

7 February 2021

5th Sunday After The Epiphany

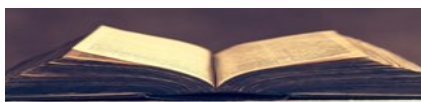


All Saints Anglican Church

Encountering the love of God in our relationships, sharing our journey as we discover God in the plan and learning to trust God in and for every situation.

THE READINGS FOR THE DAY

Readings: Isaiah 40 : 21 - 31
1 Corinthians 9 : 16 - 23
Psalm: 147 : 1 - 11 (pg.789)
Gospel: Mark 1 : 29 - 39



THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Everlasting God,
You heal the sick and restore the distressed:
Make us agents of your healing and wholeness,
that your good news may be experienced
throughout creation,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord;
Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
One God for ever and ever.
Amen

MESSAGE FROM REV'D ANASTASIA

"LIVING IN RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE"

Beautiful saints, planted by grace in this place, peace be with you.

It is with great excitement that I can confirm our Bishop has instructed in person services will resume on Sunday 14th February! I have missed seeing your beautiful faces, and am looking forward to worshipping together again. Given our experience last year, we have decided to only have ONE service per Sunday @ 8h30 until the restricted number of 50 is reached and it makes sense to offer two services. As leadership we continue to expect a series of rolling lockdowns for 2021 and have therefore made preparations to also live stream our services on the zoom platform. We will be experimenting with zoom at our evening Ash Wednesday Service @18h00. We hope that this combination of in person and live stream will encourage a sense of the whole community worshipping together even if not physically co-located. It will be a learning curve and we trust your grace as we navigate this new complexity!

Our Gospel this morning points to how Jesus grounds his entire ministry in personal prayer. We understand that this time of prayer empowers him for the healing miracles, gives him discernment in where God is leading, and informs his preaching and teaching. This raises for us the promise of what a community of praying people are able to achieve in God's grace. As we pray individually and collectively God will refresh us, empower us for ministry, grant us discernment to follow where He leads, and allow us to do wonderful things in His name.

I am praying for you, please continue to pray for me.

With love and light always.



NOTICES

Opening of in person services: We return to in person services on Sunday 14 February, under the revised COVID compliance guidelines from Province. Please note that services are still limited to 50 people. **There will only be ONE SERVICE per Sunday at 8h30 until the numbers require two services.**

Annual Vestry Reports & 2020 Financials will be presented & distributed on Sunday 14 February . Please note that the Province has cancelled all Vestry meetings for 2021. The current Parish Council will remain in place and Exco has been given power to co-opt voting members as needed.

Ash Wednesday Services There will be **two services** . **An in person 9h30 service, and an in person AND zoom live streamed service at 18h00.** Please ensure you use the correct registration form to sign up for services you are interested in attending. If you are unsure please feel free to contact the office for assistance.



Please pray for

Louisa Snyman, Graham Taylor, Colleen Butler, Ernie Mutch, Ronel Briers, Barbara Morrison, Gwen Alexander, Elaine Elliott, Shona Flemming, Peter McMurray, Talfryn & Liz Davies, Tish White, Esness Motsa, Thelma Muir, Luleka Mekane, Thembi Ndlovu, Jane Chithila Kapanga, Ada Rebelo, Judith & Colin Sims, Dorothy Carey, Adrian Krige, Mike & Carol Zingel, Nadene Twidale, Tony & Sue Poriazis, Rev. Bruce Smith, The residents of Evergreen Village, Arch Bishop Emeritus Desmond Tutu, Dilia DeCaires, Gerald and Margaret Ebertson, Cheryl & Bill Jearey, Rajan & Devendra Gounden, Clyde Van Zyl, Malcolm Samuel, Maseri Seretlo & Caitlyn Oliver

We remember in love those who have died
(7 - 13 February)

Edward (Ted) Sander
Joan Jackson
Avies Ellis
Trevor Ellis
Eddie Roebert

RIP : Chose Choeru

We pray for the Choeru family and continue to pray for Lindsay and the DeVilliers, the Richards (and Love) family, Nadene and the Twidale Family and for the Mathabathe family during this time

Mark 1, 29-39



Parents-In-Waiting

Contact Heather:-(083-789-7311/
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Sign up for our services

Sunday, 14 February, 08h30

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17 February, 09h30 (Ash Wednesday)

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1CerI7KwX4zGEoh_AFnG589XdbhKoTpAuQwO_A2rm2nrM/edit?usp=drivesdk

17 February, 18h00 (Ash Wednesday - in person service)

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17 February, 18h00 (Ash Wednesday - Online Service)

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