

## OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### 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.

## 18<sup>th</sup> April – Third Sunday of Easter Year B



Readings: Sunday Missal Page: 493 // Weekday Missal: 476

**THEME OF THIS SUNDAY: Passed from Death to a New Life.**

The Gospel describes how the apostles came to believe that Christ had risen and had entered the glory of his Father. Their faith journey is one we must make too. With faith comes conversion, forgiveness of sins and new life. The first and second readings show us what this new life is like.

**Stewardship and Easter Offerings:** thank you to everyone who continue to contribute towards the upkeep of the Parish. Please consider making use of an e-giving method for your dedication payment where at all possible. **Please remember to reference your contributions with either your Stewardship number and name or Easter Offering Collection for the Formation of Young Oblate Priests. There are envelopes available at the back of the Church.**

**BANKING DETAILS:** First National Bank, Durban Main Branch;  
Account Name: Assumption Catholic Parish / or Archdiocese of Durban;  
Account Number: 50844493995 - Branch Code: 22142

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL** Thank you for your continued support. Please ensure that any **Monetary donations** towards the SVDP fund are deposited **directly into SVDP bank account:** St Vincent de Paul, FNB Cheque **Account No: 50710009876** – Ref: Assumption Parish.

**REPOSITORY:** 2021 Bible Diaries are available. R125 per copy. You can also contact the office if you would like to purchase a copy.



**The Southern Cross Magazine** – there are still copies available at the back of the church for **December,**

**January and February.** Cost of the Magazine is R30 per copy.

## CONFESSIONS BY APPOINTMENT

### Mass Intentions

Sat 17 April	5:00pm	Gregory Goncalves RIP – Matilda De Abreu
Sun 18 April	8:00am	Birthday Intentions for Yvonne Vere – Dot Mac Minn Special Intentions for Robert – Aunty Alsina
	10am	Thanksgiving to Holy Souls – Colleen Vella Special Intentions Fidelis Obidike – Rosemary Chikata
<b>WEEKDAY MASSES</b>		
Mon 19 April	5:30pm	Lucia and Ambrose Makhanya RIP – Thoko Makhanya
Tues 20 April	5:30pm	Repose of the Soul of Terrance Freddy – Tholsie and Children
Wed 21 April	9:00am	54 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Blessings for Lothar and Joyce Willnecker Special Intentions Fidelis Obidike – Rosemary Chikata
Thurs 22 April	9:00am	All souls in Purgatory – Matilda De Abreu Special Intentions Fidelis Obidike – Rosemary Chikata
Fri 23 April	9:00am	Special Intentions Fidelis Obidike – Rosemary Chikata
Sat 24 April	5:00pm	In Remembrance of Mark Donnelly RIP – Donnelly Family
Sun 25 April	8:00am	56 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Blessings for Richard and Cynthia Donnelly – Donnelly Family Intentions of the Parish
	10am	Thanksgiving to St Joseph – Matilda De Abreu Special Intentions Fidelis Obidike – Rosemary Chikata

**Requests for Mass intentions** may be arranged with the parish secretary, or you may fill in a Mass request envelope (available at the back of the church) and place into the collection box with your stipend. Kindly ensure that the stipend for your requested mass is handed in before the date of your mass intention. Parishioners are encouraged to attend the Mass of their requested intention.

**PARISH OFFICE:** Please call the office for an appointment before you come in. Should you have any other queries or questions please call the land line 0312053385/6

**CATECHISM:** One lesson a month. All lessons on a Sunday, 9:30am - 10:30am. **NO TUESDAY EVENINGS.** For the month of April the dates are as follows - grade 6 and 7 lessons on the 18<sup>th</sup> April and grade 8,9 and 10 lessons on the 25<sup>th</sup> April. Please see year plan calendar with all lesson dates at the back of the church. All Covid Protocols are followed. PLEASE SEE the Parish website and Facebook page for full details.



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



KINDLY ASSIST WITH SANITISING OF THE CHURCH AFTER MASS AND PLEASE ENSURE ALL WINDOWS ARE CLOSED WHEN LEAVING