

Parish Notices

Nazareth House Second Collection: There will be a second collection in aid of Nazareth House at all Masses this weekend (20/21 May). *Envelopes are available in the benches.*

Fr Jonathan is away on the Camino till 26 May. *Please keep him in your prayers during his pilgrimage.* In the case of a pastoral emergency, please call Fr Arinze on 084 693 7699.

There will be a **Zimbabwean Mass** held at St Augustine's Cathedral on 28 May 2017 at 15:00 to be celebrated by Fr Trymos Munyaka. The celebration will be done in the Zimbabwean language (Shona & Ndebele). This is to be a regular Mass on the last Sunday of every month. All are welcome to attend.

Nazareth House Street Collection: The CWL are in need of help with this annual street collection on *Saturday 3 June* and are asking for one hour of your time. If you are able to assist, please phone Angie Betz on 041 -3688170 or 083 650 3515.

Oratory Draw: The end of month *tea* and Friends of the Oratory *draw* will take place in the hall after the 08:30 Mass next Sunday 28 May, so come along for refreshments and fellowship. Maybe you will win a prize in the Oratory draw!

Regular food donation to St Vincent de Paul: Next week, you are requested to bring sugar beans for samp to Mass and put it in the box at the back of the church.

Morning Market: St Augustine's Cathedral, MacSherry Hall, *Saturday 10 June from 09:00 to 14:00.* There will be various food & craft stalls. St Bernadette's will be hosting the "Cake Stall". We appeal to all parishioners to support this event, either by donating cakes or by attending this festive Morning Market. Contributions can be dropped off at the parish office on Friday 9 June before 13:00 or call Debbie 082 560 6230 to collect. *Proceeds will go towards CWL charities.*

Other News and Events

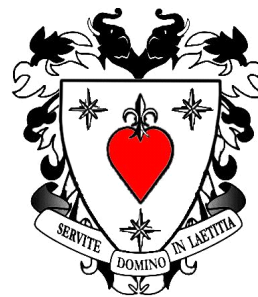
Winter Living Theology (WLT) 2017: The theme for this year's series of lectures is "Finding God in Recovery and Addiction". The series will be presented from 11 to 13 of July by Fr. Thomas C. Weston, S.J at St Luke's. It is open to laity, clergy and religious of all religious denominations. For more information contact the Pastoral Development Office on 041 3652117 or email info@pastoraldevelopment.org.

Wedding Anniversaries for this week! Congratulations to

Theo & Ronel Ostrelina—12 yrs on 21/05
David & Caron Curtis—26 yrs on 25/05
Miles & Sally Forsdick—26 yrs on 25/05

Alain & Linda de Robillard—33 yrs on 25/05
Robin & Janine Williams—10 yrs on 26/05
Crossie & Inge Crossman—16 yrs on 26/05

May Shrine to Our Lady: During May (the Month of Our Lady), the Lourdes Grotto is decorated with flowers as the May Shrine where we can pray for an end to abortion in our world. *We also pray that those who have been affected personally by abortion may find peace in the merciful love of Jesus, and acceptance in the parish community.* Donations of flowers for the Shrine are very welcome. *During this time any cash donations placed in the "Flower Box" (as you leave the church, in the wall next to the doors on the left hand side) will be in aid of Marian Villa — the Catholic home for ladies in crisis pregnancy situations. Please remember this valuable apostolate in your prayers.*



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Sunday 21 May 2017 : 6th Sunday of Easter (A)

Mass/Devotion Times	General Information
<p>Sunday Masses</p> <p>Saturday 18:00 (Vigil) <i>Gregorian Chant</i></p> <p>Sunday 07:00 <i>Said</i> 08:30 <i>Choir</i> 10:00 <i>Extraordinary Form Latin with Chant</i> 11:00 <i>Walmer Township</i> 18:00 <i>Youth</i></p> <p>Sunday Readings <i>Daily Missal 536 Sunday Missal 263</i> <i>Collins – Old 258 New 337 Roman Missal 638</i> <i>Ext. Form: 5th Sunday after Easter</i></p> <p>Weekdays <i>(please use Fordyce Rd entrance)</i> Mon-Fri: 08:30 & 17:30 Sat: 08:30</p> <p>Confessions 20 mins before all Sun. morning Masses; Sunday evenings from 17:30; Saturdays from 17:00; Fridays 16:30-17:20 at other times on request.</p> <p>Solemn Vespers Sunday 17:00</p> <p>Exposition <i>Friday 16:30</i> <i>Saturday 17:00</i></p> <p>Benediction <i>Saturday 17:40</i> <i>Sunday 17:30</i></p>	<p><i>The Parish is served by the Fathers and Brothers of the Port Elizabeth Congregation of the Oratory of St Philip Neri (see foot of the page)</i></p> <p>Parish Staff</p> <p>Parish Administrator: Fr Jonathan Vermaak Permanent Deacon: Rev. John Slim 041 582 2580 / 073 2000 511 Parish Financial Secretary: Mrs Rita Mitchell (h) 041 373 5894 Parish Secretary: Mrs Ann Mowatt (cell) 073 247 1316 <i>Emergency Only Number 084 693 7699 (temporary)</i></p> <p>Office hours: Mon-Fri: 09:00-12:00 Office Tel: 041 581 2035</p> <p>First Friday <i>On the first Friday of each month we focus on the devotion to Our Lord's Sacred Heart, according to his promises to St Margaret Mary Alacoque. Masses are celebrated at the altar of the Sacred Heart.</i></p> <p>Divine Mercy Monday after the 08:30 Mass</p> <p>Rosary Tuesday—Saturday after the 08:30 Mass</p> <p>Psalm response: <i>Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.</i></p>

Very Rev. Fr Gregory Mitchell (Provost) • Fr Grant James (Vice-Provost) • Fr Johnny Johnson
Fr Phillip Vietri • Fr Jonathan Vermaak • Fr Lewis Berry • Fr Xolisa Mafu • Fr Henry Ezenwanne
Fr Cyriacus Okoro • Fr Michael Theron • Fr Thando Jokozela • Fr Arinze Okeke

Novice: Br Paul Onwuegbuchulam

Sat	For 6th Sunday of Easter	18:00	Alan Clarke RIP (His family)
Sun	6th Sunday of Easter Novena of St Philip	07:00	<i>Pro populo</i>
		08:30	Intentions of Fr Arinze (The Oratory)
		10:00	In thanksgiving (Nicholas Mitchell & family)
Mon	<i>Feria / St Rita of Cascia</i> Novena of St Philip	18:00	Fr Arinze: Priestly Anniversary (The Oratory)
		08:30	Fr Grant: Priestly Anniversary (The Oratory)
		17:30	Fr Henry: Priestly Anniversary (The Oratory)
Tues	<i>Feria</i> Novena of St Philip	08:30	Elain Vietri RIP (The Oratory)
		17:30	For a special intention
Wed	<i>Our Lady Help of Christians</i> Novena of St Philip	08:30	Intentions of Fr Henry (The Oratory)
		17:30	For Life Teen members & Core leaders
Thurs	<i>Feria / St Bede the Venerable; St Gregory VII; St Mary Magdalene de Pazzi</i> Novena of St Philip	08:30	For rain and an end to the drought
		17:30	Intentions of the friends and benefactors of the Oratory (The Oratory)
Fri	St Philip Neri	08:30	<i>Pro populo</i>
Sat	<i>Feria / St Augustine of Canterbury</i> For Ascension of the Lord	17:30	For the Oratory
		08:30	Intentions of Megan & Simon Mowatt (André Mukheibir)
Sun	Ascension of the Lord	18:00	Alan Clarke RIP (Moira Boshoff)
		07:00	<i>Pro populo</i>
		08:30	Geoff Mandy RIP (Anniv.) (Shirley Mandy)
		10:00	For the Holy Souls (Nicholas Mitchell & family)
		18:00	For financial support for the Diocesan Care Ministry (Care Ministry)

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Sunday	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Ages 3 to 6) from 08:00 to 09:00 in the Parish Centre. Grades 1 & 2 also welcome. LIFE TEEN (Grs 8-12) after the Sunday 18:00 Mass, in the Life Teen room.	
Monday	Divine Mercy Devotions after 08:30 Mass.	
Tuesday	Secular Oratory from 19:00 to 20:30 in the Parish Centre.	
Wednesday		
Thursday	Confirmation classes from 19:15 - 20:15 in the Life Teen room. RCIA from 19:15 - 20:30, contact the parish office for details.	
Friday	Care Ministers' Meeting at 10:00 at Sue Patten's home (9 Hampton Road, Mill Park). Catechism classes (Grs 3 & 4) from 17:00 - 18:00 in the Parish Centre. EDGE (Grs 5 -7) from 17:00 - 18:00 in the Parish Centre.	
Saturday		

Feast Day and Novena of St Philip Neri

This Friday (26th May) is the Solemnity of St Philip Neri, Founder of the Oratory. There is a Solemn Sung Mass at 5.30pm, at which the visiting preacher will be Father Michael van Heerden, founding rector of Saint Francis' seminary @ St Augustine's University. Refreshments will be served after Mass in the parish hall. All are welcome.

Our daily Novena prayers in preparation for the feast continue after the 8.30am Mass on weekdays; after the 5.30pm Mass the Novena is being solemnly kept together with the Oratorian Fathers, accompanied by music and including a meditation on the life of St Philip (lasts 10-15 mins).

The Regina Caeli

- V: Queen of Heaven, rejoice, Alleluia.
- R: **For He whom you did merit to bear, Alleluia.**
- V: Has risen, as He said, Alleluia.
- R: **Pray for us to God, Alleluia.**
- V: Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, Alleluia.
- R: **For the Lord has truly risen, Alleluia.**

Let us pray. **O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.**



PRAYER LIST Of your charity, please pray for:

Aidan Kisbey-Green; Silvia Warwick; Liz Glass; Pauline Coleman; Michael Hechter; Fr Johnson; Nicholas Camp; Ruth Coupe; Othandwayo Tyokwana; James Chapman; Kirsty Henderson; Ann Theron; Betty Lambson; Ben Williams; Brydie Dolan; Stephen Smith; Desiree Cornell; Glenda Mandy; Jackie Barclay; Audrey Cambier; Shane Merifield; Edith Staltz; Melanie Gertenbach; Harry O'Brien; Sean Bateman; Ben Murray; Tony Hall; David Hall; Brian Dawson; Jenny Cullum; Drew von Bratt; Val Duigan; Patrick Talbot; William Chapman; Vic Gradwell; Robert Dale; Brian Reid; Sandy Taalman; Elizabeth West; Tony Stephens; Don Robertson; Jacqueline Moore, Alain de Robillard; Mike Gibson; Andree Desterbecq; Leo Crossman; Bennie Vosloo; George Randall; Maryanne Clarke; Denise Cornish; Terry Geere; Stella Rensburg; Mark West; Elizabeth Black; Kay Carr; Neal Abrey; Alys Nagle; Sandra Ferreira; Peter Rowse; Maureen Hackney; Ren Wightman; Sr M. Illtyd; Michael Sullivan; Kathy Brown.