DMC FAMILY NEWS

Prayers

Please pray for the following people in their time of need:
Piet Olivier, Mike Reid

Flowers

The flowers in the church today are donated by Gordon Ludski & family in loving memory of Mercia, a dear wife and loving mother.

Birthdays

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

Monica Collins	13 August
Erina Bothma	13 August
Norah Macklin	13 August
Ed Marran (Snr)	13 August
Malcolm Neethling	14 August
Jaco Janse Van Rensburg	14 August
Bianca Du Toit	14 August
Eileen Barnes	14 August
Lulu Dotwana	14 August
Francois Visser	14 August
Hanz Rauch	14 August
Jenny Mitchell	14 August
Eldon Du Toit	15 August
André De Jongh	15 August
Terry Miller	15 August
Reynier Louw	16 August
Victor Storkey	16 August
Estelle Nortier	17 August
Byron Kuhn	17 August
Kareline Masterson	17 August
Diane Bishop	18 August
Sean McGuigan	18 August
Edmund Atkinson	19 August
Richard Norton	19 August
Ann Scherer	19 August

when he saw the wind, he was afraid and, beginning to sink, cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus reached out his hand and caught him. (Mt 14:30)

NEXT SUNDAY: 20 August 2017

Preacher

08h00 Mr Reggie Madjoe - Local Preachers' Sunday
09h30 Mr Reggie Madjoe - Local Preachers' Sunday
18h30 Andrew Boake

Society Stewards

08h00 Lauren Fick
09h30 Andrew Boake
18h30 Simon Mofokeng

Welcome and Offertory Stewards

08h00 Karel & Melinda Van Der Molen
09h30 Roy & Maryna Lureman
18h30

Help Desk Stewards

08h00 David Van Der Merwe
09h30 Denise Norton

Sound Desk Operators

08h00 Stewart Robinson
09h30 Kurt Moore
18h30

Data Projector Operators

08h00 Tippie Wyrley-Birch
09h30
18h30 Val Kemp

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

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Minister's Note — 13 August 2017

"***Restore us again, O God our Saviour***", pray the singing intercessors of Psalm 85 (:4). "*Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you*?" they plead (:6). This prayer is echoed by many in our nation, in the church and in homes across the province. We long to rejoice, knowing that God has wonderfully and powerfully saved us.

After crying out in prayer the singers become still to "*listen to what God the LORD will say*" (:8). In the quiet comes a beautiful promise:
"***Love and faithfulness meet together;***
righteousness and peace kiss each other.
Faithfulness springs forth from the earth,
and righteousness looks down from heaven" (:10-11)

Picture Namaqualand daisies faithfully emerging in response to life-giving rain and sun from the heavens. That's what it looks like when earth responds to heaven's justice.

Even as our intercessions continue may we know that, in Christ, love and faithfulness have kissed! Through the Cross, faithfulness has sprung up from the earth and righteousness has looked down from heaven. May the world see in our lives the embrace of love and faithfulness, righteousness and peace!

God Bless, Sean

TODAY'S SERVICE

SERIES: Wrestling with God

08h00 & 09h30
Reading: Gen. 37:1-13, 17b-20, Matt. 14: 22-33
Title: The Power of God's Dream

18h30
Reading: Gen. 37:1-13, 17b-20
Title: What are your big, bright, rainbow-coloured God dreams?

Preacher
08h00 Rev Sean McGuigan
09h30 Rev Sean McGuigan
18h30 Lauren Fick

Society Steward
08h00 Isaac Adom-Aboagye
09h30 Paige Tremlett
18h30 Louis Louw

Organist
Thelda Ekron

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DMC YOUTH

SUNDAY SCHOOL (9h30 - 10h30)
All children over the age of 3 are welcome to attend. This is an opportunity for them to discover, through Bible stories, games and crafts, that they too belong to God's family.

YOUTH
Senior Youth - Friday (19h00 - 21h00)

CHARITABLE APPEALS

TYGERBERG HOSPITAL FLOWER & MAGAZINE MINISTRY - We require any useful, interesting & uplifting magazines. Please drop these off at the church. Thank you.

COLLECTION for the AGED - A Retiring Collection will be taken after all three services on Sunday 27 August. All contributions will be for the District's work amongst the aged in our Old Age Homes.

UPCOMING EVENTS

CHURCH EXECUTIVE MEETING - Monday 14 August at the church at 18h30.

FIA (FAITH IN ACTION) - will be held at the church on Wednesday 16 August at 09h30. A DVD by Rob Bell will be shown. Please remember your cup-a-soup, 2'noodle, peanut butter, instant coffee, tea & toiletries. All most welcome.

NEW MEMBERS ORIENTATION - All New Members are asked to attend the New Members Orientation which will be held every Wednesday at the church at 19h00 from 16 August - 13 September.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING - Tuesday 22 August at the church at 19h00.

DMC QUIET DAY- Join David Newton for a quiet morning Saturday 2 September at the church from 09h00.

OTHER NOTICES

MORNING PRAYERS - *there will be no morning prayers until futher notice.*

MIDWEEK COMMUNION SERVICES - every Wednesday morning at 09h00. All most welcome.

MONTHLY HEALING SERVICES - first Wednesday evening at 18h30.

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