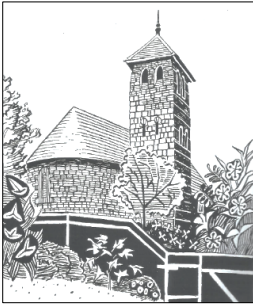


ST GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF SOUTHERN AFRICA
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PBO Number	930018129



APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

It is great pleasure to welcome you to St George's and we look forward to getting to know you better and serving you in whichever way we can. We likewise look forward to the gifts you will bring to us – both in your friendship, and in the skills and time you are able to share with us. Your presence adds value to this community, and we appreciate your membership and participation.

St George's was designed by Sir Herbert Baker and the first part of the church building was completed in 1904. We have a long and distinguished history which has followed the evolution of the Anglican Church within the wider Southern African milieu. The personality of St George's is exhibited in the spiritual richness of the liturgy and the symbols of our heritage. We accentuate the role of music and consistently strive to raise its art in worship. Our preaching and teaching is current and progressive in its interpretation of Christian theology. We therefore prioritise hospitality to a variety of approaches to Christian faith and practice, all the while basing our primary character on the love of God in Jesus Christ. It is therefore our conviction that the Holy Spirit calls us to love without prejudice as we seek to engage meaningfully and sensibly with the challenges of the twenty first century. An intentional engagement with this progress is integral to our identity and is reflected in our Vision Statement:

*St. George's Church seeks to draw diverse people
into its community to encounter God*

We are a vibrant and active community and we deploy a wide variety of ministries both within and beyond the church precincts. Together with our Priest in Charge, the Revd Eben Grobbelaar, and our Parish Board, we currently sustain all the regular functions of church. Additionally, we also operate the following ministries:

SOCIAL OUTREACH

- ✓ Operation Relief Soup Kitchen
- ✓ Uitkoms Girl's Home
- ✓ St. Christopher's Home
- ✓ Our annual donations Fund also supports:
 - The Good Shephard Care Centre
 - Coach (Anglican Children's Homes)
 - Dependable Strengths
 - Vuleka School
 - Irene Homes
 - Park Care Home

- The Salvation Army
- Alex Education Committee

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

- ✓ Baptismal Preparation Classes
- ✓ Confirmation Classes (Roedean)
- ✓ Roedean School (Chaplaincy)
- ✓ St Katharine's School
- ✓ God-ED (Sunday School)

PASTORAL CARE

- ✓ Anglicare Counselling
- ✓ Pastoral Care for the elderly
- ✓ Hospital Visiting
- ✓ Home Visits
- ✓ Park Care Centre
- ✓ Transport Assistance
- ✓ Christmas Parcels
- ✓ Marriage Preparation Courses
- ✓ Marriage Enrichment Courses
- ✓ Prayer Chain Ministry

LITURGY AND WORSHIP

- ✓ St George's Choir
- ✓ St George's Chamber Choir
- ✓ Sanctuary Ministers including Parish Ministers
- ✓ Sacristans
- ✓ Servers Guild
- ✓ Flower Arrangers
- ✓ Tower Bell Ringers and Hand Bell Ringers
- ✓ Ushers and the Hospitality desk

Our two choirs, and accompanied by our magnificent Rieger Organ accumulatively set St George's apart for its quality of worship and music. Our monthly Evensongs are regular highlights and attract large crowds. We also host a series of other musical events, recitals, ensembles, and concerts on a regular basis with a variety of well-known local and international artists.

SPIRITUALITY

- ✓ Spiritual Direction (Clergy)
- ✓ Annual Lent Course
- ✓ Annual Spring Lecture Series
- ✓ Contemplative Prayer Group

ANNUAL FELLOWSHIP EVENTS

- ✓ Shrove Tuesday Pancake Evening
- ✓ Patronal Festival in April
- ✓ 702 Walk the Talk Mass

- ✓ 94.7 Ride Joburg
- ✓ Parish Birthday in October
- ✓ Rector(New Members, Groups, Families)

ROEDEAN

St George's has been the home church to Roedean since 1914. Inasmuch as Roedean is not a Diocesan School, it is nonetheless constitutionally Anglican and the Rector of St George's serves as its chaplain. We attend to regular services for both the junior and senior schools and also attend to ceremonial events and services for special occasions, Foundation Day, Speech Night, Valedictory, annual Christmas and Easter Services, Confirmation classes, and pastoral care for the girls and the staff.

TO REALISE AND LIVE OUR UNION WITH GOD IN CHRIST

- To REALISE means to openly engage all disciplines of human learning, from the rigours of science and evolutionary theory to current trends in philosophy, politics, and the arts, as a means of apprehending and motivating the nature and role of Christianity for the twenty first century.
- To LIVE in this awareness is to live as Christ in the world through love in holiness and service to the world.
- In UNION means in physical, intellectual, emotional, and spiritual oneness with God in all domains of human existence.
- And we do this with GOD IN CHRIST according to our shared Christian precepts in a spirit of unprejudiced hospitality to the complexities of the world.

Naturally, we also provide for all aspects of ministry pertaining to baptisms, confirmations, and weddings. Baptisms are generally conducted four or five times a year. During periods of loss or grief we will gently guide you through the processes of funeral organisation and any necessary counselling. We also have a beautiful Garden of Remembrance for the interment of ashes. Please do not hesitate to call us if there is anything, we might do to assist you.

More detailed informational brochures and administration forms for all the work listed in this brochure are available from the hospitality desk or from the Parish Secretary's office.

The significance and scope of all the ministry conducted from St George's requires efficient and effective management and administration. The beautiful character of the property also requires on-going care and maintenance of the buildings and gardens. We invite you to participate by joining our Church, enjoying all these facilities with us, and sharing in our work

SERVICES AT ST GEORGE'S

Tuesdays	08h00 Meditation Group
Wednesday	09h30 Mass (APB)
Sundays	07h00 Said Mass (BCP)
	09h00 Choral Mass (APB)
	09h00 God ED (Sunday School)
	18h00 Choral Evensong:
	1 st Sunday of the month only

Additionally, all High Days and Feast Days are celebrated, and these events are advertised accordingly.

INTRODUCING THE STAFF AND WARDENS

Rector	The. Revd Eben Grobbelaar
Retired Priest	The. Revd Canon Gerard Sharp
Non-stipendiary Priest	The. Revd Dr Nigel Willis
Assistant Priest	The. Revd Jo-anne Tatalias
Youth Co-ordinator	Miss. Boitshepo Menyatso
Warden	Mrs. Michelle Baird
Warden	Mr. Zuko Khoza
Alt Warden	Mr John Schultz
Treasurer	Miss. Samukelisiwe Mlambo
Parish Administrator	Ms. Nomawethu Dingiswayo
Bookkeeper	Mr Mphoko Mafa
Verger	Mr. Rodney Sebata
Gardener	Mr. Kevin Khumalo
Domestic Worker	Ms. Anna Buthelezi

APPLICATION FORM

Please print clearly and complete all relevant sections. Tick the relevant box where necessary:

Today's date

Personal Details

Title	
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First Name	
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Middle Names	
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Surname	
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Preferred Name	
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Date of Birth	
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Contact Details

Personal Email	
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Cell/Mobile	
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Home Telephone	
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Work Telephone	
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Skype	
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Physical home address

Address Line 1	
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Address Line 2	
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Suburb	
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Postal/Zip Code	
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City	
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Country	
Province/State	

Postal Address	
PO Box	
Extra	
Post Office	
Postal Code	

Profile Data			
Relationship Status			
Relationship date			
Spouse/Partner full name			
Are there children from the relationship			
Father/Guardian/Parent full name			
Mother /Guardian/Parent full name			
Home Language			
Gender			
Baptized	Yes	No	
Confirmed	Yes	No	
Disability			
Allergies			
Special Needs			
Assigned Overseer/Elder			
Date Joined the Church			

If you are capturing details for a child younger than 14 years old and the child attends the Children's Church or Sunday School:

Grade of Child	
School Attending	
Attending Sunday School(God Ed) [Y/N]	

Personal Details

Title	
First Name	
Middle Names	
Surname	
Preferred Name	
Date of Birth	

Contact Details

Personal Email	
Cell/Mobile	
Home Telephone	
Work Telephone	
Skype	

Physical home address

Address Line 1	
Address Line 2	
Suburb	

Postal/Zip Code	
City	

Country	
Province/State	

Postal Address	
PO Box	
Extra	
Post Office	
Postal Code	

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Please tick the areas of ministry that most interest you. Once this form is processed, a member of your chosen portfolio will contact you to explain the work and invite your participation.

MINISTRY	PLEASE TICK
THE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY PORTFOLIO	-
I can help with the Soup Kitchen in Berea	
I can help to pour tea on Sundays after the church services	
I would like to get involved in the Utkoms Girl's Home	
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY AND YOUTH PORTFOLIO	
I would like to teach in the Sunday School	
I can assist with Baptismal Preparation classes	
PASTORAL CARE PORTFOLIO	
I would like to be trained as an Anglicare Counsellor	
I can help with care for the house-bound and make parcels for the poor	
I would like to be trained as a marriage preparation facilitator	
WORSHIP AND LITURGY PORTFOLIO	
I would like to join the choir	
I would like to be a Server at the Altar	
I would like to be a Sacristan	
I would like to be a Bell Ringer	
I would like to be assist with flower arranging	
I would like to be a Sides-person (welcoming people, handing out Pew leaflets, ushering)	
MARKETING AND MEDIA PORFOLIO	
I would like to assist with the marketing of the church	
I would like to assist with the Live Streaming	
SPIRITUAL FORMATION PORTFOLIO	
Join the Spiritual Formation Portfolio	
THE MAINTENANCE PORTFOLIO	
I would like to assist in the gardens	
I can help with general handy-'man' work and repairs	
I can help with IT, hardware, software in the church office	
I would like to help with occasional administrative functions (folding letters, mail)	
I can contribute in a way not listed above as follows...	

DEDICATED GIVING PLEDGE FORM

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM IN CLEAR PRINT:

Surname					
Initials					
Residential Address					
Postal Address					
Home phone					
Work Phone					
Cell					
E-mail					
I pledge the following amount of money for the furtherance of God's work at St George's:					
Please fill in the amount and tick your choice:	R.....	Per Month		Start date	
		Per Quarter		Start date	
		Per Half Year		Start date	
		Annually		In the month of	
I wish to make my contribution by <i>(Please tick your choice)</i>	Monthly Stop order				
	EFT (<i>Electronic Funds Transfer</i>)				
	Envelope (<i>Envelopes will be provided for monthly and quarterly contributions</i>)				
BANK DETAILS	Bank:	Standard Bank			
	Branch:	Parktown			
	Branch Code:	000 355			
	Account Name:	Parktown St George			
	Account Number:	200481606			
	Cheques payable to:	Parktown Parish Council			

CHECK LIST: FOR PARISH OFFICE USE ONLY

ITEM	TICK		Signature of Responsible Person
Data loaded onto Parish Roll?			
Welcome letter sent to new Member?			
Has a DG number been allocated?			
Has a priest phoned the New Member?			
DG forms received?			
Does the Applicant require a home visit?	Y	N	
Have the Relevant Portfolio Leaders been informed, and relevant information passed on to Ministry Leaders?			Specify:
Portfolio Leader's acknowledgement of receipt.			
Ministry Leader's acknowledgement of receipt.			
Signed off by Rector			
Date			