



Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish



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OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

(March 10, 1994)

"We endeavour to build for this community a viable Christian Family that all will consider home."

MASS SCHEDULE:

WEEKENDS

Saturday: 9:00 am and 4:00 pm (anticipated Mass)

Sundays: 9:30 am, 12:00 pm (Filipino Mass), 7:00 pm

WEEKDAYS

Monday to Friday: 8:00 am

DEVOTIONS

Rosary 30 minutes before weekday Masses

Community Public Rosary – Every First Saturday of the month, after the 9:00 am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration – Every Friday at 6:00 pm

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help – Every Wednesday after the 8:00 am Mass

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:	Rev. Fr. Francis Victor Mateo, OFM Conv.
Deacons:	Rev. Paul Beaudoin Rev. Ricardo Santiago
Pastoral Council Chair:	Dr. Alfredo Formoso
Temporal Council Chair:	Art Guillermo
Administrative Assistant:	Nora Arriola
Resident Friars:	Rev. Fr. Maurice Richard, OFM Conv. Rev. Fr. Jeremiah Arguelles, OFM Conv.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday
10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PASTORAL CARE

BAPTISMS - If you are a registered parishioner of Assumption Parish (or another parish) and attend Mass regularly, there is no waiting period. You may call the Parish Office to schedule a date and you must attend a Baptism preparation session prior to the baptism. If you belong to another parish, a letter of permission from your Pastor is required. If you are not a parishioner of any parish, you must register, attend Mass regularly, and there is a three-month waiting period before your child can be baptized.

CONFESSIONS - First Friday-(during exposition of the Blessed Sacrament), 8:30 am to 9:00 am; First Saturday – 9:30 am to 10:00 am By appointment only; Sundays – 11:30 am to 12:00 Noon, By appointment only.

MARRIAGES - One of the couple must be a registered member of the parish for at least 6 months and attend Mass here regularly. Please make arrangements at least six months before the wedding date. Marriage Preparation Course required.

SPIRITUAL COUNSELING - By appointment.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK & COMMUNION FOR SHUT-INS -

Anyone who wishes to receive Anointing of the Sick or Holy Communion please call the office to have your name put on the list.

FUNERALS - Arrangements should be made firstly with the church, and then with the funeral director to insure proper Christian burial.

Mass Intentions for the Week

WELCOME to the new MEMBERS and all VISITORS to our PARISH. Please visit our website <https://www.assumptionparishottawa.ca>

PRAYER REQUESTS: Let us pray for good health and well-being of Charles Stanton, Claude Cloutier, Cora Guillermo, Diane Dunn, Glenda Hadloc, Lucienne Sabourin, Ryan Kane, Ben Malicdem, Lina Groulx and Carmela Dorego.

MASS INTENTIONS: In the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall only *three* (3) intentions at each Mass are allowed. So please contact the parish office to reserve your preferred dates (*at least a week before*). Requests will be handled on a "first come first served basis." *Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.*

**POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION
August, 2023**

FOR WORLD YOUTH DAY

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

CREATIVE EXPRESSION WORKSHOPS FOR YOUTH 2023: FREE - a series of workshops to promote mental health and well-being of Filipino-Canadian youth through art and music. Sponsored by Philippine Centre Canada. To register online: www.pcc-ottawa.ca or for more information email - andrew.calderon@pcc-ottawa.ca

SCHEDULE of LECTORS and EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS of HOLY COMMUNION

August 19 at 4:00PM – Chit Villanueva and Nick Murillo with Nora Cerda; **August 20** at 9:30AM – Lynn Obero and Nieves Murillo with Emilyn Suficiencia; 12:00 PM – Elisa Pulmano and Helen Belda with Nora Arriola; 7:00PM – Manny Beloy and Yola Beloy with Gloria Piol

August 12 – **Ferial Day** (green) 9:00AM – †Louis McKay by Jean & Theresia Quesnel; 4:00PM – **SUNDAY LITURGY** – Edelaine Piol (health & well-being) by Gloria and Edgar Piol; †Toribia Viviezca by Danny & Nora Arriola.

August 13 – **19th Sunday in Ordinary Time** (green) 9:30 AM – Cheska Oira Cornell (birthday) by Nena Coronel; Gwenevere Hughes (healing) by Deacon Paul & Linda Beaudoin; †Lupo Gomez by Mary Miguel; †Gerardo & Fortunata Suficiencia by Emilyn Suficiencia; 12:00 NN – Evelyn Collantes (birthday) by Michael Collantes; Thanksgiving of Lina Groulx & Carmelo Dorego by Chit & Archie Villanueva; Edelaine Piol (health & well-being) by Gloria & Edgar Piol; †Maritess E. Pelayo & Corazon Ellema by Lani Ellema; †Victorina Nena Mendoza & Emilio Mendoza, Sr. by Jhun & Cathy Mendoza; 7:00PM – Pro Populo

August 14 – **Memorial St. Maximillian Kolbe** (red), Monday 8AM – †Marie Tierney by Jean & Theresia Quesnel

August 15 – **Solemnity Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** (white) Tuesday 8AM – Thanksgiving for 28 yrs. of the vow of Chastity by Marie Pauline Desjardins & Yves Baril

August 16 – **Mass in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help** (white), Wednesday 8AM Wednesday 8AM – Aiden Coronel (birthday) by Nena Coronel

August 17 – **Ferial Day** (green), Thursday 8AM – †Gordon Hulme by Jean & Theresia Quesnel

August 18 – **Ferial Day** (green), Friday 8AM – †Ruth McLean by Jean & Theresia Quesnel

WEEK ENDING COLLECTION REPORT
August 5 & 6, 2023 - \$2,424.

RCIA PROGRAM: Do you know of any non-Catholic who wish to be admitted to our Catholic faith? Our 8-month RCIA program covers the basic teachings of our faith in a weekly session that starts the middle of September. For more information and to register, please contact the parish office by email or phone; or Nick Murillo at Tel. 613-858-3106.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: to operate the overhead projector as back-up during the Saturday 4pm and Sunday Masses. Training will be provided. If interested and for more information, please contact Andrew Samonte by email: arsamonte1967@gmail.com.

THANK YOU TO ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE FINANCE COUNCIL for their availability to serve the parish community. **CONGRATULATIONS** on their Installation as members of the Parish Finance Council --- **Mary Stanton, Nieves Murrillo, Nenita Clark, Charito Babol, Thelma Roger, Mark Morrison, Richard Horrigan, and Gloria Piol.**

PARISH COUNCILS: FINANCE COUNCIL – September 27, 2023 (6:30PM).

THANK YOU VERY MUCH to the following outgoing members of the Parish Finance Council: **Art Guillermo** (chairperson) and **Noly Formoso** (as liaison of the Pastoral Council).



Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – Fiesta Celebration (August 13)
MASSES 9:30 AM, 12NN & 7PM. GAMES 10:30AM-12NN; 1PM-2PM (parking area) where there are **book-sale; 50/50 Raffle Draw** (with additional wine selection as prize); Children and teens parlor games. At 12nn to 1PM there is **BINGO GAMES** (basement hall).

Filipino barbeque for sale!!! **Pastry + drinks FREE!** *There will be music, singing and dancing!*

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the Catechism of the Catholic Church:

CCC 966 – *"Finally the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death." The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin is a singular participation in her Son's Resurrection and an anticipation of the resurrection of other Christians: In giving birth you kept your virginity; in your Dormition you did not leave the world, O Mother of God, but were joined to the source of Life. You conceived the living God and, by your prayers, will deliver our souls from death.*

CCC 2853 – Victory over the "prince of this world" was won once for all at the Hour when Jesus freely gave himself up to death to give us his life. This is the judgment of this world, and the prince of this world is "cast out." "He pursued the woman" but had no hold on her: the new Eve, "full of grace" of the Holy Spirit, is preserved from sin and the corruption of death (the Immaculate Conception and the Assumption of the Most Holy Mother of God, Mary, ever virgin). "Then the dragon was angry with the woman, and went off to make war on the rest of her offspring." Therefore, the Spirit and the Church pray: "Come, Lord Jesus," since his coming will deliver us from the Evil One.

CCC 2177 – **The Sunday celebration of the Lord's Day and his Eucharist is at the heart of the Church's life.** "Sunday is the day on which the paschal mystery is celebrated in light of the apostolic tradition and is to be observed as the foremost holy day of obligation in the universal Church." **"Also, to be observed are the day of the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Epiphany, the Ascension of Christ, the feast of the Body and Blood of Christi, the feast of Mary the Mother of God, her Immaculate Conception, her Assumption, the feast of Saint Joseph, the feast of the Apostles Saints Peter and Paul, and the feast of All Saints."**



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