

The Church
of
South
Africa
**OUR LADY OF THE
WAYSIDE, MARYVALE**

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Go to
[http:// maryvale.co.za](http://maryvale.co.za) for update

Holy Mass

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| Monday & Wednesday | 18:00 |
| Tuesday & Thursday | 06:00 |
| Friday school Mass | 08:00 |
| Saturday morning | 08:00 |
| First Fridays..... | 18:00 |
| Sunday Masses | |
| Saturday evening | 17:30 |
| Sunday: | 08:00, 10:30 & 17:30 |

Eucharistic Adoration
Mon to Sat from 06:00 to 18:00
Swipe card access to chapel

Confessions

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| Monday & Wednesday | 17:30 - 17:50 |
| Saturday | 10:30 - 12:00 |
| Saturday: | 16:30 - 17:00 |

Rosary Group
Every Friday & Saturday after
08h00 Mass

Requirements:

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| Baptism | Notice of 3 months |
| Marriage | Notice of 6 months |

Banking Details for Maryvale:

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| Bank: | Standard Bank |
| Account: | Maryvale Catholic Church |
| Branch Code: | 004105 |
| Acc. Number: | 001832670 |

MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday 6 January
17:30 Joao Jaime Fernandes RIP;

Sunday 7 January
08:00 In thanksgiving for prayers answered –
Dora & Vittorio;
10:30 For the People;
17:30 For recovery to health – Emma Ely;

Monday 8 January
18:00 Intentions of Maureen Nel;

Tuesday 9 January
06:00 For the Chronically Ill;

Wednesday 10 January
18:00 Brian Coetzee RIP;

Thursday 11 January
06:00 Andro Restovich RIP;

Friday 12 January
08:00 In thanksgiving – Pat Smart;

Saturday 13 January
08:00 In thanksgiving – Maria Isabel Ferreira
On her birthday;
17:30 Maria Puzone RIP;;

PRAY FOR THE CHRONICALLY ILL:

Terry Stavrinis, Arnaldo Ansermino, Cameron Campbell, Jason Carrick, Di Bradley, Cecily Avery, Raymond Greensill, Margaret Archer, Oslo Landsman, Afra Dal Maso, Liz Lee, Emma Ely, Mark Lagan. Jenny Van Reenen (Rascher,) Nico Lazarus, Michelle Neill, Beth Kock, David Khoury, Rosa Apicella, Joe Chemaly, Heather Kersten, Trudy Orselli, Anthony Caenazzo, Glennifer Lindecke

ALL DECEASED PARISH MEMBERS to be reported at the Parish Office – Family to indicate whether bereavement support is needed or not.

SICK CALLS: Parishioners are urged to contact the Parish Office with details for visits to the sick : for prayers, Communion, Anointing and support

WEEKLY PROGRAM

Tuesday 9 January
18:30 Charismatic Group

Wednesday 10 January
18:30 Divine Mercy Group

Thursday 11 January
10:00 Marian Prayer Group
19:00 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Cenacolo Prayer Group – Monday 8 January at 6:30pm in the Adoration Chapel.

Holy Mass at ***Thembelami*** – Monday 8 January at 10:00am

Holy Mass at ***Randjes Estate*** – 9:30am on Wednesday 10 January

The Young Adults Ministry will be holding its first meeting of the Year on Monday 22 January at 18:45 in the Parish Centre. All who are interested please contact Sarah on 072 401 1484 for more info.

Thank You to all who contributed to the St Vincent De Paul Christmas lunch. It was a great success and brought much joy to the aged of Alexandra.

2018 Bible Diaries in Stock at the Repository for R120.

Small Advert: Driver looking for work - Code 8 & 10. Contact Andrew on 074 900 4464

The Epiphany - The Adoration of the Kings

And going into the dwelling, they found the Child there, with His Mother, Mary, and fell down to worship Him.

We also kneel down before Jesus, God hidden in humanity. We tell Him once more that we do not want to turn our back on His divine call, that we shall never separate ourselves from Him, that we shall remove from our path all that may be an obstacle to our fidelity and that we sincerely wish to be open to His inspirations.

The first King offered Jesus gold, a symbol of royalty. We Christians also want to have Jesus in all human activities, to have Him exercise His reign of justice, holiness and peace over all souls.

We offer Him incense, the perfume which was burned each evening on the altar as a symbol of the hope placed in the Messiah. Incense is our desire to live a noble life which gives off the ‘aroma of Christ.’

With the Kings we also offer myrrh, because God Incarnate will take upon Himself our weaknesses and be burdened with our sorrows. Myrrh is the spirit of sacrifice that can never be lacking in a Christian life. It reminds us of the Passion of Our Lord.

The three Kings had their star. We have Mary, Star of the Sea, Star of the East. Let us ask our Mother to prepare for us the way that leads to the fullness of love.