1ST AUGUST 2021
18th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR * B
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. To all our visitors today ~ welcome and enjoy your visit. God bless. Fr. Bogdan

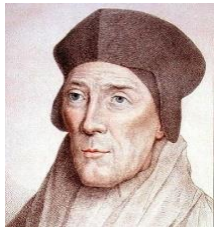
PLANNED GIVING CAMPAIGN

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 donate electronically (EFT) please see the banking details in the bulletin.

"Let us run to Mary, and, as her little children, cast ourselves into her arms with a perfect confidence."

01/08 ST. ALPHONSUS MARIA DE LIGUORI
02/08 ST. EUSEBIUS OF VERCELLI
03/08 ST. PETER JULIAN EYMARD
04/08 ST. JOHN MARY VIANNEY
05/08 DEDICATION OF THE BASILICA OF SAINT MARY MAJOR
06/08 TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD
07/08 ST. SIXTUS II, POPE, & CO.
ST. CAJETAN, PRIEST

ST. JOHN FISHER CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Sabie works Monday and Friday mornings from 09h00–14h00

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

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

WEEKEND MASSES
Saturday: 17h00 Sunday: **08H00** / 09h30 / 17h00 English Sunday: 11h00 Polish Mass NB MASS TIME CHANGE SUNDAY MORNING

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION
PLEASE MAKE AN ARRANGEMENT WITH FATHER BOGDAN DURING THIS COVID PANDEMIC

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE
Notice must be given at least six months before receiving the Sacrament of Marriage.

BAPTISMS: Notice for the preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism has to be done at least one month before the Sacrament is received. Please contact: MARIA BOTHA: 0833971064

POLISH COMMUNITY
ELZBIETA OSUCH: 082 770 0629

WALL OF REMEMBERANCE / CWL

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ADULT ENQUIRY CLASSES
MARIE McCREA VD MERWE079 692 0365 marie@cil.net
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CATECHISM CLASSES – Compulsory for all children G1-G11. (FRANCIS WARD 0724197580 kib@eyecare.co.za).
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YOUTH GROUP: Kolade Ayo-Yusuf 0712758328 and Kiara Ragoonath 0833262325

ALTAR SERVERS: Jan d'Oliveira 0824980614; Alvaro Peres 0824476231

MASS INTENTIONS: Please place your Mass intention into an envelope clearly marked with the intention and preferred Mass time. This can be handed to Father personally or placed in the collection box.

MASS INTENTIONS:

1. Please pray for the hungry and our vulnerable people whose damage to livelihoods has been destroyed by unrest and the Covid-19 pandemic. We are all in need for the bread of life spiritually and physically.
2. Please pray for all our **priests** who have Covid and for those who have died from this virus. May they rest in peace.
3. For **all** who have covid-19 and all who have died of this virus may our lord receive them into his kingdom and may they rest in eternal peace.
4. For those who are ill in hospital or at home and are unable to receive the anointing of the sick or the last sacraments during this time when Father Bogdan is unable to visit these parishioners
5. **BLESSINGS FOR A 40TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY FOR MR RYSZARD AND MRS URSZULA KACKA~ CONGRATULATIONS AND GOD BLESS YOU WITH MANY MORE!**

THE CHURCH IS OPEN AGAIN ~ THANKS BE TO GOD. ALL MASS TIMES REMAIN AT THE NORMAL TIMES BUT WE CAN ONLY ACCOMMODATE 40 PEOPLE AT THE WEEKEND MASSES SO PLEASE IF YOU ARE ABLE TO ATTEND MASS DURING THE WEEK OR WATCH MASS ONLINE THIS WILL FULFILL YOUR SUNDAY OBLIGATION. WE NEED TO BE VERY CAREFUL DURING THIS TIME AS WE HAVE ONLY SLIGHTLY TURNED OVER THE PEAK OF THIS THIRD WAVE. LET'S STAY SAFE AND WELL. GOD BLESS US ALL.

We shall resume CATECHISM classes again on **29 August 2021**

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE APPEAL ~ FOOD PARCEL PROJECT: If you are able to donate funds towards our Food Parcel Project, please deposit into our account as follows: Catholic Women's League, Standard Bank, The Grove 012445. Account No. 012207780. Your ref. CWL Food Parcels. Thank you so much!

TO ALL OUR NEW PARISHIONERS, WELCOME! WE HOPE YOUR STAY WITH US IS A HAPPY AND SPIRITUAL ONE.

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On 8 August 2021 St. John Fisher Church will be 60 years old.

A prayer for the Holy Church and Priests.

O my Jesus, I beg You on behalf of the whole Church: Grant it love and the light of Your Spirit and give power to the words of priests so that hardened hearts might be brought to repentance and return to You, O Lord. Lord, give us holy priests; You Yourself maintain them in holiness. O Divine and Great High Priest, may the power of Your mercy accompany them everywhere and protect them from the devil's traps and snares which are continually being set for the souls of priests. May the power of Your mercy, O Lord, shatter and bring to naught all that might tarnish the sanctity of priests, for You can do all things. I ask You, Jesus, for a special blessing and for light for the priests before whom I will make my confessions throughout my lifetime. Amen.

Hopefully in the not too distant future we will be able to celebrate this wonderful occasion together with NO restrictions. Thank you to Father Bogdan who has been our shepherd for the past 7 years and we hope for the next 7 years or more! You have really had such an impact on all of our lives here, we really are most appreciative of you. May God and his Blessed Mother Mary hold all of us at St. John Fisher in the palm of their hands today and always. ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝ ✝