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.

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www.stpaulscatholicchurch.org.za ***Confessions:*** *on Request (all) or at St Paul's on: Saturday 09:00-09:30 and 16:30-17:00*

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

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

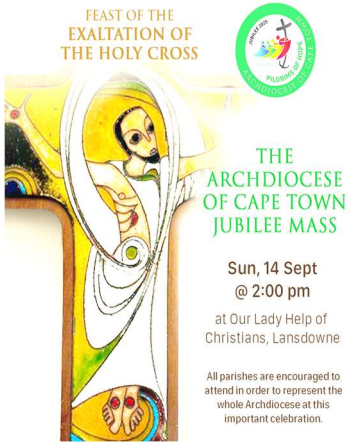
Snap here to pay

PARISH COMMUNITY

Fellowship Group – Every first Wednesday of the month in Upper Room at 2.30 pm.

Friendship Tea – ***The King & I***
Every Wednesday after 9.30am Mass - all welcome. Coffee, snack & chat.

Bible Study every Thursday at 10am in the Upper Room



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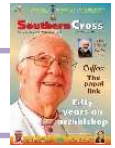

HALL RENOVATION

The hall renovation will take place during October. During this time, it and the side rooms, will not be available for use.

FINAL CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE PPC

Is there someone who you believe could serve on the PPC? Can you imagine which role or portfolio they would be suited to? Anyone who is a parish member and has been confirmed, can nominate someone or be nominated to the PPC. You cannot nominate yourself, but you can nominate several people. Think of which portfolio they could serve in. It is a suggestion, and it is not guaranteed that they will finally be assigned to that portfolio. Nominations close on 7 September 2025.

Nominees do have to agree to their nomination – forms are in the porch of the church.

PPC Voting Timeline

14 Sept – all nominations to be finalised
21 Sept – nominations to be published
4/5 Oct – voting takes place
11/12 Oct – announce PPC

Christmas in July tags – please ensure that the item of clothing and toy is returned in a gift bag by the middle of September, with the tag you chose, on the outside.

Thank you for the fantastic response.

No Coffee after 830am Mass at St Paul's on 7th

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

RCIA A JOURNEY IN FAITH

Catechism – Somerset West:

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

6 September to 14 September 2025

Sat	6 Sept	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Godfrey	Bufé family
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr Pierre	John Elliott RIP
		6.00pm	Betty's Bay	Fr David	Mareé Special Intention
Sunday 7 Sept 2025 **23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**		8.30am	St.Paul	Fr Godfrey	*Missa Pro Popula*
		8.30am	Villiersdorp	Fr David	Cliff Alexander & deceased friends (6 Sept)
		10.30am	Grabouw	Fr David	Special Intention
		10.30am	Macassar	Fr Pierre	Antonio Saccone RIP
		10.30am	SirLry Pass	Fr Godfrey	Bufé family
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Eckhard Bomman Special Intention
Mon	8 Sept	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Pierre	John Gonsalves RIP
Tue	9 Sept	8.30am	St Paul	Fr David	Carroll Fielding grandparents
Wed	10 Sept	9.00am			Benediction & Morning Prayer
		9.30am	St Paul	Fr David	Malcolm Carroll
			St Paul	Fr Godfrey	Julie Becker RIP
Thu	11 Sept	8.30am	St Paul	Fr David	Eugene & Karin Human (33rd wedding Anniv)
				Fr Pierre	Melody Cecelia Boffelli RIP
		6.30pm	Macassar	Fr Godfrey	**With Anointing of the Sick**
					Serafina Saccone RIP
Fri	12 Sept	8.30am	St Paul	Fr David Fr Godfrey	**MORTUARY LIST**
Sat	13 Sept	8.30am	St Paul	Fr David	Juliet Farry RIP
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr Godfrey	Iris Schoul RIP
		6.00pm	Betty's Bay	Fr Pierre	Robin & Anne Mc Gregor RIP
Sunday 14 Sept 2025 **24th Sunday in Ordinary Time**		8.30am	St.Paul	Fr Godfrey	*Missa Pro Popula (Pope Leo XIV 70th birthday)*
		8.30am	Villiersdorp	Fr Pierre	Bufé family
		10.30am	Grabouw	Fr Pierre	First Soul going to heaven
		10.30am	Macassar	Fr Godfrey	Personal Intention
		10.30am	SirLry Pass	Fr David	Carla Special Intention
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr David	Eleonora Special Intention

Book Sale raised R8 570. Please note that due to hall renovations and the storage of books off site, there will be a book sale on Saturday 27 September and then the next one will only be on 6 Dec. The organisers ask that NO books be donated in November pls.

Men's Breakfast
Tuesday 23 September at 7am – Somerset West Golf Clubhouse
All welcome to attend

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