



From Resistance to Surrender

RONDEBOSCH UNITED CHURCH

Creating Circles of Dignity

RUC NEWSLETTER

Cape Town, Sunday 22 March 2026

Sunday Service

9:30am to 10:45am

with Holy Circus (Sunday School)

11:00am to 11:30am

AGM of RUC and Samaritan Partners Fund Association

Please diarise:

Sunday 29 March at 11am

Bring and Share Lunch at RUC with Canadian Students (hosted by RUC families from 22 to 29 March)



Please click below for this week's online sermon.

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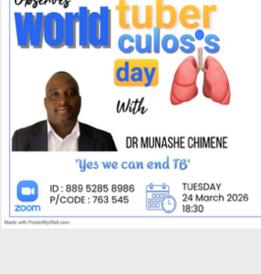
The GA Health and Wellness Committee invites you all to join the upcoming webinar for World TB Day. The webinar will be held on Zoom, Tuesday, 24 March, at 18h30.

The webinar echoes the theme for 2026: Yes, we can end TB. Led by Countries, Powered by People!

Here is the Zoom invite:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88952858986?pwd=Gsw2DxvESf8GzOgKB94FMDMjJW10Yi.1>

Meeting ID: 889 5285 8986
Passcode: 763545



ANNUAL REPORTS FOR 2025

Please click below to access annual reports and audited financial statements for the Rondebosch United Church and the Samaritan Partners Fund.

[Annual Reports](#)



Paul Klee, "Introducing the Miracle"



Congratulations to Andrea Harrison on an exciting new project!

PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD

Do you want to connect with your creative spirit? Do you want to learn key writing skills and write more regularly? Three Muses Writing School invites you to unleash your creativity and hone your writing skills in either of our upcoming 8-week courses – open to everyone, first-time writers welcome. Nurture your unique voice in our *Introduction to Creative Writing* course, and learn fundamental writing techniques while nourishing your creative process.

Reconnect with the Earth through language in *Rewilding the Page: A Nature Writing Course*. Discover nature writing as a spiritual practice, recover your creativity, and explore ecological themes in your own writing.

Lastly, join us for a 2-hour workshop on reawakening your creativity at Rondebosch Library on Wednesday, 18th March, 2-4pm or 4-6pm.

For more information, visit www.threemuses.co.za or contact Andrea at andy@threemuses.co.za or 071 167 5753.

Rewilding the Page

A Nature Writing Course

Let the natural world inspire your creative spirit.

Engage with great nature writers and explore ecological themes.

Write about the places that you love.

Open to everyone - first-time writers welcome.

This April, join our 8-week creative writing course. Registration closes 10 April. Places limited. Buy now for 25% OFF.



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Sermon Discussion Group

Please join us if you enjoy being in conversation with others about Sunday's sermon. Everyone brings their own questions, interests, and stories to the discussion. And together we hope to make meaningful connections to our daily lives.

Every second Tuesday of the month at someone's home.
-Facilitated by Beryl Botman

Every third Sunday of the month after the service in the upstairs room of our church hall.
-Facilitated by Barbara Centurier-Harris.

If you wish to join, please contact Beryl at beryl.botman60@gmail.com



Yoga Classes at RUC

Mondays at 6:30pm in the Church Hall.

Please contact Erika, if you would like to join: lencses.e@gmail.com



Graphic Prints by Peter Clarke



HEAR HOLD LOVE ENFOLD

The Cooke Family, Jennifer Roeleveld, Walter Muloiwa, Kenny Holness, Margaret Reid, Roy and Wendy Cheek, Douglas Bax, and Chris Rodseth.

Rondebosch Police Station, SmilingOne, Outliers, U-Turn, "Grow Great" Campaign, Masazane Soup Kitchen, and Thembis' Soup Kitchen.

TABLE OF REMEMBRANCE IN MARCH

1st Jean Scott; 2nd Jonathan McLachlan; 5th Doris Sovensen; 10th Ambiga Arnagiri.



HAPPY RETURNS IN MARCH

Kindly let us know if your birthday is not listed.

2nd Sabine Siebritz; 6th Dean Pretorius, Caleb Du Plessis and Huw Irlam; 7th Aristide Akimana; and Jan William (Duane) Shaap; 8th Sharon Stoffels; 9th Helen Zille; 13th Leah Fuller; 16th Leasha Love; 17th Six Mabanga; 18th John de Gruchy, Joy Wanless, Melissa Oliver, and Samuel Sarkozi; 19th Clive Mott, Kate Laburn Pearst, and Timothy Sasman; 20th Ngina Masu and Crystal Meyer; 21st Erin Bates and Bathabile Njomana; 22nd Angeliq de Roker; 24th Annette Newmarch; 25th Ros Irlam; 26th Jeannie Walker and Nikki Fuller.



ANNIVERSARIES IN MARCH

Please email us, if you would like to add a special anniversary.

15th Lyne and Stuart McLennan; 20th Andrew and Michelle Kendall (2004).



LGBT+ NETWORK AT RUC: IN@RUC

Please go to our website for more information: <https://www.rondeboschunited.org/lgbt-network-at-ruc>

WEEKLY DISCUSSION GROUPS ON ZOOM

For more information please go to our website: <https://www.rondeboschunited.org/weekly-bible-studies>

MONTHLY LIESBEEK RIVER CLEAN-UPS

For more information please go to our website: <https://www.rondeboschunited.org/liesbeek-river-clean-up>



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