



12 APRIL 2026

Westville Methodist Church STAYING CONNECTED

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BIBLE READINGS

12 April to 18 April

Sunday John 20:19-31

Monday Judges 6:36-40

Tuesday Psalm 114

Wednesday Jonah 2:1-10

Thursday Isaiah 25:1-5

Friday Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19

Saturday Luke 14:12-14

FROM THE MINISTER'S DESK COFFEE SHOP NEWS

Can you believe it's been a year since Andile and Ndu started their little coffee shop in our Supper Room? It's been a gift to our community here and as the resident barista, Andile has become part of the WMC family.

The reality though is that the coffee shop has been quiet, which means that it has provided limited income for Andile and Ndu and they haven't been able to expand their offerings or upgrade their setup.

Enter Ravi Naidoo. Ravi is a regular worshipper at our early service and has years of experience running a large church coffee shop. Ndu, Andile and Ravi brought our leaders a proposal for Ravi to take over management of the coffee shop. The original plan was for Andile to continue to be employed as barista, but he has chosen to explore other options.



Our leaders have agreed. The coffee shop will continue to run as before, but you can expect an expanded food menu, some redecorating and rearranging of furniture. You may also meet Ravi or Khwezi (who is supervising food preparation in the kitchen) - pop in some time to welcome them! There will be a time of settling in no doubt, but our hope is that the coffee shop helps us to keep building relationships and offering warm Christian hospitality to the wider Westville community.

Easter Egg Distribution

Westville Methodist Church partnered with George to distribute Easter eggs to the outreach program in Shongweni.





Condolences

Sincere Condolences to Helen Wienand, family and friends on the passing of Helen's mom **Yvonne Wegerle** on 6 April 2026



Nombulelo Zulu Monday 13 Apr
Steven Nsikelelo Tuesday 14 Apr
Sphesihle Sibiya Wednesday 15 Apr
Zama Phungula Thursday 16 Apr



If you have any family news, births, weddings, family members unwell or going to hospital, please let the office know.



NO OBSTACLE YOU FACE IS ANY MATCH FOR THE LORD

Psalm 114:3-6

CHURCH BANK DETAILS

Acc: Westville Methodist Church
Acc No: 58880668126
Bank: First National Bank
Branch: Westville
Br Code: 223526



April Prayer Focus

Our Church WMC
Mission Focus - Prialex



Thanksgiving

Lynda Tarbett - Gives thanks for successful surgery for the removal of facial skin cancer. Very grateful for all your prayers.
Megan Moody - Doing well and grateful for continued prayers
Bruce Theunissen - Successful pacemaker surgery
Karen Gallichan - Successful knee replacement surgery. Very grateful for all the prayers.

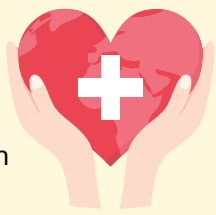


Current Prayer Requests

Norma Mitchley - Giddiness
Janet Thomason - Compression fracture
Arnie Kerr - Battling with health challenges
Margot Smith - Recovering and gaining strength
Chrissie Smith - Courage for challenges with her Macular degeneration
Tienie Dearham - Under new medication
Kurt Munstermann - Further health challenges

People Under Treatment

Denise Blevin - Pancreatic cancer -stable with no pain
Mike Higgs - Starting new cancer treatments
Aubrey Beard - Has bi-monthly scans. Tumour size remains the same.
Russell Untiedt - Continuing cancer treatment
Bruce Perrow - Health challenges -feeling stronger
Michael Mullin - Health challenges
Nick Naidoo - Cancer treatment
Sané Ndlovu - Treatment for endometriosis
Brandon Walker - Treatment for Long Covid
John Cave - Cancer, pain control



Ongoing Prayer

Tienie Dearham, Letitia Norris, Horizon Farm, Zayden Govender, Shelley Reid, Mo Taylor, Helene Herbst, Sue Carter, Janita Downing, Lance Bainbridge, Lorraine Bekker, Evelyn Kolbe, Megan Moody, Nicky Proctor, The Sullivan family, The Siswana family

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CONNECT SHARE INQUIRE



MISSION OF THE MONTH

Prialex

NEEDSLIST



- 1kg Rice
- 1kg Mealie Meal
- Long Life Milk
- Teabags
- Sugar
- Canned Fish (Pilchards)
- Baked Beans

Hey Church Family!
We love hearing from you!
Whether it's a prayer request or just a quick hello, your messages mean so much.
Let's keep building community and staying connected throughout the week!