritual home, please complete a Data Information Form which can be found in the fover of the church, so we can add you to our data information list and to our weekly bulletin mailing list. To all our visitors today ~ welcome and enjoy your visit. God bless. Fr. Thomas

### PLANNED GIVING CAMPAIGN

We would like to thank all our parishioners who help to keep the church working with your generous donations. For those of you who wish to donate electronically (EFT) please see the banking details in the bulletin.

## SAINTS OF THE DAY

- 5 Saint Agatha
- 6 Saint Paul Miki and
- Companions
- 8 Saint Jerome Emiliani
- 8 Saint Josephine
- Bakhita
- 8 International Day of
- prayer and Awareness
- Against Human
- Trafficking

9 Saint Miguel Febres

Cordero

10 Saint Scholastica

11 Our Lady of Lourdes

11 World Day Lives of the Saints Sick

# ST. JOHN FISHER CATHOLIC CHURCH



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### MORNING PRAYERS

Parish Priest: Fr. Thomas Vanderkunnel

321 Border Street Lynnwood Pretoria 0081

Tel: 012 361 1561 OR 068 481 4055

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday - 08h00 Rosary. Holy Mass begins at 08h30

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION: Before or after morning Mass, by appointment or Saturday @ 16h00.

### MONDAYS - NO MORNING PRAYERS OR MASS AS THIS IS FATHER'S DAY OFF

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 17h00 Sunday: 07h30 / 09h30 / 17h00 Polish Mass @ 14h30 on the 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month. HOLY HOUR AND ADORATION WITH HOLY MASS @ 17H00 1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Notice must be given at least six months before receiving the Sacrament of Marriage. A civil marriage done at Home Affairs or with a Registered Marriage Office is mandatory prior to receiving the Sacrament of Marriage. A MAP Course must be attended, and confirmation given thereof. Contact the parish office for details.

BAPTISMS: Fr. Thomas would like to meet you prior to the training session for baptism. Kindly contact Sabie on 012 361 1561 Tues/Fridays 09h00-14h00 or on 084 583 1206. Then contact Maria Botha via WhatsApp on 083 397 1064 or mariabotha2@gmail.com with the names of the parents and child/children who are to be baptised. Notice for the preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism must be done at least ONE month before the Sacrament is received.

### WALL OF REMEMBERANCE / CWL / FLOWERS:

Gill Enslin - 082 499 3973; Delene Holt - 082 560 2224 **REPOSITORY OPENING TIMES:** After Sat. 17H00 & Sun. 09H30 Masses. RCIA & ADULT ENQUIRY CLASSES: @

Maria Botha - 083 397 1064 - mariabotha2@gmail.com Marie McCrea van der Merwe - 079 692 0365 - marie@cil.net CATECHISM CLASSES: Compulsory for all children Gr 1 - Gr 11.

Nicki Koorbanally - 082 835 9432 - nkoorbanally@gmail.com (Francis Ward - 072 419 7580 - kib@eyecare.co.za).

ALTAR SERVERS: Jan d'Oliveira - 0824980614; Alvaro Peres - 0824476231 MASS INTENTIONS: Please write your Mass Intentions with the preferred Mass time on an envelope and give to Father personally or place in the collection plate. The cost is R50-00 per intention.

KNIGHTS OF DA GAMA: To join the Knights of Da Gama please contact: Charlie Higgins - 078 784 3020 Council 4

#### POLISH COMMUNITY: Elzbieta Osuch - 082 770 0629 BOOKSALE EVERY FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** If you've changed any details, there are data information forms in the foyer of the church OR send an email to the parish. RESUBSCRIBE TO MAILCHIMP: http://eepurl.com/gWRrhH

## **+ + + + +** MASS INTENTIONS **+ + + + +**

Sun 09h30	+ MANNY DE SOUSA RIP				Eternal rest grant unto them		
	+DELORES & +JOSE DE SOUSA RIP				O Lord and let your		
Wed 08h30	+ALINA BIALOSTOCKA 1 <sup>ST</sup> ANNIVERSARY RIP				perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed in the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen. †		
Fri 08h30	50 <sup>th</sup> WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CHARLIE AND VICTORIA HIGGINS						
FUNERAL	FUNERAL 03/02/2023 STEVELYN KLYNHANS RIP Sincere condolences to her family at this very sad time.						
PRAYER LIST FOR ALL OUR ILL PARISHIONERS:							
Frank Alton		Monica Cutugno	Delene Holt	Stella Kle	eb	Deacon Francis	
Maria de Nobrega		Tony Hassett	Jan Fourie	Jenny Rep	pton	Edna Mayer	
Greg Cahi		Monica Myburgh					
READERS AND MINISTERS OF THE HOLY EUCHARTIST							
MASS	MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST		READERS				
SAT 17H00	LEE-ADRI BECKWITH			SANDRA PAYNE / MEGAN SCHULDT			
SUN 07H30	SEELAN & LEANNE PILLAY			ANTON VEST / TRACY SYMEOU			
SUN 09H30		CHRIS ARUKWE / IMADE AYO-YUSUF		HENRIETTA LANGMI			
				PAT HWENHA (ZONGE)			
SUN 17H00	LEANNE KIRKCALDY / DEON MYBURGH			JAN ENSLIN / KIKI MACFARLANE			
WE NEED YOU!!! Please contact Linda Wolff on 0836728024 or <a href="mailto:lindacwolff@gmail.com">lindacwolff@gmail.com</a>							
BAPTISMS 2023: Baptisms have been scheduled for the following dates:							

TRAINNG FROM 09H30 TO 11H00	BAPTISMS 11H00 TO 12H30						
29 APRIL / 8 JULY / 16 SEPTEMBER 2023	6 MAY / 15 JULY / 30 SEPTEMBER 2023						
PLEASE REMEMBER TO MAKE YOUR APPOINTMENT WITH FATHER PRIOR TO ATTENDING THE TRAINING.							

NEXT PFC MEETING: Tuesday 7 February 2023 @ 17h00 / EXCO 8 February 2023 @ 17h00 and PPC 11 February 2023 @ 09h00. If you would like anything discussed at the meeting kindly forward you request via email to the parish office - lynwoodparish@gmail.com

**INSTALLATION OF THE PPC: SUNDAY 5 FEBRUARY 2023.** Please keep the PPC and PFC in your prayers that the decisions they make for the parish will always be blessed by God. Thank you to our members who give of their time freely and with diligence. God bless Father Thomas.

# ASH WEDNESDAY 22 FEBRUARY 2023 MASS @ 08H30 AND 18H00.

Ash Wednesday is the best way to begin a season which calls us into selfexamination as well as self-denial, into deeper contemplation about the mystery and grace of God's mercy, and towards more radical giving towards those most in need of comfort, sustenance, and hope. The ancient practice of Ash Wednesday reminds us that we are mortal. It causes us to pause and look at our lives- remember what we are made of, remember where we are goingand encourages us to fully immerse ourselves in the Lenten season.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS WILL START ON FRIDAY 24 FEBRUARY 2023 @ 17H00 (may change) **MAINTENANCE:** A new toilet has been installed in parish bathrooms outside of the sacristy.

MSFS MIDRAND: If there is anyone who would like to donate to the MSFS directly these are the banking details:

Name of A/C - MSFS MIDRAND. Bank-Standard Bank Branch - SINGL IBT SBSA (5100) A/c Number – 015205797. Your Reference – STJF + Name. Thank you Fr. Thomas PLEASE SUPPORT OUR BAKE SALE

A bake sale will be happening on the 12th of February at 10:30 am and is hosted by the youth committee of St. John Fisher. There will be a variety of delicious baked goods to be sold on the day and we would also like to encourage the parish to donate any type of sweet treats they would like us to sell. Chloe Snyders 0663337816