



Stewardship



We are searched and known, still becoming

Psalm 139 reminds us that before a word is on our tongue, God already knows it fully. We are searched, known, and held - even in the dark, even when we cannot find the way ourselves. This is not a hurried God. This is a God who has always been patient with us, tracing every step we take. Paul, writing to the Romans, pushes this patience further. Creation itself groans, waiting - not in despair, but in hope. We who have the first-fruits of the Spirit groan too, waiting eagerly for what is not yet seen. Paul insists that hope, by its very nature, requires waiting. If we could see it already, it wouldn't be hope. Stewardship, then, is not simply about what we give today - it is about entrusting ourselves to a future we cannot yet see, trusting the Spirit who intercedes for us even when we don't have words for our own longing. And then Jesus tells us of a field - wheat and weeds growing side by side, and a farmer who refuses to rush the harvest. "Let both grow together," he says. God's patience is not passivity. It is restraint born of love, a refusal to uproot what might yet be redeemed. Stewardship Sunday asks us to consider what we entrust to God - our time, our resources, our very selves. But perhaps it also asks us to receive something: the patience God has already extended to us.

Serving Christ together,
Archdeacon Sizwe Ngcobo

Sunday

19 July 2026

Romans 8:12-25
Psalm 139:1-11, 23-24
Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

07h30 Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher
Rev'd Martin Easson

Synaxist
Michelle Carless

Reader(s)
*Dale Tomlinson &
Pippa Bromley-Gans*

Welcomers
7h30 Team

09h00 Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher
Rev'd Martin Easson

Worship Leader(s)
Abigail & Beth Kane

Readers
*Anelisa Makhanya &
Maggie Langenberg*

Welcomer(s)
*Samantha Standing &
Deonette van Zyl*

11h00 Zulu

Celebrant
Rev'd Jonathan van Niekerk

Synaxist
Lungelo Manyathi

Gospel & Preacher
Ntandose Masalla

Reader(s)
*Owen Masalla &
Olwethu Bophela*

Welcomer(s)
*Nkanyiso Ngema &
Sambulo Mncube*





JUNCTION

Café
Welcome

Barry Naudé

We warmly welcome Barry as the new manager of the Junction Café and wish him and the entire team every success in this new chapter.



with deepest
sympathy

to family & friends of
Sheila Walker,
a former active member,
who died while residing
at the Waterfall Gardens
Frail Care

May her soul,
through God's mercy,
rest in peace.

with deepest
sympathy

to the Mbatha family
in the death of their aunt
Nombuso MaShandu Ngcobo
an MU member in the
Diocese of Zululand

May her soul,
through God's mercy,
rest in peace.

THE
CONNECTION
GROUP

**Tuesdays at 18h00
in The Reading Room**

**MEN'S
BREAKFAST**

Thursdays @06h30 am



**THANDANANI
SEWERS GUILD**

Thursdays 12:00-14:00

FRIDAY

Morning Prayer
6:00-6:30 AM

Psalm 5:3

Wednesday

22 July 2026 @10h00

ST MARY MAGDALENE

2 Corinthians 5:14-17

Psalm 63:1-9

John 20:1-18

Celebrant & Preacher
Rev'd Merryl James

Synaxist Elaine Fourie
Reader(s) Chris Brown

Happy Birthday

18/07 Boitumelo Belebese

18/07 Kevin Padoa

19/07 Kate Brown

19/07 Selwyn Comrie

19/07 Nobuhle Khumalo

19/07 Debbie Malton

19/07 Jenny Willans

20/07 Nkanyenzi Gumbi

21/07 David Tuttle

21/07 Miralee Van der Merwe

21/07 Terry Watrrus

22/07 Sarah Armstrong

22/07 Nokuthula Bhengu

23/07 Jaimee Baylis

23/07 Lindiwe Zwane

23/07 Zama Zwane

For our prayers

Tarryn Allan, Alistair Martyn, Jeremy Reid, Denise Smith, Denise Dunnington, Andre Zuidewind, Bev Edkins, Doris Jones, Robert King, Alf Murie, Janet Deavall, Nick John, Wandile Malinga, Noah Atkins, Brian & Lorraine Acker, Mlekeleli Majola, Andy Parker, Brenna Stoffberg, Dawn Peters, Neil Brown, Dawn Botha, Jonathan McDonagh, Hayden Jackson, Norma Bashford, Hugo Misselhorn as well as the Glen, Jackson, Chaplin, Masoka, Brammer, Stuart, Dlamuka, Smith, Edkins & Malinga families.

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BIBLE PASSAGES FOR THIS WEEK

- 18-Jul Song of Songs 1-4
- 19-Jul Song of Songs 5-8
- 20-Jul Isaiah 1-3
- 21-Jul Isaiah 4-6
- 22-Jul Isaiah 7-9
- 23-Jul Isaiah 10-12
- 24-Jul Isaiah 13-15



**Bible in
365 Days**

Please note that the Amashova National Classic Cycle Race will take place on Sunday, 19 July, with temporary road closures affecting parts of the Upper Highway, including Hillcrest, Botha's Hill, Inchanga, Shongweni, Kassier Road, Old Main Road, Hospital Road, and sections of the M13. Members are encouraged to allow extra travel time and plan their journey to church accordingly.



**Amashova
Cycle Race
Sunday,
19 July 2026**



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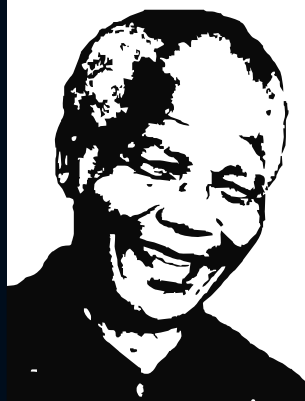
20 TABLES AVAILABLE

VISION

To know Jesus
and make Him
known



As we observe **Mandela Month**, we invite parishioners to donate new or gently used blankets and towels of any size to support those in need. Every contribution will be gratefully received.



The Anglican
Women's
Fellowship (AWF)
commemorated
Mary and Martha
with a special
service on
Thursday, 16 July.



St. Agnes Date Nights



Friday, 31 July 2026
AT
18h00

Register for
8 Sessions from



The
Marriage
Course



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2026
CALENDAR



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TO CHURCH
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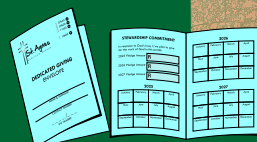
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY					
THE KINGDOM REVEALED 07h30 Eucharist Service 09h00 Family Service 11h00 Zulu Service Romans 7:15-25a Psalm 45:10-17 Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30 5 THE WISDOM OF THE KINGDOM	6	08h30 Staff Meeting & Prayer 10h00 Homegroup Bible Study 11h30 Homegroup Bible Study 18h00 Connection Group 7	10h00 Eucharist Service Amos 5:14-15, 21-24 Psalm 50:7-15 Matthew 8:26-34 11h00 Homegroup Bible Study 8	09h00 MU Eucharist Service Hosea 11:1-9 Psalm 80:1-7 Matthew 10:7-15 9	09h00 Seminar on Climate CLIMATE CHANGE AND WASTE MANAGEMENT 10	11					
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Sunday, 19 July 2025 Mothers' Union Widow & Widowers Prayer											
Anglican Women's Fellowship The AWF is committed to strengthening the life of the Church in every galaxy through prayer, service, and active participation in ministry. It engages ecumenically and partners with welfare organisations, fostering collaboration that supports the well-being of families and communities. Rooted in the pillars of prayer and worship, mission and witness, fellowship and study, and service and stewardship, the Fellowship nurtures spiritual growth while empowering women to live out their faith with purpose and compassion.											
JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER

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18/07 St Agnes Guild Enrolment
19/07 Institution, Umhlathuzana
21-23/07 Church Unity Commission
23/07 Finance & Property Meeting
24/07 Iviyo 3-hour Prayer, 6pm
25/07 Canon Seipati's Birthday
MU Regional Elections

THE BISHOP'S CHARGE



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