

1 August 2021

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

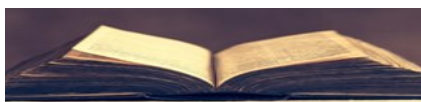


All Saints Anglican Church

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: 2 Samuel 11 : 26 -12 : 13a
Ephesians 4 : 1 - 16
Psalm: 51 : 1 - 12 (pg.66 6)
Gospel: John 6 : 24 - 35



THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Gracious Father,
Your Son Jesus Christ
came from heaven to be the true bread:
Evermore give us this bread,
that he may live in us and we in him;
Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,
One God, now and for ever. Amen

MESSAGE FROM REVD ANASTASIA

Beautiful saints of God, planted by grace in this community, peace be with you.

Every August, we as the community of the faithful, have the opportunity to more deeply reflect on and practice **compassion**. The Gospels tell us that Jesus did many miracles because He “was moved with compassion”. How do we become more moved by compassion, for ourselves, our loved one’s, the church and creation? This will be our journey over the next 5 weeks. To help us journey more deeply together we have launched a “Compassion Challenge” which you can participate in via one of our social media platforms. I hope that this will create a sense of being more deeply connected to one another, for we are called to be on a journey together, growing daily into the likeness of Christ.

It is with great excitement that we reconvene our in-person services today! I have missed being physically present with you. For those who do not yet feel safe to return to in-person services just yet, please know that time and distance do not separate us as the Body of Christ. To take full advantage of the opportunity to be in-person, we are planning a number of special services this month. Today we give thanks to God for Owen, who will be sharing a powerful testimony to the impact that the compassion of others can have on a life. Next week we will celebrate Women’s Day and also have in-person Sunday school. Our Men’s Ministry will be doing something special for all the women in the parish. We will culminate the month with a Healing Service on Sunday 29 August. There has been much trauma and challenges for everyone, and this will be an opportunity to bring all of that to God.

I leave you with the encouragement from our Ephesians reading. That we are to live a life worthy of our calling, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing one another with love. May the week ahead be filled with opportunities to grow in the understanding of our calling and unity of Spirit as we navigate the challenges that will come. Pray for me, I am praying for you..



NOTICES

AUGUST IS MONTH OF COMPASSION

Please participate in our virtual "Compassion Challenge" through our WhatsApp, Facebook or Instagram platforms

Children's Church: We will have in-person offering next Sunday 8th August. Please don't forget to sign-up for service!

VIBE Connect: Our next session is on line Wednesday 4 August @ 19h00. Please contact Judith for the link.

Messy Church Our next gathering will be in person on Sunday 15 August @ 15h00

100 Club: Our draw takes place today in service! .Contact Ernie – 066 2012 103 or mutchie@mweb.co.za or Heather on 083 789 7311 to purchase a number or for more info.

June 2021 financials available on our website & notice board

Please pray for

Louisa Snyman, Colleen Butler, Ernie Mutch, Gwen Alexander, Elaine Elliott, Shona Flemming, Peter McMurray, Talfryn & Liz Davies, Tish White, Thelma Muir, Luleka Mekane, Thembi Ndlovu, Jane Chithila Kapanga, Ada Rebelo, Judith & Colin Sims, Dorothy Carey, Adrian Krige, Mike & Carol Zingel, Tony & Sue Poriazis, Rev. Bruce Smith, The Residents of Evergreen Village, Arch Bishop Emeritus Desmond Tutu, Dilia DeCaires, Gerald and Margaret Ebertson, Clyde Van Zyl, Maseri Seretlo, Caitlyn Oliver, Kurt Ellis, Craig Martins, Carol Falck, Beth Elliot, Drew Holman -Fitzpatrick, Dieneke Boom, Thandiwe Ngculu, Mawthu & Lizzy, Jeanine & Freddie Line, Sandra, Karen & Charl, Bishop Emeritus Brian Germond & family.

We remember in love those who have died

(1- 7 August)

Ronald Smuts
Agnes Blair Davies
Mary Alexander
John Twidale
Miriam Meth

We continue to pray for Cheryl Jearey and family at this time of bereavement.



Parents-In-Waiting

Contact Heather:-(083-789-7311/ hmaccserv@mweb.co.za) if you or a friend or family member are expecting and would like to be added to the prayer list.

Mario & Carla Lawrence

Lennard & Eileen Schunemann



Mdu is available to work privately doing general maintenance and gardening from 12h30 Friday to Wednesdays. He is available for a full day on Thursdays. Please contact him directly on 076 125 9619

Sign up for our services at

<http://www.allsaints.co.za/church-services/>



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