

DIARY FOR THE WEEK CYCLE B
MONDAY 22 JULY 2024 ST. MARY MAGDALENE
TUESDAY 23 JULY 2024 TUESDAY 16TH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME ST. BRIDGET OF SWEDEN
WEDNESDAY 24 JULY 2024 WEDNESDAY 16TH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME ST. SHARBEL MAKHLUF
THURSDAY 25 JULY 2024 ST JAMES, APOSTLE
FRIDAY 26 JULY 2024 FRIDAY 16TH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME SS. JOACHIM & ANNE <i>(PARENTS OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY)</i>
SATURDAY 27 JULY 2024 SATURDAY 16TH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME OR SATURDAY MASS OF OUR LADY
SUNDAY 28 JULY 2024 17TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME CYCLE B MISSAL PAGE: 704 OR 637 DAILY MISSAL : 1091

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MASS TIMES	
Weekend Obligation:	
Saturday	17h00
Sunday	07h30 ; 09h30 ; 17h00
Weekday Masses	
Monday	08h30
Tuesday	06h15
Wednesday	School Mass at 08h00 17h30
Thursday	08h30
Friday	06h15 & 17h30
Saturday	08h00
Public Holidays	08h30
CONFESSION:	
Thursday	After morning Mass
Saturday	After morning Mass

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & BENEDICTION

Will begin at 5pm every first Friday.

Every other Friday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 5 followed by Mass at 5.30pm.
First Friday Mass will be celebrated at Little Eden every first Friday at 10am.
First Saturday Novena to Our Lady of Fatima is prayed after morning Mass.

St Thérèse Worshipping Community:

Vision Statement:

"To live and grow as worshipping community in order to walk closer with our Trinitarian God."

Mission Statement:

"To engage our worshipping community by celebrating, renewing and sharing our Catholic Faith through Liturgy, Sacraments, education and serving our brothers and sisters."



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21 July 2024
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time CYCLE B
SUNDAY MISSAL: 700
OR OLD: 633
DAILY MISSAL: 1068

Pastors:
Rev. Fr. Jonathan Petersen OMI
Rev. A.R Bishop (Deacon)
Rev. D Gregory (Deacon)
Rev. F. Graham (Deacon)
Rev. M. Hughes (Deacon)
Rev. Peter Rohrbeck (Deacon)

Entrance Antiphon (Cf. Ps 54:6,8)

See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains my soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.

First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6

Responsorial Psalm 23

R: The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.

1. The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose. Near restful waters he leads me; he revives my soul. **R**

2. He guides me along the right path, for the sake of his name. Though I should walk in the valley of the shadow of death, no evil would I fear, for you are with me.

Your crook and your staff will give me comfort. **R**

3. You have prepared a table before me in the sight of my foes.

My head you have anointed with oil; my cup is overflowing. **R**

4. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life.

In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for length of days unending. **R**

Second reading: Ephesians 2:13-18

Gospel Acclamation: (Cf. John 10:27)

Alleluia, alleluia!

"My sheep hear my voice", says the Lord; "and I know them, and they follow me."

Gospel: Mark 6:30-34

Communion Antiphon: (Cf. Ps 111:4-5)

The Lord, the gracious, the merciful, has made a memorial of his wonders; he gives food to those who fear him.

Communion Reflection:

** Lord Jesus, you guard and protect us from all evil. Help me to stand firm in your word and to trust in your help in all circumstances. May I always find rest and refuge in the shelter of your presence.*

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COMMUNITY

VARIOUS INTENTIONS TO PRAY FOR:

Our Sick - Dear Lord, in your great compassion and love, we ask you to lay your healing hands on the sick and aged of our parish and all our loved ones.

The Unemployed - Dear Lord, we pray for those struggling to find employment, that through their hardship they will put their faith and trust in you.

Those who are grieving: – O Lord, we call upon You in our time of sorrow, that You give us the strength and will to bear our heavy burdens, while we struggle to comprehend life's hardships.

Pope Francis' prayer intention for the month of June: We pray with Pope Francis for migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence; may they find welcome and new life opportunities in their host countries.



We welcome into our worshipping community those who have been recently baptised:

ANOPA AND AKANI MASHIRI

SACRAMENTS AND PREPARATION

COMMUNION TO THE SICK

If you have a family member in the parish who is housebound and in need of Holy Communion, please contact the parish office.



BAPTISM



Parents are required to attend a course of instruction before the baptism of their child.

Please contact the parish office to make an

appointment.

Please ensure that you book your baby's baptism date with the office.

Please note that no baptism will be done without a booking.



MARRIAGE

Couples are required to attend a pre-marriage course of instruction or an Engaged Encounter weekend.

Please Contact Fr. Jonathan three to six months before the event.

CATECHETICS

RCIA is intended to instruct in the Catholic Faith those adults who are seeking to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church through Baptism and/or Confirmation and Holy Communion.

RCIA is your compass to the Catholic Faith.

Anyone not yet baptised; or baptised but not as a Catholic; anyone baptised as a Catholic who did not yet receive first Communion or Confirmation; fully initiated Catholics seeking fuller catechetical knowledge of their Catholic Faith; and anyone at all looking to learn more about Christianity can call the parish office to set up a meeting with Fr. Jonathan.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next weekend: -

Fundraising Tuck Shop

27 & 28 July 2024
(after all Masses)



A TASTE OF ITALY

Beef lasagne & Oran soda
Combo **R60**
(Limited veg quantities available)

Americano, Cappuccino,
Hot Chocolate & Tea's **R30**

Parishioners are invited to
please support this fundraising initiative

Upcoming Fundraising Events:

R100 Club -next draw coming up soon,
tickets are still available for this draw.

Spring(boks) Social - 7 September:
Boks vs NZ screening followed by
dancing and socialising. Tickets on sale
after all Masses this weekend!



Holy Rosary School
JOIN US TO CREATE THE

World's Biggest Crochet Event!

We're aiming to be the largest community who crochets simultaneously for charity

ALL WELCOME: all ages (even dads and brothers!)

Date: Saturday, 27 July
Time: 15:30 - 17:00
Venue: Bishop Shanahan Hall, 5 Adjutant Road, Edenvale

Booking is essential: Entrance is free, on condition that you register to attend on our website - www.holyrosaryschool.co.za

KISMET
Holy Rosary School in partnership with Kismet Traders

This is a fund-raising event for charity. Wool, crochet materials and refreshments will be on sale.

In support of:
The Holy Rosary "Smart Age for Smart Phone" initiative
Charities supported by Holy Rosary

OMI Priests' Education Fund: Collection will be taken up the week-end of 27th and 28th July. These funds are used for the education of students to the Oblate priesthood and brotherhood and covers the cost of studies, medical, transport and accommodation expenses. Currently we have 6 Novices, 9 pre-Novices and 18 Scholastics in the formation process. **For donations of R1000 or more and requiring a tax exemption 18A, please ensure donations are made directly to:**

St. Joseph's Theol Inst.

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Proof of payment should be emailed

to: jfpomi16@gmail.com

TODAY

Introduction to the theme – Laudato Si': A Call to Ecological Conversion

What is Laudato Si'?

Laudato Si' is an encyclical of Pope Francis published in May 2015. It focuses on care for the natural environment and all people, as well as broader questions of the relationship between God, humans, and the Earth. The encyclical's subtitle, "Care for Our Common Home," reinforces these key themes.

An encyclical is a public letter from the Pope developing Catholic teaching on a topic often in light of current events.

Laudato Si' is addressed to "every living person on this planet" (LS 3).

Hence, it is offered as part of an ongoing dialogue within the Catholic Church and between Catholics and the wider world.

What does Laudato Si' mean?

The title of an encyclical is typically drawn from the first words of the document. That is, encyclicals do not receive a topical title, but are instead named by their opening phrase, often one suggestive of a major theme of the work.

The first words of Laudato Si' are Italian and translate as "praise be to you." They are part of a quotation from St. Francis of Assisi's "Canticle of the Creatures" that opens the encyclical in which the saint praises God by meditating on the goodness of sun, wind, Earth, water, and other natural forces.

The choice of this passage to begin Laudato Si' is a reminder of how people of faith should not only respect the Earth but also praise and honour God through their engagement with creation.

Laudato Si' summary: What are the main sections of Laudato Si'?

Chapter One: What is Happening to Our Common Home" summarizes the scope of current problems related to the environment. Issues discussed include pollution, climate change, water scarcity, loss of biodiversity, and global inequality.

Next week: chapters 2 - 6