

St Paul's RONDEBOSCH PEW LEAFLET



21 January 2018

The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

MISSION STATEMENT OF ST PAUL'S
... to be a United Fellowship of Diverse People
Dedicated to Worshipping God and Spreading the
Gospel in the Power and Compassion of the Holy Spirit.

Welcome to St Paul's
Wamkelekile ecaweni yethu
Welkom by ons dienste

*Please use the language of your choice for the
Lord's Prayer and other prayers and responses during
the Eucharist.
Prayer ministry is available in the Lady Chapel during
Communion and after the Eucharist.*

THE COLLECT

O GOD OF NEW BEGINNINGS:

give us courage to turn and joyfully follow you
into new adventures of faithful service;
through Jesus Christ our light and our salvation,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

Amen

THE READINGS

Jonah 3: 1-5, 10 (*The Pew Bible, page 753*)

Reader: Joan Freislich

Psalm 62: 5-12 (*An Anglican Prayer Book, pg 677*)

1 Corinthians 7: 29-31 (*The Pew Bible, page 930*)

Reader : Fiona Hayward

Mark 1: 14-20 (*The Pew Bible, page 812*)

WORSHIP TODAY

Anglican Prayer Book, page 104

Presider and Preacher: The Revd Dr Jim Harris

9.00 a.m. SUNG EUCHARIST

Introit Hymn: 440

Gradual Hymn: 263

Offertory Hymn: 422

Communion Hymn: 441

Recessional Hymn: 343

5.45p.m. AVONDRUST COMMUNION

SERVICES THIS WEEK

TUESDAY EUCHARIST Fr Jim Harris 9.30 a.m.

FRIDAY EUCHARIST Fr Clive McBride 7.00 a.m.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Jeremiah 1: 4-10; Psalm 67;
Acts 26: 9-23; Mark 10: 46-52.

Please continue to pray for rain in the Western Cape.

PRAYERS

Let us pray to God, who has called us to his service.
Give to the Church a burning zeal to win souls for
Christ... Empower the shared ministry of all
believers, so that human love may serve the love of God
and make it known ... Let your people never be deaf when
you call them to your work, whether it is great or little.

May the people who sit in darkness see the great light of
God and know his presence among them... Bless all our
work in this world, but help us to know that it is not the
whole of life... Enrich the skills and talents of daily labour,
opening them to new service for the Kingdom.

Be present with our families and all the families of this
community ... Increase our love for one another but save
us from the clinging selfishness that will not share our
security with those who have none... When we are called to
be apart from one another, keep us confident that we are
not separated from your protecting love.

Come close to those who have had to leave their homes
and loved ones... Comfort parents who are lonely when
children have gone away... As the disciples were given the
power of healing, bless all those who care for the sick in
mind or body.

Receive into the heavenly light those who have passed
through the shadow of death... Healed of all their infirmity,
may they rejoice with those who first heard the call of
Jesus and walked with him in Galilee.

We pray in the name of Christ, the source of all strength to
those who hear his call. **Amen**

**We pray for happiness for those celebrating birthdays
and anniversaries this week.**

22nd Lauren Martin; 27th Sheila Wilkinson

We pray for the frail and ill: Muriel Barlow; Barbara
Buttress; Marjorie Christian; Mary Cupido; Elizabeth
Garvey; Dermot Gordon-Graham; Lorna Heighway; Patsy
Hendricks; Janet Meredith; Pam Prodehl; Alwyn Wilkinson
and Peter Winter.

PARISH NOTICES

THE INSTITUTION of the Rt Revd Reeva Mulder will take
place on Wednesday 24 January at 7.00pm.

PATRONAL FESTIVAL ON 28 JANUARY is **one** service
at **9.00am only**.

PLEDGE ENVELOPES 2018 If you would still like to
receive envelopes for 2018, please complete a Dedication
card and envelopes will be prepared for you.
Please use envelopes for the current year only, as we are
using a new numbering system. You can however still use
up your old envelopes as we will link it to your new
number.

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