



OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH OFFICE is open from 8:30am 1:00pm

Monday to Friday



Parish Mission Statement

We the Assumption Parish are a Community of Faith with a Vision to Build Our Parish into a Vibrant "Community of Communities" Serving Humanity and in doing so, enable each Parishioner to enrich his or her Spiritual Life in Communion with Christ.

REGULAR EVENTS

Tues	06:30pm	Choir Rehearsal in Church (for 8am Mass)
Thurs	08:00am	Rosary/Prayer for Vocations & Priests in Church
	08.30am	Benediction
	09:00am	Holy Mass
	09:30am	"Getting To Know You" - Community Room
Fri	05:00pm	BENEDICTION and EXPOSITION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT
Sun	05:30pm	Holy Mass
	8:00am	Catechism – CONFIRMATION GROUP 1 & 2
	9:30am	Catechism – GRADE 1 TO 9

THIS WEEK'S DIARY/ FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Thursday	20 April	5:30pm	RCIA – Our Easter Experience and Conversion
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Easter eggs – thank you to all the children & Parishioners for their donations of Easter eggs to be distributed to children in hospital

Lenten Appeal – a big thank you to all who returned their Lenten Appeal envelopes.

Lenten Sacrifice – thank you to all who so generously contributed groceries for the poor.

Easter Offering – thank you to all who contributed. Envelopes are available in the pews for anyone who still wishes to contribute to this collection for the Formation of Young Oblate Priests. Please put your envelopes into the Collection box.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT MORNING presented by the **Marriage and Family Life Commission of the Archdiocese of Durban**, which will take place at Immaculate Conception Parish, Pinetown on Saturday 22 April 2023 from 09h00 to 12h00. The day will consist of talks aimed at increasing and strengthening couples love for each other; Holy Mass to give thanks to God for our marriages; and Blessing of Marriages. This invitation is extended to all couples, those married for 1 year and those married for over 50 years. all are welcome.



Please regularly check the Parish website for notice updates, live Mass links, Mass readings and FORMATION material for children and families. (www.assumptiondurban.org)

16th April 2023 – Second Sunday of Easter Year A

The Second Sunday of Easter is celebrated as Divine Mercy Sunday.

"Blessed Are Those Who Have Not Seen."

Readings: Sunday Missal Page: 246 // Weekday Missal: 453

CONFESSION FRIDAY @ 4:30PM AND BY APPOINTMENT

MASS INTENTIONS AND HOME MASSES

* Requests for Mass intentions and **Home Masses** can be arranged with the parish secretary* Mass Intentions cut-off time for submission is 11am on Wednesdays (provided there is space)

THOSE WISHING TO HAVE A HOME MASS TO CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE.

Sat 15 April	5:00pm	50 th Wedding Anniversary Blessing for Dave and Joan Cruickshank – Family. Intentions of the Parish.
Sun 16 April	8:00am	Thanksgiving – Kheswa Family Doris Veronica Mbili – Mbali Dlamini.
	10:00am	Renata Mosozi RIP – Esperance Mosozi. Repose of the Soul of Collin Foxon and Jaqueline Raaff – Chris Foxon and Family.

Weekday Masses

Mon 17 April	5:30pm	1 st Birthday Blessing for Kai – Leigh King – Granny P. Manuel, Theresa, Eugene and Earle Correa RIP.
Tues 18 April	5:30pm	Birthday Blessing for Yvonne – Dot. Judith Koorbanally RIP – Naidoo Family.
Wed 19 April	9:00am	Fr Peter Lafferty CSSp RIP – Naidoo Family. Michael Calitz RIP – Calitz Family.
Thurs 20 April	9:00am	
Fri 21 April	5:30pm	56 th wedding Anniversary Blessing for Lothar and Joyce.
Sat 22 April	5:00pm	Intentions of the Parish
Sun 23 April	8:00am	Thanksgiving – Kheswa Family. Fr Peter Lafferty CSSp RIP – Naidoo Family.
	10:00am	

FLOWER SPONSORSHIP This week's flowers are sponsored by the Family for the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Dave and Joan Cruickshank. We pray for their intentions.



Our Lady of the Assumption Parish **welcomes into full communion with the Roman Catholic Church**, the following Parishioners who were confirmed last Saturday: **Noluthando Luthuli, Donovan Naicker, Kim Canham, Delisile Ngcobo, Bianca Van Staden and Stephanie Williams. (Thank you to the RCIA Team)**



+ Called by name to be a Child of God +

We welcome to the Parish Community recently baptised:

+ **Ann Chinwekene Ugwu** +

Child of Alpheus and Lucia Ugwu