

Immaculate Conception

Hercules - Catholic Church

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Altar Preparation: **Basil Bagley**

Baptism Classes & Youth Group: **Lorne Newing**, 082 954 2373, lorne.newing@homemail.co.za

Mass Time Table

Week Days: Mon, Wed, Thu, Sat@08:30 Tue, Fri @18:30

Sunday: Holy Mass @ 7:30 and Holy Mass@ 9:00 **Morning Prayer:** Daily@08:00

Sacrament of Confession: Before Sunday Mass

Standing Items

Second Collection for Flowers First Sunday of every Month

Tea, Coffee Eats Second Sunday of every Month. Please bring a plate to share.

The Youth Group meets this and every Friday after the 18:30 Holy Mass. Contact Lorne.

Formation classes in Atteridgeville from 9:00 for Catechism teacher's 3rd Saturday monthly.

Baptism Dates Contact Lorne Newing. Baptisms will take place during the 9:00 Mass.

Dates are: 24 April, 26 June, 28 August, 30 October

Adult Baptism to be arranged with Father Tony

Mass Intentions

07:30 For the Parish

09:00 For the Parish

Sacraments

According to the Catholic Church regulations, announcement for the following **Sacraments** are as follows:

- **Baptisms** not shorter than 1 month
- **Marriage** not shorter than 6 months

Stole Fees

Prescribed by the Deanery Pastoral Council

Mass Intention R 50 (specific request)

Baptisms R200

Weddings R500

Funerals R300

Liturgical Servers this Sunday

Eucharistic Ministers	Ian Nel
Reader	Ian Nel
1) Acts 13 : 14. 43-52	2) Rev 7: 9. 14-17

Liturgical Servers Next Sunday

Eucharistic Ministers	Fatima Chadinha
Reader	Gavin vd Berg
1) Acts 14: 21-27	2) Rev 21: 1-5

Sunday Altar Servers

Lindy Newing, Adriano Jardim, Leonardo Jardim, Malesela Masenya, JP Uys

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Good Shepherd Sunday

Year C

17th April 2016



John emphasises that it is the risen Jesus that we encounter in the Mass and receive in the consecrated bread and wine. Thus we come face to face with our own destiny – the mystery of the resurrection. Many people speculate about what eternal life will be like, but John says “it has not yet been revealed”. Focus rather on how to be a more faith-filled, loving child of God. That will help you to know your future. Jesus said: “My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they know me.”

+ The **gate and motor** at the parking entrance will be replaced tomorrow. This is due to security reasons as well as the ongoing problems with the current gate motor.

+ **Living Faith Daily Catholic Devotions** are available at R20 each from **Renee**. Get your copy today as there are only a few books left for sale.

+ **Order of Mass** booklet is available for R5 from Renée Nel. Get your copy today.

+ There is a need for **clothes and toys for the less fortunate**. Please support this initiative for the less fortunate. Please drop your donation in the boxes provided.

+ **Calling all Parishioners who are unable to attend church due to age, ill health or any**

other reason. Please contact Father Tony or Athol Wright to visit you at home.

+ **Conversion to the Catholic Faith.** If you have been inspired to convert to the Catholic Faith, Immaculate Conception Hercules Parish is able to offer you this gift. Contact Fr Tony.

+ Not yet part of the **Planned Giving Campaign!** If you would like to get involved in our Planned Giving campaign we ask that you contact our Parish Chairman, Manuel De Abreu.

+ The **church gates** will be closed 10 minutes after the start of an activity and will be opened about 10 minutes before the end. Please use the small gate at the front of the church if you are running late.

+ **Birthday wishes go to** Armando Ferreira (4/21); Carol Roolvink (4/21); Cindy Vieira (4/22); Edwin Imabunda (4/23); Jaco Tiquin (4/17); Maria Lira (4/22); Mikayla Lira (4/20); Teresa Marczak (4/20); Yolanda Teixeria (4/17); Zhane Branco (4/18)

+ **Skills Audit 2016.** At the back of the church are the adverts coming from our skills audit. Please support these parishioners. If you have not dropped off your skill details please do so now. You can drop your business card into the Red box at the entrance of the church or use the paper provided to notify us of your skill by dropping your info into the box.

