21ST APRIL 2024
4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER
YEAR B
PSALTER WEEK IV

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

SAINTS FOR THE WEEK

20 SAINT MARCELLINUS
21 SAINT ANSELM
21 WORLD DAY OF PRAYER AND FOR VOCATIONS
22 SAINT THEODORE OF SYKEON
23 SAINT GEORGE AND SAINT ADALBERT
24 SAINT FIDELIS OF SIGMARINGEN
25 SAINT MARK, THE EVANGELIST
26 SAINT ALDOBRANDESCA

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA
LED BY FR. THOMAS
09-17 OCTOBER 2024
PACKAGE PRICE R30995-00 PP SHARING (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)
FOR INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT US ON 0123420179
info@micasatours.co.za
www.micasatours.co.za

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES

1. **24-26 MAY 2024** (deadline for forms 19/05/2024)
2. **30 AUGUST 2024** (deadline for forms 25/08/2024)
3. **25-27 OCTOBER 2024** (deadline for forms 20/10/2024)

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

MORNING PRAYERS
Tues, Wed, Thursday & Friday – 08h00 Rosary. Holy Mass begins at 08h30

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION: Before or after morning Mass, by appointment or Saturdays @ 16h00 to 16h45

MONDAYS –FATHER'S DAY OFF ~ NO MORNING MASS

WEEKEND MASSES
Saturday: 17h00 Sunday: 07h30 / 09h30 / 17h00. Polish Masses will now be celebrated at NAZARETH HOUSE. Elzbieta Osuch - 082 770 0629

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 or Teresa on 012 361 1561 Tues to 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.

CWL: Contact Delene Holt 0825602224 deleneholt@gmail.com

BEREAVEMENT MINISTY: Please contact: Leanne Pillay 0843811930 and Margaret Marakalala 0797426666

FLOWERS: Gill Enslin – 082 499 3973

REPOSITORY OPENING TIMES: New time to be announced.

RCIA & ADULT ENQUIRY CLASSES: Adult Enquiry classes **2024** will commence on Thursday, 15th February, 18h30 to 19h45 in Pretoria East. These classes are for those who have been baptized in the Holy Trinity and would like to convert to Catholicism or for post school Adult Catholics who need to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Kindly make an appointment to see Fr. Thomas (012 3611561) before contacting Maria Botha (0833971064 on WhatsApp). mariabotha2@gmail.com
Marie McCrea van der Merwe 0796920365 mariea.mccrea@gmail.com

CATECHISM CLASSES 2024: Compulsory Gr 1 – Gr 11.
TERM 2 5 MAY -9 JUNE TERM 3 7 JULY – 4 AUGUST | TERM 4 1 SEPTEMBER TO 15 SEPTEMBER TERM 5 6 OCTOBER TO 27 OCTOBER 2024
Nicki Koorbanally 082 835 9432 - nkoorbanally@gmail.com
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ALTAR SERVERS: Jan d'Oliveira 0824980614; Alvaro Peres 0824476231

READERS: SHANNON SMITH 0836269889 shannon.smith@meerfax.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 R50-00 per intention.

KNIGHTS OF DA GAMA: Charlie Higgins C4 –0787843020

CARITAS: Charlotte Chellan 0844269841 - Linda Forson 0827898183

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SUN 09H30	WISHING DEACON FRANCIS AND KATHY A VERY HAPPY ANNIVERSARY THANKSGIVING FOR ALL THE BLESSINGS FOR A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS VENTURE & PARTNERSHIP
TUES 08H30	FOR +LEIGH REILLY ON HIS 2ND ANNIVERSARY RIP
WED 08H30	FOR +CARLOS BRANCO 3RD ANNIVERSARY

PRAYER LIST FOR ALL OUR ILL PARISHIONERS:

THOMAS JOHNSON, DELENE HOLT, DEACON FRANCIS, MARIA DE NOBREGA, JAN FOURIE, WILLIAM WOLFF, ROSE WILLIAMS, VERONICA WHEATER, MRS ZDENKA PELEGRIN, MR VLADIMIR PELEGRIN, HENRIETTA LANGMI,LORNA CAMERON, FIONA ELIZABETH VAN STRATEN, MARY ANN MOORE, TERESA WHITSON, ISABELLA MOSTERT, MILA ROSE DE FREITAS, IAN MORRIS, FONNIE DU PLOOY, FAYE BOUWER, DEBBIE REILLY; MONICA CUTUGNO, LINDA MUNKS

NB. PLEASE INFORM THE PARISH OFFICE OF SICK PARISHIONERS NOT ON THE LIST SO THEY TOO MAY RECEIVE PASTORAL CARE AND PRAYERS.

REMEMBER TO JOIN US IN THE GARDENS FOR A BRING AND SHARE AFTER THE 09H30 MASS TODAY.

Come and wish Father Thomas a very happy birthday, meet your fellow parishioners and enjoy a day in the garden! All are most welcome.

SECOND COLLECTION AT ALL MASS THIS WEEKEND FOR:
SOCIETY OF ST. PETER THE APOSTLE *(Vocations Sunday)*

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Today the Church throughout the world prays for vocations. Will you make a special effort to ask the Lord for vocations to the priesthood and religious life? Pray for the priests who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and dead. Encourage your children, grandchildren, or other young people to consider a vocation as a priest or religious brother or sister. Pray a rosary for more young men and women in our diocese to respond to God's call.

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

As Catholics, we firmly believe that God has a plan for our lives! He calls some to marriage, some to the priesthood, and others to religious life or to live as generous single people. Fully living our own vocations—and teaching young people how to discern God's call—is a serious duty, but also a joyful one. During this week, please encourage the young people in your life—children, grandchildren, students, and friends—to be open if God calls them to priesthood or religious life.

Book display of Daughters of St Paul on the following Sundays 12 May, 19 May, 26 May. PAULINE BOOKS & MEDIA Phone: 011 615 1598 / 011 622 5195 https://www.revonline.co.za/paulinesaonlineshop

DATES TO REMEMBER: 24/05/2024 Sop & Dop. 30/08/2024 Spring Dance | 05/10/2024 International Fete. Contact ***Lillian 0834191588.***

CWL BANKING DETAILS: ***Catholic Women's League, Std. Bank, The Grove 012445 A/c 012207780.***

PRAYER TO THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Good Shepherd, you know us by our name and our identity is not hidden from you. Gather us to yourself as a shepherd gathers the sheep, that we might know your Name. Lord in your mercy, Hear our prayer. Amen.

BAPTISM TRAINING DATE	BAPTISM DATE	BAPTISM TRAINING DATE	BAPTISM DATE
27/04/2024 10/08/2024	18/05/2024 24/08/2024 | 11h00-12h30	09/11/2024 TIMES 09H30 – 11H30	30/11/2024 TIMES 11H00-12H30