



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

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MINISTER'S NOTE

6 OCTOBER 2024

Today we reflect on the story of Job, a man of great faith and integrity, who faced unimaginable trials, loss of his health, his wealth, and even the support of his loved ones. Yet, in the midst of this suffering, Job did not turn his back on God. His story speaks to us about the mystery of pain and the challenge of remaining faithful when our circumstances seem overwhelming.

There are times when we may feel like Job, pushed to the edge by life's hardships. Our losses, illness, grief, or broken relationships can leave us feeling isolated, abandoned, and in despair. Yet, Job teaches us something profound: even in our suffering, God is present. Our faith is not a guarantee of an easy life, but it is a source of strength, helping us endure through the hardest moments.

As we walk through our own struggles, let us hold onto the truth that God never forsakes us. In moments of pain, let us, like Job, choose faith over despair, trusting that God is working even in the shadows, even when we do not understand.

May we support one another, reminding each other of God's unwavering love and faithfulness. We are never alone in our trials, for God walks beside us, holding us up with His grace.

With faith and hope,
Vuyelwa.

READINGS:

Job 1:1, 2: 1-10

SUNDAY SCHOOL & YOUTH: 09h00 - 10h00. - Welcome back to all our families. We hope you had a lovely break. We continue learning about David and find out about how he brought the ark to Jerusalem (2 Sam. 6) and God's promise to David and his descendants (2 Sam. 7).

DMC FAMILY NEWS

PRAYER

Nonnie Vorster

Kindly inform the office of members who have been admitted to hospital.
Please contact the office if you have any prayer request.
Tel. 021 976 0598

FLOWERS

The flowers in the church today are donated by Gottfried and Linda Weber. "O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

SERVICE & GENEROSITY

SOUP for MES - We are in urgent need of soup. Thank you!!

CHRISTMAS CARDS - Available at the office, R15.00 for a pack of 5. Funds go to FIA.

TOY DRIVE - We are appealing to the Congregation for donations of new and used toys for the less privileged kids for Christmas gifts. Please leave at the help desk or the office. Thank you.

CHURCH FLOWER ROSTER 2025

If you would like to donate towards flowers in 2025 please add your name to the list at the help desk.

DUTY ROSTERS NOVEMBER 2024 - JANUARY 2025

Please advise the office of your availability during the holiday period.

BIRTHDAYS

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

Lucille Beeforth	6 October
Wendy Lee	7 October
Toni Howard	7 October
Denice Tregurtha	8 October
Grace Adom-Aboagye	9 October
Kwadwo Adom-Aboagye	10 October

SUNDAY SERVICE 6 OCTOBER 2024
HOLY COMMUNION
PREACHER REV VUYELWA NTSHINGA

MIDWEEK COMMUNION SERVICES

Every Wednesday morning at 09h00. All most welcome.

UPCOMING EVENTS at DMC

FIA (FAITH in ACTION)

Will be held at the Church on Wednesday 9 October at 09h30. Speaker: Rene Schoombe from Durbanville Library. Remember your food items. All welcome.

WELCOME to the FAMILY DINNER - (NEW MEMBERS)

will be held Thursday 17 October at 18h30 at the church.

NAME TAGS - After service please leave your name tag in the plastic holders provided and not on the board.

Sacrificial giving can be done via EFT:

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