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CONFESSIONS/ RECONCILIATION:
Saturdays: 5:00 - 5:20 PM
Sundays: 7:15 - 7:45 AM
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HALL BOOKINGS
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25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

INTRODUCTION:

God's ways are high above our ways. God's thoughts are high above our thoughts. We, for example tend to be small-minded and stingy. We want to regulate everything with laws and regulations. But God's was is different. God is generous and broad-minded; god's generosity has no limits. Today let us ask God to be broad minded, good and generous.

GOSPEL: Mathew 20: 1 - 16

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out at dawn to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with them for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. Going out about nine o'clock, the landowner saw others standing idle in the marketplace, and he said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard, and I will give you what is just.' So they went off. And he went out again around noon, and around three o'clock, and did likewise. Going out about five o'clock, the landowner found others standing around, and said to them, 'Why do you stand here idle all day?' They answered, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard.' When it was evening the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, 'Summon the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and ending with the first.' When those who had started about five o'clock came, each received the usual daily wage. So when the first came, they thought that they would receive more, but each of them also got the usual wage. And on receiving it they grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last ones worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us, who bore the day's burden and the heat.' He said to one of them in reply, 'My friend, I am not cheating you. Did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what is yours and go. What if I wish to give this last one the same as you? Or am I not free to do as I wish with my own money? Are you envious because I am generous?' Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last."

CATECHISM CLASSES

Will be closing this week at RPP and reopen on the 13th of October 2023. St Jude catechism classes will continue as normal @ 9h00 on Sunday before Mass

DATE	SACRISTAN	EMOHC	PROCLAIMER	MASS INTENTION	FR'S DINNER
23/09/2023	Shamim		Nokwazi/Michelle	Candida Dionisio R.I. P	Mirna
24/09/2023	Christopher	Henri	Nonhlanhla/Kholi	Sibongokuhle Mlambo R.I.P	
30/09/2023	Celeste		Evelyn/Luiz	De Franca Special Intention	Nirvana
01/10/2023	Brenda	Ntokozo	Fabian/Lihle	Avril Abrahams & Clare van der Byl	

NGOME PILGRIMAGE

Regina Pacis Pilgrimage to



Ngome
Marian Shrine
TABERNACLE OF THE MOST HIGH

Date: 1-3 December 2023

This is a final call for all those who asked to reserve a space with promise to pay the deposit. Final date for payment of the full fee is the 30th of September then your name will be removed from the list.

All Parishioners who have paid a deposit please remember to make your final payment, so we can finalize transport.

Last but not least your deposit towards to trip in non-refundable.

UPCOMING EVENTS

28 September Thursday, there is going to be recommissioning of all SVDP members during Mass.

07 October 8:00 First Saturday of the Month, there will be confessions followed by Mass at 09:00.

07 October (Saturday) Day Retreat for ALL (RPP & St Jude) Confirmation candidates @ RPP.



POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

For people living on the margins.
We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

PARISH DIARY & MEETINGS

Mon 25	18:00	Singing practice @ 20 Steenbok St
Tue 26	10:00 16:30	Mass @ RPP Rosary prayer @ RPP
Wed 27	06:00	Mass @ RPP
Thu 28	09:00 09:30 18:00	Mass @ RPP Adoration Benediction
Fri 29	17:30	Mass @St Jude Executive Meeting @St Jude after Mass
Sat 30	10:00 17:30	Workshop for Eucharist Ministers @KwaMaulusi Omuhle Mass @RPP
Sun 01	08: 00 10: 00	Mass @ RPP SVDP Meeting @ RPP after Mass Mass @ St. Jude

SICK & ELDERLY

Please pray for the sick & elderly of the parish, family & friends especially: Fr John-Allen Green OFM, Nokuthula Kubheka, Penny Powell, Jean Smith, Dolly Bimbrish, Simon Zulu, Alvin Govender, Siva Naidoo, Mavis Makhubo and Fidelma Hanlon.