

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC PARISH

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

Parish Priests Fr. Nodana Tshuma, OMI
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Office Hrs: 8.30-10am. 10.30- 3.00pm Mon.-Fri.
Parish Council Chairperson : Mr Mark Pillay
Parish Finance Chairperson : Mr Sylvester Louis

ARE YOU NEW IN OUR PARISH... Welcome

Please complete a census form available in the box at the back of the church and hand to the Ushers at St Anne's or St Theresa's. **THANK YOU**

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY 23

8.30am HOLY MASS at St. Anne's
7.00pm HOLY MASS at St Theresa's

TUESDAY 24

5.00am DAWN PRAYER at St Theresa's
6.00am HOLY MASS at St Theresa's
7.00pm HOLY MASS at St Anne's

WEDNESDAY 25 ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

6.00am HOLY MASS at St Anne's
6.15pm CONFESSIONS at St Theresa's
7.00pm HOLY MASS at St Theresa's

THURSDAY 26

6.00am HOLY MASS at St Anne's
9.00am HOLY MASS at St Theresa's

FRIDAY 27

6.00am HOLY MASS at St Anne's
7.00pm HOLY MASS at St Theresa's

**SATURDAY 28 FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE LENT
NO MASS**

SUNDAY 29

NO MASSES

* PLEASE TAKE THE BULLETIN HOME *

OUR VISION

To be a community of believers that displays the Love of Christ in all we do.

OUR MISSION

A parish who connects with people from all walks of life through our creative liturgy, discipleship and outreach to families and the poor. Come and discover who you are in the eyes of God.

INTENTIONS FOR SINGLE PARENTS

Intro: Being a parent is hard enough. Being a single parent can be the most difficult job in the world. Single moms and dads are the unsung heroes of our community who for years have been doing a fantastic job raising children alone. Many of our prominent leaders were raised by single mothers. Let us pray for them:

PRAYER FOR SINGLE PARENTS

Lord, grant all single parents time enough to do all their work, join in the games, help with the homework, and still have a few moments left over for themselves.
Energy enough to be the bread winner, home maker, nurse, peace maker and bill juggler.
Hands enough to wipe away the tears, to reach out when they are needed, to hug and to hold, to tickle and touch.
Heart enough to share and to care, to listen and understand, and to make a loving home.
Faith enough to always trust You and to share Your promises with their families.
In your unfailing love, deliver them from their anxieties, loneliness, troubles, and pain.
Let the Holy Spirit guide them in areas of their lives where they need answers and comfort.
Lord, please give them peace of mind and help to renew their mind to forget all the pain in their heart, in Jesus name, Amen.



The fourth Sunday of Lent is rather unique; like the third Sunday of Advent ("Gaudete Sunday"), the fourth Sunday of Lent is a break in an otherwise penitential season. The vestments for this day will be rose, as they are on Gaudete Sunday in Advent, and flowers may adorn the Altar. This day is called "Laetare Sunday" (also "Rose Sunday"), and takes its name from the opening words of the Mass, the Introit's "Laetare, Jerusalem":

Rejoice, O Jerusalem: and come together all you that love her: rejoice with joy, you that have been in sorrow: that you may exult, and be filled from the breasts of her consolation. (Psalm) I rejoiced at the things that were said to me: we shall go into the house of the Lord. Glory be to the Father.

Even though a dispensation has been given from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays, there is still an obligation to keep Sabbath. During this time the faithful are called to live out the reality of the domestic Church viz. the body of Christ in the home. We recommend a fixed time for the family to meet for prayer on Sundays, when readings of the day are heard, the creed recited, and intercessory prayers offered for the Church, the world, the country, the parish, and the family.

MASS TIMES... please take note of the Mass times and at which church the Masses are at.

NEXT NOVENA... we will start on Wednesday 25 March at 7pm at the Novena Mass. We will be praying for the Coronavirus.

BIBLE STUDY GROUP... will be held in the parish on Wednesday 25th March at 9am at St Anne's. All are welcome.

DURBAN PASSION PLAY... has been suspended.

REQUEST FOR DONATIONS OF WOOL... which will be used to knit blankets, scarves and caps for the less privileged. Please drop off at the Parish Office.

THE SOUTHERN CROSS... this week read the

1. Renovating rocks for Durban Passion Play
2. Where wine flowed out of the kitchen taps
3. Three lessons from the Annunciation
4. Parents' role in sex education
5. The story of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem

THIS WEEK'S EDITORIAL: Faith In Time Of Corona

PLEASE BUY THE SOUTHERN CROSS

ST VINCENT DE PAUL... requires old clothes and food to help feed the needy in our community
Contact: Russel Kast on 0829417472 to collect, or drop off at the Parish Office.

ST. ANNE'S SOUP KITCHEN... we feed the hungry. Takes place every Wednesday from 12.00 noon. Contact: Anne 031- 2085987/ 0832348188

ADVERTS

ROOM TO LET... in Sydenham. For a single lady.
Contact: 0732989791

LOOKING FOR A HAIRDRESSER & A NAIL TECHNICIAN... to rent space in a salon in Asherville. Contact Lorraine on 0849011267

GRANNY FLAT TO LET... in Sydenham 2 bedroom. Pre-Paid lights. Contact: 0837804416

M. BROWNE BIOMEDICAL PRACTICE... practice is now open at Randles Road Medical Centre for all your Orthopedic injuries, Chronic conditions (Hypertension and diabetes) and sport specific conditioning. Contact : 031 207 5252 or 0733474337 to make an appointment.

B&B SELF CATERING ACCOMODATION... in Sydenham. Call Vincent Crouch on 0825548339
www.sawselfcatering.co.za