



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

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**SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
16 January 2022**

**PLEASE JOIN OUR IN PERSON AND LIVE-STREAMED ACTS
OF WORSHIP**

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**The Collect for the 2nd Sunday after
the Epiphany:**

God of grace and glory
your Son revealed your power in many
signs:
transform our everyday lives and make
us worthy of our calling
to serve the world in your name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit, one God,
now and for ever

Amen

Readings for the Eucharist:

Isaiah 62: 1 - 5

Psalms 36: 5 - 10

Psalm Prayer: O God, the well of
life,
make us bright with wisdom,
that we may be lightened with the
knowledge of your glory
in the face of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

1 Corinthians 12: 1 – 11

John 2: 1 - 11

Sunday Services 16 January 2022:

7:30am Said Eucharist (AAPB) - In Person only

Preacher & Presider: Sub-Dean Melany Adonis

9:30am Sung Eucharist (AAPB) - In Person and Live Streamed

Preacher: Sub-Dean Melany Adonis **Presider:** Revd Luthando Madiba

Monday to Friday Live-Streamed Services:

9 a.m. Morning Prayer; 5 p.m. Evening Prayer

(these are all live-streamed on the Cathedral Facebook page)

In the daily Offices of Morning and Evening Prayer, we are given a feast of psalms and scripture readings.

PLEASE JOIN IN PRAYER THIS WEEK FOR:

The Church: We pray for the Church throughout the world at the beginning of the New Year. We are grateful for another opportunity to start again. May we as the Body of Christ, have the courage to stand as a beacon of hope in a world of anxiety and fear. We pray for the leaders of the Church for all denominations and especially for the Anglican Communion throughout the world. We pray for Thabo, our Metropolitan; for Ebenezer our Bishop; for Dean Mzi and all who work here at the Cathedral of St Michael and St George. Set us free to bring restoration through Christ.

The World: We give thanks for the world and all its resources. As we start this New Year, may we strive to be better stewards of these resources and bring hope by working for a better future for all God’s people. We are grateful for the rain we received and pray for the areas where floods were experienced – especially for families who have lost loved ones and families who had lost all their possessions. We pray for all the countries of the world and its different leaders, remembering especially areas with conflict and strive.

The Nation: We pray for our country and its leaders. We pray for a greater awareness of God’s presence and peace as we deal with the challenges the covid pandemic brought. May we all work together to ensure better governance and communities where all are supported and cared for. We pray for teachers and learners as schools re-open; for the Department of Education as they address the challenges around burgled and looted school buildings. May the peace and love of Christ lead us.

Our Community: We pray for our city Makhanda – for all who live and work here. As we start the New Year, we pray for the municipality to find ways to work together to serve all people. May God’s love transform us all. We pray for the youth – especially those on our streets; we pray for the hungry, poor and unemployed; for those without proper shelter. We pray for all families; for parents and children; for child-headed families; for single parents; for divorced parents.

Birthdays: 16th Linda Nyarashe, Giselle Peters; 18th Sanelisiwe Shumane; 20th Millicent Armitage; 21st Nqabisa Twaku; 22nd Jessica Lloyd-Jones.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: Zoleka & Hlumela Maqwili, Peter, Joan, Veronique, Mikkyale, Charlene, Yarren, Melissa, Mizaan & Waldo Marcus; Rudi & Kay Marx; Sally, Noah & Litha Matthews; Pinky Matya; Ian, Cathy, Andrew & Matthew Meiklejohn.

Parishioners who are ill: Peter Rose; Paul Pillay; Fiona Coyne; Lorraine Mullins

House Bound: Jeanette Hodgson.

Friends and Family who are ill: Revd Simphiwe Magxwalisa; Revd Ndom Madyibi; Angelo Passione (in Australia); Revd Bafana Jolobe; Gerald Burger; Sarah James; Charles Valentine; Lorna Meiklejohn (Ian Meiklejohn’s mother); Dr Cornelius; Luyafezwa and Avela Kelemi

DECEASED: Rosalie Breitenbach; All who have died during Covid-19 pandemic

GENERAL NOTICES:

Welcome back!!! May this year of 2022 be a prosperous year for everyone filled with all God’s promises and abundant blessings.

Kindly be informed of the **Memorial Service of Rosalie Breitenbach on Saturday, 22 January at 15:00** in the **Cathedral**. We give thanks for her life and pray for her family - for Andrew, her son and his wife Erika and their children (Ben, Sebastian, Nina); for her daughter, Catherine and her husband, David and their children (Emma, Jess). May Rosalie's soul rest in peace and rise in glory.

Confirmation: All those interested in preparing for confirmation, please meet with Sub-Dean Melany as **Sunday, 30 January 2022** after the **9h30** service.

For those who would like to **join the Cathedral Family** can **fill in a Parish roll form** at the back of the church and submit it to one of the Clergy.

For those who would like to **place flowers** in the lady chapel **in loving memory of their loved ones or anniversary** and a **notice placed** in the Pewleaflet, please **fill in your memory in the lady chapel flowers book** at the back of the church.

Education Sunday/Back to School service will be on the **6th of February 2022** at 9h30.

The Anglican Church COVID-19 advisory team has recently produced this video to encourage people to get vaccinated. Please click on the link to view the video and do share it widely with Parishioners, friends and family. [Church Vaccinate D6 FINAL.mp4](#) As **Dean** I Continue to encourage those who have not received their vaccination doses to do so in our call to **“do the right thing to protect yourself and those around you”**. **I assure you there is enough for everyone. To get your vaccination certificate visit the Covid-19 vaccine certificate system portal on:**
<https://vaccine.certificate.health.gov.za>

Here are the Gospel readings for this week:

Mon 17	Mark 2: 18 - 22	Tue 18	Mark 2: 23 - 28
Wed 19	Mark 3: 1 - 6	Thu 20	Mark 3: 7 - 12
Fri 21	Mark 3: 13 – 19a	Sat 22	Mark 3: 19b - 30
Sun 23	Neh 8: 1 – 3, 5 – 6, 8 - 7	Psalm 19	1 Cor 12: 12 – 31a Luke 4: 14 - 21