

## DIOCESAN, PARISH AND CLERGY NEWS for WEDNESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> MARCH 2021

# 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

#### **BISHOP'S DIARY**

Day	Date	Time		Venue
Frid	5th	09h00	Eucharist at Cathedral	
Sat	6th	14h00	St Francis Alberton Lay Ministers meeting	Meyersdal
Sun	7th	09h15	Licensing of Fr Brent Frieslaar	St Boniface Germiston
Sat	13 <sup>th</sup>	14h00	Meeting of Self-supporting Clergy	LT
Sat	20th	09h00	Fellowship of Vocation	LT

#### Gazette:

- ➤ **Chrism Eucharist:** Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April at 10h00. Please register your names with Bishop's secretary for the Cathedral register as per protocol
- Note to Clergy: Police clearance certificates: Please make sure that the Bishop's office has a copy of your police clearance certificate as a matter of urgency. So far I have only received certificates from the following clergy: Revds Simon Aiken, Basil Matthews, Peter Mbatha, Total Makhupane, Vuyisile Sonti, Joseph Khanye, Nandipha Dudula, Hugh Mbatha and Deacon Gwynne Lawlor.
  - A resolution from Diocesan Synod 2019 asked that **each parish** has a **liaison person** who will deal with issues of the care of the earth linking to the Province's Green Anglican Desk. **Please send the names to the office as soon as possible.**

#### Note from the Administrator:

LIST OF UNIDENTIFIED PAYMENTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Reference</u>
17/10/2020	R 1020.00	ALL SOULS CHURCH
16/11/2020	R 1300.00	МООМВОТНІ

Parish post can only be collected from the offices by appointment in future. Please call to make your arrangements and follow the guidelines for the protocols:

DIOCESE OF THE HIGHVELD COVID-19 PROTOCOLS UNDER

#### **ALERT LEVEL 1**

Diocesan Office will once again be open from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March

- No casual visits will be allowed no mask, no entry allowed. Access will still be by appointment so please call in advance to arrange suitable times for your visit and to arrange access. A record must be kept of the names and contact details of anyone entering the premises. If a visitor presents with any symptoms they will not be granted access and will be asked to leave the property immediately.
- 2. Please make prior arrangements when you wish to collect items from the offices so that we can avoid crowding. We would like to have your things ready for you to help make the transaction safe, speedy and efficient. NB This applies particularly to those who have ordered lectionaries, almanacs, diaries, prayer and hymn books etc. Invoices will be prepared in advance to minimise contact time.
- 3. **Bishop's meetings**. Everyone must sanitise on entering the meeting venue and record their contact details on the Meeting Register.

  Attendees are please to practice proper social distancing at all times.
- 4. No Group or Guild Meetings allowed on the premises until further notice as we cannot accommodate large groups.

### > Birthdays:

A very happy birthday to:

5<sup>th</sup> Fr Nigel Andrews 5<sup>th</sup> Fr Godfrey Mothibedi 5<sup>th</sup> Fr Jeremiah Ramantsi 6<sup>th</sup> Mmabatho Kekana

8<sup>th</sup> Jennifer Thomson