

SUNDAY MASS

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard; proclaim to the ends of the earth: the Lord has freed his people, alleluia.

FIRST READING: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 67.

RESPONSE:

Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!

- O God, be gracious and bless us and let your face shed its light upon us. So will your ways be known upon earth and all nations learn your salvation. **R**
- Let the nations be glad and shout for joy, with uprightness you rule the peoples; you guide the nations on earth. **R**
- Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you. May God still give us his blessing that all the ends of the earth may revere him. **R**

SECOND READING: Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia. If a man loves me, he will keep my word, says the Lord; and my Father will love him, and we will come to him. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: John 14:23-29.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete, to abide with you for ever, alleluia

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Live the Word

Mon 23 May Liturgy of the Day

Acts 16:11-15; Psalm 149; John 15:26-16:4

John's gospel describes the Holy Spirit as "the Spirit of truth". As many of us deeply cherish our own opinions, perhaps we need to pray to the Spirit to consciously seek and pray for a deeper awareness of truth.

Tue 24 May Our Lady Help of Christians

Revelation 21:1-5; Psalm 113; John 2:1-11

Sometimes we are more considerate of others and gentler with them than we are with ourselves. Do something good for yourself today, remembering that charity begins by loving and respecting ourselves.

Wed 25 May (St Bede the Venerable, PrD)

Acts 17:15.22-18:1; Psalm 148; John 16:12-15

As Paul experienced, it is often hard, and risky, to speak of faith to others. Even though some might scoff at us, there are also those who want to hear. Trust that the Spirit is at work, bringing us together.

Thu 26 May St Philip Neri, Pr

Acts 18:1-8; Psalm 98; John 16:16-20

There are those who think that they have to look for extra suffering in order to be closer to Jesus. Suffering happens to all of us, quite naturally. The challenge is to allow the suffering that comes to us to transform us.

Fri 27 May (St Augustine of Canterbury, B)

Acts 18:9-18; Psalm 47; John 16:20-23

God's love, through Jesus, finds expression in so many varied ways according to the gifts and background of every disciple. Each of us is uniquely loved and specially prepared to bear fruit.

Sat 28 May Liturgy of the Day

Acts 18:23-28; Psalm 47; John 16:23-28

"Ask and you will receive, so that your joy may be complete." What would make your joy complete? We have a God who loves us unconditionally. Be bold. Be audacious. Be confident. Ask... and receive.

Sun 29 May ASCENSION OF OUR LORD

Acts 1:1-11; Psalm 47; Luke 24:46-53

The angels who appear just after Jesus' departure ask why the disciples continue to look at the sky. In other words, they hint, stop day-dreaming and get to work with the mission of the Church.

(KEY: **SOLEMNITY**; **FEAST**; Memorial; (Optional Memorial)
Pr=Priest; D=Doctor; B=Bishop

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MAY IS MARY'S MONTH

6th Sunday of Easter • Year C
Divine Office: Week II • 22 May 2022

MARIA ASSUMPTA

Throughout this May month, we have reflected on the principal pillars of the Church's teaching on the Blessed Virgin

Mary. We have touched on some of the more poetic ways of pondering the mystery of Mary and we conclude our series today, reflecting on Mary assumed into heaven. As it happens here in the South Africa, next Sunday we will celebrate the Ascension of the Lord. This happy coincidence re-enforces an important reality: the connection between the glory of the Risen and Ascended Lord and the way his holy mother shares in the Resurrection and Ascension of her Son.

The Church has never had any real doubt that Mary, who co-operated with God's plan by welcoming the Word to become incarnate in her womb through the power of the Spirit, and who then shared his life and accompanied him even to the point of his death, would also share in the final glory of her Son.

Incarnation involves flesh and blood. The Incarnation of the Word – the flesh and blood of Jesus – is through Mary's flesh and blood. The Ascension of Jesus and the Assumption of Mary mean that flesh and blood have an eternal destiny. They tell us that a transfigured creation has already begun. They declare that there is always more ahead of us and there is always hope of sharing the fullness of God's plan for us.

The fact that in the Resurrection and Ascension of Jesus humanity itself is resurrected has immense implications for our life on this earth, and for the new creation being shaped already from the world around us. Pope Francis

has been trying to heighten our appreciation of our common home – both our earthly home here and our home hereafter.

Pope Pius XII echoed what is in every Catholic heart when he defined the dogma of the Assumption: "It seems impossible to think of her, the one who conceived Christ, brought him forth, nursed him with her milk, held him in her arms and clasped him to her breast, as being apart from him in body, even though not in soul, after this earthly life."

John Banister Tabb (1845-1904) was an American Catholic priest and poet who evoked the beautiful relationship between Mary (the mother bird) and the Son (the fledgeling) in his poem, "The Assumption":

Behold! The mother bird
The fledgeling's voice
hath heard!
He calls anew,
"It was thy breast
That warmed the nest
From when I flew.
Upon a loftier tree
Of life I wait for thee;

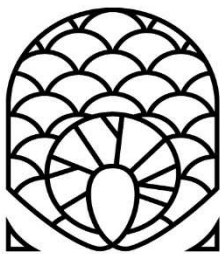
Rise, Mother-dove, and come,
Thy Fledgeling calls thee home.

The one to whom Mary gave birth, Jesus, calls her to share with him the fullness of life in the eternal heavenly nest.

As disciples of Jesus, we all pray to participate as fully as we can in his life, death, resurrection and glory. We see in Mary one who was full of grace from her beginning and is now crowned Queen of Heaven. In the words of the Mass of the Assumption, she is "the beginning and image of the Church's coming to perfection", and "a sign of sure hope and comfort to us, a pilgrim people."



The Assumption of the Virgin Mary,
Peter Paul Rubens 1616-1618



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MAY IS THE MONTH OF OUR LADY:

The Rosary will be prayed 20 minutes before all Masses during May.

There are beautiful Rosaries and Rosary booklets for sale in the Repository if anyone would like to purchase one.

UNITY WALK

We thank you to those who have supported us in our Walking Shoes project by donating shoes. We are still far from our target of 500 with only 173 pairs collected. Any donations of shoes new or second hand, adult or child will be appreciated. These may be placed in the shoe box in the foyer.

RAFFLE: Our Unity Walk raffle is going very well. The grand prize is a pair of Cloudtec walking shoes valued at R3000.

Tickets are for sale at R20 each or R50 for 3.

R.C.I.A. The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a personal journey bringing Enquirers into Full Communion with the Catholic Church. Please call Jane Souchon (083 349 1075); or Jeanette Joseph (074 074 2644) or Sherril McHugh (082 442 1046) for further information. All are welcome.

NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT will begin on Friday 27th May. A booklet has been attached to the weekend notices via email.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE will be taking place from 20 – 29 September, 2022. Please contact Albie Swartz for further details on 0837894396

CATHECHISM TEACHERS: There is a need for Catechism teachers in our parish. If you are interested kindly call Charmain on 0834479557 or at the Parish Office on 0874600387.

The SSVP are looking for volunteers to add onto their roster to assist with Sunday Food collections as well as any gentlemen wishing to assist on Mondays and Wednesdays with food packing. Kindly

contact the chairman, Kevin, on 083 558 3238 should you wish to volunteer.

BOOK SALE: SSVP will be holding a book sale on Sunday morning 5th June. Anyone wishing to donate any books may do so by dropping off the books at the church before 5th June.

WOMEN'S CARE GROUP – The women's care group are available if anyone needs assistance with local shopping and doctors. Should you require any assistance, please call Charmain in the parish office.

ENDOW: We are starting an ENDOW group in our parish. ENDOW stands for Educating on the Nature and Dignity of Women. It involves a meeting once a week with a duration of 8 – 10 weeks. If you are interested in joining or would like to know more about this, kindly contact Shirley Doyle on 0843431807.

You can also find the link on You Tube under Welcome to Endow. We will be starting with Pope John Paul II's *Letter to Women*.

THE CHURCH IS OPEN – Limited to 225 people per Mass

Masses will be live-streamed on Monday and Friday at 08:00 and Wednesday at 09:00. Sunday 08:00 Mass will be the live-streamed weekend Mass. There is a Communion Service on a Tuesday at 08:00 and Mass on a Thursday at 18:00 – these are not live-streamed.

Remember we can be found on:

YouTube – All Saints Catholic Church – Ballito

Facebook – All Saints Catholic Church Ballito

Instagram – asballitoyouth

COLLECTIONS: We respectfully request that those parishioners watching the

livestreamed Mass kindly use the Zapper codes for the first and second collections, or EFT the money, reference 1st collection, 2nd collection, etc.

We ask that pledges be paid via EFT using the Parish bank details at the end of the bulletin, reference your pledge number, or name + pledge.

SSVP – BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

Society of St Vincent de Paul

Standard Bank, Ballito branch

Account # 10159950242



SSVP Zapper

Our bank account details are as follows:

Ballito Catholic Parish

First National Bank, Durban Branch

Branch Code: 221-426

Account No: 50844498482

Reference: Name – 1st Collection / Pledge # / 2nd Collection, e

SICK IN THE PARISH

	<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Cell Number</u>
1	13 August 2020	Karen Mackridge	Eileen Bekker	0833312718
2	13 August 2020	Mary Lengauer	Issy Correia	0827743644
3	13 August 2020	George Swartz	Albie Swartz	0837894396
4	13 August 2020	Kim O'Donoghue	Vaughn Harrington	0835108792
5	13 August 2020	Joshua Anderson	Dennis Duchenne	0825536462
6	20 August 2020	John York	Theresa Fisher	0824345317
8	30 September 2020	Tommy Bennett	Merle Kombol	0836611815
10	19 November 2020	Colin Kombol	Merle Kombol	0836611815
11	08 December 2020	Manuel Cabral	Arlene Cabral	0722148472
12	09 December 2020	Maggie Raymakers	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
13	21 April 2021	Laurie	June Schuit	0832876120
14	05 May 2021	Rosanne Jacobs	Wendy Bunyard	0823595019
15		Anne Lawrie	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
16	11 June 2021	Mrs LP Alcock	Mark Alcock	0824901193
17	11 June 2021	Johnny Galloway	Mark Alcock	0824901193
18	11 June 2021	Roland Ackerman	Mark Alcock	0824901193
19	28 June 2021	Eileen Bekker	Dick Bekker	0793520100
20	28 June 2021	Reddy family	Pravashnee	0846215588
21	07 August 2021	Josceline Houbert	Fr David	
22	14 August 2021	Mary Anne Hodgson	Diana (RCIA)	0839574459
23	19 August 2021	Gloria	Vaughn Harrington	0835108792
24	19 August 2021	Ray Champion	Vaughn Harrington	0835108792
25	15 October 2021	Yvonne Castle	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
26	30 October 2021	Mario Bozzone	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
27		Samantha Stark	Wendy Stark	082 467 7052
28	21 November 2021	Kimi Crous	Michelle Mann	082 258 5287
29	23 November 2021	Irene de St Pern	Jane Souchon	0833491075
30	10 December 2021	Sue Steyl	Jane Souchon	0833491075
31	13 December 2021	Lyn Chisholm	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
32	25 January 2022	Hugh Gaitskell	Neville Kourie	0836787788
33	01 February 2022	Frances Lever	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
34	02 February 2022	Bill Cromhout	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
35	08 February 2022	Monty Francis	Jane Souchon	0833491075
36	11 February 2022	Adam Vos	June Schuit	0832876120
37	10 March 2022	Susan Strydom	Neville Kourie	0836787788
38	10 March 2022	Nicola Catarino	Lara Catarino	0765263757
39	10 March 2022	Shane Naidoo	Premie Naidoo	0835567963
43	7 April 2022	Riaan Saunders	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
44	22 April 2022	Theresa Priem	Odile Foster-Greenwood	0832659682
45	04 May 2022	Lyn Raynard	Jane Souchon	0833491075
46	09 May 2022	Clenton Mariyasusay	Faye Murugan	0842511274
47	10 May 2022	Martin George	Jane Souchon	0833491075
48	12 May 2022	Rob Collingwood	Josianne Collingwood	0824526897
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51		All those going through a difficult time		

Our Mass Intentions today are:

ALL SAINTS PARISH BALLITO

Rest in Peace (RIP)

Mass Intention sheet

Special Intentions (SI)

Date : 20 May 2022 – 27 May 2022

Entrance Antiphon :

Date	Day	Time	Intention :	Requested by	Payment	Celebrant
20/05	Fri	08h00	SI Sick in the Parish Prayers for Fr Stephen, Dwain & their walking party, South Africa and Ukraine & Russia			
21/05	Sat	17h30	SI Souls in Purgatory, Sick in the Parish Thanksgiving – Da Silva Family Prayers for Fr Stephen, Dwain & their walking party, South Africa and Ukraine & Russia			
22/05	Sun	08h00 & 17h30	RIP Bruce Pringle, Frank dos Santos, Micky Rey SI St. Rita, Angelique de Agrela, Tyron Poipao, Souls in Purgatory, Sick in the Parish Thanksgiving – Da Silva Family Prayers for Fr Stephen, Dwain & their walking party, South Africa and Ukraine & Russia			
23/05	Mon	08h00	RIP – Conceicao & Joao Mendes, Warren Hunter Page SI – Anabela de Olival, Souls in Purgatory, Sick in the Parish Thanksgiving – Da Silva Family Prayers for Fr Stephen, Dwain & their walking party, South Africa and Ukraine & Russia			
24/05	Tues	08h00	Communion service – no intentions			
25/05	Wed	09h00	RIP Rob Pringle SI Souls in Purgatory, Sick in the Parish Prayers for Fr Stephen, Dwain & their walking party, South Africa and Ukraine & Russia			
26/05	Thurs	18h00	SI Souls in Purgatory, Sick in the Parish Prayers for Fr Stephen, Dwain & their walking party, South Africa and Ukraine & Russia			
27/05	Fri	08h00	SI Gorette Welland, Souls in Purgatory, Sick in the Parish Prayers for Fr Stephen, Dwain & their walking party, South Africa and Ukraine & Russia			