

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

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

**Holy Mass**  
**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**  
**O.R Tambo (domestic arrivals) 15:00**

**Eucharistic Adoration**  
**Mon to Sat from 07:00 to 17:30**  
*Swipe card access to chapel*

**Confessions**  
**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:**  
**Baptism Notice of 3 months**  
**Marriage Notice of 6 months**

**Banking Details for Maryvale:**  
**Bank: Standard Bank**  
**Account: Maryvale Catholic Church**  
**Branch Code: 004105**  
**Acc. Number: 001832670**

**MASS INTENTIONS:**

**Saturday 21 April**  
17:30 Brett Drever RIP;  
**Sunday 22 April**  
08:00 Rosa-Maria & Antonio Rimo RIP;  
10:30 Samuel Honore Ngassa RIP;  
17:30 Antonio & Erica Senatore RIP;  
**Monday 23 April**  
18:00 Dermot McCarthy RIP;  
**Tuesday 24 April**  
06:00 Sr. Hilary MSA RIP;  
**Wednesday 25 April**  
18:00 Sr. Hilary MSA RIP;  
**Thursday 26 April**  
06:00 Sr. Hilary MSA RIP;  
**Friday 27 April – Public Holiday**  
**9:00**  
**Saturday 28 April**  
08:00 In thanksgiving – Herbert & Noeleen Weyeneth  
On their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary;  
17:30 Valentino & Angelina Federico, George Mariotti,  
& Massimo Montepara RIP;

**PRAY FOR THE CHRONICALLY ILL:**

Terry Stavrinis, Arnaldo Ansermino, Cameron Campbell, Jason Carrick, Di Bradley, Cecily Avery, Margaret Archer, Oslo Landsman, Afra Dal Maso, Liz Lee, Emma Ely, Mark Lagan, Jenny Van Reenen (Rascher), Nico Lazarus, Beth Kock, D Rosa Apicella, Joe Chemaly, Heather Kersten, Trudy Orselli, Anthony Caenazzo, Glennifer Lindecke, Albert Marks, Giovanna Rocco, Noemi Mendonsa, Lucia Maraschin, Muriel Robinson

**All deaths of Parish Members** to be reported to the Parish Office – Bereavement support is available.

**Sick Calls:** Parishioners are urged to contact the Parish Office with details for visits to the sick

If you wish to receive the *Electronic Bulletin*, please fill in the form on [www.maryvale.co.za](http://www.maryvale.co.za)

**House Blessings & Home Visits by Fr Shiya** can be arranged through the parish office.

Johannesburg Bach Choir will present *A World of Praise* – Conductor : Tim Roberts at Maryvale Church at 3:00pm this Sunday 22 April. Tickets R80 (pensioners & students R60) will be sold at the door.

**WEEKLY PROGRAM**

**Monday 23 April**  
6:30pm Divine Mercy Group  
**Tuesday 24 April**  
**18:00** Charismatic Group  
**Thursday 26 April**  
**10:00** Marian Prayer Group  
**19:00** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Holy Mass at *Tarantaal* – Monday 23 April at 10:00am.

*Justice & Peace Meeting* – Monday 23 April at 7:00pm in the Parish Centre. All interested are welcome.

*Faith & Light* – Sunday 29 April at Jordan House from 2:00pm – 5:00pm.

*Liturgy Meeting* – 2<sup>nd</sup> May at 7:00pm in the Presbytery.

The Knights of Da Gama are doing a *Blanket Drive*. Cash or blanket donations will be very gratefully received. Lets warm the hearts and bodies of many who don't even have a roof over their heads.

Another *Pilgrimage to Israel* is being planned for October 2018, (approx. price R25,000 for about 8 days.) Those interested please contact the parish office this week.

*Life in the Spirit Seminar* at 6:00pm Tuesday 24 April in the Parish Centre. Topic : *God's Love* by Fr Johnson. All parishioners are welcome.

*Maryvale Youth* invite all youth to join a new Youth Choir. Please speak to Dominic. The Youth will be screening the film *'Shack'* at 6:00pm on Friday 27 April. All are welcome.

*Pilgrimage to Uganda* – In the footsteps of the Martyrs 01 – 04 June 2018. Cost : R11,000 incl. Airfare, accommodation, meals, tours. Contact Joyce 082 6811 573, Amanda 0723866 855, Theresa 083 4492 613

**The Good Shepherd - Love for our Pope Francis**

Jesus is the Good Shepherd, and entrusts Peter and his successors with the government of His Church, to continue His mission on earth.

The Old Testament frequently refers to the Messiah as a good shepherd who must feed, rule and govern God's people. There is a tender relationship between Jesus the Good Shepherd and His sheep; He calls each by His name ; He leads them; the sheep follow because they know His voice; He is the one and *only shepherd* who has only one flock, protected by the Father's love.

Christ trusts Peter despite the denials. He simply asks for his love the same number of times that He had been denied. Our Lord doesn't mind entrusting His Church to a weak man who repents and loves with deeds.

Pope Francis' stature is immeasurably enhanced since Christ is the real foundation of the Church and our pope now takes His place. Jesus is the Church's strong defence against the storms she has suffered and will suffer throughout the centuries. Built on Him, as foundation and with His watchfulness as good shepherd, its victory is assured despite trials and temptations.

Pope Francis bears the heavy weight of the Church on his shoulders. Every day the clamour of the entire Church spread over the world rises to God in petition with him and for him. No Mass is celebrated without his name being mentioned and prayers said for him and his intentions.

Jesus' words to Peter – *feed my lambs, feed my sheep* - explain Peter's mission as one of guarding Our Lord's whole flock without limitations. Jesus Christ put Peter at the head of the other Apostles – where Peter is, there is Christ's church In union with him we know with certainty the way that leads to salvation.

In the Pope we should see somebody who is in Christ's place in the world – *the sweet Christ on earth*, loving and listening to him because his voice is the truth.