

Monday 06 MAY 2019:

R1 Ac 68-15; Ps 118, 23-24. 26-27. 29-30. Go Jn 6, 22-29.

06h30: 07h00 : Morning Prayer

Tuesday 07 MAY 2019:

R1 Ac 7, 51-8, 1a; Ps 30, 3cd-4. 6ab and 7b-8a. 17 and 21ab. Go Jn 6, 30-35.

06h30: Mass 07h00 : Morning Prayer; 10h00: Mass

**17h30: CHARISMATIC GROUP**

Wednesday 08 MAY 2019:

R1 Ac 8, 1b-8; Ps 65, 1-3a. 4-5. 6-7a. Go Jn 6, 35-40.

**08h00: Mass :PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

Thursday 09 MAY 2019:

R1 Ac 8, 26-40; Ps 65, 8-9. 16-17.20 Go Jn 6, 44-51.

06h30: Mass 07h00 : Morning Prayer

Friday 10 MAY 2019:

R1 1 Cor 9, 1-20; Ps 116, 1.2.

Go Jn 6, 52-59.

06h30: Mass 07h00 : Morning Prayer; 10h00: Mass

**ADORATION ALL NIGHT**

Saturday 11 MAY 2019:

R1 Ac 9, 31-42; Ps 115, 12-13.14-15.16-17.

Go Jn 6, 60-69.

07h00: Mass; 11h00—12h30 & 16h30—17h00: Confession; 17h30: Mass

Sunday 12 MAY 2019: 4<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER -C

**07h45: Mass (English) 10:00 Mass (Bilingual) 12:00 Mass (IsiZulu)**

## PARISH NOTICES

- 1. SECOND COLLECTION:** Is for the Maintenance - Please be generous. Maintenance work on the Cathedral seldom stops and is costly, therefore we need to continuously raise money to finance repairs.
- 2. OUR PLEDGE AS PARISH:** The Administrator and PPC kindly request that all parishioners pledge themselves to attend and participate at all our parish activities this year 2019. We are the family of God, we pray together, worship together, and socialize together. Let us make sure we serve humanity together – “Community Serving Humanity”. We can create our simple but intense motto: “I will be there, please be there”.
- 3. THANK YOU:** As the parish we would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for the support of the fundraising event, Paschal meal on the 17th of April. Thanks for the different donations, buying of the tickets and for attending. May the spirit of support and working together ever grows. The amounts that was raised will be announced soon.
- 4. WE CONGRATULATE FR PHUMLANI MAKHAYE:** Who has been appointed acting parish priest of St Joseph, Wartburg. Fr Makhaye begins his new obedience/ministry in Wartburg on the 01 June 2019. We thank him for all his fruitful ministry within the diverse community of the Emmanuel and we wish him well in his future endeavors.
- 5. YOUR NEW ADMINISTRATOR:** Is Rev. Fr Sabelo Mkhize and his assistant will be Rev. Fr Denardo Gnanapragas. However, they will start on the 01 August 2019, Fr Sabelo will be in Rome for a short three months course and Fr Denardo will be away to learn IsiZulu. The interim clergy after Fr Nkosinathi Ngcobo leaves at the end of May will be Rev. Fr Simon Sibonakaliso Sibisi (June and July).

**6. FR BRIAN REED'S FUNERAL:** Will take place at Morningside, St Joseph's Parish, at 10h00, on Monday 06 May 2019.

**7. NEW PFC CHAIR:** Is now Dr. Sadiki Kabala (**0734536903**) and we thank Bukelani Mbhele, our previous PFC chair for his dedication and service in the cathedral.

**8. ALL PARISH CENSUS-2019:** All Parishioners who are 18 years and above are requested to fill out the blue census form at the PPC table. This is a directive from the Archdiocese, they are collecting data for the new Parish roll-Dyolinc. Please comply.

**9. DEBIT ORDER MANDATE FORMS:** Could all parishioners who are pledging through debit order system and have not yet filled out the Debit Order Mandate form PLEASE fill out those forms. These forms are required by the bank. Forms are available at the PPC table after all Masses and at the office reception during office hours. **NB:** This applies to all parishioners who are pledging through debit order system regardless of which bank they bank with. Thank you.

**10. PARISH PREMISE NUMBER:** Please note that the parish premise number has changed to **087 004 5148**.

**11. SODALITIES MEETING:** Saturday 11 May at 14h00 at the Denis Hurley Centre. Sodality leaders must bring their group monthly reports.

**12. CNG MASS:** Is inviting the presence of all nurses (in-service and retired) and Parishioners Mass on the Nurses' Mass of prayer celebration on the 18<sup>th</sup> of May 2019 at 08h00. For further details contact Nomusa Mkhize 0814293189.”

**13. BAPTISM:** It is baptismal time for children (0-5years), classes will begin on the following dates; English - 8 & 15 May at 18h00-19h00pm at the DHC, isiZulu -11 & 18 May at 9h00-10h00am. Celebration will be on Saturday 25 May at 08h00. Forms are obtainable at the PPC table and at the parish reception.

**14. CHARISMATIC GROUP :** Invites all Parishioners to the life in the Spirit Seminar which will take place every Tuesday evening time 17h00-19h00.

**15. CARDINAL'S GOLF DAY:** Friday 24 May at Durban Country club. Entry forms available at the PPC table. Please see the notice board for more details.

**16. SODALITY OF THE INFANT JESUS:** Parents who would like their already baptised children (0-12 years) to join this group are requested to contact Ms. Balungile Mkhize on 0728273893.

**17. OFFERTORY:** Can families please avail themselves to take up offertory on Sundays. Ushers will ask for volunteers, please cooperate.

**18. LOST & FOUND:** If you have lost anything or forgotten anything inside the Church, please go to the PPC table and check in the Lost and Found box.

**19. PARKING:** Please follow the instruction of the car guards on Sundays. For all Masses Denis Hurley Street is available for parking.

**20. SOUTHERN CROSS ISSUE OF 01-07 May, 2019.**

- 1.Catholic marathon legend wins with rosary
- 2.Good reasons to vote on May 8
- 3.Rare breed: Four saintly politicians
- 4.School massacre survivor became a nun
- 5.How sermons could be better

**THIS WEEK'S EDITORIAL: A Question of Survival**

## REFLECTION

### Why are Sundays excluded from the reckoning of the forty days?

Because Sunday is the day on which Christ arose, making it an inappropriate day to fast and mourn our sins. On Sunday we must celebrate Christ's resurrection for our salvation. It is Friday on which we commemorate his death for our sins. The Sundays of the year are days of celebration and the Fridays of the year are days of penance.

## SCRIPTURES OF FAITH

Recommended for small Christian Communities and families  
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**First Reading: (R1 Acts 13: 14. 43-52) “Behold, we turn to the Gentiles.”**

**Responsorial (Ps 99: 2. 3. 5) “We are his people, the sheep of his flock.”**

**Second Reading (R2 Rev 7: 9. 14b-17) “The Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water.”**

**Gospel (John 10: 27-30) “I give my sheep eternal life.”**

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

The Care Group will visit the sick and elderly people in their homes and hospitals. If you care to join us or are interested you are more than welcome. For more information please contact Thabile Cele on 0827810886 or 0312617848 (Home) or else you can call the parish office on 0313063595. Please provide the Parish office with names of the sick so that the Cathedral Care Group can visit them. **If you wish to include anyone in the sick list please submit their names. Names are removed every three months.** Roderyk Morrison, Silindile Mchunu, Emelia Mahlaku, Francisca Mzizi, Ziphozonke Magoso, Memory Nenka, Anthony Boetie Francis, John David, Bonginkosi Mkhize, Cresencia Radebe, Ju ne Reham, Barbara Madzika, Kevin Theron, Cecilia Antonette Chetty, Christina K. Francis, Swertbeird Mnguni.

## IMPORTANT NUMBERS

ORGANIZATION	CONTACT PERSON	CONTACT
1. DHC Manager	Jean-Marie Ntamubano	072 549 0338
2. Nkosinathi Project	Sr Cathy Murugan HF	083 956 3726
3. SVDP	Nompumelelo Thungo	031 306 3595
4. Refuge Pastoral Care	Hupenyu Makusha	074 173 2201
5. Baptism (0—5 Years)	Lionel McDonald	079 280 3577
6. Catechism	Thandeka Nkosi	0761961923
7. Confirmation	Iris Niemack	073 646 7629
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## Our Vision & Mission Statement

**Community of God Serving Humanity**

A welcoming Community rooted in the Word of God.

Celebrating our diversity as a spirit-filled family of God.

Committed to loving God and our neighbour

## PASTORAL STAFF

Administrator: Fr. Nkosinathi Ngcobo

Assistant Administrator: Fr. Phumlani Makhaye

PPC Chairperson: Mr. Alfred Msomi

PPC Deputy Chairperson: Mrs. Helen Mchunu

Finance Chairperson: Mr. SADIKI KABALA

04-05 MAY 2019

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY—C

### FIRST READING:

*“We are witnesses to those things, and so is the Holy Spirit.”*

Acts 5: 27b-32. 40b-41

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Psalm 30:2 and 4.5-6.11-12 and 13b (R. 2a)

**I will extol you, for you have raised me up.**

1. I will extol you, Lord, for you have raised me up,  
and have not let my enemies rejoice over me.  
O Lord, you have lifted up my soul from the grave,  
restored me to life from those who sink into the pit. **R.**
2. Sing psalms to the Lord, you faithful ones; give thanks to his holy name.  
His anger lasts a moment; his favour all through life.  
At night there are tears, but at dawn comes joy. **R.**
3. Hear, O Lord, and have mercy on me/ be my helper, O Lord.  
You have changed my mourning into dancing.  
O Lord my God, I will thank you forever. **R.**

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### SECOND READING:

**Revelation 5: 11-14**

*“Worthy is the Lamb who slain, to receive power and wealth.”*

**“Alleluia, Alleluia.**

*“Christ has risen, who created all things and has had mercy on the human race..”*

**Alleluia.**

### GOSPEL

**John 21: 1-19**

*“Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and so with the fish.”*

