



Our Lady of Lourdes

CATHOLIC CHURCH, RIVONIA

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28th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C



"Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" Then he said to him, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you." Luke 17:17-19

MASS TIMES

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday : 08h00

Tuesday : 06h30

Wednesday : 08h00

Thursday : 08h00

Friday : 17h00 - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Holy Mass at 18h00

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday : 17h30

Sunday : 07h30, 09h30, 17h30

CONFESSION

Saturday : 10h00-11h00

ADORATION CHAPEL TIMES

Daily : 07h00- 18h00



POPE LEO XIV

Pope Leo XIV Prayer Intention for October 2025 For collaboration between different religious traditions.

Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

Prayer Intentions

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

Baby Oathlegile Matlala	Marian Mitchley
Ikechukwu S. Eze	Thokozile Ngwenya
Frank Nyambibo	Selina Kasigara
Neema Rubaga	Jenveva Sekeitto
Maleba Mpeti	

"Gratitude is the most exquisite form of courtesy"

Jacques Maritain



Pilgrims of Hope

Jeremiah 29:11: "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

Reflection....

Most of the time, we spend too much time recounting our problems and disappointments to the extent that we hardly recognize or appreciate the goodness of God in our lives. This Sunday, Mother Church reminds us of the importance of showing gratitude to God. If we spend just a moment to reflect on our life, we shall find many reasons why we must always return to God with our hearts full of gratitude to Him.



Prayer

Gracious and Loving God we thank you for the gift of life, for your endless mercy and blessings each day.

Fill our hearts with gratitude, and help us to recognise your hand in all we do. May our lives always give you praise and glory. Amen

Let us pray the Rosary together....

During the month of October, which is dedicated to the Praying of the Rosary. We pray the Rosary before all Masses.



Parish Notices

October is Mission Month. The Second Collection is for the Pontifical Mission Society. Envelopes are available at the back of the church.

Catechism and Confirmation Classes are in recess - classes will resume on the weekend of the 19 October 2025.

Parish Annual Golf Day - Our annual golf day will be on Wednesday 5 Nov 2025 at the Country Club Johannesburg (CCJ) Woodmead. Contact **Disebo Moephuli on 083 702 0336 or Bobby Mosidi on 082 771 9678** or emailreply@olggolfday.co.za.

Marriage Preparation - All couples contemplating marriage are kindly requested to give Fr. Paul at least six months notice. This allows sufficient time for proper marriage preparation and completion of all necessary documentation.

Parish Jumble - The next Jumble Sale is on Saturday the 22nd November from 09h00 to 12h00. Proceeds from the Jumble sale go towards the Feeding Scheme. All secondhand clothing is appreciated.

Parish Diary

14 October Tuesday - "Mothers who Pray" at 18h00 in the Church.

16 October Thursday - Prayer Group from 18h30 in the Old Church..

17 October Friday - Youth Alpha at 18h30 in the Old Church.

Welcome to any new Parishioners

To register please go to

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