

Our Lady of Lourdes

CATHOLIC CHURCH, RIVONIA

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22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B



"Listen to me, everyone, and understand this: Nothing outside a person can defile them by going into them. Rather, it is what comes out of a person that defiles them."

Mark 7: 14-15

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday: 08h00 Tuesday: 08h00 Wednesday: 08h00

Friday : 08h00

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday : 17h00

Sunday: 07h30, 09h30, 17h00

 Saturday and Sunday evening Masses start at 17h00

NO CONFESSION Saturday, 7 September Saturday, 14 September

ADORATION CHAPEL TIMES

Daily: 07h00-18h00

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for September 2024 For the Cry of the Earth



We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.



We welcome any new Parishioners To register please go to www.rivoniacatholic.co.za or contact the Parish Office (011) 8031229

Serenity Prayer

God Grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, courage to change the things I can, and wisdom to know the difference.

Amen

Sandwich making

Sandwich making takes place this Sunday, 1 September in the Parish hall after the 09h30 and 17h00 Masses. Donations of Bread, Jam, Peanut butter are appreciated. All help is welcome.

Reflection....

In our desire to show that we are holy, we might also give too much credence to externals, following rules without thinking about the intention behind them. Jesus reminds us that we do not make ourselves holy by our actions. Rather, we become holy when we allow God's Spirit to transform us. Our actions should be an expression of the conversion of our heart to God and to God's ways.



Prayer

Breathe into me,
Spirit of God, that I may
think what is holy.
Drive me, Spirit of God,
that I may do what is holy.
Draw me, Spirit of God,
that I may love what is holy.
Strengthen me, Spirit of God,
that I may preserve what is
holy. Guide me, Spirit of God,
that I may never lose
what is holy.

Amen

Parish Notices

Mass Times during the week. Masses during the week will take place at 8am from 2 September until 16 September. (including Tuesday and Friday Masses)

Confession. There will be No Confession for the duration while Father is away on Pilgrimage. Kindly visit neighbouring parishes for confession.

Catechism and Confirmation Classes

Catechism Classes are on Sundays at 08h30 and Confirmation Classes are on Mondays at 18h00.

ssvp Food Parcel Packing will take place on Saturday 7th September in the old church building from 9 am.

Donations of canned food items and helping hands are welcome. High School learners can earn community service hours by participating.

