

Immaculate Conception Pinetown

Mission: Ps 122:1-2: "I rejoiced when they said to me "Let us go to the house of the Lord." Journeying together as one body of Christ in renewed heart, mind, and spirit.

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Office Hours: Weekdays 08:00 – 16:00
Friday 08:00 – 15:00

Confessions: Saturdays 16:30 – 17:00

Mass Intentions	
Sunday – 27/28 April (5 th Sunday of Easter)	
17:00	Mass. Thanksgiving Barbara Lawrence, April Anniversaries and Birthdays.
08:00	Mass. Thanksgiving Beatrice Byamungu, Boniface Lushombo ✠, Peace in Byamungu Family, April Anniversaries and Birthdays.
10:00	Mass. Pious Lists
Monday – 29 April	
Tuesday – 30 April	
18:00	No Home Mass.
19:00	Griefshare via Zoom
Wednesday – 1 May (St Joseph the Worker) Worker's Day	
09:00	Communion Service Lawrence Mfeka ✠
10:00	Rosary
16:00	No Catechism
17:30	No Confirmation
17:00	Choir Practice (Z)
Thursday – 2 May (St Athanasius)	
18:00	Mass. Pro Populo

Friday – 3 May (Ss Philip & James)	
09:00	Mass. Pious Lists
17:00	Inhliziyo Mass & Adoration.
19:00	Life Teen
Saturday – 4 May (6 th Sunday of Easter) SVDP Collection	
06:00	Rosary
09:30	CWL Branch – U/H
17:00	Mass.
Sunday – 5 May (6 th Sunday of Easter) SVDP Collection	
08:00	Mass.
08:30	Catechism/Confirmation (Z)
10:00	Mass.
11:30	Inhliziyo U/H
11:30	St Anne M/R 2

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Diocesan Levy** collection at all Masses this weekend.
2. **SVDP Second** Collection at all Masses next weekend
3. **Mothers' Day – Teen and children participation**

The Teens and children are encouraged to participate in the 8.00 and 10:00 Masses on 12 May 2024.

4. **RCIA "Come and See" (E & Z)**

❖ 28 May 2024 U/hall English at 18:00

❖ 26 May 2024 M/R 1 Zulu at 11:30

If you are interested in becoming a Catholic, or if you are a Catholic and have not been confirmed, attend the 'Come and See' It will be the beginning of a spiritually enriching journey of faith, with Christ, in the Catholic Church.

5. **SAVE THE DATE:**

Calling all ladies of our Parish. CWL will be hosting a HIGH TEA on **SATURDAY 25 MAY**, and you are cordially invited to attend. Tasty Eats, Loads of Fun, dynamic Guest Speaker, Lucky Draw Prizes and more; all for just R50!! Tickets will be on Sale from 4 May after all Masses. Please support this Fund Raiser.

6. **Wall of remembrance Area**

Please do not light candles or cut flowers in that area, should you wish to lit your candle the Grotto is the designated place for candle lighting.

7. **May: Month of our Lady**

Throughout the month of May, a decade of the Rosary will be prayed after Mass on Wednesday's, please bring your Rosary to Mass. We encourage families in the Parish to pray a decade of the Rosary every day. The repository has a stock of Rosaries on sale.

► Saturdays for Holy Mother Mary

For the month of May come and spend an hour with Fr Sifiso praying the Rosary from 6.00 am to 7.00 am.

"When you are in doubt, turn to God"

8. **Sunday food collection – April**



Thank you to all who support the Ministry with donations of tinned food, 1 kg packets of maize meal, samp, rice, beans, two-minute

noodles etc. We rely on your support. Donations may be handed in to the office or placed in the trolley during the month.

9. **Repository** will be open after the weekend Masses. April Southern Cross, 'The Joy of being Catholic' in English and Zulu R90, new Rosaries, car rosaries, and rosary bracelets are in stock.

10. **Sick** Please pray for all on the April sick list. Please inform the office of any changes to the list.

11. **Hospital Care** Please advise the parish office if you or a family member will be or have been admitted to hospital so that we can provide pastoral care.

12. **Griefshare**

We invite you to join a family who understands and shares in your pain.

Come and experience Gods healing touch on **Tuesday 30 April 2024** at 7pm for GriefShare – From Mourning to Joy. To join the Zoom Meeting <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/9492329595?pwd=WE5JUFlwckw0RjZxUEVsQ29QbkNFQT09&omn=85299203525>

Meeting ID: 949 232 9595

Passcode: GRIEFSHARE For more information, please contact **Charmaine – 084 575 6006, Cynthia - 082 374 7033 Olivia – 084 592 1877.**

