



# St John Fisher

## Lynnwood - Catholic Church

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### Sacrament of Confession

Saturday from 05h00pm - 05h45pm

During the week ñ before or after morning prayer.

**Sacrament of Marriage** - Notice has to be given at least six months before receiving the Sacrament of Marriage.

Notice for the preparation for the **Sacrament of Baptism** has to be done at least one month before a Sacrament.

**Celebration during the week:**

24<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time,

### Morning prayers:

Monday - Friday - 07.45am - **Liturgy of the**

**Hour and Rosary.**

Monday - Friday - 08.30am - **Holy Mass**

### Weekend Masses

Saturday - 06h00 pm

Sunday - 07h30; 09h30; 18h00 - English

### Weekend roster duties:

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> 18h00

EME; Des Bonorchis, Volunteer

Readers: Sandra Payne, Megan Schult

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>

07h30: EME: Edward Dos Reis, Brenda Marais

Readers: Kevin Coleen Taylor;

09h30, EME; Hans Krystyna Smulder

Readers: 1st Communicants

18h00 EME; Riaan Boozyen, Maria Botha

Readers: Faith Lawrence. Jan Enslin

### Mass Intention:

Saturday 18h00 Stephane (2nd birthday)

07h30 +Max Laarman

09h30 First Holy Communion

11h00 For the Parish

18h00 Special intention

Monday - 15<sup>th</sup> Sept. Our Lady of Sorrows

## 14<sup>th</sup> September 2014

### Exaltation of the Cross

*The cross, originally a symbol of shame and degradation, is in the Christian tradition a symbol of glory and triumph. Being the instrument of Christ's torture and death, it is forever associated, not only with his suffering, but with his achievement, with the salvation of mankind. So, in today's Mass we are reminded that we should glory in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. In celebrating the feast of*

*the exaltation of the cross it is not the cross itself we are honouring, but the entire 'Christ Event', all that God has done for us in his Son. We bless this Son and thank him for his coming among us and especially for his atoning death. And as his death was the gateway to his resurrection, we pray that we, too, and the whole Christian people may one day come to share in our Saviour's resurrection.*

→ This Sunday we are continuing our celebration of **the Holy Communion**. Twelve children will fully participate in the Holy Eucharist. Please, remember them and their Families in your prayers. My sincere thanks to their parents and our teachers for their great effort in preparing them for this feast. Yesterday, 13 September, from 08h00 until 12h30 we had a practice session and the Sacrament of Confession.

→ Due to the constitution of the Society of Christ, Fr Bogdan is obliged to visit his home country every three years. His last visit was four years ago and **now he has to visit the General Superior of the Society and his Mother (89 years old)**. During his absence (from this Monday, 15 September until 10 October), Fr Gordon will celebrate Holy Mass over weekends, as well as during the weekdays. Sorry for any inconvenience.

→ **Registration forms:** Thank you for completing and returning your registration forms. This is confidential information about you and your family and will be used only by the serving Priest. Sincere thanks to those who already returned their forms.

→ Last week **Stanley Kleb** corrected all the irrigation system connections. This is essential to water our plants, which are gifts from you. Thank you Stanley and Stella.

→ **Thank you Alvin** for your great initiative and practical input for covering our kneelers in the Church pews. He is addressing our need: ìWe need help with putting cushions on the kneelers. Would be great if 10 men would come to work in pairs of 2. If you have scissors and a staple gun, please bring with. Required 19/20/21 Sept. Contact Alvin 0837089070. ì If you would like to see the sample of his work, you can see in the choir section. Thank you Alvin.

→ **The Social Fundraising Group. Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup> November:** Please keep the day open and join us with family and friends for a relaxed, fun day! We are **having a sheep and pig on the spit** and chicken braai in the grounds of St John Fisher. Let us get to know one another while raising funds at the same time for the benefit of our Lynnwood Parish. Tickets will be available soon at **R60.00 p/p**. Live music and cash bar will also be available on this day.

→ **We need your assistance.** If you can make a salad, cook, serve or even make a good Dom Pedro and are willing to help, your participation would be highly appreciated and welcomed! Please fill in the form at the back of the Church giving us your name and contact information.

→ Ìm overwhelmed by the spontaneous and prompt response in terms of my stolen phone. Immediately after the Sunday Mass announcement, one family approach me with willingness to help and after the second Mass I received a **brand new telephone**, exactly the same as the stolen one. Thank you so much. Fr Bogdan

→ The Jesuit Institute invites you to their annual **Ignatian Day**. Saturday 20 Sept. 09h30 to 16h00 at McAuley House School, Napier Road, Parktown West (next to Milpark Hospital). Entrance fee: R100 or R50 for students. No need to pre-register; please bring a packed lunch. For more info contact [ignatian@jesuitinstitute.org.za](mailto:ignatian@jesuitinstitute.org.za) or 011 482 4237.

→ **Men in Christ presents ñ Retreat** for men. We are inviting you to take part in this new retreat program for man called ìSamsonì. This retreat is designed to offer men hope and healing from current struggles in their lives. Place: Padre Pio Spirituality Centre, Day: 10-12 Oct 2014; Cost R600.00; Contact Albert 0828219585 or Carlos 0824025319; e m a i l [albony@gmail.com](mailto:albony@gmail.com)

