

# Catholic Church of the Resurrection

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**United in love and diversity in building the Kingdom of God,  
making God known and loved**

## First Sunday of Advent Cycle C

**We are allowed to have 400 people in the Church for Mass.** Funerals are still limited to just 100 people.

**WEEKDAY MASSES:** (*No booking needed.*) Mon -Thur 8.00am  
Friday 7.40am, Saturday 8.00 am.

### WEEKEND MASSES:

**No booking needed!**

Saturday: 6.00 pm and Sunday 7.30 am and 10.00 am

(Please Note: No 3.00pm or 5pm Mass until further notice)

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday: 8.30–9.00 am, 5.00 pm–5.45 pm, anytime on request.

**READINGS: READINGS:** : First Sunday of Advent, Cycle C: Sunday Missal on p.776 and in the Daily Missal on p.32

**BAPTISMS:** Baptism ceremonies are now able to take place. The online preparation course for parents and godparents for 2022 will commence in late January

**MARRIAGES:** 6 months' notice is required and the marriage preparation course is available online. Couples must make an appointment to see Fr Keith to book.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Arryn, son of Langton and Chantal Rogers, **Sophia and Altheahoueffa**, daughters of Bienvenu and Juanita Agbokponto Soglo, **Nathina**, daughter of Kudzai and Unathi Kanyangarara, **Lehumo**, son of Thabo and Nombuso Mokwena, **Lesedi**, daughter of Lesego and Thato Sefanyetso, **Kate**, daughter of Mark and Angela Wade, **Tafara**, son of Muntaryadzi and Idea Zengenene, who were baptised last week.

### PARISH DIARY

**Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> November**

**Book Sale** by the CWL after the 7.30am and 10am Masses.

**Tuesday, 30<sup>th</sup> November**

7.00pm Adult instruction online

**Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> December**

10.00am Healing Mass at Summerfield

**Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> December**

10.00am Healing Mass at Douglasdale

**Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December**

6.30 for 7.00pm **Christmas Carols** on the rooftop of the parkade. Bring your own picnic food and drinks. Tickets are R30.00 for adults and R20.00 for children. Tickets are available online and at all weekend Masses.

**Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> December**

**Christmas Market** on Sunday morning 5<sup>th</sup> December. Please help the Pensioners and Children Support Group raise money for the poor this Christmas. Buy a raffle ticket for only R50 and stand a chance to win lovely prizes. Draw 11.30am on 5<sup>th</sup> December.

### ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PRESENT

**DRIVE:** is time again, for us to support needy children out there through purchasing a Christmas gift. The tags with ages will be on the Christmas tree for the next few weeks and your generosity will be appreciated. Please stick the tag onto your gift and return it to the boxes in the foyer. The past few years have truly reflected our Parish's heart-felt support and we trust this year will be the same. **REMINDER** – no battery operated toys and a **new** toy please, for the dignity of the child.

**Advent is upon us! Join a Connect Group for our Advent program as we prepare for a joyful Christmas.** Over a 100 friends meet every 2 weeks for 70 minutes on Zoom. Come and join in the excitement. If you would like to know more, send an email to the Connect Groups Support team: [bccconnectgroups@gmail.com](mailto:bccconnectgroups@gmail.com) or call Premie Naidoo on 083 236 2403.

### Catechism registrations for 2022.

The deadline for registrations for 2022 as well as payments is the 10th January 2022. Please send your proof of payment to [bryanstoncatechism@gmail.com](mailto:bryanstoncatechism@gmail.com). Without the proof we are not able to add your child to the class list.



**Snapscan:** Scan this QR Code to make your donation. Enter the amount you want to pay. Confirm payment with your 4-digit PIN.



Snap here to pay

### Church Banking Details

Bank: STANDARD BANK  
Branch: FOURWAYS CROSSING  
Code: 009953  
Account name: BRYANSTON CATHOLIC CHURCH  
Account no.: 02 339 042 5

There will be a second collection for Gaudete during the season of Advent.

**VOCATION REFLECTION:** The Lord is near! Am I able to read the signs of the times? What is God asking of me? (Luke 21:25-36)

**STAY SAFE  
AND GET VACCINATED!**

### Prayer for ADVENT

Lord God,  
in this holy season of Advent, your Church joyfully awaits the coming of our Saviour who enlightens our hearts and dispels the darkness of ignorance and sin. Our hearts desire the warmth of your love and our minds are searching for the light of your Word. Increase our longing for Christ our Savior and give us the strength to grow in love, that the dawn of his coming may find us rejoicing in his presence and welcoming the light of his truth. We ask this through Christ our Lord. AMEN.