

DMC FAMILY NEWS

Prayers

Please pray for the following people in their time of need:

Mara Greyvenstein

Helene Robertson

Wessel Oosthuizen

Mike Reid

Louis Stander

Denice Tregurtha

Catherine Rae

The family of George Butler

Flowers

The flowers in the church today are donated by Bill & Madeleine Martin with grateful thanks to God for many blessings received.

Birthdays

We wish you God's RICHEST blessings as you celebrate your special day.

Sanna Mabote 27 November

Roy Savage 27 November

Casper Uys 27 November

Noeks Foreman 28 November

Matthew Faught 28 November

Graeme Lambert 28 November

Robyn McKinley 28 November

Sally Visser 29 November

Denis Insley 29 November

Margaret Pietersen 29 November

Marcelle Barthelemy 29 November

Neil Rix 30 November

Jimmy Siewertsen 30 November

Di Schell 30 November

Elise Timm 1 December

Jacques Roelf 1 December

Trafton Poole 1 December

Matthieu Pierre 3 December

NEXT SUNDAY: 4 December 2016

Second Sunday in Advent

Holy Communion

Preacher

08h00 Rev David Newton

09h30 Rev David Newton

18h30 Rev Vuyelwa Ntshinga-Yawa

Society Stewards

08h00 Isaac Adom-Aboagye

09h30 Andre Nortier

18h30 Val Kemp

Welcome and Offertory Stewards

08h00 Thelda Ekron & Marlene Froneman

09h30 Riana Basson & Vida Das Neves

18h30 Elly Spronk

Help Desk Stewards

08h00 Madeleine Martin

09h30 Liz Harper

Data Projector Operators

08h00 Bill Martin

09h30 David Stephen

18h30 Alida Schoonenberg & Sherrilynn Thysses

Sound Desk Operators

08h00 Gary Kahts

09h30 Kurt Moore

18h30 Arnold Weppenaar

Growing A Family Aflame,
Sharing God's Love with All



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1st SUNDAY in ADVENT 27 November 2016

Today is the first Sunday of Advent, the Sunday in which we recall the hope we have in Christ.

The prophets of Israel all spoke of the coming of Christ, of how a Saviour would be born, a king in the line of David. They spoke of how He would rule the world wisely and bless all nations.

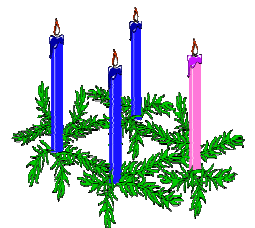
On Christmas Day the Christ of our hope was born. On Good Friday the Christ of our hope died. On Easter Day the Christ of our hope rose from the dead. He then ascended into heaven. On the last day, the Christ of our hope will return to establish His kingdom over all things on earth.

As followers of Christ, we await his return. We light this candle to remember that as He came to us humbly in the manger at Bethlehem and gave light to the world, so He is coming again in power to deliver His people.

We light this candle to remind us to be alert and to watch for his return.

LIGHT THE FIRST CANDLE

LET US PRAY : Loving God, we thank you for the hope You give us. Help us prepare our hearts for the Lord's Coming. Bless our worship. Help us live holy and right-



TODAY’S SERVICE

Series: Christ the King

Reading: Isaiah 11: 1-10
Luke 1: 46-55

Title: Hope: For a not-so-silent night

Preacher
09h00 Ryan Fernandez
18h30 Ryan Fernandez

Society Steward
09h00 Paige Tremlett
18h30 Glen Bradshaw

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DMC YOUTH

Sunday School: This is the last Sunday School session for 2016. However, we shall be screening Christian films under adult supervision for the children during the 9:30 service for the next 3 Sundays (4, 11 and 18 December). We shall screen these in the downstairs lounge.

Friday Night Youth - Juniors & Seniors
18h30 - 21h00: Making Christmas crackers
All welcome to join.

For more information contact Lauren Fick - 074 600 1237.

CHARITABLE APPEALS

Christmas Cards - will be on sale as from 6 November at the help desk after the 08h00 service. R15.00 for a pack of 5. Funds go to FIA.

PANTRY CUPBOARD - our pantry cupboard is running low. We are making an appeal for non-perishable food items. If you can help, please deliver to the church office or leave at the help desk.

2017 ROSTERS - FLOWERS for the CHURCH, SOUP KITCHEN - will all those who have volunteered to assist with the above, please collect their new roster from the mail boxes.

CAR GUARD - We would like to give Patrick a small bonus at the end of the year. If you would like to donate something please speak to Yvonne.

UPCOMING EVENTS

CHRISTMAS CAROLS
Let’s Celebrate His Birth - Saturday 10 December at DMC. Bring & Share supper at 18h00. Carols Celebration to start after 19h00. Bring a candle & candle holder.

CHURCH EXECUTIVE MEETING - Tuesday 13 December at the church at 18h30.

OTHER NOTICES
MORNING PRAYERS - Join us for prayers on a Tuesday morning at the church from 05h45 - 06h45.

CONGREGATIONAL LETTER - Will **ALL** members of the congregation please collect their letters from the foyer. This is for people on planned giving and those who are not.

Please join us for a cup of coffee/tea after the 18h30 service.