


# ST. CHARLES' PARISH – VICTORY PARK

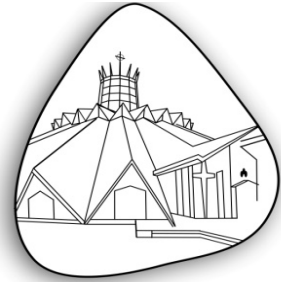
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## PARISH CLERGY

### Priest

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## HOLY MASS TIMES

**Sundays:** 06:30, 08:00, 10:00, 14:00 (Sotho/Zulu) & 17:30

**Weekdays:** 06:00, 08:00 & 17:30; Saturday 08:00 & 18:00

**Public Holidays:** 08:00

## Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 10:00 – 11:00 & 16:30 – 18:00 or by appointment

## The Divine Office:

Morning Prayer: Monday to Saturday at 07:40

Evening Prayer: Monday to Friday at 17:10

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Monday – Thursday: 16:00 – 21:00

Friday: 08:30 – 20:00

## Second Sunday of Lent- Year B – February 25, 2018 Sunday Missal – Page 469 / Daily Missal 222

**Bishops' Lenten Appeal** – This collection will be taken up after Holy Communion every weekend during Lent.

**Children's Liturgy** in the chapel during Mass on Saturday 18:00. On Sunday, 2-5 year olds in the catechetical centre, and older children in the chapel during 08:00 & 10:00 Masses. **Teachers urgently required.** Training provided. You will be placed on a roster. Contact **Senzeni 083 411 4679.**

## LifeTeen - Meet tonight at 18:45 – 20:15. in the parish hall.

This is our Confirmation programme and all high school pupils from grade 8 through to, and including, grade 11 are expected to attend. Contact Tim Joseph 083 393 0877 or [info@saintcharleslifeteen.co.za](mailto:info@saintcharleslifeteen.co.za)

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### Monday, February 26

**Grupo de Oração da Nossa Senhora de Fatima** Terço e louvor às 10:00 no salão da Catequese. São todos bem-vindos.

**Baptism preparation from 19:00 - 20:00.** This is a period of catechetical instruction on baptism and parenting. Parents **and** Godparents are requested to attend. **Please phone Fr. James during office hours to schedule an interview appointment, prior to attending the classes.**

**PLEASE NOTE!** The next Baptism instruction classes will be on **March 19 & 26 and April 23 & 30.**

**Christian Meditation** – The group meets every Monday in the parish library from **18:15 - 19:15.** Contact Paul Faller 083 326 4568.

### Tuesday, February 27

**Senior Parishioners' Mass at 10:00** followed by tea in the parish hall meeting room. Contact Melanie 082 544 0794.

**Children's Catechism Classes** for Grade 1 to 7 from 15:30-16:30 in the parish hall. Tel. Belinda 083 263 2763.

**Adult Catechism: R.C.I.A. Classes at 19:30.** Contact the parish office or Margaret 082 853 5785 or Gustavo 082 9227 155 for further information.

**Family of God –Life in the Spirit Seminar** – in parish hall at 19:30. **"Receiving God's Gift"** by Fr. Joseph Wilson Contact David 082 607 1554 or Carlos 082 467 4909.

### Wednesday, February 28

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul** meet at 19:30. New members welcome. Contact Kevin 084 505 8501.

### Thursday, March 01

**Bible Study** – Catechetical Centre from **09:00-11:00**  
Contact Jenny 082 562 2616.

**Centring Prayer** at 15:00 each **Thursday** at 12 Shaka Rd. Blackheath. Contact Veronica 084 548 2445 or Heather 082 450 1912.

### Friday March 02

**Women's World Day of Prayer – Friday, March 02 at 10:00** at St. Thomas Anglican Church, Linden. All women are welcome.

## OTHER NOTICES

**Proclaimers' of the Word** – There will be a workshop for **ALL** Proclaimers of the Word from 11:00 – 13:00 on Saturdays March 03, 10 & 17. Please contact Christo on **082 410 4347** to attend **ONE** of these sessions.

**C.W.L** urgently needs volunteers to help with funeral teas. If you can help please contact Melanie 082 544 0794.

**Five teachers required** to teach **Maths. Literacy or English** to High School Westbury pupils every Tuesday from 18:30 to 20:00 in Catechetical Centre. If you can assist in this Outreach Programme Tel Rita 083 212 0853

**Knights of Da Gama** – New members welcome. See notice boards. Tel Denver 084 840 3537 or Paul 084 7708 616.

**SPRED-(Special Religious Development)** a programme offering spirituality and catechesis for other abled persons in an accepting, caring community of faith companions. Contact Giuliana 011 888-5883 or Gisela 011 686-1708.

**St. Charles Care Group** – offers prayers, meals and visits. Please contact us if you know of any parishioner in need of these services - **060 614 5243.**

**Careconnect** - A support group programme for those who are taking care of ageing parents and loved ones who are mentally or physically unwell. Contact Gloria 082 6805 790.

**Griefshare:** A 13-week Seminar/Support Group programme for those mourning the death of a loved one. Contact Coralie 083 524 7016.

**St. Joseph Family Statue** is with the Bakos family Contact. Patricia 073 557 7248.

**The list of the sick of the parish is on several notice boards around the church. If family members are ill at home or in hospital please inform the parish office as soon as possible and, once recovered, to remove their names from the sick list**

**Engaged Encounter** is a requirement for all couples planning to marry. Bookings: e-mail Ingeborg Parschau at [info@engagedencounter.co.za](mailto:info@engagedencounter.co.za) or fax 086 547 5346.

**Retrouvaille. Marriage Help –Stress in your marriage?** For inf. contact [joburg@retrouvaille.co.za](mailto:joburg@retrouvaille.co.za) or call 083 339 7692 or visit the Website [www.retrouvaillejhb.co.za](http://www.retrouvaillejhb.co.za)

**Al-Anon** - Thursdays 09:45 (parish hall meeting room) Tel. 086 125 2666.  
**Al-Anon** - Saturdays 09:30 (upstairs catechetical centre) Tel. 082 408 0656

**C.W.L. Crockery & Cutlery Hiring** - Contact Dee 083-395-9080.

**Lenten Project for Children - Recycle Plastic** - Children are asked to collect plastic items during Lent, such as plastic bottle tops from milk and drinks bottles and bread tags etc, which will be collected to finance a wheel chair.