



## DIOCESE OF THE HIGHVELD

DIOCESAN, PARISH AND CLERGY NEWS

for

WEDNESDAY 26<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018

*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
	24 <sup>th</sup> – 25 <sup>th</sup> 26 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup>		Synod of Bishops  PSC	
Sat	29 <sup>th</sup>	12h00	Bishop David Beetge Memorial Lecture	
Sun	30 <sup>th</sup>	08h30 14h00	Holy Name (C) St Chad's (C)	Tembisa Edenvale
Thurs	4 <sup>th</sup> Oct – 7 <sup>th</sup>	12h00	Cursillo St Dunstan's College	eMseni
Sun	7 <sup>th</sup>	09h00	St John's (C)	Putfontein

#### **Gazette:**

- **2018 Bp David Beetge Memorial Lecture 29<sup>th</sup> September 2018:** See attached
- **Lectionaries:** The new lectionaries are available from Funeka.
- **Choir Fellowship Invitation:** See attached
- **Servers Guild:** See attached
- **Unisa C2A:** See attached notice of courses offered
- **JAEl Enviro Prayer Diary:** See attached
- **International Day for Eradication of Poverty:** See attached
- **4 Day Retreat:** See attached notice
- **HABSR:** H.A.B.S.R fundraising has two related stages which are now in process, the Raffle and Gala Dinner respectively. The raffle tickets are still being sold at your parishes and we thank you for your commitment. The raffle closes on the 30<sup>th</sup> September. The second stage of this fundraising consists of a Gala Dinner which will take place on the 19<sup>th</sup> October. Tickets for this event are now available at H.A.B.S.R office, and the details are as follows:  
Date & Time : Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018 , 6:30pm, Boksburg City Hall, Trichardt str, Boksburg.  
Dress code : Smart/Traditional

Cost of ticket : R 250.00 per person or 2500.00 per table(Including three course meal) RSVP TO : <[mailto:reports@habsr.org.za/](mailto:reports@habsr.org.za) or [reports@habsr.org.za/](mailto:reports@habsr.org.za) (011) 422 2231 A cash bar is available

The Gala dinner is open to everyone including non-parishioners. We only have 25 tables available, with ten people per table. We encourage you to buy a table as a collective, however, anyone can still purchase an individual ticket if they so wish. The draw for the raffle will take place on the evening, as well as an auction of art from the winning children from the H.A.B.S.R art competition. For more information don't hesitate to contact the H.A.B.S.R office between 08:30 and 13:00( Monday to Friday)

➤ To all Parishes.

The Siyalalela Counselling Course, normally conducted on Saturdays over a period of two to three months, is once again on offer as a block residential option. This is particularly suitable for all those wishing to attend a counselling course who live in the South of our Diocese, or who would prefer to complete the training in a block, rather than over a series of weekends. Those who live close by may attend on a non-residential basis. The cost then would be R520 per person.

1 X 4 DAYS TRAINING WED 16H00 – SUNDAY 16H00 DATE: 31 OCT- 04 NOV 2018

Four nights of accommodation at Bird Life in Wakkerstroom. Twin bedded rooms. Shared ablutions. Us of communal kitchen, dining-room and conference room included.	@ R180 pp per night x 4 = R720.00 pp
4 lunches and 4 dinners , 8 x tea and coffee; <b>Note: Breakfast to be brought to the workshop by each participant according to their own needs.</b>	@ R65 per meal per person = R520.00pp
Total Cost	R1240.00 per person
per person	

Please note: Wakkerstroom is 280km away from the Diocesan Office. Travel time is approx. three hours. Please register with Deacon Gwynne Lawlor 083 2299984.

- **New Happening dates:**  
Happening # 83 Fri 05<sup>th</sup> - Sun 07<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2018
- **Godly Play South Africa Conference** - There is still time to register for the Godly Play South Africa Conference on 5 and 6 October in Benoni, and there are still places available for the materials-making workshops and the Deep Talk workshop on the 4th October.  
5 & 6 October Conference fee: R 580  
4 October Workshop fee: R350  
Open attachment to find the online registration link at the bottom of the flyer.

- **Diocesan Cursillo** weekend: Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> ( 5pm) – Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2018 at eMseni Retreat Centre Benoni. Please see attachments for cost & information on the weekend
- **Anglicans Ablaze 2018** You **must register for the conference**, not simply pay for it, or we will not know that you are coming. You must also **book accommodation** if you need it. The prices quoted are per night and you will need to book for 3 nights.  
**NB! Please bring your proof of payment along to the conference. Please don't forget!** Please pray, pray, pray!
- **National Day of Prayer for South Africa** : 25 November 2018, FNB Stadium. Please diarise.
- **Ministerial Practice Declaration:** all those in the parish who hold office should fill in the form to be kept on file in the parish
- **Diocesan Youth Indemnity Form:** All people in charge of young people's ministry, groups or organisations, are reminded by the PYC and the Diocese to:
  - get the permission of the Rector/Priest in Charge to transport youth especially those 18 years and under
  - complete the Diocesan Indemnity forms and hand over to Churchwardens; and
  - send a list of those young people to the Bishop's office prior to the trip/journey. This is to protect all those in youth ministry. Failure to do so becomes your own liability.
- **From the Administrator's desk:**
- **Unidentified Items:**

The following deposit has been made with no proper reference:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Reference</u>
15/06/2018	R300.00	CASH St Boniface
01/08/2018	R100.00 cash	LYDIA MATSHEDI
16/08/2018	R1000.00	Donation K&E Peace
20/08/2018	R250.00 cash	Donation M LUCAS
21/08/2018	R900.00	MALOKA P
21/08/2018	R6 000.00 cash	HARVEST ZONE 8
22/08/2018	R5 000.00	Donation CFuller
23/08/2018	R5 000.00	KAMOHELO LEKHANYA
24/08/2018	R1 000.00 cash	WEZIWEWILLIAMS

- **Bookings for Diocesan Venues:** Please note that the Diocesan Administration Offices and facilities are normally open from 08:30am until 16:00pm from Monday to Thursday and from 08:30am until 13:00pm on a Friday. **For security reasons, no access to the property or the facilities will be allowed outside of these times unless proper arrangements have been made.**

Please note that **all** after hour's use of the Diocesan facilities for meetings must be booked through the **Administrator's Office**. Please use the correct booking forms for this purpose.

- Saturday meetings must please be completed by **3pm** and any car-guard must be arranged privately at your own cost.
- Access will not be granted if proper bookings are not done.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

**N.B. – no bookings on a Sunday as the campus is closed on Sundays**

➤ **Birthdays:**

28<sup>th</sup>  
2<sup>nd</sup>

Zanele Simelane  
Fr Emmanuel Molefi

1<sup>st</sup> Oct

Fr Don Thomson

MONMOUTH PRAYER CYCLE – SEPTEMBER 2018

	<b>Please pray for:</b>	<b>Including:</b>	<b>Also, remembering in your prayers:</b>
26	<p><b>Panteg and Griffithstown Ministry Area</b></p> <p>Panteg, Griffithstown, Llanfihangel Pontymoile</p>	<p>Anne Golledge, Alison Littler</p> <p>LLMs: Barbara Stone, Jim Thompson</p>	<p>Diocesan ICME Officer – Jeremy Harris</p> <p>Chaplain to Lay Ministers - John Collier</p>
27	<p><b>Upper Islwyn Ministry Area</b></p> <p>Mynyddislwyn, Pontllanfraith, Oakdale, Ynysddu, Blackwood, Fleur-de-Lis, Cefn Fforest, Bedwellty, New Tredegar</p>	<p>Mark Owen, Leah Philbrick, Jane Butler, Trevor Morgan, Nick Adams, Brenda Jones</p> <p>LLMs: Tony Dash, Maureen Morgan, Mary Rees</p>	<p>Diocesan Parsonage Board – Garry Reeder</p> <p>DAC Officer – Stephen Peel</p>
28	<p><b>Upper Torfaen Ministry Area</b></p> <p>Pontypool, Blaenavon</p>	<p>Rufus Noy, Philip Godsell, Linda Hall</p>	<p>Blaenavon Heritage CiW Primary School</p> <p>Diocesan Safeguarding Support Officer – Amelia Jarvis</p>
29	<p><b>The Governing Body</b></p>	<p>President - Most Rev'd John Davies</p>	<p>All Provincial Committees</p>
30	<p><b>The Representative Body</b></p>	<p>Provincial Secretary - Simon Lloyd</p>	<p>All Provincial Officers and Staff</p>