

**7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025**  
**23<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**  
**PSALTER WEEK 111**  
**PLANNED GIVING**  
**CAMPAIGN**

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

**NB:** Please obtain your pledge number from the office if you are a registered parishioner.

**SAINTS FOR THE WEEK**

8 The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
 9 Saint Peter Claver  
**Catholic Women's League,**  
**Standard Bank, The Grove,**  
**012445 Account No. 012207780**  
**KNIGHTS OF DA GAMA:**  
 Charlie Higgins, 078 784 3020  
**CARITAS**  
 Linda Forson 082 789 8183

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION**  
**COURSES for 2025**

1. **31 October – 2 November 2025**  
 (deadline for forms 17/10/2025)

Forms are available at the office or email  
[pta.engagedencounter@gmail.com](mailto:pta.engagedencounter@gmail.com)

**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 at least R50.00 per intention

**YOUNG ADULTS GROUP**  
 CONTACT: KOLADE AYO-YUSUF

Email: [ayokay7@gmail.com](mailto:ayokay7@gmail.com)

Phone 0712758328

**ROSARY:** South Africa needs Our Lady,  
**Public Rosary Crusade,**  
 11<sup>th</sup> October 2025 at 15:30.

We gather at the public circle across from St John Fisher Catholic Church, Lynnwood. Bring your own chair or blanket.

**ST. JOHN FISHER CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Parish Priest: Fr. Thomas Vanderkunnel

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Bank Account: St. John Fisher Catholic Church

Account No. 011930071 Bank: Std. Bank, The Grove

Chairman: Owen Smith - 064 523 8628

Secretary: Teresa McGlade 0825493586

Office Hours Tuesday |Wednesday | Thursday and Friday 09h00 to 14h00

**MORNING PRAYERS**

Tuesday to Friday 08h00 Rosary. Holy Mass begins at 08h30

**SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION:** Before or after morning Mass (by appointment only) or Saturdays from 16h00 to 16h45

**FATHER'S DAY OFF:** Mondays, no morning mass

**WEEKEND MASSES:** Saturday: 17h00, Sunday: 07h30 / 10h00 / 17h00

**First FRIDAY OF THE MONTH:** Holy hour and adoration @ 17h00 with mass

**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. An engaged encounter course must be attended and confirmation given. Contact the Parish Office for details.

**BAPTISMS:** Fr. Thomas would like to meet you before the training for baptism. Kindly contact Teresa on 012 361 1561 Tues to Fridays 09h00 - 14h00 or on 082 549 3586. Then contact Maria Botha via WhatsApp on 083 397 1064 or [mariabotha2@gmail.com](mailto:mariabotha2@gmail.com) with the names of the parents and child/children who are to be baptised. Please ensure at least **ONE** months' notice is given to allow for preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism

Baptism training dates – 09:30 to 11:30	Baptism dates – 11:00 to 12:30
	13/09/2025
08/11/2025	29/11/2025

**CWL:** Contact Delene Holt 082 560 2224, [deleneholt@gmail.com](mailto:deleneholt@gmail.com)

**BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY:** Please contact Leanne Pillay 084 381 1930 and Margaret Marakalala 079 742 6666

**FLOWERS:** Gill Enslin – 082 499 3973

**REPOSITORY WILL BE OPEN AFTER ALL MASSES.**

**RCIA & ADULT ENQUIRY CLASSES.**

Maria Botha 083 397 1064, [mariabotha2@gmail.com](mailto:mariabotha2@gmail.com)

Cornelia Masogo 082 344 2364 [mehlapewealth@gmail.com](mailto:mehlapewealth@gmail.com)

or Jan Rademeyer 073 136 0893, [rademeyerjana@gmail.com](mailto:rademeyerjana@gmail.com)

**CATECHISM CLASSES 2025:** Compulsory Gr 1 – Gr 11.

Contact: Shalene de Olim 0720653074 [shalenedeolim@gmail.com](mailto:shalenedeolim@gmail.com)

TERM - 2025	CATECHISM TERM	
3	3 AUG – 21 SEPT	8 08:45 to 09:45
	26 OCT	1 08:45 to 09:45
4	2 NOV – 30 NOV	5 08:45 to 09:45

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Alvaro Peres 0824476231

**READERS:** Shannon Smith 083 626 9889, [shannon.smith@meerfax.com](mailto:shannon.smith@meerfax.com)

**SPRING DANCE – Friday the 26 September 6:30 for**

**7:00pm - 180:00** including meal & dessert. 150.00 for pensioners, Bring your own drinks. Come and join us for lots of fun, laughter & dancing

**MASS INTENTIONS**

SAT 17:00	FOR †MANUEL CRUZ DE NOBREGA RIP FOR †MARIA AMALIA DE NOBREGA RIP
SUN 10:00	FOR †CYNTHIA JAMMINE RIP, FOR †DR FRANCIS IDIKA RIP
TUES 08:30	FOR MEDAIR HUMANITARIAN OUTREACH PROJECTS, FOR †ANTONIO DE FRANCA, FOR †CIDALIA DE FRANCA
WED 08:30	FOR †HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY
THUR 08:30	FOR A SPECIAL INTENTION

**PRAYER LIST FOR ALL OUR ILL PARISHIONERS:**

THOMAS JOHNSON, DELENE HOLT, DEACON FRANCIS, JAN FOURIE, VERONICA WHEATER, ZDENKA PELEGRIN, VLADIMIR PELEGRIN, LORNA CAMERON, FIONA ELIZABETH VAN STRATEN, ISABELLA MOSTERT, RICARDO DE OLIM, DEBBIE REILLY, LINDA MUNKS, DOREEN WILSON, PRISCILLA COLBORNE, JAMES MCGLADE, JOYCE LEONG SUN, PROFESSOR JACOBS, CARYL DE MEILLON, ROY BARCLAY, ANN BRIDDON, MICHAEL SERRAO, GWEN OOSTHUIZEN, HETTY BOHM, ANDREA STRYDOM, BEP COMMANDEUR

**SECOND COLLECTION AT ALL MASSES THIS WEEKEND**

**6<sup>TH</sup> AND 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER - COMMUNICATIONS SUNDAY**

**CATECHISM CHILDREN'S MASS IN THE HALL @ 10:00**

**Archdiocesan Jubilee Year Celebration 2025 - will take place on Sunday, 14 September 2025 @ Sefako Makgatho Health Sciences University in Ga-Rankuwa.** Archbishop Dabula has asked that everyone attend.

We will **not** have morning mass on the 14<sup>th</sup> September at 07:30 & 10:00

**THERE WILL ALSO BE NO CATECHISM CLASS ON THE 14<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER.**

Programme for the day:

- 08:30 - 09:00 Arrival
- 09:00 – 09:15 Blessing of the Doors
- 09:15 – 10:00 Procession of the Cross and Rosary
- 10:00 – 11:30 Confessions and Talk by The Auxiliary Bishop
- 11:30 – 12:00 Comfort Break
- 12:00 – 12:30 Mass Preparation
- 12:30 – 14:30 Mass
- 14:30 – 15:00 Departure.

Please can you advise the parish secretary Teresa on email [lynwoodparish@gmail.com](mailto:lynwoodparish@gmail.com) as to whether you will be attending and if you are attending how many persons, if you are a family or group. If you wish to attend but do not have transport then please indicate how many persons require transport assistance.

This is in order for the Parish Council to arrange transport.

**I encourage you to take part in this celebration**

**FUNERAL:** Our sincere condolences to the Ramos family on the loss of their Mum Ana. Her funeral will take place in the church on Wednesday at 10H00. Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord and let your perpetual light shine upon her. May the souls of all the faithful departed in the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen

**FURTHER NOTICE ON EVANGELIZATION**

Please note that the Evangelization Workshop on 4 October is critically important for the Parish. If you are attending and have not yet submitted your name to the Parish Office by email ([lynwoodparish@gmail.com](mailto:lynwoodparish@gmail.com)), please do so by Thursday 4 September. The number of people attending is required for catering purposes. **YOU ARE ALL ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND!.**

**THE CWL WELCOMES YOU TO HIGH TEA!**

**September 2025 at 1:30 pm. THEME: Recognise Your Worth & Find Your Voice**

Talk presented by Guest Speaker:

Understanding & embracing you inherent value.

Dress code: a dress and a fascinator. Tickets 150 per person

Contact Gill 082 499 3973 OR Shinga 073 828 0665

