

This Week

09h30	21 September	Good Shepherd School's birthday service in the Cathedral.	Revd Claire
17h30	22 September	SpiritFest meeting in the Cory Room	Maggy Clarke

Services next Sunday – 25th September

19 th Sunday after Pentecost			
Time	Services	Preacher	Presider / Officiant
07h30	Holy Communion AAPB	Revd Dr Claire Nye Hunter	
09h30	Holy Communion AAPB	Revd Dr Claire Nye Hunter	
15h00	Christians @ Rhodes Mission: launch service		

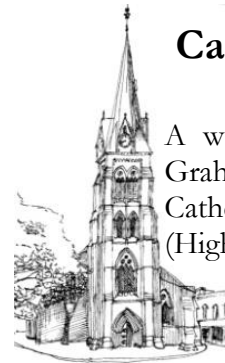
Here are the Gospel readings for the coming week:

Day	Date	Reading	Day	Date	Reading
Mon	19	Luke 8: 16-18	Thurs	22	Luke 9: 7-9
Tues	20	Luke 8: 19-21	Fri	23	Luke 9: 18-22
Weds	21	Luke 9: 1-6	Sat	24	Luke 9: 43b-45
Sun	25	Jeremiah 32: 1-3a, 6-15			1 Timothy 6: 6-19 Luke 16: 19-31

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Principles to ponder: The eight principles of the Martin Luther King Jr. organization.

1. Meditate daily on the teachings and life of Jesus.
2. Remember always that the movement seeks justice and reconciliation not victory.
3. Walk and talk in the manner of love, for God is love.
4. Pray daily to be used by God in order that all people might be free.
5. Sacrifice personal wishes in order that all people might be free.
6. Observe with both friend and foe the ordinary rules of courtesy.
7. Seek to perform regular service for others and for the world.
8. Refrain from violence of fist, tongue or heart.



Cathedral of St Michael and St George in the City and Diocese of Grahamstown

A warm welcome to those who are visiting the Cathedral and Grahamstown. Please introduce yourself to us! If you are new to the Cathedral and would like follow up, please fill in the form at the west (High Street) door and give it to one of the clergy or sidespeople. Please turn off your cell phone and keep your valuables with you at all times.

18 th September 2016. 18 th Sunday after Pentecost			
Time	Services	Preacher	Presider / Officiant
07h30	Holy Communion AAPB	Prof Paul Walters	Revd Luthando Madiba
09h30	Holy Communion AAPB	Prof Paul Walters	Revd Percy Chinganga
19h00	Student Seminar: <i>Hearing the voices of our gay and lesbian brothers and sisters in Christ</i> , with Revd Claire and the "I AM" DVD. All are welcome.		

Today's meetings and events:

07h20 & 09h20	Pre-service prayers for service leaders and participants.
From 10h00	St Peter's, Sidbury 175 th anniversary jubilee.

Stipendiary clergy contact details and Cathedral Parish Office (046 622 2445):

*Dean of Grahamstown The Very Rev Andrew Hunter.	082 308 8654	046 622 3976	dean@grahamstowncathedral.org <i>(on sabbatical)</i>
*The Sub Dean The Ven Mzinzisi Dyantyi	073 604 5232	046 622 5633	angaavile@live.co.za <i>(day off: Monday)</i>
*Senior Assistant Priest Rev Dr Claire Nye Hunter	046 622 2445	046 622 3976	claire@kingsleyemail.co.za <i>(day off: Friday)</i>
To contact the Parish Office staff by email, use: office@grahamstowncathedral.org (Administrator -- Chantel) and admin@grahamstowncathedral.org (Parish Secretary -- Chris). *Members of the Clergy are available for confessions and interviews by appointment.			

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- *Anchored in the love of Christ* •
- *Committed to God's Mission* •
- *Transformed by the Holy Spirit* •

Please join with us this week as we pray for:

OUR CHURCH: We pray for Archbishop Thabo and the Bishops of our Province as they meet for Bishop's Synod. Pray for all the final preparations being made for Provincial Synod and for all delegates, including Dean Andrew. Pray for a generous spirit of giving and responsible stewardship in our Cathedral family, as we prepare for the new financial year.

OUR COMMUNITY: We give thanks for the Good Shepherd School as they celebrate their birthday this week. Pray for Cecile Mager and Katie Appollis together with the staff and learners.

OUR COUNTRY: Pray for all those affected by the Zama-Zama mineworkers crisis, especially those who have lost loved ones. Pray for an improvement in the working conditions of all mineworkers. Pray for the countless number of people who are unemployed and struggling to survive and support their families. Pray for our national and local leaders, that they may embrace and live by the values enshrined in our constitution.

OUR WORLD: Pray for the USA in the run up to the presidential elections. Continue to pray for leaders and people of Zimbabwe, Turkey and California.

BIRTHDAYS: 17th Kiara Fourie; 18th Nomfuneko Ntapane; 20th Claire Nye Hunter; 21st Lisa Mxube; 23rd Florence Twaku.

PARISH CYCLE of PRAYER: Ezra & Thami Tisani; Andrew & Heather Tracey; Chenelle Tupiri, Florence, Lunga, Nqabisa, Phumelele, Qhama, Zama & Zenele Twaku.

PARISHIONERS who are sick, convalescing, or with long-term illnesses: Isabel Bridger, Di Harvey, Celia Jameson, Jeanette Hodgson, Thelma Neville and Paul Pillay.

FRIENDS and FAMILY who are ill: Steve Ashcroft, Cebisa (friend of Thami Tisani), Selbourne Dyantyi (Mzi's father), Michael Gainsborough (Dean Andrew's uncle), Revd Jill Mowbray (UK), Jackie Shipster (Chris Mann's sister) Canon John Tibbs (Simon's father), Iviwe Tshabe, Archbishop Emeritus Desmond Tutu.

GENERAL NOTICES

Dean Andrew is on sabbatical leave until mid-November, researching for his PhD in conflict resolution.

Sub Dean Mzinzisi Dyantyi is away on leave until 26 September.

The **Christians @ Rhodes Mission** will be launched during a service at our Cathedral on Sunday, 25 September, at 15h00. Contact Revd Claire for more details. All are welcome. **Please note** that there will be no choral evensong or student service that evening.

Pledging: Many thanks to all who have been faithful givers over the past year. On Sunday, 18 September, new pledge forms will be given to everybody for the coming year. These will be collected on 25 Sept at our Patronal Festival.

Patronal Festival: On 25th September, at both morning services, we shall be celebrating our Patronal Festival during a service of Thanksgiving and Dedication. Parishioners will be invited to renew their pledges for the coming year. In place of the sermon, there will be an opportunity for anyone to come up to the front and share with us brief words of thanks to God for his goodness to you over the past year. We encourage as many as possible to come forward so we might be encouraged and uplifted, and glorify God together!

Cathedral painting: Some time ago, people bought raffle tickets for Peter Parrish's painting of the Cathedral. Unfortunately not enough tickets were sold to make it financially viable, so the PCC has decided to keep the painting. If you still hold such a raffle ticket, you are invited to approach the Office Administrator, Mrs Chantel Tesnar, for a full refund.

St George's Fair 29 October: Here's some early warning for you and a reminder to diarise this important annual event in our parish life. Contact Marian Jayes (046 622 8623) for further details and to offer assistance.