

## GENERAL NOTICES

**Revd Luthando Madiba** is at St Luke's Nxarhuni today.

**Sub Dean Mzi** will be going on leave from Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> June and will be returning on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019.

Copies of the **Bishop's Charge** are available at the back of the Cathedral.

**Dean Andrew wishes to acknowledge** the wonderful support of the Cathedral family, including the many students and graduates, and so invites all graduates who are attending the lunch next Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> June, to wear academic dress.

**Cathedral Bells:** We are continuing to teach bell ringing when we can. In the meantime, we are going to start/resume chiming a bell before services. It will commence at 15 minutes before the start of the service and ring for approximately 7 to 8 minutes, then a pause before ringing again for the last 5 minutes up to the start of the service. It's a call to church for all and warning for those on their way that they should get there soon!

**The Angelus:** Another role for bells is to signal daily prayer. One such devotion is "The Angelus" a daily reminder of the Incarnation. It is usually rung at 12 noon and consists of chiming a bell 3 times 3, then a series of 9 strokes. A traditional prayer is associated with this which we will endeavor to make available. If you hear it ringing from the tower, give yourself a moment to recall the cosmic significance of God's Incarnation.

**DYG tickets** will be R430 per ticket for the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. This will take place in East-London on the 28<sup>th</sup> till 30<sup>th</sup> June. Please contact Mandilakhe Newadi on 0783672132

**Sound Desk Operators needed:** no technical skills required. Please contact Rodney Bridger on [rodneybridger@gmail.com](mailto:rodneybridger@gmail.com) or send a message to 081 518 7792 and he will contact you.

**Sidespeople needed:** please contact Rodney Bridger on [rodneybridger@gmail.com](mailto:rodneybridger@gmail.com) or send a message to 081 518 7792 and he will contact you. Or speak to any of the other Sidespeople.

**Let's Celebrate!** YOU are invited to join the Dean and Revd Claire in giving thanks to God and celebrating his recent graduation. Theme and dress code: **Bright and Beautiful!** We will be having a lunch for our Cathedral family in St George's hall on **Trinity Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June at 12.30pm**. Please sign the list at the back of the church if you would like to come by, today is the last day to sign up, **(limited to 120 people- first come, first served)**. Donations of food and offers of help would be greatly appreciated. **Everyone is asked to bring their own soft drinks.** Committee: Sally Terry, Parish office staff and others.

**Taize Pilgrimage of trust on earth:** The brothers from Taize in partnership with churches in South Africa will be hosting a nationwide youth event (ages 18 – 35 years) in Cape Town from 25 – 29 September (Government school holidays). Accommodation and meals will be provided. The cost is only R250 per person. Brother Claudio from Taize will be with us at the Cathedral on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> June to meet with those interested in attending. More details are available on their Facebook page "Taize Cape Town 2019" Those interested please speak to the Dean or our Youth Intern, Tandiwe Gabavana. The Dean writes "I hope very much indeed that we shall send a significant number of young people to this event. It promises to be immensely worthwhile and potentially life changing for those who attend".



## Cathedral of St Michael and St George Grahamstown – Grahamstad – iRhini – Makhanda

Visit our website @ [www.grahamstowncathedral.org](http://www.grahamstowncathedral.org)

A warm welcome to those who are visiting the Cathedral. 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 sides people.

### 09 June 2019 – The day of Pentecost

Time	Services	Preacher	Presider / Officiant
07h30	SAPB Holy Communion	Revd Dr Claire Nye Hunter	
09h30	AAPB Holy Communion	Revd Dr Claire Nye Hunter	Sub-Dean Mzinzisi Dyantyi
18h30	The Big Sing	-	

#### Today's meetings and events:

07h20 & 09h20 Pre-service prayers for service leaders and participants

**The Youth Guild** is at St. Phillip's today.

*Children's Church today in the Choir Vestry.*

#### This Week

Tue	11 June	-	Chapter Meeting (Clergy)	St Xavier's, East-London
Evening Prayer	16h30		Mondays and Fridays ( <i>no more Wednesday prayers</i> )	
Holy Eucharist	07h00		Thursdays	
MU Prayer Meeting	16h00		Thursdays	
DYG Prayer Meeting	16h00		Fridays	

#### Clergy and Lay Staff contact details and Cathedral Parish Office (046 622 2445):

*Dean of Grahamstown The Very Rev Dr Andrew Hunter.	082 308 8654	046 622 3976	dean@grahamstowncathedral.org <i>(day off Friday)</i>
*The Sub-Dean and Archdeacon of Grahamstown The Ven. Mzinzisi Dyantyi	073 604 5232	046 622 5633	subdean@grahamstowncathedral.org <i>(day off Monday)</i>
*Senior Assistant Priest and Cathedral Chancellor The Rev Canon Dr Claire Nye Hunter	046 622 2445	046 622 3976	claire@grahamstowncathedral.org <i>(day off: Friday)</i>
Director of Music - Mr Cameron Luke	062 987 0397	+44 7815 5675 96 (WhatsApp only)	

#### Clergy Assisting at Cathedral

Revd Luthando Madiba (Diocesan Media officer; CR & Assoc Chaplain); Revd Idowu Akinloye (PhD student @ RU);  
Revd Lunga Dongwana (Youth Chaplain); Revd Siphokazi Njokweni (Deacon & Choir Chaplain);  
Revd Dr Percy Chinganga (COIT).

To contact the Parish Office staff by email, use:  
office@grahamstowncathedral.org (Administrator – Lou-Anne Liebenberg); admin@grahamstowncathedral.org - (Parish Secretary – Janine Jegels); youthintern@grahamstowncathedral.org - (Youth-Intern - Tandiwe Gabavana).  
\*Members of the Clergy are available for confessions and interviews by appointment.

#### Vision of the Diocese of Grahamstown:

*That all people in the Diocese should know God's love in Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit at work in us*

**PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET HOME WITH YOU**

**Please join in prayer this week for:**

**THE CHURCH:** We give thanks for the gift and outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the church on the Day of Pentecost. Come, Holy Spirit, into our hearts and lives; into the life of the church; move in and through us. Use us to be instruments and witnesses to Jesus Christ in our lives and in all that we do and are.

**OUR COMMUNITY:** We continue to pray for our schools and for Rhodes University; for all our students and pupils as they write exams; for the Department of Water and Sanitation, Makana Municipality and Gift of the Givers; for Amatola Water; for all working for a solution to our water crisis. May the love of Christ surround us and strengthen us.

**OUR WORLD:** We continue to pray for newly sworn in Members of Parliament, and those appointed to Cabinet; for President Cyril Ramaphosa. May God bring us to live in peace.

**BIRTHDAYS:** 10<sup>th</sup> Jeanette Eve, Michael Whisson

**PARISH CYCLE of PRAYER:** Glynn Lloyd-Jones; Dawn Long; Revd Luthando, Lusanda & Luliba Madiba; Nompumelelo Magwa-Bobotyni; Nosiphiwo, Liyema, Mande, Owam & Lulonke Mani-Ndawonde; Prof Chris & Julia Mann.

**PARISHIONERS who are sick, or house bound:** Ernest Bridger, Jeanette Hodgson, Fiona Coyne, Heather Tracey; Gill Meyer

**FRIENDS and FAMILY who are ill:** Jackie Shipster; Archdeacon Cynthia Webbstock; Jonty Nye (Revd Claire's nephew); Sylvia Birrell (sister of Colleen Rippon); Jannice Sephton (former Lay-Canon of Diocese)

*These names will remain here for a month, unless requested otherwise.*

**DECEASED: Bishop Patrick Matolengwe** (former Suffragan-Bishop, Diocese of Cape Town).

**Here are the Gospel readings for the coming week:**

Mon	10	Mat 5: 1-12	Thurs	06	John 17: 20-26
Tues	11	John 15: 12-17	Fri	07	John 21: 15-19
Weds	12	Mat 5: 17-19	Sat	08	John 21: 20-25
Sun	02	Acts 16: 16-34	Psalm 97	Rev 22: 12-21	John 17: 20-26

**Services next Sunday – 16 June 2019 – Trinity Sunday**

Time	Services	Preacher	Presider / Officiant
07h30	AAPB Holy Communion	Revd Jonathan Bukutu	Dean Andrew Hunter
09h30	AAPB Holy Communion	Bishop Ebeneze Ntlali	
18h00	Evening Prayer	-	

**Blessing for Pentecost - Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

May the enthusiasm of Spirit leap incessantly within you and help you to live a vibrant life.

May the warmth of Spirit's fire be extended through your concern and care for all those who need your love.

May the blaze of Spirit's courage enable you to speak the truth and to stand up for respect, dignity, and justice.

May the ungodly embers of Spirit's faithfulness support you when you feel spiritually dry and empty.

May the strength of Spirit's love sustain your hope as you enter into the pain of our world.

May the clear light of Spirit's guidance be a source of effective discernment and decision-making for you.

May the Spirit's patient endurance be yours while you wait for what is unknown to be revealed.

May the steady flame of Spirit's goodness within you convince you every day of the power of your presence with others.

May the joyful fire of Spirit dance within you and set happiness ablaze in your life.

May the spark of your relationship with Spirit catch afire in the hearts of those with whom you live and work.

May you be mindful of the Eternal Flame within you.

May you rely on this Source of Love to be your constant ally and steady guide.

**Joyce Rupp 2010, Out of the Ordinary  
Pauline Publishers (page 255 – 256)**