ST JOHN FISHER
CATHOLIC CHURCH
LYNNWOOD

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Monday and Friday mornings from 09h00–14h00

MORNING PRAYERS

Monday – Friday – 07h45
Liturgy of the Hour and Rosary
Monday – Friday – 08h30 – Holy Mass

TUESDAYS – NO MORNING PRAYERS OR MASS AS THIS IS FATHER'S DAY OFF

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 18h00
Sunday 07h30 / 09h30 / 18h00 English
Sunday 11h00 Polish Mass

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturday 17h00 to 17h45
During the week before or after morning prayers.

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28 MAY 2017
ASCENSION OF THE LORD - YEAR A
THE SUNDAY MISSAL 261
THE DAILY MISSAL 558
PSALTER WEEK III

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 foyer of the church, so we can personally give you a warm welcome to the Parish. God bless.

WEEKEND DUTIES

SATURDAY 18H00 EME	**LEE BECKWITH TERESA WHITSON**
READERS	**LINDA WOLFF MONICA CUTUGNO**
SUNDAY 07H30 EME	**RENEW AFRICA GROUP**
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09H30 EME	**LILLIAN NAIDOO ALVARO PERES**
READERS	**BERNARD BISCHOFF NTOMBI ZITHA**
18H00 EME	**DEON MYBURGH MARIA BOTHA**
READERS	**VANESSA KING JEREMY BERMUDEZ**

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY 18H00	✞ **Manuel Cruz de Nobrega**
SUNDAY 07H30	**For the Parish**
SUNDAY 09H30	✞ **Owen Alexander Lowman 4th Anniversary**
SUNDAY 11H00	**Special Intention**
SUNDAY 18H00	**For the repose of the souls of Fabio & Andrea Vielmetti**
MONDAY 08H30	**Special Intention**
THURSDAY 08H30	**HOLY SOULS**

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Notice must be given at least six months before receiving the Sacrament of Marriage. The next Marriage Preparation Course will take place at Zwaavelpoort Parish. Contact Msgr Marc de Meulenaere 073 255 8360. The MAP course is held on the 1st Saturday of Feb – May – Aug and Nov every year, and the cost is R650-00 per couple.

BAPTISMS

Notice for the preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism has to be done at least one month before the Sacrament. MARIA BOTHA: 083 397 1064

POLISH COMMUNITY

Elzbieta Osuch: 082 770 0629
Mietek Polluk: 083 250 5049

WALL OF REMEMBERANCE / CWL/ FLOWERS/ HALL
DELENE HOLT 082 560 2224 / 012-803 0287

ADULT ENQUIRY CLASSES
MARIE McCREA 079 692 0365 marie@cil.net
MARIA BOTHA 0833971064 mariabotha2@gmail.com

YOUTH AT ST JOHN FISHER
Martin Botha 0722556762 Cassie Botha 0833971069

CATECHISM CLASSES
SUNDAYS 08H30 TO 09H30 THURSDAYS 17H15 TO 18H15
FRANK ALTON 082 822 6083

CONGRATULATIONS TO FATHER BOGDAN

Congratulations Father on your 36th Anniversary as an ordained priest. May Our Lord and Our Lady continue to bless you, keep you strong and with us for many years to come! Prayer for Father Bogdan.

O Jesus, our great High Priest, hear our humble prayers on behalf of your priest, Father Bogdan. Give him a deep faith, a bright and firm hope and a burning love which will ever increase in the course of his priestly life. In his loneliness, comfort him, in his sorrows, strengthen him, in his frustrations, point out to him that it is through suffering that the soul is purified, and show him that he is needed by the Church, he is needed by souls, he is needed for the work of redemption. O loving Mother Mary, Mother of Priests, take to your heart your son who is close to you because of his priestly ordination, and because of the power which he has received to carry on the work of Christ in a world which needs him so much. Be his comfort, be his joy and be his strength. Amen

BAPTISMS

This week we welcome into our Catholic family:

NEVE ~ ROSE LOVELL
ALYSSA FABBRI

USHERS FOR SUNDAY 18H00 MASS

Ushers are needed for the Sunday 18h00 Mass, to welcome parishioners and assist visitors/new parishioners before Mass as they arrive. It is on a roster basis, once per month. There is a list at the back of the church to sign up, or you can contact the parish office, Martin 0722556762 or Cassandra 0833977097.

KNIGHTS OF DA GAMA BLANKET FUND

The Knights of Da Gama have for the past 38 years run an annual campaign to purchase blankets for the poor. This year the KDG will have a collection at our parish at all Masses on the weekend of **27/28 May 2017.** Please be generous and support them so they can keep the poor and the needy warm. Many thanks

KNIGHTS OF DA GAME FAMILY CHICKEN BRAAI PICNIC

Venue: CBC School – Mount Edmund
Date: Sunday 25 June 2017 Time: 10:00 to 17:00
Cost: R100-00 per head includes ½ chicken, roll and salads

Tickets will be sold at all Masses on 27-28 May
Contact: Deon Myburgh – 063 848 1202

ADDITIONAL CATECHISM CLASSES

For children in grades 8 to 11 who have not yet prepared for the Sacraments of Confession and Holy Communion extra lessons will take place at St John Fisher between **09h30 and 10h30** on the following Sundays:
MAY 28 ~~ JUNE 4 / 11 / 28

THANK YOU

Sincere thanks to Fr. Bogdan for receiving my husband Leon Myburgh into full communion with the Catholic Church this week. God bless Monica Myburgh

POLISH PIEROGI (DUMPLING) DAY

DATE 4TH JUNE 2017 TIME 12H00
VENUE PARISH GARDENS
COST R45-00pp which includes 8 dumplings and salad. A cash bar will be available as well as tea and coffee. Please support us and come and enjoy a fun filled family day! Tickets are on sale each week after all the weekend Masses. Thank you ☺

ZWAAVELPOORT POTJIE KOS COMPETITION

DATE 28 MAY 2017
VENUE CHURCH OF THE BEATITUDES ZP
COST R80-00pp TIME: after 09h30 Mass
Anyone wanting to attend please contact Msgr. Marc 0732558360

PRIEST FROM AUSTRALIA

Father will have only one visiting priest from Australia for a week - 30 May to 4 June 2017. Let's give him a warm St. John Fisher welcome!

MASS INTENTIONS

Please write your Mass Intentions and preferred Mass time on an envelope and give to Father personally or place in the collection plate. Thank you and God bless.

PLANNED GIVING CAMPAIGN

We would like to thank all our parishioners who help to keep the church working with your generous donations. Should you wish to join the Planned Giving System and need envelopes for the rest of this year please take them from the foyer of the church. For those of you who wish to EFT your donations please see the banking details at the beginning of the bulletin.

DATES TO REMEMBER

7 October 2017	Chicken/Lamb/Pig on the spit

LAST BUT NOT LEAST!

Every now and then it's wonderful to have the opportunity to say thank you to the Parish! Easter is long gone and the Holy Spirit is knocking on the door to celebrate Pentecost! I would like to thank everyone who perform a vast amount of duties behind the scenes and who makes our parish as vibrant as it is. It makes my job so much easier!

Just a reminder I will be away in Poland from 12 June to 20 July 2017. God bless Father Bogdan.

If you are kind, people may accuse you of ulterior motives. Be kind anyway! Saint Mother Teresa

PLEASE TAKE THE BULLETIN HOME OR PLACE IT IN THE LEAFLET BOX IN THE FOYER WHEN YOU LEAVE THE CHURCH.