



anglican parish of BOKSBURG

St Michael and All Angels

St Gabriel

St Raphael

We seek to be a welcoming family of developing Christians, engaging with the community and striving for the glory of God.

Serving God and Serving one another

A parish of the Diocese of the Highveld Anglican Church of Southern Africa

BROADSHEET FOR DECEMBER 2018

FAREWELL. (From Fr Tom) My licence as Priest of this Parish will expire at the end of January, and the Bishop will not be renewing it. I am very grateful for the extra 18 months he has given me. I am really grateful to you and the Church for the privilege of ministering in this parish for the past 28 years. It will always hold a special place in my heart and in my prayers. I pray that you may continue to grow spiritually through the ministry of the priests you have who will continue to serve here and the priest the Bishop finds to become your Rector.



CONFIRMATION NEXT YEAR; We have asked the Bishop for Pentecost Day as usual, that is the 9th June at 5pm. This is not yet confirmed. Confirmation classes will start in January. If you would like to be confirmed next year please fill in an application form (in the filing trays in the foyer) and hand it to Fr Tom or the sidesmen, or get it on the web and e-mail it.

FAMILY NEWS;

On his baptism; HAYDEN ANTHONY LLOYD (Samantha Smith and Travice van der Merwe) at St Gabriel's on the 11th November.

Congratulations to Gerald Macherechedze on being made Student President of Sunward High, and Brian Macherechedze on being made Student President of his school too.

Congratulations to Kaylene MacKay on her engagement and to Hannah MacKay on being made a Student Leader and gaining her academic award.

Welcome to;

Gay Johnstone (Sunward Park, St Gabriel's)

Thelma Rapodile (Boksburg North, St Gabriel's)

COMING EVENTS;

PRAYER MEETING FOR FAMILIES. We will hold a prayer gathering for families and family life on Saturday 1st December at 10am at St Gabriel's. Please come and join us.

ANGEL SWEEP

Results of October draw, drawn at St Raphael's on Sunday 4th November

1st Place - No 03 - Velaphi Njara

2nd Place - No 29 - Barbara Sprong

3rd Place - No 50 - Dudu Kuluse

Congratulations to all the winners. There are still a number of people who haven't entered for next year (which starts in November) . If you would like to join in, please fill out a form which can be found at the back of Church or on the web.



LIONS CHRISTMASS CAKES. Fr Atholl is selling 1kg cakes for R 110. Please contact him; 083 242 0121

ADVENT/NATIVITY PROGRAMME; As previously we will be combining with St Boniface and the Cathedral. Our Advent Carol Service will take place on Sunday 2nd December at 7pm with choir practice at 4pm. Thereafter services will be at 6pm at the Cathedral on 9th , at St Boniface on the 16th and at the Cathedral on the 23rd (Festival of 9 lessons and Carols).



CHRISTMASS CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT PROGRAMME; Saturday 22nd December - Carols by candle-light 6 for 6.30 at St Raphael's. Bacon rolls and boerewors rolls on sale. Cash Bar.

EPIPHANY CAROLS SERVICE at St Michael's (combined choirs) on Sunday 6th January 2019 at 6pm.

PARISH LIBRARY; Please feel free to borrow the books. If in doubt speak to Andrew Vito at St Michael's, Pip Chaplin at St Raphael's or Deirdré Paterson at St Gabriel's.

CHRONIC ILL : -FOR YOUR PRAYERS

WEEK 1: 2nd - 8th December

Various: Merrill, Wendy Aitken, Nicole Beukes, Ansie Butler, Leigh Champion, Andrea Collins, Struan Cooper, Desree Duddy, Jenny Fairley, Richard Frost, Eathan Jansen van Rensburg, James Kibby, Francis Leicher, Catherine Lukas, Kerry MacKay, Pinny Moonolal, Alasdair Morrison, Tippy Nel, Margaret Pollock, Susan Roderick, Jonah Thomas, Terence Vincer, Lara Von Mollendorf

WEEK 2: 9th - 15th December

Frail, Arthritis, asthma, diabetes,

Parkinson's etc: Marika Allen, Rosemary Bray, Catelinn Burdon, Harold Cooper, Baldy Fairley, Monica Howard, Lorraine Knoetze, Nellie Moabankwe, Jeanine Maclean, Mike Morrison, Viola Nicholas, Nellie Pieteron, Sam Patterson, Bryce Pollock, Rose Poulter, Angela Sutton

WEEK 3: 16th - 22nd December

Muscular-skeletal: Gino Alberts, Marlene Britz, Elaine Cooper, Natalie Fuller, June Glass, Joey Nkala

WEEK 4: 23rd - 29th December

Muscular-skeletal: Gino Alberts, Marlene Britz, Elaine Cooper, Natalie Fuller, June Glass, Joey Nkala

WEEK 5: 30th December - 5th January 2019

Cancer: Charmonique, Miguel Abrahams, Ken Douglas - Haw, Charmaine Fuller, Andrew Geils, William Long, Frans Mans, Louise Marais, Kenneth McPhail, Catherine Medina,, Jeandre Naude, Freija Nerinckx, Melvin Nortje, Thato Setlale, Jacqui Smith, Gary Smith, Karen Theunissen, Tracey Thorp, Alan Topper, Ruan Vunderink, Jenny Wallach, Carol Wernigg

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Jenny Barr

DIARY

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| SUN 02 | ADVENT SUNDAY Mothers Union meeting after mass @ St Michael's 16.00 - Choir Practice 19.00 - Advent Carol Service NB TIME |
| Mon 03 | 09.15 - Mass - Alan Woodrow |
| Tue 04 | 15.00 - Mass - Witfield Park |
| Wed 05 | 18.00 - Mass - St Gabriel's |
| Thur 06 | 09.00 - Mass - St Michael's Guild of St Luke |
| Sat 08 | 07.30 - Mass - St Michael's |
| SUN 09 | ADVENT TWO 16.00 - Choir Practice 18.00 - Advent Compline @ The Cathedral |
| Tues 11 | 09.00 - Mass - Cosmos |
| Wed 12 | 18.00 - Mass - St Gabriel's |
| Thur 13 | 09.00 - Mass - St Michael's 15.00 - Mass - Alan Woodrow DP |
| Sat 15 | 07.30 - Mass - St Michael's |
| SUN 16 | ADVENT THREE 16.00 - Choir Practice 18.00 - Carol Service at St Boniface, Germiston |
| Mon 17 | PUBLIC HOLIDAY - Office Closed |
| Wed 19 | 18.00 - Mass - St Gabriel's |
| Thur 20 | 09.00 - Mass - St Michael's |
| Sat 22 | 07.30 - Mass - St Michael's 18.00 - Carols by Candle Light @ St Raphael's |
| SUN 23 | ADVENT FOUR Combined services @ St Michael's 7am & 9am. The Bishop will be visiting us.16.00 Choir practice. 18.00 - 9 Lessons and Carols at the Cathedral. |

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| Mon 24 | 18.00 - Family Crib Service@ St Gabriel's |
| Tue 25 | 23.30 - Midnight Mass CHRISTMASS DAY 07.00 - Mass & Carol's - St G 08.30 - Mass, Carol's & The Blessing of the crib - St R 09.00 - High Mass - St Michael's 18.00 - Evening Prayer |
| Wed 26 | Office will be closed until Wed 2 nd 18.00 - NO MASS @ St Gabriel's |
| Thur 27 | 09.00 - NO MASS @ St Michael's |
| Sat 29 | 07.30 - Mass - St Michael's |
| SUN 30 | CHRISTMASS ONE Combined services @ St Michael's 7am & 9am 18.00 - Evening Prayer |
| Mon 31 | OFFICE CLOSED |
| Tues 01 | NEW YEARS DAY |
| Wed 02 | Office re-opens 18.00 - Mass - St Gabriel's |
| Thurs 3 | 09.00 - Mass - St Michael's Guild of St Luke |
| Sat 05 | 07.30 - Mass St Michael's |

WEEKDAY AND DAILY OFFICES
Morning Mon, Tue, Wed and Fri; 8.15am
Thurs 8.35am Sat 7am all at St Michael's.
Evening prayer Wed 5.35pm at St Gabriel's

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES:
7am; St Gabriel's; Mass
8.30am; St Raphael's. Mass & Youth Worship
8.30am; St Michael's Morning Prayer
9am; St Michael's; Mass & Youth Worship

WORK WANTED; Solomon Mupandanyama, who attends St Michael's, is looking for work of any sort. Contact him on 084-765-8798
Paul Fell (Vera Fell's son) is looking for any sort of work. Contact him on 0824140288 / 0825108228