

SATURDAY 08 AUG – SUNDAY 16 AUG

Saturday 08th Saint Dominic, priest	16h00 - Confession 17h00 - Mass - RIP Desmond Lucas, RIP Kathleen Luke & Denise Ducler, Birthday Blessings Jarred Thompson
Sunday 09th 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	07h00 - Mass – RIP Edna Pillai, RIP Moses [Dicky] Matthew Michael, Special Intention Charmaine Ramchabi 09h00 - Mass – (In Person & LiveStream) – Pro Populo
Monday 10th – PUBLIC HOLIDAY 19th Week in Ordinary Time Saint Lawrence, deacon and martyr	09h00 - Mass – RIP Moses [Dicky] Matthew Michael
Tuesday 11th Saint Clare, virgin	09h00 - Mass – [In Person & Livestream] - Special Intention Taylor Family; Special Intention Vivienne de Grandpré; Special Intention René Pillay 09h45 - Unlocking The Mysteries Of The Bible 17h30 - Good Shepherd/YDJ/Confirmation
Wednesday 12th Blessed Isidore Bakanja, martyr Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, religious	06h30 - Communion Service
Thursday 13th Saint Pontian, pope, and Saint Hippolytus, priest, martyrs	08h15 - Rosary 09h00 - Mass – [In Person & Livestream] - RIP Desmond Lucas; RIP Michael Taylor 18h30 - Rosary Series
Friday 14th Saint Maximilian Kolbe, priest and martyr	08h30 - Adoration & Benediction 09h00 - Mass – [In Person & Livestream] – For All Who Are Sick 18h30 - Young Adults
Saturday 15th	10h00 - Griefshare [Session 12] 12h00 - Rosary Group 16h00 - Confession 17h00 - Mass - Pro Populo
Sunday 16th The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	07h00 - Mass – RIP Shan Pillay; RIP Frances Bernardine Chiluvane; 90 th Birthday Blessings Maryse Barbot 09h00 - Mass – (In Person & LiveStream) – RIP Gerard Chinnapper; Special Intention Pam Chinnapper

PARISH OF SAINT JOSEPH MORNINGSIDE



PARISH VISION STATEMENT

To be an Inviting, Spirit-Filled Community of Missionary Disciples at the Service of all our Sisters and Brothers.



PRAYER INTENTION, AUGUST 2026: For evangelization in the city:

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

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The Parish Office, Adoration Chapel and Garden of Remembrance are
Open from 08h00 to 16h00 Monday to Friday.
(Closed on Weekends and Public Holidays)

HAPPY WOMEN'S MONTH!



May God continue to bless and guide you, granting you wisdom, courage, good health, and abundant joy. Through the loving example of our Blessed Mother Mary, may you always know your worth and the important role you play in building God's Kingdom. We wish all the women of our parish a happy, blessed, and grace-filled Women's Month.

LADIES IN FAITH TOGETHER (LIFT) RETREAT

We keep our Ladies in Faith Together in our prayers as they attend their retreat from **7–9 August at Capuchin Convent, Hibberdene**. May the Holy Spirit guide and renew them, filling their hearts with God's love, peace, and wisdom. May this time of prayer, reflection, and fellowship deepen their faith and strengthen them for their ministry and daily lives. We ask the Lord to bless them with safe travel, open hearts, and many graces throughout the retreat.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Monday, 10 August is a public holiday, Mass will be at 09h00 and the office and all Parish facilities will be closed for the day. We wish all our parishioners a safe and blessed public holiday.

YOUNG ADULTS

Will meet on **Friday, 14 August at 18h30** in the Emmaus Room for an evening of laughs, discussion and faith sharing. You are welcome to bring some friends along with you.

ROSARY GROUP

The Rosary group will meet on **Saturday, 15 August at 12h00** in the boardroom. You are most welcome to come and join them in prayer.

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Next week, we celebrate the **Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (15/16 August)**. The Church teaches that, at the end of her earthly life, the Blessed Virgin Mary was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory, sharing fully in the victory of her Son, Jesus Christ. **Prayer:** Heavenly Mother, full of God's grace, pray for us today and always. Help us to trust in God's will, to be patient in trials, and to remain faithful in our daily lives, as you did. May we one day join you and all the saints in the joy of heaven. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

BAPTISM CLASSES

Our next class is **Saturday, 22 August from 10h00-14h00**. Please contact the Parish office prior to the class to make an appointment to meet with Fr. Michael.

PRE-MARRIAGE COURSE

If you are planning to get married, then you need to attend a pre-marriage preparation course. We begin our next course **03 September until 08 October at 18h30-20h30 [each Thursday over 5 weeks, except 24 September due to the public holiday]**. Please call the Parish office to book an appointment with Father Michael.



OUR FOOD FAIR IS ALMOST HERE SAVE THE DATE FRIDAY, 28 AUGUST



Looking for a great night out with family and friends? Then save the date! Join us for our annual Food Fair on **Friday, 28 August, from 18h00 onwards**. Come hungry because there's something for everyone! Enjoy delicious wors rolls, flavour-packed breyani, tasty curries, irresistible sweet and savoury treats, refreshing drinks from our gin bar, freshly brewed coffee, creamy milkshakes, and so much more! Bring the whole family! We'll have a dedicated children's entertainment area, great food, wonderful fellowship, exciting raffles, and a fantastic community atmosphere. **Food and raffle tickets go on sale** after all Masses from the weekend of **15 & 16 August**. Be sure to get yours early! Don't miss one of our biggest parish events of the year. Invite your family, bring your friends, and come ready for a fun-filled evening. We can't wait to welcome you. See you at the Food Fair!