

Church of the Immaculate Conception



Parish Priest: Father Donald McLoughlin

Parish Deacons: Rev. Brent Chalmers & Rev. Gerald Rodrigues

Mass Times: Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 06h30, Tuesday & Thursday: 06h30 & 13h00, Saturday: 8am and 17h30, Sunday: 08h00, 10h30 & 17h30 Adoration, Exposition and Confession Wednesday 17h30 to 18h30

Marriage: 6 month's notice is required. Couples must attend the Parish marriage preparation program. Please contact the Parish Office for an appointment with the parish priest.

Baptism: Parents are required to attend Baptism Preparation prior to booking baptism dates. Please contact the Parish Office for further information.

NOTICES & DATES TO REMEMBER:

- From Monday 10 January the Church will be open daily from 6am to 6pm for quiet prayer and meditation. Adoration and Confession will still be on Wednesday at 17h30

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

The next marriage preparation course will begin on **Wednesday 19th January**, and run weekly until **February 23rd February from 6.45pm – 8.15pm**. Those intending to get married must attend the course. I encourage those already married to also attend as the course will also deepen your appreciation of this wonderful gift of marriage. Please contact the parish office to book.

- All meetings and events will be in person this year and all your COVID protocols will be followed
- Remember to register for Catechism and Life Teen – the links are up on Facebook, Website and Instagram
- 18 – 30 year olds – Rosebank Youth Group is looking forward to you joining them this year – all details are on Facebook, Website and Instagram



Scan to chat with us on WhatsApp

Join us on WhatsApp – for Bulletins, updates from the Parish and the latest news. As well as all after hour emergencies: **072 096 7374**

M A S S *intentions*

Wednesday 5 January 2022

06h30 Special Intentions

Thursday 6 January 2022

06h30 Special Intentions for Nicholas Ah Khun on his birthday

13h00 Sr Collette Stafford may she rest in peace

Friday 7 January 2022

06h30 Special Intentions

Saturday 8 January 2022

08h00 Special Intentions

17h30 Special Intentions Antonino Sérgio and Michelle Rocha

Special Intentions Maria Teresa Pinto

Special Intentions Donovan Franco

Special Intentions Marilù Rocha

RIP Antonino Gonçalves Rocha

RIP Johnny Grotto

Sunday 9 January 2022

08h00 Special Intentions for Brenda & Nathan Roberts on the Wedding Anniversary

08h00 RIP Hanni van den Heever

10h30 Special Intentions

17h30 Special Intentions

ROSEBANK YOUTH

Social Spiritual Outreach

If you're between the ages of 18 and 30, we'd love for you to join us!

@rosebankyouth rosebankcy@gmail.com

Scan the QR code to join our WhatsApp group

2022 REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

CATECHISM GRADE 1-7

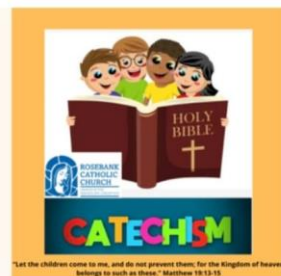
REGISTER ONLINE AT
[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/MW7](https://tinyurl.com/mw7)

Registration Sunday
23 January 2022
in parish centre at 9am

Classes begin Sunday
30 January 2022
9:15am-10:15am
3-Term school calendar

Annual fee: R150 for all grades expect Grade 4 is R200

Pencils, crayons, glue and scissors with workbook or Flip file required



"Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them, for the Kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." Matthew 19:13-15

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The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord



SHARING GOD'S WORD

1. **Scott Hahn**

The Anointing: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord [Listen Here:](#)

Readings:

[Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7](#)

[Psalm 29:1-4, 9-10](#)

[Acts 10:34-38](#)

[Luke 3:15-16, 21-22](#)



The Liturgy last week revealed the mystery of God's plan—that in Jesus all peoples, symbolized by the Magi, have been made “coheirs” to the blessings promised to Israel. This week, we're shown how we claim our inheritance. [Read More](#)

2. **Word on Fire by Bishop Robert Barron**



After 12pm Thursday [Read More](#)

3. LIFE TEEN

The Do's and Don'ts of Real Friends [Click Here:](#)
[Click here](#) for more on Life Teen:

4. Catholic News Agency



[Click here](#)

Catholic Link Weekly Readings and Reflections

[Click here](#) for this weeks Catholic Link



SPIRITUAL SMOOTHIE: WHY MOTHER SETON SAT IN THE SIDE PEW RIGHT BEFORE CONVERTING TO CATHOLICISM There's a lot we can learn from the witness of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton in this story from her life. Let her faithfulness and devotion inspire you in today's Spiritual Smoothie! [Watch Here:](#)



The Power of Jesus' Name When I converted from Evangelical Protestantism to Catholicism, I made a lot of theological changes in my life. I expected this, but I didn't expect that I would be making a lot of sociological changes, too. [Read Here:](#)



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network
UNITED STATES | CANADA APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER



For True Human Fraternity – January

Reflection

We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family [Read More:](#)