



# ROSEBANK CATHOLIC CHURCH

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

**SUNDAY MASS TIMES**  
Saturday Vigil: 17h30; Sunday: 0800, 10h30 & 17h30

**WEEKDAY MASS TIMES**  
Monday – Friday: 06h30; Tuesday & Thursday: 13h00; Saturday & Public Holidays: 08h00

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SCRAMENT**  
Wednesday: 17h30 – 18h30

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**  
Wednesday: 17h30-18h30 after Saturday morning Mass; & on request

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**Parish Priest: Father Donald McLoughlin**  
Deacons: Rev. Brent Chalmers & Rev. Gerald Rodrigues

## The Third Sunday of Advent

11 December 2022 (Sunday Missal Pg 29/ Daily Missal Pg 68)

### Sung Entrance Antiphon

*Come, rejoice in God our King;  
Sing, your voices raising. I repeat again:  
Rejoice!  
Sing with jubilation! Let your gentleness be known; Lo, the Lord is coming. Do not worry, but with thanks Let your prayers be summoned.*

*Ps. 85  
Lord, you favoured once your land, brought back Jacob's fortunes and forgave your people's sins,  
Pardoned their transgressions. You withdrew from them your wrath, Turned from your hot anger.  
Now restore us, saving God. Let your rage not linger.*

*Mercy, love, and faithfulness Have met in God's presence. Peace and justice have embraced,  
Have become one essence. Faithfulness springs from the earth. Justice rains profusely and shall walk before our God. Peace shall follow closely.*

*Doxology Glory to the Triune God. Praises to the Father, praises also to the Son, who became our brother. Sing the Holy Spirit's praise, Peaceful dove, descending. As at first it was, is now, and will be unending.*

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**Church Office Hours:** 9am – 3pm (Monday to Friday)  
**Church Open hours:** 6am – 6pm (4pm on Monday & Friday)  
**Electronic bulletin:** WhatsApp on 072 096 7374  
**Parish Repository:** Open after all Sunday Masses  
**Mass Intentions:** To be submitted by Wednesday 12pm  
**Banking Details:** Standard Bank  
Rosebank Catholic Church  
Account No. 00 193 7502  
Branch Code: 004305



The Zapper QR code alongside can be used as an alternative for offertory collections and other donations. The app can be downloaded from [www.zapper.co.za](http://www.zapper.co.za)

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Parents are required to attend preparation classes. Contact the parish office early to book  
**Sacrament of Marriage:** Contact the office at least 6 months before your wedding. Attendance on Marriage Course is essential.

**Telephones:** use 072 096 7374 if the landline is down

**Gaudete Collection:** A second collection will be taken up on all 4 Sundays of Advent (Advent/Christmas collection for the poor)

**Women of Vision Home:** Return your gift (with tag attached) to the tree or parish office by Sunday 11 December.

**ADVENT COURSE:** Wednesday Evenings during Advent  
This Week: Week 3: Nearness Time: 18h45 – 20h00

### CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY CLUB

8 – 21 December (excl. 16 Dec)

R50 a day includes snacks, lunch, and a sweet treat. Games, arts & crafts, Bible stories & movies. Please RSVP to Arlene (074 8686 956) on the days your children will be attending.

### CONFESSIONS DURING ADVENT

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> 8.30am – 11.30am  
Mon 19<sup>th</sup> and Tue 20<sup>th</sup> 6-8pm

**Catechism:** Sunday @9:15am in the parish centre (during school terms)  
**Life Teen:** Sunday @6:30pm in the parish centre (during school terms)  
Follow us on Instagram @rblifeteen  
**RCIA:** @ 09h00 in the Parish Office

**Communion to the sick/elderly:** Contact the parish office to arrange

**Grieving with Hope**  
A 5-session, Catholic based program to journey through grieving. Henny Hayes at hayeshenny1@gmail.com

**Rosebank Online Prayer Group:** Online Rosary daily on Zoom @12pm, 8pm. Divine Mercy Chaplet: 3pm. Meeting ID: 7344273551. Password: RCC

**Rosebank Saturday Morning Rosary Group**  
First Saturday of every month after the 8am Mass. In-person

### CHRISTMASTIDE LITURGIES

Sat 24<sup>th</sup> 5.30pm Christmas Vigil Mass  
9pm Christmas Mass in the Night  
Sun 25<sup>th</sup> 8 & 10.30am Christmas Day Masses  
(NO Mass at 5.30pm)

Mon 26<sup>th</sup> – Sat 31<sup>st</sup> 8am Christmas Octave weekday Masses

Sat 31<sup>st</sup> 5.30pm Vigil Mass – Mary, Mother of God  
Sun 1<sup>st</sup> 8 & 10.30am Mass – Mary, Mother of God  
(NO Mass at 5.30pm)

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> – Fri 6<sup>th</sup> 8am Weekday Mass

Normal Mass schedule resume from Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> January

### Mass Intentions for the week

**Saturday 10 December**  
08h00 – RIP Vincenzo Barbalgia  
– RIP Simone Nucci

17h30 – Doug Herold  
– Deborah Wooley  
– Antonino Sérgio Rocha  
– Maria Teresa Pinto  
– Maria Santos Marraro  
– Maria Eugénia Gomes  
– Merle Linden  
– Basílio Rodrigues  
– Katherine Leise  
– Alexandra Figueira  
– Antonio Pacheco  
– Tyrese Gomes  
– Xavier Rocha  
– Marlene Rocha  
– Chris Du Plessis  
– Vivian and Grant Hall  
– Nancy Mendes  
– Keana Mendes  
– RIP Antonino Gonçalves Rocha  
– RIP Alice Ferreira  
– RIP Solange De Gouveia  
– RIP Maria José Rodrigues

**Sunday 11 December**  
08h00 –  
10h30 – Albert Rodriguez  
– Gavin Rodgers

17h30 –  
**Monday 12 December**  
06h30 – Palesa Mapenga  
– Liketso Malimabe

**Tuesday 13 December**  
06h30 –  
**Wednesday 14 December**  
06h30 –

**Thursday 15 December**  
06h30 –  
13h00 –  
**Friday 16 December**

08h00 – RIP Molly Tangey

### Mass Hymns

Entrance: Antiphon  
Offertory 241  
Communion: 268  
Recession: 522