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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**Parish Deacons:**Dcn. Allan Petersen
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Wednesday 4 February 2026 at 2pm in the
Upper Room.**Friendship Tea - The King & I**Resumes in 2026. Thank you for all who
celebrated at the Christmas Tea.**Hymn - lighting Fourth Advent
Candle**"A candle is burning, a candle of
LOVE; a candle to point us to heaven
above. A baby for Christmas, a
wonderful birth for Jesus is bringing
God's love to our earth."The **ADORATION CHAPEL** closes from
Friday 19 December after the last
Adorer leaves and reopens on Monday
5 January at 7am.**SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL
SOCIETY**Your generous and kind financial contributions are
always 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****120th Anniversary of St Peter's Parish, Strand****DANCING THROUGH THE DECADES**
NEW YEAR'S EVE: WED 31 DEC 7PM - 1AM
R250PP @ SOMERSET TOWN HALL.BRING YOUR OWN SNACKS AND DRINKS.
TICKETS AVAILABLE ON WEBTICKETS.CO.ZA**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.**Christmas roster****Christmas Eve Wed 24 Dec Holy Mass**15:30 Greyton Mass @ Abbey Rose - Fr David
18:30 Macassar Carol Service
19:00 Macassar Mass - Fr Pierre with Dc Allan
18:45 Betty's Bay Carol Service
19:30 Betty's Bay Mass - Fr David
20:30 St Paul Carol Service
21:00 St Paul Mass - Fr Godfrey Dcs Stephen, Allan**Christmas Day Masses Thurs 25 Dec**07:00 St Paul Fr Godfrey with Dc Allan
08:00 Betty's Bay Fr David
08:30 St Paul Fr Godfrey with Dc Stephen
08:30 Villiersdorp Fr Pierre
10:30 Grabouw Fr Pierre
10:30 Macassar Fr Godfrey with Dc Allan
10:30 SirLry Pass Fr David with Dc Stephen
No Evening Mass at St Paul**Feast Day of St Stephen the Mar.***Friday 26 December 10:30am**St Stephen - Macassar**Tea will be served in the hall after***Boxing Day:** No 8.30am Mass at St Paul's - moved to
St Stephen 10.30amSolemnity of MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD
- New Year's Day - St Paul's - Thurs 1 Jan 2026
08.30am**The Parish office will be closed
from Monday 22 December and
will reopen on Monday 5
January 2026.****Baptisms will take place on
Sunday 11 January 2026 during the
8.30am Mass. Preparation takes
place on Sat 10th at 11am.****Catechism – Somerset West:**
- *Sunday School* - closes on 7 Dec and
reopens on first Sunday after schools open in
January 2026
- *Junior Catechism* and *Senior Catechism* opens
early Feb 2026. tbc**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****20 December to 28 December 2025**

Sat	20 Dec	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Fr Michael Hubbart RIP
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr David	John Gonsalves RIP
		6.00pm	Betty's Bay	Fr Godfrey	
Sunday	21 Dec 2025	8.30am	St Paul	Fr David	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
		8.30am	Villiersdorp	Fr Godfrey	
		10.30am	Grabouw	Fr Godfrey	
		10.30am	Macassar	Fr David	Fr John Bartmann RIP
		10.30am	SirLry Pass	Fr Pierre	
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Bufé family Special Intention
Mon	22 Dec	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Priests and Deacons of St Paul
Tue	23 Dec	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Godfrey	Bufé Family
Wed	24 Dec	09.00	St Paul	Fr Godfrey	<i>Benediction and Morning Prayer</i>
		09.30	St Paul	Fr David	Lionel Foster RIP
					Philipp Alain and Yves Special Intention
		<- SEE	CHRISTMAS	ROSTER	
Thu	25 Dec	SEE	CHRISTMAS	ROSTER <-	
Fri	26 Dec	SEE <-	CHRISTMAS	ROSTER	
		10.30am	St Stephen	Feast Day	
Sat	27 Dec	8.30am	St Paul	Fr Godfrey	João Geral
		3.30pm	Caledon	Fr David	
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Eleonora Special Intention
		6.00pm	Betty's Bay	Fr David	Markus (Sister Maria) Special Intention
Sunday	28 Dec 2025	8.30am	St.Paul	Fr Godfrey	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
		8.30am	Villiersdorp	Fr David	Julio Mordoh RIP
		10.30am	Grabouw	Fr David	Augusta Neto RIP
HOLY FAMILY		10.30am	Macassar	Fr Pierre	Bufé family Special Intention
		10.30am	SirLry Pass	Fr Godfrey	Past and Present Priests of St Paul's
		5.30pm	St Paul	Fr Pierre	Moses Marenga RIP



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**CHRISTMAS
OFFERING***2ND Collection on 24 and 25
December 2025**On Tuesday 16 December Fr James Anthony
Rice and Fr Paul Carlo Moore were ordained to
the priesthood by Cardinal Stephen Brislin.
Fr James is appointed to St Paul's from early
2026.*