

St John the Evangelist Catholic Church

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MISSION STATEMENT

Relying on God's strength, we are committed to fostering a renewal of faith in our Parish by growing a caring and compassionate community and so witnessing to the Word of God.

ST JOHN'S, FISH HOEK

SAT	24 MAY	5:30 pm	MASS: <i>Michael Stanley RIP anniversary</i>
SUN	25 MAY	9:30 am	MASS:
TUES	27 MAY	5:00 pm	HOLY ROSARY NOVENA TO ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST
		5:30 pm	MASS:
WED	28 MAY	9:00 am	MASS: <i>Mortuary List</i>
FRI	30 MAY	9:00 am	MASS: <i>Mortuary List</i>
ST BRENDAN'S, SUN VALLEY			
SUN	25 MAY	7:30 am	MASS:
THURS	29 MAY	9:00 am	HOLY ROSARY
		9:30 am	MASS: <i>Mortuary List</i>

CONFESSIONS ON TUESDAYS AND SATURDAYS
5:00 pm at
ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST
NO MASS ON MONDAYS IN ORDINARY TIME

THE WAY OF LIGHT: From now until Pentecost, we will be praying the Way of Light on Fridays before Mass. Walking in the footsteps of Christ from Resurrection to Pentecost.

ALPHA: Alpha has started but anyone who may be interested is still welcome to join. Just scan the QR code to register. We meet on Thursdays in the Parish Centre from 6:30 – 8:00 pm. For information, please contact one of the team members: Teresa Lategan 073 486 7179, Darwin Phyfer 078 057 2675 or Marion Thomas 068 355 3444



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25 MAY 2025 — 6th SUNDAY OF EASTER
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Peace I leave with you; my *peace* I give you.
I do not give to you as the world gives.
Do not let your hearts be troubled
and *do not be afraid.*
John 14:27

100 CLUB DRAW: The winners of the April draw are:

1 st	Gulia Thompson	R 237.50
2 nd	Heather Petersen	R 618.65
3 rd	Susan Grave	R 371.25
4 th	Presence prize	R 250.00 went to Karen Jones.

Congratulations to the winners and welcome to our new members.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS: We will meet on Tuesday 27th May after 5:30 pm Mass and the topic will be 'Fruits and Gifts of the Holy Spirit'.

TREE PLANTING FOR THE JUBILEE YEAR 2025: To mark the 10th anniversary celebrations of Pope Francis' call for ecological conversion in caring for nature and our common home, mother earth. This has been moved to Sunday 25th May after 9:30 am Mass. Please join us.

VISITS TO HOMES FOR THE ELDERLY: Father Subeesh will visit Carlisle Lodge on Thursday 29th May, at 10:30 am.

ST JOHN'S YOUTH: All youth between the ages of 13 – 19 years invited on Friday evenings to the Parish Centre for fun games and faith formation from 6:00 - to 7:30 pm. Food and drinks provided. Cailin 079 125 1990 or Emma 084 324 3867.

PARISH PASCHAL MEAL: Saturday 14th June (in anticipation of the Feast of Corpus Christi). Tickets on sale after Mass this weekend at R100 for adults and R85 for children. In addition, all participants/ groups/ families are presumed to do their share of roast veg or desserts, and hall prep/ clean up as agreed. Speak to Magda regarding your tickets and contribution (to the bring and share) 082 706 6375. Donations welcome.

SECOND COLLECTION: This Sunday is for the Priests' Medical Fund which supports priests in active ministry who take ill and as a result need hospitalisation, medical care or medication. Envelopes are at the back of the church.

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Thank you to all for the incredible support towards the roof fund. We are still waiting for a revised quotation but hope to make a start before winter. Further updates will follow as we are informed. For contributions by EFT, please use the reference ROOF.

FEAST DAYS IN THE WEEK

26 May	St Phillip Neri
27 May	St Augustine of Canterbury
29 May	Blessed Joseph Gerard

INFANT BAPTISM: Contact the office if any families would like to arrange for baptism of their children.

ECCLESIA FAITH SHARING GROUP: 10 Hillside Road - We will be meeting at 6:30 pm on Wednesday 28th May for faith-sharing on the Mass readings for the coming Sunday. Magda 082 706 6375.

HOUSE MASSES DURING JUBILEE YEAR: The Eucharist is The Source and Summit of the Christian Life (CCC 1324—1327). As we are celebrating the Jubilee Year let the Eucharistic Jesus bless our families. St John the Evangelist Parish gives you an opportunity to host a house Mass during Jubilee Year with neighbours, friends and family. Please email or phone the office if you would like to make an arrangement to host a house Mass.

BIBLE STUDY AND FAITH SHARING: We meet on Fridays after 9:00 am Mass, in the Parish Centre. Contact Jean 082 922 0597.

THURSDAY PRAYER GROUP: Join us at St Brendan's 7:00 pm.

REPOSITORY: Devotional articles are available to buy after weekend Masses or by appointment — Magda 082 706 6375.

PRAYERS FOR ELDERLY AND SICK PARISHIONERS: *Bridget Liddle, Peter Attenborough, Denise van der Bijl, Marcia Day, Yvonne Lewis, Joyce Robinson, Helena Woodward, Ashleigh Black, Wayne Golding, Patrisa Horstmann, Victor Geale, Michael McLeroth, Rosanna Crawford, Bridget Louw, Fiona Purvis, Pat Shaw.*

** Join us for tea after 9:30 am Mass today **

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BANK DETAILS

BANK:	Standard Bank Blue Route	
ACCOUNT NAME:	St John's Catholic Church	
ACCOUNT NO:	07 211 855 5	BRANCH CODE: 025609

NEWSLETTER ONLINE: The weekly newsletter can be viewed or downloaded from our web site <https://fishhoekcatholicchurch.co.za>. Or <https://fishhoekcatholicchurch.co.za/newsletter>