



DIOCESE OF THE HIGHVELD

DIOCESAN, PARISH AND CLERGY NEWS

for

WEDNESDAY 2nd SEPTEMBER 2020

Mission of the Diocese of the Highveld

To be a unified Diocese where the spiritual growth of an increasing number of people is fulfilled through experiencing the fullness of God

Gazette:

- The Archbishop and the Service Committee urges everyone to use the following special Collect for PSC in the months leading up to the meeting:

*Almighty God, our refuge and strength,
As we face the realities of the Covid-19 pandemic
Keep us faithful to you,
Strengthen us to care for one another and your planet,
For you led your people out of exile,
You walked the road to Calvary,
And you continue to equip us for ministry with your Holy Spirit,
One God, world without end.
Amen*

- **Anglicans Ablaze 2020:** See attached notice
- **Season of Creation:** 1st Sep to 4th October. Season of Creation is a wonderful time of our liturgical year when we teach about God the Creator, we also learn of the wonders of creation, confess our sins and find new ways to protect this wonderful creation. Please find the manual from ACSA for this year Season of Creation <http://www.greenanglicans.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/manual-2020online.pdf>

We are also part of the global ecumenical family and you can find materials on www.seasonofcreation.org

In Portuguese here <https://seasonofcreation.org/pt/home-pt/>

Many churches are returning to their buildings in September. What a wonderful time to consider holding your services outside - celebrate in creation and keep your congregation much safer!

Green Anglicans services can be found on our Green Anglicans Youtube channel or Facebook, every Sunday from 8am

- News of ACSA publications.

The Constitution and Canons revised to include changes arising from Synod September 2019.

A5 Blue lever arch file with contents @ R130

Full set of inserts @ R100 (you will need to replace ALL the pages this time!)

NEW PUBLICATION FROM CANON JOHN SUGGIT:

Fifty Gobbets from The New Testament and Some Nuggets

by John N Suggit @ R70 ISBN - 978-0-620-88016-9

➤ HABSR: non-perishables for the food bank are welcome

➤ **Happy birthday to:**

3rd Fr Elijah Koloti
5th Vincent Hlobelo
7th Eva Zwane

4th Fr Gary Day
6th Deacon Dunstan Manentsa