

28TH SEPTEMBER 2025
26TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
PSALTER WEEK 11
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

27 St Vincent de Paul
 28 Saint Wenceslaus
 30 Saint Jerome
 1 Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus (of Lisieux)
 2 Guardian Angels
 3 Saint Mother Théodore Guérin
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

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: avokay7@gmail.com
 Phone 0712758328

ALTAR SERVERS:
 Alvaro Peres 0824476231

ST. JOHN FISHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

Parish Priest: Fr. Thomas Vanderkunnell
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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 with the names of the parents and child/children who are to be baptised. Please ensure at least ONE month's notice is given to allow for preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism

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

CWL: Contact Delene Holt 082 560 2224, 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
 Cornelia Masogo 082 344 2364 mehlapewealth@gmail.com
 or Jan Rademeyer 073 136 0893, rademeyerjana@gmail.com

CATECHISM CLASSES 2025: Compulsory Gr 1 – Gr 11.

Contact: Shalene de Olim 0720653074 shalenedeolim@gmail.com

TERM - 2025	CATECHISM TERM	
	26 OCT	1 08:45 to 09:45
4	2 NOV – 30 NOV	5 08:45 to 09:45

READERS: Shannon Smith 083 626 9889,
shannon.smith@meerfax.com

Domestic work required:

Please contact Stella on 067 650 6108

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT 17:00	FOR †ANA ROCHA DA SILVA RIP	FOR †CHRISTINA DA SILVA RIP
	FOR †JOSE ANTONIO DA SILVA RIP	FOR †MARIA GORETE DEHLEN RIP
SUN 10:00	FOR †DR FRANCIS IDIKA RIP	THANKSGIVING FOR 59 YEARS OF MARRIAGE
TUES 08:30	FOR MEDAIR HUMANITARIAN OUTREACH PROJECTS,	

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, ANDREA STRYDOM, BEP COMMANDEUR

NB: Please inform the parish office of sick parishioners not on the list so they too may receive prayers

SECOND COLLECTION AT ALL MASSES ON THE 4TH & 5TH OCTOBER - MISSION MONTH

BIBLE DIARIES for 2026 “JOY OF THE GOSPEL” are now available from the Repository and the Office. Cost 130.00 each
ROSARY: South Africa needs Our Lady, **Public Rosary Crusade**, 11th October 2025 at 15:00 for 15:30. We gather at the public circle across from St John Fisher Catholic Church, Lynnwood. Bring your own chair or blanket.

FURTHER NOTICE ON EVANGELIZATION

PARISHIONERS PLEASE NOTE: It has been decided that the workshop on the 4 October will be bring and share. **YOU ARE ALL ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND** - even if you have not yet submitted your name to the parish office.
LAUDATO SI CHAPLET HIKE: let's celebrate the season of creation.

Through Prayer and Action. For the well-being of God's Creation.

When: Saturday 4th October. **Where:** Faerie Glen Nature Reserve. **Time:** 09:00am. Bring & Share event. **Contact** Ethel 0842548053 or Boipelo 0764316245 St Pius X Catholic Church, Waterkloof.

THANK YOU: The Knights of Da Gama, Corpus Christi Council No.4, hereby express their heartfelt gratitude to the parish of St John Fisher, for the generous donation of R30 465.00, towards the Winter Blanket Drive 2025.

In the Catholic Church, the month of **OCTOBER** is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. This devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary and her son, Jesus, involves a series of prayers and meditations on key events in the lives of Christ and Mary. This month-long observance coincides with the liturgical Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, celebrated on October 7th.

