



## REVIEW OF CHURCH FINANCES - 2025

The parish finances continue to be a source of concern. Although we did end the year with a slight increase in income, this was not enough to recover the monies lost over the year. We do not appear to be growing and this needs much prayer and action. We are as always, extremely grateful to all those who support the church for the furthering of God's work. It would also help us greatly, if pledges could be done via EFT to reduce increasing bank charges. At the end of March the finances are still in decline.

*Andree Lombard - Treasurer*

Please continue where possible to financially support the parish with EFT deposits of pledges and/ or donations. We are also available to receive pledges in cash at the parish office during normal office hours. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Pledge envelopes are always available at the Park Ave door entrance to the church.

PLEASE WRITE YOUR OWN PLEDGE NUMBER AND THE MONTH ON THE ENVELOPE. KINDLY CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION.

### BANK DETAILS

St Oswald's Church

Standard Bank, Milnerton | Chq Acct 073084735



# ST OSWALD'S CHURCH



MILNERTON

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF SOUTHERN AFRICA (A.C.S.A)



## APRIL 2025 THE SEASONS OF LENT & EASTER

### SERVICES

#### ST OSWALD'S CHURCH

Sunday	Holy Communion	07h30 / 09h30
Wednesday	Holy Communion	09h30

#### ST FRANCIS CHAPELRY

Sunday	Holy Communion	09h30
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#### ST LUKE'S CHAPELRY

Sunday	Iyukariste Engcwele	09h30
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Fr Selwyn Engelbrecht also presides at a regular EUCHARIST SERVICE at HUIS ZONNEKUS, Milnerton

### WELCOME

A VERY WARM WELCOME TO YOU ALL.

May the fellowship of the Holy Spirit embrace us together in love and peace.

Should you wish to join the parish, please log into the parish website - [www.stoswalds.org.za](http://www.stoswalds.org.za) where forms are available to be downloaded. Once completed, please email them to the parish office.

## HOME VISITS

Parishioners who would like someone to visit them - please contact the office via telephone: 021 551 8529 / email: [info@stoswalds.org.za](mailto:info@stoswalds.org.za)

## PRAYER CHAIN

If you would like to be part of the Parish Prayer Chain who regularly offer intercessions for those who need it, **please contact the office and leave your name, telephone number and email address.** Everyone is welcome to be part of this essential ministry in our parish.

## HALL HIRE

PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE ARE RESTRICTIONS ON THE HIRING OF THE HALL FOR FUNCTIONS. Please contact the church wardens or the office if you need more information.

Nadine Schell: 083 448 0422 - [nadineschell73@gmail.com](mailto:nadineschell73@gmail.com)

Andrée Lombard: 082 449 4955 – [andreelombard@absamail.co.za](mailto:andreelombard@absamail.co.za)

The Parish office: 021 551 8529

<u>Clergy:</u>	Revd Selwyn Engelbrecht	021 552 3262
	Revd Ernest Ward-Cox	083 255 4519
	Revd Thozamile Shweni	
	Revd Tembeka Mpako-Ntusi	

<u>Parish Office:</u>	Deirdre Marshall	021 551 8529
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8:30am – 12:30pm Tues – Friday

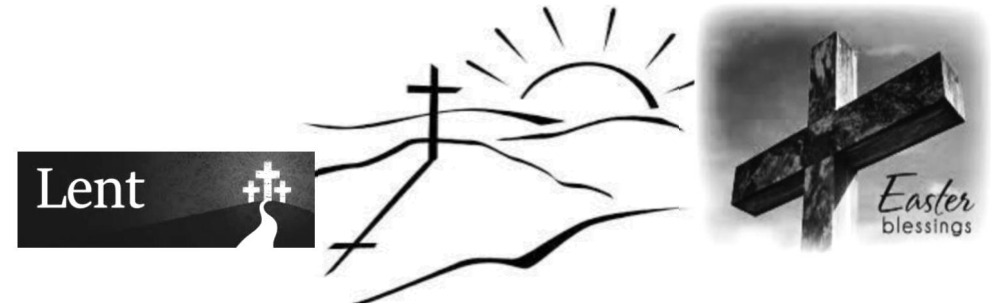
<u>Church Wardens:</u>	Andrée Lombard: 082 449 4955
	<a href="mailto:andreelombard@absamail.co.za">andreelombard@absamail.co.za</a>
	Nadine Schell: 083 448 0422
	<a href="mailto:nadineschell73@gmail.com">nadineschell73@gmail.com</a>

Self-supporting & Retired Clergy periodically assisting in the Parish:

Rev Maxwell Malan, Rev Rod Walsh, Rev Mxolisi Mpambani,  
Rev Matthew Esau

E-Mail: [info@stoswalds.org.za](mailto:info@stoswalds.org.za)

# St Oswald's Parish



PLEASE REFER TO THIS & THE WEEKLY LEAFLET  
& OUR WEBSITE FOR THE SERVICE SCHEDULE

PLEASE RETAIN THIS LEAFLET FOR THE MONTH  
FOR ALL NECESSARY PARISH INFORMATION.

## THE RECTOR'S APPOINTMENT

Fr Selwyn has been appointed Rector of Christ Church, Constantia with effect from Sunday 18 May 2025.

The Service of Institution of Fr Selwyn, will be held at 15h00 on the same day at Christ Church.

More information will be communicated to you next Sunday, regarding our Farewell to Fr Selwyn and his family, including when he will be moving to the new parish.

# COLLECTS & READINGS FOR APRIL

(The Revised English Bible)

LENT V SUNDAY 06 APRIL 2025



## COLLECT

Holy God and Lord of life, in Jesus Christ you define our living and our dying: grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross, we may triumph in the power of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever, Amen.

## READINGS

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Isaiah 43: 16 – 21

Psalm 126

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Philippians 3: 4b – 14

Gospel: John 12: 1 - 8



## Palm Sunday

*The Sunday of the Passion* 13 APRIL 2025

## COLLECT

Eternal Father, your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ fulfilled your will by taking our nature and giving his life for us: help us to follow the example of his humility by walking in the way of the cross; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever, Amen.

## READINGS

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Isaiah 50: 4 – 9a

Psalm 31: 9 - 18

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Philippians 2: 5 – 11

Gospel: Luke 22: 14 - 23: 56 or Luke 23: 1 - 49

MAUNDY THURSDAY 17 APRIL 2025

## COLLECT



God, our Father, your Son revealed his love in washing the feet of his disciples and by giving us this supper: nourish us by Christ's presence and unite us in Christ's love, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever, Amen.

## READINGS

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Exodus 12: 1 - 14

Psalm 116: 1 - 2, 11 - 18

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Corinthians 11: 23– 26

Gospel: John 13: 1 - 17, 31b - 35

# ST FRANCIS BIRTHDAYS - APRIL

01/04	Freda Allen, Mollison Van De Berg, Mario Daries
02/04	Kyle Rule, Carmen Hendricks
03/04	Geraldine Williams, Rose Hank
04/04	Levarno Holding
05/04	Jordan Jordaan, Colin Abrahams
07/04	Wendy Rule
08/04	Gladys Buys
09/04	Rodney Wichman, Pricilla Souman, Jason Isaacs
10/04	Xandre Booyesen
11/04	Patrick Mtsinje
12/04	Kobus Koen
16/04	Joshua Rule
17/04	William Bryer
20/04	Elizabeth Arendze, Selena Gertse
22/04	Ashton Thomas, Caden Allen, Glynnis du Plessis
24/04	Gerald Allen
25/04	Danielle Holding
27/04	Mietjie Booyesen
28/04	Michael Pima, Recardo Verwant
29/04	Anita Kleinbooi, Nurisha Hendricks
30/04	Reagan Brevis, Caitlin Peters

# ST FRANCIS ANNIVERSARIES - APRIL

04/04	Freda & Gerald Allen
23/04	Eugene & Monique Mama
24/04	Morne & Catherine Volsteedt
25/04	Kurt & Celicia Cross
27/04	Cecil & Karren Lakey

# ST OSWALD'S CHURCH

## CELL PHONE NUMBER FOR INTERCESSIONS

for members of St Oswald's Parish and anyone else who may be in need.

**066 104 9927 – TEXT MESSAGES**

Please send only the name of the person and the reason for prayer. This name will also be added to the Prayer List on the pew leaflet for 2 weeks. Please note our office number remains in use: 021 551 8529

GOOD FRIDAY 18 MARCH 2025

COLLECT

Eternal Father, the cross of Jesus reveals the cost of our sin and the depth of your love: in humble hope and awe may we place at his feet all that we have and all that we are; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

READINGS

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Isaiah 52: 13 - 53: 12

Psalm: 22

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Hebrews 10: 16 – 25 or Hebrews 4: 14 - 16, 5: 7 - 9

Gospel: John 18: 1 – 19: 42



EASTER VIGIL 20 APRIL 2025

COLLECT

Almighty God, this night explodes with the radiance of the risen Christ: set us ablaze with the power of your love and propel us into the world to live and proclaim the gospel of the living Lord; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever, Amen.

READINGS

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Romans 6: 3 - 11

PSALM: 114

GOSPEL READING: Luke 24: 1 - 12

EASTER SUNDAY 20 APRIL 2025

COLLECT

Lord Jesus Christ, you transformed the tomb of death into the womb of new life: make us joyful witnesses of this good news that all creation may be redeemed, restored and reconciled; for you live and reign, in the unity of the Blessed Trinity, one God, in glory everlasting, Amen.



READINGS

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 10: 34 - 43 or Isaiah 65: 17 - 25

Psalm: 118; 1 - 2, 14 - 24

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Corinthians 15: 19 – 26 or Acts 10: 34-43

Gospel: John 20: 1 – 8 or Luke 24: 1 - 12

# COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Our Outreach projects are more necessary than ever at this time, to assist those in an for those handling the deliveries. Thank you for your co-operation.

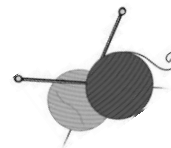
We will therefore continue to collect food items, knitted squares for blankets, clothing, bottle tops and bread tags.

## CASH DONATIONS ARE ALSO MOST WELCOME

The organisation, **SANDWICH SISTERS**, which the parish has been supporting, now only do sandwich drives twice yearly. However, **JANET'S JUNCTION**, Joe Slovo still feed the needy and St Oswald's would like to continue to support them with a monthly donation. In addition we ask that parishioners kindly bring non-perishable food items to donate.

Also, St Oswald's supports St Dominic's, Hanover Park and Malachi House, Richwood with regular donations.

THANK YOU IN ANTICIPATION FOR YOUR KIND GENEROSITY.



## BLANKETS / WOOL DONATIONS


PLEASE DO RETURN ALL YOUR KNITTED SQUARES TO THE CHURCH FOR MAKING UP AND DELIVERY OF BLANKETS.



ST OSWALD'S BIRTHDAYS FOR APRIL	
01/04	Thomas Heathcliff, Refiloe Masothoane
02/04	Makayla Rosenberg, Roman Butler, Daron October, Enya Isaacs
03/04	Jesse Engelbrecht, Lynette Pearce, Rosina Hank, Kyle Williams
04/04	Evan Booysen
05/04	Lizelle Ponto, Colleen Canterbury, Nina Schoch
06/04	Errol Schwulst, Sharlene Rayners, Pedro Shirlene
07/04	Dawn Whitaker, Clinton Roux, Nicholas Noble, Jordan Gubangxa
08/04	Joshua Schell, Cheryle Peters, Tarren Oliver
09/04	Zoliswa Gidi, Edwina Cupido, Rowena Cupido, Dylan Petersen, Thoban Dara
10/04	Emily Schwulst, Gary Henderson, Terry Chukwuemeka
11/04	Ralph Jiyana, Lyle van Niekerk, Heather Williams
12/04	Matthew Nelson, Sidney Sprinkle, Ngozi Iwuezi
13/04	Tracy Henderson
14/04	Amy Zeelie
15/04	Abernice Mlilane, Marion Kriger, Fabian Canterbury, Stacey Malan, Zoey Jacobs, Charnay Small
16/04	Richard May, Julian Rooks, Ketsia Witbooi
17/04	Jordan Hartzenberg, Ikechukwu Nwachukwu, Jordan Hendricks
18/04	Frank Powell, Saleah Michaels, Jared Smith, Chike Okoli
19/04	Dean Hartzenberg, Paul Scott
20/04	Lin Heydenrych, Riley Wahl
21/04	Candice Collins, Chad Rayner, Janet Lathlieff, Alex England, Cindy Frans, Berenice Arnold
22/04	Cindy van Reenen, Caleb Bosman, Sharon Cupido
21/04	Candice Collins, Chad Rayner, Janet Lathlieff, Alex England, Cindy Frans, Berenice Arnold

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER 27 APRIL 2025	
<b>COLLECT</b>	
God of mission, you raised Jesus Christ as the first born of the dead: by your Holy Spirit, empower us to witness to him so that those who have not yet seen may come to believe in him who was, and is, and is to come, and who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever, Amen.	
<b>READINGS</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 5: 27 - 32
	Psalm: 118: 14 - 29
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading: Revelation 1: 4 - 8
	Gospel: John 20: 19 - 31

**Low Week 21 - 25 April 2025**  
 There will be no 09h30 Holy Eucharist on  
 Wednesday 23 April at St Oswald's.  
 For emergencies, please call the Wardens during this time.

  
**LENT**  
**2025**

**ST OSWALD'S**  
**WEEK DAY SERVICES**

THEME:

*"Tokens of Trust"*

*- An Introduction to Christian Belief*

**Wednesday 02 April** - Theme: *"The Peace Dividend"*

Service of Holy Eucharist 09h30 and 19h30

**Wednesday 09 April** - Theme: *"God in Company"*

Service of Holy Eucharist 09h30 and 19h30

**Holy Week: Wednesday 16 April** - Theme: *"Love Actually"*

Evening Prayer 18h00

23/04	Nosipho Gontsi, Nadine Schell, Achole Qongqo, Anthony Arnold, Mateo Lawrence
24/04	Imraan Davids, Ryan Snyers, Jemma Lawal
25/04	Ursula McHelm, Maxine Crosskill, Mthunzi Gxashe
26/04	Robin Isaacs, Carmen Davids
27/04	Claudia Mikkelsen
28/04	Charles Aarons, Peter Petersen, Renshaw Fortune, Chineme Dara
29/04	Jordan Chute, Jane Booysen, Pricilla Weyers, Eli McHelm, Dean Carlse
30/04	Ernest Bantom, Irma Humphries, Ericka Parrington, Waheida Davids, Liaan Wilson-Pieterse
<b>ST OSWALD'S ANNIVERSARIES - APRIL</b>	
01/04	Luigi & Melissa Whitaker
02/04	Chike & Deborah Okoli
03/04	Maxine & Nicholas Crosskill
12/04	Ikechukwu & Ntsikie Nwachukwu
14/04	Evelyn & Lawrence Pow Chong
15/04	Gayroun & Joseph Adams, Clarissa & Willie Coetsee
20/04	Valda & Malcolm Europa
26/04	Guy & Thabang Redman
27/04	Mark & Glenda Isaacs
30/04	Paul & Catherine Alexander

Please ensure you are familiar with the notice which explains St Oswald's compliance with the new

**PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION ACT** which came into effect on 01 July 2021. It may be found on the website – [www.stoswalds.org.za](http://www.stoswalds.org.za)

#### THE ST OSWALD'S PARISH HELPING HAND BEQUEST FUND

This was set up to help those parishioners in dire circumstances. Each application is considered on merit as funds are limited and restricted by certain conditions as set out in the bequest. Please feel free to contact the Rector or the Wardens.

All enquiries are held in the strictest confidence.

## LENTEN THEME “Tokens of Trust”

### An introduction to Christian belief

What are the implications of saying “I believe” to the great claims of the Creeds of the Church? The Creeds of the Church, the Apostles’ Creed and Nicene Creed are much more than basic statements of belief and theological checklists for regulating religious belief. Rowan Williams, former Archbishop of Canterbury, helps us to explore the real meaning behind the Creeds, and showing us who and what we can trust in this world and offer us a glimpse of another world – in which our lives, as individuals and together can be utterly transformed. To say “I believe” is to open oneself to a vast reality that the Creeds only attempt to codify. It is to make the startling discovery that they are not just ensuring we have a proper idea of God, but about how we learn that we are the focus of an eternally trustworthy, unchanging love, and how we begin to live in the light of such knowledge.





# ST OSWALD'S CHURCH

## Holy Week Schedule

<i>PALM SUNDAY</i>	13 April	07h30	<b>HOLY EUCHARIST</b> <i>with Blessing of Palm Crosses, Reading of the Passion - Year C</i>
<b>THE SUNDAY OF THE PASSION</b>	13 April	09h30	<i>with the Procession, Blessing of Palm Crosses, Reading of the Passion</i>
<b>MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK</b>	14 April	18h00	Office of Evening Prayer
<b>TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK</b>	15 April	18h00	Office of Evening Prayer
<b>WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK</b>	16 April	18h00	Office of Evening Prayer
<i>MAUNDY THURSDAY</i>	17 April	19h30	<b>HOLY EUCHARIST</b> <i>with Washing of the Feet &amp; The Watch</i>
<i>GOOD FRIDAY</i>	18 April	09h00 12h00	Children's Good Friday Devotion Liturgy for Good Friday
<i>HOLY SATURDAY</i>	19 April	08h00	All are invited to prepare for the Easter Vigil and the Easter Service
<i>EASTER DAY</i>	20 April	06h00	<b>EASTER VIGIL</b> The Service of Light The Liturgy of the Word The Liturgy of the Eucharist
<i>EASTER SERVICE</i>		09h30	<b>THE HOLY EUCHARIST</b> with Holy Baptism

### MARRIAGES

Please contact the office – 021 551 8529 for assistance and information if you are planning to get married.

### CHILDREN'S FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

If there are any parents who would like their children to receive Communion for the first time, please make an appointment to see Fr Selwyn.

### BIBLE STUDIES FOR EACH WEEK

There are regular online bible studies available for your daily devotions. There will also be an audio version available on the website which is updated every week on the website - it always relates to the current Sunday's readings, which can be found in the pew leaflet. <https://www.stoswalds.org.za/devotions/>

### THE RECTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

Please note that Fr Selwyn has regular office hours on Tuesdays & Thursdays from 18h00 - 19h00  
Please make an appointment via the office or call Fr Selwyn.

### ST OSWALD'S CHOIR REHEARSALS

Choir practise will take place every Saturday at 16h00.  
If you would like to join the Parish Choir contact **Cedric Williams - 071 678 9712**.

### RECORDER LESSONS

Please contact Cedric Williams, on **071 678 9712** if you are interested.

### ST OSWALD'S FOOD COLLECTION

In these very difficult times, St Oswald's would like to start collecting basic foodstuffs again, for the many who are needy. Please consider donating non-perishable items such as rice 500g / tinned fish / tinned veg / tea / spaghetti / oil 750ml / small peanut butter / jam / dried soup mix / porridge / sugar 500g etc. These items may be brought to church on a Sunday, alternatively to the office during office hours.  
Thank you for your generous support.





**ST FRANCIS & ST LUKE'S  
CHAPELRIES**  
Holy Week

**HOLY WEEK**

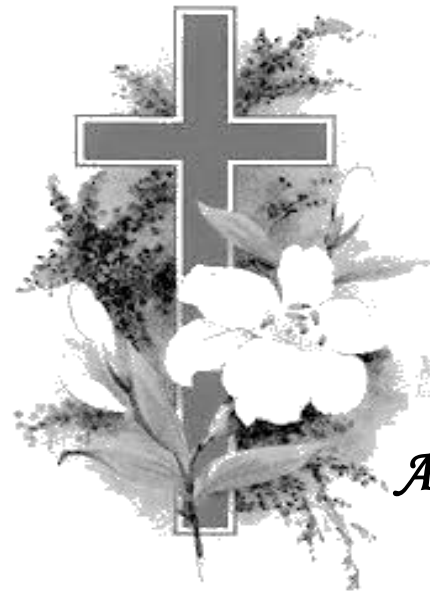
ALM SUNDAY	13 April	St Fr - 09h30 St L - 09h30	Holy Eucharist <i>with</i> <i>Procession, Blessing of Palm</i> <i>Crosses, Reading of the</i> <i>Passion (Yr C)</i>
MONDAY	14 April	St Fr - 18h30 St L - 18h00	Office of Evening Prayer
TUESDAY	15 April	St Fr - 18h30 St L - 18h00	Office of Evening Prayer
WEDNESDAY	16 April	St Fr - 18h30 St L - 18h00	Office of Evening Prayer
MAUNDY THURSDAY	17 April	St Fr - 18h30 St L - 18h00	Holy Eucharist <i>with Washing</i> <i>of the Feet &amp; The Watch</i>
GOOD FRIDAY	18 April	St Fr - 12h00 St L - 12h00	Liturgy for Good Friday with the Adoration of the Cross & Holy Communion
HOLY SATURDAY	19 April	St Fr - 08h00 St L - 08h00	All are invited to prepare for the Easter Vigil & the Easter Service
EASTER SUNDAY	20 April	St Fr - 08h00 St L - 06h00	The Service of Light The Liturgy of the Word The Liturgy of the Eucharist
EASTER VIGIL			



**LENTEN APPEAL  
2025**

This year, for the Lenten Appeal, we would like to fill more lunch boxes with essential school supplies to be donated to the Malawian Congregation who are associated with St Oswald's Parish, as well as for others who are in need. This can include small stationery items such as pens, pencils, erasers, rulers, coloured pencils, etc. As a special little extra, please add an Easter marshmallow egg. St Oswald's already have lunchboxes to fill, which may be collected from the church.

Thank you for your generosity.



*The Clergy,  
Wardens & Parish Council  
would like to wish  
all our parishioners,  
their families & friends,*

*A Blessed & Joy-filled  
Easter*



## EASTER FLOWERS



All contributions will be very welcome and may be placed in an envelope marked “Easter Flowers” and handed in with the collection. If you would like to have anyone specially remembered, please state this on the envelope. Thank you so much.

## PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 29 April 2025 at 19h00.

## ARCHDEACONRY SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT TEAM

This group will be meeting here at St Oswald's on Thursday 03 April 2025 at 19h00.

## ARCHDEACONRY SUNDAY SCHOOL EXEC

A meeting will take place at St Chad's, Table View, on Saturday 05 April at 10h00.

## DIOCESAN ALTAR SERVERS MEETING

A meeting will take place at St John's, Bellville, on Saturday 25 April at 10h00.

## INVITATION FOR LAY MINISTERS

A Diocesan Gathering or Lay Ministers' Celebration or Thanksgiving for Ministry in the Diocese, will take place on Sunday 18 May 2025 at 16h00 at the Church of St Nicholas in Matroosfontein.

PRAYER BOOKS @ R160 EACH, from Andree / the office.

## LECTIONARIES

Please note that our **2024 / 25 lectionaries** are available. This year they cost R40. Please contact the office if you would like one.

# PARISH NOTICES

## ARE YOU CALLED TO THE LAY MINISTRY?

**Our Parish is in need of more lay ministers.**

Please pray that there will be a response to this call. If you need help with further personal discernment, please speak to Fr Selwyn.

## WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE WELCOME TEAM?

St Oswald's is currently looking for more members to join the Welcome Team. If you enjoy meeting and greeting people, you will enjoy being part of this ministry. Training will be given, and your name added to a roster. You need not be on duty every Sunday. Please contact Saleah - 082 400 1969



## ANNUAL PARISH VESTRY MEETINGS 2025

We thank God for our successful Vestries and pray for all those who are serving in this ministry of Leadership in the Parish.

### ST OSWALD'S PARISH

Wardens: Andree Lombard & Nadine Schell

Alternate Warden: Loretta Welcomets

Councillors: Cosmo Cloete, Saleah Michaels, Clive Naidoo, Nicolette Rosiger and Liaan Wilson-Pieterse

### ST FRANCIS CHAPELRY

Chapelry Wardens: Martin Standish, Selwyn January

Alternate Warden: Astrid Peters.

Councillors: Emile Davids, Caitlyn Peters, Kealeboga Shebe, Thamsanqa Nqolobe, Carmen Davids.

### ST LUKE'S CHAPELRY

Wardens: Christopher Kulati, Lumka Nqabeni-Boya

Alternate Warden: Yandisa Ntweni

Councillors: Themba Vaphi, Phumla Bango, Ntombozuko Vakele, Bukelwa Ngqangi, Nonceba Vaphi, Phumeza Ntilane, Lazola Bakoca

## MORNING & EVENING PRAYER

Please note that the readings for both Morning and Evening Prayers are available on our website [www.stoswalds.org.za/devotions](http://www.stoswalds.org.za/devotions)

## ST OSWALD'S PARISH - BIBLE & CONFIRMATION CLASSES

The classes for 2025 will be every **Sunday at 08h00**  
**at both St Oswald's and St Francis.**

Confirmation led by **Gayroun Adams** in the Church Offices.

Bible class is led by **Claudine Barkley** in the hall.

**St Francis:** Confirmation class led by **Rosetta Cupido**,  
and the Bible Class teacher is **Marilyn Hendricks**.

## ST OSWALD'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children are to please attend classes **in the hall at 09h30**.

Superintendent, **Crystal Cloete**, will be on hand to welcome  
and register any newcomers.

## ST OSWALD'S SUNDAY TEAS

We would like to invite all parishioners and visitors for a time of  
fellowship & a cup of tea after the 09h30 Service every Sunday. Thank  
you to all those who have so kindly volunteered to host and organise.

We are always looking for more parishioners to assist on a Sunday.

Please consider making up a small group to fill one of the slots. You

will only need to be on duty every second month. Let Saleah

(Welcome team) or the office know please.

## WEDNESDAY MORNING SERVICES

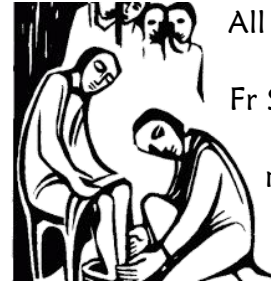
A regular Service of Holy Eucharist takes place **every Wednesday**  
**at 09h30**. Everyone is very welcome to attend.

## ST OSWALD'S COFFEE MORNING

Coffee mornings are held on the first Wednesday of each month.

All are very welcome to join us again on **Wednesday 02 April**  
**2025 after the 09h30 service** in the St Oswald's Hall.

## MAUNDY THURSDAY- WASHING OF THE FEET



All parishioners are invited to volunteer for the  
**Washing of the Feet.**

Fr Selwyn will wash the feet of 12 parishioners.

Please add your name to the list on the  
noticeboard, if you would like to be part of  
this Maundy Thursday ritual during  
Holy Week.

## **EASTER** *Baptism*

If you would like to have your child baptised,  
please come along to **Baptism Preparation**  
which will take place on **01 April at 19h00**.

The Rehearsal is scheduled for **Tuesday 08 April**

**Holy Baptisms will take place on 20 April - Easter Sunday**  
**during the course of the 09h00 Service**

Please pray for the children who are to be baptised,  
as well as their parents and godparents.

## READER'S GUILD - PALM SUNDAY REHEARSAL

All readers are requested to attend a rehearsal  
**on Saturday 12 April at 08h30** for the Palm Sunday Service.

## EASTER OFFERING

This is an annual gift in appreciation of the Rector,  
and all he does for the Parish. Please ensure you receive the  
envelope and insert, which is now available from the welcome  
team at the entrance door.

## EASTER CANDLES

The Congregation are encouraged to kindly bring their own  
candles (with Candle-holder)  
or the **Easter Vigil** and the **Easter Service**. However, candles will be  
provided for those who do not have.