



ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL PARISH

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23rd November – 01st December 2024

Saturday 23/11/2024 18h00 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Christ the King) [Year B]

Readers: Wilson Shikoto & Maria Solange

Communion Assistant: Zacarias Nangacovie

Sunday 24/11/2024 07h30 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Christ the King) [Year B]

Readers: Josephine Ruvangu & Henry Olu-King

Communion Assistant: Leah & Henry Olu-King, & Sylvia Mukendwa

09h30 Christkönigssonntag [B]

Lesung: Lucia Schorghofer & Hannelore Gruttemeyer

Kommunionhelfer: Christa Roth

10h40 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Christ the King) [Year B]

Readers: Flora Nyaga & Redempta Uwamahoro

Communion Assistants: Emily Mundukuta & Margaret Zuzi

Saturday 30 /11/2024 18h00 1st Sunday of Advent [Year C]

Readers: Katrina Phiri & Alina Amadhila

Communion Assistant: Jacob Motalingoane

Sunday 01/12/2024 07h30 1st Sunday of Advent [Year C]

Readers: Sannah Hochobeb & Theresia Mushaandja

Communion Assistant: Charlotte, Innocentia, Sr. Saima, OSB, & Sr. Hilma, MSC

09h30 1 Advent sonntag im Jahr im Lesejahr C

Lesung: Christa & Ruth Beyer

Kommunionhelfer: Irmi Nolting

10h40 1st Sunday of Advent [Year C]

Readers: Mpumzi-Wame Mtimde & Br. Paul, CMM

Communion Assistants: Zacarias Nangacovie & Emily Mundukuta

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: TUESDAY – FRIDAY

08H30 – 12H30 & 14H30 – 16H30

CONFESSION: EVERY WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY @ 17H30

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: N\$ 20,382.60

Thank you very much for your generosity

1. Cleaning of the Church on **Saturday 30th November** will be the turn of **Senior Youth and Charismatic groups**. Please, leaders of respective groups, contact the Office on Friday to discuss what time the cleaning should be just in case there will be something going on in church on Saturday morning. Then, it is your responsibility to inform your members accordingly.
2. During the month of November, the Catholic Church commemorates the Faithful Departed. A box has been placed at the foot of the Altar for Parishioners to place in it, names of their loved ones who have gone to their eternal rest. The Presiding Priest will lead in praying for them during every Mass for the whole month.
3. Parishioners are informed that the Parish Office will close on **13th December 2024, at 16h30**, and will **re-open on 14th January 2025 at 08h30**
4. Parents / Guardians of the following next year's 2nd Year Confirmation candidates should submit documents as listed below before Office closes in December:
 - i. **Jaden Noah Hangara** – Copy of 1st Holy Communion Certificate
 - ii. **Ronald Nicol-Wilson** – Copies of Baptism card & 1st Holy Communion Certificate
 - iii. **Shambekela Shaduka** – Copy of 1st Holy Communion Certificate
 - iv. **Deshawn Tjikurunda** – Copy of 1st Holy Communion Certificate
5. The Sunday School will have its last class for the year on 1st December 2024. The re-opening date will be announced later.
6. Parishioners, please note that during the December holidays, **14th December 2024 - 13th January 2025**, there will be only **two Masses on Sundays**: at **07h30 in English**, and at **09h30 in combined German and English**.
7. Parishioners are requested, and earnestly urged, to notify the Parish Office of **any Registered Parishioner who passed on or re-located to other Parishes** to help better our statistics.
8. The Spring Ball, which was to take place last September, will now take place on Saturday 1st March 2025. Details will be announced later. We thank you in advance for your support.
9. **Marriage Banns:**
Third Marriage Bann: Angula Joseph & Anneline Mathis. They intend to get married on **30th November 2024** at St Mary's Cathedral Parish, Windhoek.
10. Parishioners with announcements to make are kindly requested to submit them to the Parish Office by 3pm on Thursdays. We discourage people walking to the Altar to hand over some memo to be announced; or to make the announcement themselves.
11. We would like to remind Parishioners that anyone who wants to receive Communion but is unable to come to church, can have Communion brought to them where they are. Just inform the Office in time.
12. Once more, we urge Parishioners to observe the dress code as outlined on the notice boards. This is for mere respect of the house of God and to avoid scandalizing others.
13. Although all restrictions relating to COVID-19 have been lifted, it is still up to each of us to ensure that we remain healthy. **PLEASE, LET US KEEP SAFE!**