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## Saint Paul's Catholic Church

Incorporating the churches of St Paul Somerset West, St Stephen Macassar, the Overberg:  
St Barnabas Villiersdorp, Our Lady of Grabouw, Our Lady of Montserrat Betty's Bay;  
and the communities of Sir Lowry's Pass, Greyton, and Caledon.

**VISION STATEMENT:** St Paul's aspires to be a welcoming family, centred in worship & prayer, that strives to bring all people into friendship with our Saviour Jesus Christ, and expresses our love of Him through service to those in need



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**Bank Account details EFT: Standard Bank 07-233-3774**

### 16 August 2025 to 24 August 2025

Sat	16 Aug	8.30am	St Paul	Fr David	John & Sioban Fielding
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr Godfrey	Carroll Wood & Botha families
		6.00pm	Betty's Bay	Fr Pierre	Peter Barry RIP
Sunday	17 Aug 2025	8.30am	St. Paul	Fr Godfrey	Missa Pro Popula
		8.30am	Villiersdorp	Fr Pierre	Deceased Loreto Sisters – IBVM Special Intention
		10.30am	Grabouw	Fr Pierre	
		10.30am	Macassar	Fr David	
		10.30am	SirLry Pass	Fr Godfrey	Eleonora Special Intention
5.30pm	St Paul	Fr David			
Mon	18 Aug	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Norman Fyfe RIP
Tue	19 Aug	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Godfrey	Special Intention
Wed	20 Aug	9.00am	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Benediction & Morning Prayer
		9.30am		Fr Michael	Natalie Angus Special Intention Fr Michael Hubbart RIP
Thu	21 Aug	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Michael	Jan & Sonia Engelbrecht wedding anniversary Briella Gonsalves
		6.30pm	Macassar	Fr Godfrey	
Fri	22 Aug	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Godfrey	<b>MORTUARY LIST</b>
Sat	23 Aug	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Virginia Valjeaux RIP
		3.30pm	Greyton	Dcn Steve	Communion Service
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr David	Malcolm Carroll
		6.00pm	Betty's Bay	Fr Godfrey	Deceased Loreto Sisters – IBVM – RIP
Sunday	24 Aug 2025	8.30am	St. Paul	Fr David	Missa Pro Popula
		8.30am	Villiersdorp	Fr Godfrey	Maria Valentina Correia
		10.30am	Grabouw	Fr Godfrey	Thanksgiving safe return of Robert Kayingo
		10.30am	Macassar	Fr Pierre	
		10.30am	SirLry Pass	Fr David	Fielding & Carroll parents
5.30pm	St Paul	Fr Pierre			

RIP – Pixie Van Staden RIP - Terence Thompson



The next **Baptisms** take place on 7 September at St Paul's, St Stephens Macassar, and Grabouw. Preparation class to be attended at St Paul's 11am both **Saturday 30 Aug** and **6 September**. Macassar and Grabouw – preparation classes on request or above



### COMMUNITY OUTREACH

**Saint Vincent de Paul Society** – SVdP Somerset West  
Your kind financial contributions are very helpful in providing for the poor. No amount is too small to assist with our outreach programmes.  
**SSVP Somerset West – Standard Bank - Branch, Helderberg.**  
**Account: 06 166 167 8**

In August, for PPC Elections we now focus on **WHAT ARE MY GIFTS AND WHERE IS GOD CALLING ME**

What are my gifts and how can I use them in the Church? How can I be a labourer in the rich harvest of God's vineyard? My gifts come from God, how can I give back and serve his church? Am I being called to serve on the PPC? Who around me has gifts to serve on the PPC? How can I help them discover their calling? Who are the potential servant leaders in our parish?

Second Collection this weekend 16/17 August is for St Peter, The Apostle (Opus Sancti Petri) for the Intentions of the Holy Father.

*We wish Deacon Stephen a very happy birthday on Sunday 17 August.*

*The orders for Liturgical Calendars, The Springs of Carmel Bible Diaries as well as the Joy of the Gospel Bible Diaries must imminently be placed with the relevant printers. Please email the office, clearly stating your orders and cellphone number by no later than 30 August.*

**Christmas in July** – Tree with nametags is in the foyer. Please take a tag for either a boy or girl. The maximum gift value should be R150. Both an item of clothing & a toy. Please return gift by the end of September.

### FAITH FORMATION

**Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)**  
for those wishing to be received into the Church

- St Pauls on Tuesdays 6.00pm
- Macassar on Tuesdays 6.30pm



### Catechism – Somerset West:

Sunday School – during Sunday  
8.30am Mass  
Junior Catechism – Fridays at 4.15pm

### PARISH COMMUNITY

**Ladies Bible Study:** Every Thursday at 10.00am in the Upper Room.



### Friendship Tea – The King & I

Every Wednesday after 9.30am Mass - all welcome. Coffee, snack & chat.

### Fellowship Group – Every first

Wednesday of the month in Upper Room at 2.30 pm.

**MEN'S BREAKFAST** TAKES PLACE ON TUESDAY 19 AUGUST AT 7AM AT THE SOMERSET WEST GOLF COURSE. PLEASE COME AND JOIN IN AND SPEND TIME WITH FELLOW PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS.

### YOUTH

**LIFETEEN** is a Catholic Youth Ministry leading teens closer to Christ  
St. Paul's every Sunday after 5.30pm Mass  
Macassar every Sunday at 4pm

**YOUNG ADULTS - SAVE THE DATE** – Rugby Screening at Rotary Club on 6 September

### SLEEPING BAG WORKSHOP

The next sleeping bag workshop will be held here at St Paul's (not at St Peter's), in the hall, on Saturday 23 August from 9am to 12pm. Come and help, come and learn and spend as much time as you are able to give.

