

## Las Piñas Nature Church



**The famous Las Piñas Nature Church of the Parish of Mary Immaculate. The church was constructed in 1986 and was conceptualized by former parish priest, Fr. Pierino Rogliardi and executed by noted architect Francisco “Bobby” Manosa and landscapist Linggoy Alvarez., the church is famous for its organic elements - from its anahaw roofing to its benches made from star apple trunks. The church complex is built on a 4000 square meter mango orchard.**

**Aside from the church proper, it is home to educational facilities, a counseling center, and an expansive park & garden. After being ravaged by a fire on new year's day, 2007, the church was rebuilt integrating fire resistant technology while still being faithful to Manosa's original design. The church is made of wood, anahaw leaves, cogon, capiz, and other native products. The altar is made of driftwood and polished tree stumps serve as pews. The church is definitely a showcase of Filipino talent and creativity.**