

*Give food to the hungry
and clothes to people in need.*

*If you are prosperous, give generously,
and do it gladly!*

Tobit 4: 16

Christ and His Church invite you !
Christus und Seine Kirche laden Dich ein!

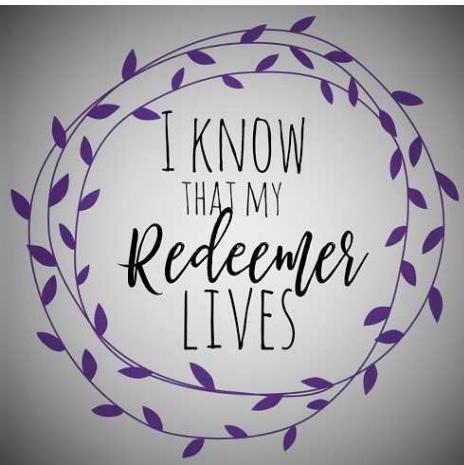
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From the Pastor's Heart

Thoughts on the Watchword November 2019, Job 19:25

What do we do when God seems to be far off or absent? What do we do when the world seems to be left over to evil? What to do when pain and suffering screams to high heaven? These are the difficult questions asked by the book Job. And it mentions answers that are familiar to us today too: "Forsake God and die!" is what Job's wife suggests he must do. When life becomes unbearable, death will be a welcome redemption. "There must be some purpose for your suffering", is what Job's friends said to him. Job, the tormented man himself, is less sensible. He says, "I know that my Redeemer lives."

He insists that God's righteousness and faithfulness will prevail. Is it Job's faith and strength that make him believe so convincingly? Or is it God's faithfulness that does not leave him alone even in the deepest experience of suffering? In the end, as we know if we've dared to read the book of Job, God vindicates Job, just as God vindicated the Crucified One on Easter morning. By dying on the cross and



through His resurrection, God Himself has defeated death through Jesus Christ, His Son. Moreover, in the death and suffering of Jesus Christ, God enters and meets us in our suffering. This is one of the deepest mysteries of faith that neither thoughts nor words can comprehend or

describe. But by suffering and dying for us, God is an intricate and compassionate part of our suffering, not far removed from it. And in this way, Jesus Christ became for us - our Redeemer. Death, and the fear of dying, sometimes even the desire to die, will always afflict us. There will always be addictions, humiliations and many fears that make life unbearable. There is no recipe or method that is guaranteed to get us out of trouble.

But there is definitely a God who reveals himself to us again and again as our Redeemer, a God who repeatedly gives us a reason to carry on and helps us to live a life of inner freedom and peace. This knowledge is not something that we possess, but it is a gift that we receive again and again with each and every new day, and sometimes even from one moment to the next.

From the Pastor's Heart

God does not forsake us, even if we forsake God or feel we have been forsaken by God and can no longer believe in His goodness and care. God will vindicate us where everything else seems to deny us of our rights; He comes alongside us when we feel alone and abandoned. This is not something that we can tell ourselves. It is God's Spirit that reminds us time and again that God, in and through Jesus Christ, can no longer, under no circumstances, leave us alone or abandoned. And it is the same Spirit of God that moves us to this realization, in order for us to be able to also say and repeat with Job: Even if I know nothing else... but, "**I know that my Redeemer lives.**" Especially as we will soon enter the season of Advent we are reminded again: Without our doing, God's light comes to meet us right where we are...

God, let your light shine. Shine into our darkness - the darkness of our lives and the darkness of this world. Light up destructive thoughts and deeds and lead us to the light of your Son, our Redeemer, Jesus Christ.
Amen.

Harvest Thanksgiving

Harvest Thanksgiving is a Celebration of God's Love and Faithfulness shown to us in so many different ways. Harvest Thanksgiving is a giving of thanks for a good harvest. Although most of us are not farmers by profession we all have much to be thankful for in terms of God's provision for and blessings over our lives. Harvest Thanksgiving is a day on which we can express our thankfulness and gratitude and give back, in the true sense of the word, a giving of thanks. This year we would like to earmark our Harvest Thanksgiving Family Service on the 27th of October 2019 as an opportunity to generate much needed funds for our congregation. Tithing, giving to the church, is entirely voluntary and stands under no obligation whatsoever. However, in order to be able to do its important work, the church does not have funds to do it. Therefore, we ask that you carefully consider what you are able to give back to the church. Please also bring what you can in terms of food and clothing to help those in need in and outside our congregation. This Celebration Service will be followed by a Bring and Share lunch.

O give
thanks
unto the LORD, for he is good;
for his mercy endures forever.
Ps. 107:1

15th Synod of ELCSA (Cape Church) 2019

The first meeting of this Synod in East London from 6 – 8 September 2019 was very well organized. For perspective the second meeting will be at St Martini Church, Cape Town in 2021 and the second meeting of the 14th Synod was in Stellenbosch in 2017. Bishop Filter and his deputy Pastor Meylahn, elected at the last Synod prevailed at this 15th Synod.

In the opening service conducted by Pastor Dr. Claudia Nolte-Schamm of St Martini, Bishop Filter delivered the sermon and commissioned all the delegates including Pastor Anja and me, Geoff Andrew for Church of Peace Springfield, Port Elizabeth. Guest church and organization visitors included; ELCSA(N-T), ELCSA (C-OD), LUCSA, Moravian Church in SA, Lutheran World Federation, Geneva, Dutch Reformed Church, Eastern Cape.

Elections conducted were:

- **President & vice** for the 15th Synod; Bettina Du Buson (CCE) and Leon Rix (CCW)
- **Treasurer** Klaus-Gerd von Pressentin with Horst Schöttler as Bookkeeper
- **Church Council Members;** Pastor HP von Fintel (CCE), Craig Lutge (CCE), Raymond Kok (CCW).
- **Finance Committee Members;** K v Pressentin, H Schöttler, M Zloch and M v Schalkwyk.

The only Bill passed by a majority was the Budget for 2019 and 2020, Pastor Anja and I abstained along with five other delegates as we are in arrears and could not see our way clear to meeting the Stewardship Contributions required from our congregation. Details of that were not for discussion at Synod save the 25% Post benefit that we have benefitted from coming to an end and placing us further in arrears.

The theme of this meeting of Synod, “Biblical, socio-economic and socio-political perspectives on land” was prayerfully and professionally handled through formal input from Dr Braam Hanekom, Author and Dominee from the Dutch Reformed Church, Mr Martin Detering from our Southern Cape Congregation in George and a farmer and former head of Agri Free State and Ms Thami Bakumeni from the Shack Dwellers Association outside East London all facilitated by Mr Guy Rich skilled through various Eastern Cape Government and NGO appointments. The proposed resolution out of synod for all of us is:

- Church to engage in social mobilisation within their respective communities using the concept of Ubuntu.
- Church to engage in and, where possible, influence government policy on land and land reform either through direct or indirect channels.

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- Church to use facilities and/or land to promote social cohesion through skills development/training/education to enhance the dignity of communities and people. This development, training and/or education can take the form of life skills and/or practical skills (e.g. bricklaying, carpentry, baking etc.)
 - In cases where the church donates land to communities for development, the church should also be responsible to provide support post-donation and to provide managerial, financial and administrative guidance for sustainability.
 - Church leaders to educate themselves on key aspects of land, land reform, housing and government programs in order to act as “advisors” to communities and community members and to assist with the social mobilization of communities.
 - * Once educated and informed, church leaders can hold public officials to account and get public officials to report on key issues affecting and impacting on their communities/congregations.
- ◊ Church leaders are urged to ask the difficult questions and to demand the correct and specific answers to these questions.
- Church to play an active role as facilitator/mediator in situations where communities and government are deadlocked around land, housing and reform.
 - Church to adopt a consolidated, combined approach to building and maintaining key relationships with networks (local, provincial and national government and NGO's) to influence, guide and/or direct community discussions/ debates around key land and land reform e.g. town planning.
- The closing service with inductions of Church Council by Bishop Filter and sermon by Pastor Dr. Elieshi Mungure of the LWF, Geneva concluded a peaceful and successful Synod.
- Geoff Andrews
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- The participants of the synod

Prayer Cards

01 Oct	Geoff Andrews
02 Oct	Charlotte Andrews
03 Oct	Melita Bagshaw
04 Oct	Grant Boettcher
05 Oct	Auke Brand
06 Oct	Isa Brand
07 Oct	Anne Bride
08 Oct	Otto Buelbring
09 Oct	Joan Burgdorf
10 Oct	Margrit Burgdorf-Fowie
11 Oct	Kai Burgdorf-Fowie
12 Oct	Leo Burgdorf-Fowie
13 Oct	Chris Burger
14 Oct	Anthea Burger
15 Oct	Craig Burger
16 Oct	Warrick Burger
17 Oct	Carol Buschold
18 Oct	Lynn Cairncross
19 Oct	Merle Cairncross
20 Oct	Alie Coetzer
21 Oct	Diana Deutschmann
22 Oct	Chad Deutschmann
23 Oct	Hildegard Dreier
24 Oct	Frank Dreier
25 Oct	Tara Lee Dreier
26 Oct	Dietmar Eichhoff
27 Oct	Ursula Eichhoff
28 Oct	Desmond Fillis
29 Oct	Mercia Fillis
30 Oct	Kirsty Fillis
31 Oct	Melissa Fillis

01 Nov	Gerhard Froehlich
02 Nov	Marita Froehlich
03 Nov	Gunter Froehlich
04 Nov	Erwin Gehring
05 Nov	Liesel Harmse
06 Nov	Rudi Harmse
07 Nov	Joshua Harmse
08 Nov	Michelle Harmse
09 Nov	Steven Harmse
10 Nov	Neil Haschick
11 Nov	Heinz Kietzmann
12 Nov	Velia Kietzmann
13 Nov	Benjamin Kietzmann
14 Nov	Hagen Krieg
15 Nov	Edelgard Krieg
16 Nov	Werner Krieg
17 Nov	Lucas Letsholonyane
18 Nov	Audrey Letsholonyane
19 Nov	Reabetswe Letsholonyane
20 Nov	Bernd Maechtle
21 Nov	Reinhard Mahlert
22 Nov	Gisela Mahlert
23 Nov	Wolfgang Paetzold
24 Nov	Christine Paetzold
25 Nov	Josef Ritter
26 Nov	Eva Rieboldt
27 Nov	Albert Rohrmoser
28 Nov	Hans Rohwer
29 Nov	Jutta Rohwer
30 Nov	Sydney Rudolph

Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayer, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all people. Timothy 2:1

Planned

Harvest Thanksgiving & 20 years Organ
27 October 2019 0930
(Sunday)

Christmas Market
2 November 2019 9:30
(Saturday)

Carols, Coffee, Cake
8 December 2019 11:00
(Sunday)



Regular

Choir
Every Thursday
18:00
co-ordinator:
Mercia Fillis



Open Door
Last Tuesday
of each month at 10:00
co-ordinator:
Marita Fröhlich
041-360 3317 or
082 564 3409



Young Adults
1st Sunday of each month
Evening Service at 18:00



Children's Church

All children are invited to our Children's Services which will be held during English Divine Service on the **2nd Sunday of each month**. Last Sunday of the month is **Family Service** and geared towards children too. Children are invited to stay in the Sanctuary during the sermon on other Sundays.

co-ordinator:
Elizabeth Köpke
083 232 6624



Incorrect information

If you are aware of any discrepancies, e.g. inaccuracies in spelling of names, incorrect address details, tel. number, or even not receiving newsletters etc. please write down the corrected information and forward to any church warden or Henry Newman.

Korrektur Ihrer Daten

Umgezogen oder haben Sie festgestellt, dass Ihre persönlichen Informationen fehlerhaft sind (Schreibweise Ihres Namens, falsche Adresse, Telefonnummer, Geburtsdatum) informieren Sie den Kirchenvorstand oder Henry Newman



Watchword for this month:

*If you have many possessions,
make your gift from them in proportion;
if few,
do not be afraid to give
according to the little
you have.*

Tobit 4:8

Monatsspruch:

*Wie es dir möglich ist:
Aus dem Vollen schöpfend -
gib davon Almosen!
Wenn dir wenig möglich ist,
fürchte dich nicht,
aus dem Wenigen Almosen zu geben!*

Tobias 4,8

So. 06.10.2019

16. Sonntag nach Trinitatis

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| 09:30 | D | Gottesdienst mit Abendmahl
Johannes 11,1. (2) 3.17–27 (41–45) |  |
| 18:00 | E | Evening Service
John 11.1.(2)3.17–27(41–45) |  |

Su 13.10.2019

17th Sunday after Trinity

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| 09:30 | E | Divine Service with Holy Communion
Joshua 2:1-21 |  |
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Su 20.10.2019

18th Sunday after Trinity

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| 09:30 | E | Divine Service with Holy Communion
James 2:14-26 |  |
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Su 27.10.2019

The Festival of Harvest

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| 09:30 | E | Family Service with Holy Communion
and Organ Jubilee
Mark 8:1-9 |  |
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Watchword for this month

*For I know
that my
Redeemer lives.*

Job 19:25

Monatsspruch:

*Aber ich weiß,
dass mein
Erlöser lebt.*

Hiob 19,25

So. 03.11.2019

Gedenktag der Reformation

- 09:30 D Gottesdienst mit Abendmahl
5.Mose 6,4-9



- 18:00 E Evening Service
Deuteronomy 6:4-9



Su 10.11.2019

Third Last Sunday of the Church Year

- 09:30 E Divine Service with Holy Communion
Luke 6:27-38



So. 17.11.2019

Vorletzter Sonntag des Kirchenjahres

- 09:30 D Gottesdienst mit Abendmahl
Hiob 14,1-6(7-12)13(14)15-17

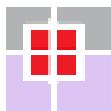


Su 24.11.2019

Last Sunday of the Church Year - Eternity Sunday

- 09:30 E Family Service with Holy Communion
and Confirmation
Matthew 25.1–13





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2019

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Contributions, Donations

The congregation's Levy is paid to the Cape Church each month.

The recommended contribution per family is R500 per month, however, all contributions, small or large help to our commitment.

Please make your payments to the church by means of a deposit into the church's bank account or via electronic fund transfer (EFT) and provide your details under the reference section

Die Abgabe der Gemeinde wird jeden Monat an die Kapkirche gezahlt.

Der empfohlene Beitrag pro Familie beträgt R 500 pro Monat, jedoch tragen alle kleinen oder großen Beiträge zu unserem Engagement bei.

Verwenden Sie bitte für Zahlungen an die Kirche das untenstehende Bankkonto (Einzahlungen am Schalter oder Überweisungen), als Referenz: Namen und Verwendungszweck angeben.

Kirchbeiträge, Spenden

Bank: First National Bank,
Account: 534 200 32476

Branch Code: 211217 Walmer Branch
Account Name:Lutheran Church Springfield

October

- 01-Okt Gunter Fröhlich
- 08-Okt Willie Lokotsch
- 11-Oct Alie Coetzer
- 19-Okt Ulrich Koch
- 21-Oct Sophie Sternberg
- 30-Oct Patrick Septoe



November

- 01-Nov Florence Arends
- 03-Nov Brighid Sonnenberger
- 04-Nov Holly Eichhoff
- 05-Nov Christian K. Bürger
- 07-Nov Dittmar Eichhoff
- 08-Nov Erica Thompson
- 10-Nov Helma Weber
- 10-Nov Merle Cairncross
- 14-Nov Frank Dreier
- 15-Nov Andreas Seifert
- 21-Nov Felicity van Rensburg
- 28-Nov Albert Rohrmoser

Nachrichten aus dem Büro des Bischofs

Synode 2019

Die Synode fand vom 6.-8. September 2019 in der St. Andrews Lutheran Church in East London statt mit dem “Biblical and socio-economic/socio-political perspectives on land”, führte zu guten Gesprächen. Einige Beschlüsse wurden gefasst, die nun in den Gemeinden umgesetzt werden sollen.

Als Mitglieder der Kirchenleitung wurden gewählt: Präsidentin der Synode: Frau Bettina du Buson (St.Andrews EL); Schatzmeister: Herr Klaus-Gerd von Pressentin (Stellenbosch); Mitglieder: Herr Raymond Kok (Strandstreet für CCW) und Herr Craig Lutge (Brakfontein für CCE); Pastor H-P von Fintel (St Andrews, Theologe CCE). Wir wünschen allen Mitgliedern viel Kraft und Freude in ihren Aufgaben.

Aus den Gemeinden

Die Pfarrvakanz der St Crucis Gemeinde in Beacon Bay ist beendet, Pastor em. Oziel de Oliveira aus der Lutherischen Kirche in Brasilien wird zusammen mit seiner Frau Cheryl für ein Jahr dort arbeiten. Wir sind sehr dankbar, dass sie sich auf den Weg zu uns gemacht haben und wünschen ihnen viel Freude und Segen bei der Arbeit.

Die Südkap Gemeinde (Gardenroute) ist ab 01.10.2019 vakant, da Pastor Wolf von Kilian in den Ruhestand geht. Wir danken Wolf und Ruth von Kilian für ihren dreijährigen Dienst dort. Pastor em. Reinhard Keding aus der hannoverschen Landeskirche wird als Vakanzvertreter von Januar bis März 2020 dort dienen. Lasst uns die Gemeinde im Gebet unterstützen.

Die Kreuzkirche in Belleville ist ab 01.10.2019 vakant. Pastor Matome Sadiki hat seinen Dienst beendet und kehrt nach Deutschland zurück. Wir wünschen Matome, Christine, Edna und Noa einen gesegneten Anfang in Deutschland. Lasst uns sie im Gebet tragen.

Kapkirche Internetpräsenz

<http://lutherancape.org.za>

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office@elcsacape.co.za.



News from the Office of the Bishop

Synod 2019

Our synod took place from 6-8 September 2019 at St Andrews Lutheran Church in East London. The informative and challenging presentations by the guest speakers on the topic “Biblical and socio-economic/socio-political perspectives on land”, invited the members of synod to engage in a lively debate in small groups. Resolutions were taken and will be forwarded to the congregations for action.

Members of Church Council were elected: President of Synod: Mrs Bettina du Buson from St Andrews in East London; Treasurer: Mr Klaus -Gerd von Pressentin (Stellenbosch); Lay members Mr Raymond Kok (Strandstreet) (CCW) and Mr Craig Lutge (Luther Brakfontein) (CCE); Theologian Pastor H-P von Fintel (St Andrews) (CCE). We wish them much joy in serving the Body of Christ.

Congregations

The **St Crucis congregation**, Beacon Bay have gratefully received Pastor em Oziel de Oliveira as interim pastor for one year. We are grateful that Oziel and Cheryl de Oliveira are with us and serve with so much joy and dedication.

The **Southern Cape** congregation will be vacant from 01.10.2019 due to the retirement of Pastor Wolf von Kilian. We thank Wolf and Ruth von Kilian for their service of 3 years.

During the vacancy the congregations will be served by various pastors and preachers. We are grateful that Pastor em Reinhard Keding from Germany will serve the congregation as locum tenens for 10 weeks from January until March 2020. Let us keep them in our prayers.

The **Church of the Cross in Bellville** will be vacant from 01.10.2019 due to the resignation of Pastor coll. Matome Sadiki. We thank Matome Sadiki for his servant leadership.

We wish Matome, Christine, Edna and Noa all a wonderful start in Germany.

Let us keep the congregation and them in our prayers.

Cape Church Webpage

<http://lutherancape.org.za>.

Please consult the ELCSA-Cape Church Homepage for important information/documents.

If you discover errors or if you like to publish an article, please consult: office@elcsacape.co.za.

Was Frau Pastorin am Herzen liegt

Gedanken zum Monatspruch November 2019: Hiob 19,25

Was tun, wenn Gott sich verbirgt? Wenn es scheint, als sei die Welt dem Teufel überlassen? Was tun, wenn die Qual zum Himmel schreit? Diese Fragen stellt das Buch Hiob. Und es nennt Antworten, die uns auch heute vertraut sind: "Sage Gott ab und stirb!" empfiehlt Hiobs Frau. Wenn das Leben unerträglich ist, wird der Tod eine Erlösung sein. "Irgendeinen Sinn wird dein Leid schon haben", meinen Hiobs Freunde. Hiob, der Gequälte selbst, ist weniger vernünftig. Er sagt: **"Ich weiß, dass mein Erlöser lebt."**

Er bleibt dabei, dass Gottes Rechtigkeit sich zeigen wird. Ist es Hiobs Glaube und Kraft, die ihn so überzeugend glauben lässt?

Oder ist es Gottes Treue, die ihn selbst im tiefsten Leid nicht allein lässt? Am Ende wird Gott Hiob Recht geben, so wie er den Gekreuzigten am Ostermorgen ins Recht setzt. Mit seinem Sterben am Kreuz und durch seine Auferstehung hat

Gott selbst den Tod besiegt durch Jesus Christus, seinen Sohn. Darüber hinaus tritt Gott im Tod und Leiden Jesu Christi in unser Leiden ein und begegnet uns. Dies ist eines der tiefsten Geheimnisse des Glaubens, das weder Gedanken noch Worte begreifen können. Aber indem Gott für uns leidet und stirbt, ist Er ein mitleidender und mitfühlender Teil unseres Leidens, nicht abseits davon. So wird Gott für uns der Befreier, unser Erlöser. Der Tod, die Angst sterben zu müssen, manchmal sogar der Wunsch sterben zu wollen, wird uns immer wieder bedrängen. Es wird immer wieder Abhängigkeiten, Erniedrigungen und viele Ängste geben, die das Leben unerträglich machen. Es gibt kein Rezept oder eine Methode, die uns garantiert wieder aus der Bedrängung zu kommen.



Es gibt aber wohl einen Gott der immer wieder sich als Erlöser zeigt, einen Gott, der uns immer wieder einen Grund gibt, weiter zu machen und uns hilft ein befreites Leben zu führen.

... Pastorin am Herzen ...

Dieses Wissen ist nicht etwas, dass wir besitzen, sondern es ist ein Geschenk, das wir jeden Tag aufs Neue wieder empfangen, und manchmal auch von einem Moment zum andern. Gott hält sich zu uns, auch wenn wir uns nicht mehr an Ihn



halten können; Er schafft uns Recht, wenn alles andere uns das Recht verweigert.

Er erlöst uns, wenn wir uns verlassen fühlen. Gottes Geist erinnert uns immer wieder daran, damit auch wir sagen und wiederholen können: Auch wenn ich nichts Anderes mehr weiß...aber: "**Ich weiß dass mein Erlöser lebt.**" Gerade im Advent werden wir auch wieder aufs Neue daran erinnert: Gottes Licht kommt, ohne unser Zutun, uns entgegen...

Gott, lass dein Licht leuchten. Erleuchte unsere Dunkelheiten – die Dunkelheiten unseres Lebens und die Dunkelheiten dieser Welt. Erheile die zerstörerischen Gedanken und Taten und führe uns ans Licht deines Sohnes, unseres Erlösers, Jesus Christus. Amen.

Organ Jubilee

"Next to the Word of God, music deserves the highest praise. ... But any who remain unaffected [by music] are clodhoppers indeed and are fit to hear only the words of dung-poets and the music of pigs." As might be guessed, these are the words of Martin Luther, the who didn't mince words. But in more ironic words before these, he said this:

Looking at music itself, you will find that from the

beginning of the world it has been instilled and implanted in all creatures, individually and collectively. ... Music is still more wonderful in living things, especially birds.,

So that David, most musical of all kings, and minstrel of God, in deepest wonder and spiritual exultation praised the astounding art and ease of the song of birds in Psalm 104. ... And yet, compared to the human voice, all this hardly deserves the name of music, so abundant and incomprehensible is here the munificence and wisdom of our most gracious Creator.

On 14th Nov 1999 our organ was inaugurated. We are celebrating this **jubilee on 27th Oct 2019** combined with Harvest Thanksgiving.

Congregational Information

Mercy Mission Cupboard

Thank you to everyone who brings food, clothing and toiletries for our Mercy Mission Cupboard stockpile. When you are able, please bring anything that can help those in need along to church to keep our cupboard stocked. Thank you.



Raffle

This year's main fundraising for our congregation will take place on Saturday, 2 November 2019. There will be one main raffle that contains various cash and other valuable items as prizes. We trust that you will generously support us this year again. A raffle ticket is R20.00 and you can buy as many tickets as you like. You can buy the tickets in advance. Lists are available from Sicilia Welcome (082 862 8609) or Reinhard Walle (063 685 0263) and also on the day of the Christmas Market.



The "Belltower" Project 2019

It was agreed at the Special General Meeting held on the 25 February 2018, that the congregation is asked for additional donations to be used for: Repaying the outstanding debt to the Cape Church, repaying the Congregation's Car Loan and getting funds for the 5-year Maintenance Project.

Received at

Target 2019

Medium Term Loan (MTL) Project

31.08.2019	R 26,500	R 49,000
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Maintenance Project

31.08.2019	R 8,050	R 17,000
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Car Loan

(31.08.2019)	R 4,540	R 23,000
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