

## Our Lady of Lourdes

CATHOLIC CHURCH, RIVONIA

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#### 6th Sunday of Easter, Year B



"As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love." John 15:9

#### **WEEKDAY MASS TIMES**

Monday: 08h00 Tuesday: 06h30 Wednesday: 08h00

Friday: 17h00 - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament followed by

Holu Mass at 18h00

#### **WEEKEND MASS TIMES**

Saturday: 17h00

Sunday: 07h30, 09h30, 17h00

 Saturday and Sunday evening Masses start at 17h00

#### CONFESSION

Saturday: 10h00-11h00

ADORATION CHAPEL TIMES

Daily: 07h00-18h00

# Pope Francis Prayer Intentions for May 2024 For the formation of religious and seminarians.

We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.



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

# Prayer Intentions

## Please pray for the sick and those in need of prayers:

Denise Modena Deon Shaun Barton Cecelia McNaughton Rene Cogill

#### **Recently Departed Family and Friends**

Avril Van der Merwe

### Sandwich making

Sandwich making takes place this Sunday, 5 May in the Parish hall after the 09h30 and 17h00 Masses. Donations of Bread, Jam, Peanut butter are appreciated. All help is welcome.

### Reflection....

In the Gospel of John 15:9-17, Jesus calls us to "Love one another".

To love one another is not a platitude but a prescription, not a counsel but a command. When we are selfish and refuse to love, we build a wall around ourselves and condemn ourselves to a winter of loneliness and bitterness. But when we love and care, the wall falls down and we experience a springtime of joy and peace. Let us allow the Holy Spirit which has been "poured" into us (Acts 10:45) to fan the flame of love into a furnace.

# Prayer

O my God,
I love you above all things,
with my whole heart and soul,
because You are all good
and worthy of all my love.
I love my neighbour as myself
for the love of You.
I forgive all who have injured
me and I ask pardon of all
whom I have injured.
Amen

#### **Parish Notices**

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - registration has begun - please register on our website or contact the Parish Office. Classes start on 8 May 2024 at 18h00, in St Mary's Hall.

**Men's Prayer Service**. All Men of the Parish are invited to a Prayer Service on the 11 May 2024 starting with Mass at 08h00.

#### 1000 Hail Mary's - 25 May 2024.

Starts with Mass at 07h00 followed by the day's program.

**SSVP Food Parcel Packing** will take place on Saturday 11 May 2024 in the old church building from 09h00. Donations of canned food items and helping hands are welcome.

## You are invited to **Servants of God Danny** and **Domitilla Hyams Pilgrimage** in

Edenvale and Bapsfontein on 11 May 2024. Busses are R100 per person. You can book with Michelle or Zipho of CWL. Whatsapp: 0763955040





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