



Assumption 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:

Weekend - Saturday Evening:	4:00 p.m.
Sunday Morning:	9:00, 10:30 a.m. & 12:00 noon
Weekdays - Monday to Friday:	8:00 a.m.

ASSUMPTION SCHOOL	746-4822
OCRCSSB-TRUSTEE:	
Theresa M. Cousineau	235-2024

DEVOTIONS

ROSARY - 20 minutes before weekday Masses.
 PERPETUAL HELP EVENING DEVOTION -
 6:15 pm -7:00 pm every Wednesday.
 FIRST WEDNESDAY MASS - 6:15 pm - 7:00 pm.
 FIRST FRIDAY - Exposition and benediction ending at 9:00 am.

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:	Rev. Pedro Arana
Weekend Assistant:	Rev. Thomas Mooren, Ofm Cap
Deacons:	Rev. Rudy De Castro Rev. Paul Beaudoin
Secretary:	Ms. Judy Filion

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
12:30 pm to 4:30 pm

PASTORAL CARE

BAPTISMS - Arranged at least 2 months before date. Parents must be registered and be active members of this Parish for at least 3 months. Parish Preparation Program required. At least one godparent must be a practising Catholic.

CONFESSIONS - 15 minutes before all Weekday Masses, as well as 3:30pm on Saturday; or by appointment with the priest.

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.

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

Sat., August 13th, Weekday

4:00pm. For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

Sun, August 14th, 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9 am †Rita Bonnie McCrae by Betty & Frank Barrett

10:30 am For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

12 noon For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

Weekday Masses - 8 am, Aug. 15th to Aug. 19th

Mon. †Ardivini Family by Carlo Ardivini

and also In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary by Cecilia Pinto

Tues.

Wed.

Thurs. †Yim Chung's Personal Intention by Mary Stanton

Friday

Sat., August 20th, Weekday

4:00pm. For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

Sun, August 21st, 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

9 am For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

10:30 am For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

12 noon For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

LECTORS / EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
August 20th & 21st

4:00 pm Deacon Paul Beaudoin(EM); Tony McNeil (EM-C); Pat Keelan (EM-C); Brian Cunningham (L); Melchor Tejero(L).

9:00 am Frank Barrett(EM); Lori Scott(EM-C); Diane Dunne(EM-C); Wayne Chernow (L); Betty Barrett (L).

10:30am Tina Kuchciak(EM); Noreen Plant(EM-C); Irene Lafrance(EM-C); Carmel Wrinn(L); Donato Del Castillo (L).

12 noon Manny Beloy(EM); Yola Beloy(EM); Gladys Bellingan(L); Al Rosales(L); Pilar dela Cuesta(C).

ASSUMPTION PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO NOTRE DAME GROTTTO AUGUST 21st

Join us along with **Father Pedro Arana** and "El-Shaddai Praise and Worship Group" on a pilgrimage on **Sunday, August 21**, to **Notre-Dame de Lourdes Grotto from 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm**. This is a great opportunity for all of our community to come together to praise and worship God! Let us make a joyful noise to the Lord!

PRO-LIFE ACROSS CANADA WALKERS ARRIVE IN OTTAWA AUGUST 13TH!

Eleven pro-life apostles are crossing the country on foot, stopping to speak in churches and praying in front of abortion centres along the way to spread the pro-life message to all who will hear. The **Pro Life Crossroad Hikers are arriving in Ottawa on Saturday Aug 13th** on their long hike from the western Canada and will be greeted on Parliament Hill around noon. It would be greatly appreciated if as many as possible could join us there.

One of the walkers will speak at our Masses on the week-end of the 13th & 14th of August and a collection will be taken up to help with their expenses.

If you need more information contact: Frank J. Barrett Assumption Parish Pro Life Rep

Weekly Financial Report 2011

Needed to Run the Parish (est.) ----- \$4,250.00

Collection: August 8th ----- \$2,287.00

Please volunteer to reduce expenses

New Fund Donations

Donations : Week : August 8, 2011 ----- \$205.00

A copy of the June Financial Monthly Report from the Treasurer is available from the rectory office. If you are interested, please contact the secretary, Judy Filion/ 613-746-8503.

UPCOMING BAPTISMS AT ASSUMPTION

Please keep in prayer these children and their families as they prepare for baptism this month. On August 13th, Gabriela Asencio, Isabella Chenier, Charlie Weisgerber, Ciara Thompson Deschamps, and Jordan Meagher.

PRAYING FOR AN END TO "THE CULTURE OF DEATH":

The next Mass on our Pilgrimage Journey to pray for the establishment of a Pro-Life Centre in Ottawa takes place **Saturday, August 27th, at 10 am. at St. Augustine Parish, 1060 Baseline Rd.** The Pilgrimage will continue on September 24th, at St. Ignatius Parish, 518 Donald St.

STEWARDSHIP: A beautiful word by Fr. Maurice Dionne

At a first glance, to think of your Christian life as stewardship does not seem particularly inspiring. Dictionaries define stewardship as being *the manager of someone else's property*. This word has a lot of administrative connotations that don't make you soar like an eagle. But if that *someone else* is God and the *property* is your life and everything it contains or is connected to, things begin to flow. You're entering the spirituality of stewardship: managing your life for God. Your relationship to God is expressed in how you manage the parameters of your life, or what stewardship would designate as the manifold gifts God has bestowed upon you. *Gift* is a very important word in stewardship. We are called to the realization that *all is gift*. These gifts are grouped into three categories: *time* or the basic thread of your existence, *talent* or what makes you specifically you, and *treasure*, the resources of all kinds that you have at your disposal. A Christian steward, one who commits himself to following Jesus, manages these gifts in the following manner: receives them gratefully, nurtures them responsibly, shares them justly and charitably, and returns them to God abundantly.

A Christian steward then seeks to dwell in thanksgiving; to be responsible, generous and fruitful. All these require further explanation and thoughtful consideration, but the key is *gratitude*. An attitude of gratitude is the foundation of a steward's *management style*. Are you curious to learn more? Our website www.ottawacatholicstewardship.ca provides additional information. My hope is that as individuals, parishes, and as an archdiocese, we would come to understand this calling and live it out more.

SCHEDULED PARISH MEETINGS

Legion of Mary	every Sunday	10:30 am
Parish Holy Hour	every Monday	8:30 am
Temporal Council	2nd Tuesday	7:00 pm
Pastoral Council	third Thursday	7:00 pm
Liturgy Committee	2nd Wednesday	7:00 pm
Choir	every Tuesday	7:00 pm
C. W. L.	third Tuesday	7:00 pm
Altar Guild	third Wednesday	7:00 pm
Knights of Columbus	4 th Thursday	7:00 pm

PARISH TEMPORAL COUNCIL

Chair(Acting)	Fr. Pedro Arana	746-8503
Treasurer	Mel Tabalba	262-4335
Asst. Treasurer	Nora Arriola	745-3433
Member	Gloria Piol	731-4700
Member	Deacon Phil Gosselin	837-9347
Member	Stephen McElroy	746-3022

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Chair	Irene Lafrance	746-8617
Vice Chair	Wayne Chernow	748-6064
Secretary	Noreen Plant	830-528

LITURGY COMMITTEE

Coordinator	Manny Beloy	234-3417
Lectors & EM	Lori Scott	749-8455
Altar Guild	Lori Scott	749-8455
Altar Servers	Zaldy Recairo	521-1183
Hospitality	Rejeanne Desmarais	749-0836
Ushers	Denis Desmarais	749-0836
Child. Liturgy	Sherry Simpson	421-3635
Music Ministry	Joan Lepage	745-7935
Funeral Servers	Irene Lafrance	746-8617

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Coordinator	Sherry Simpson	421-3635
Baptism Preparation	Deacon Beaudoin	746-8503
Sacramental Prep	Sherry Simpson	421-3635
RCIA (819)	Emie Fairweather	643-1555
RCIA	Betty Barrett	749-8708
Bible Study	Gerry Panes	834-1221
Spiritual Education	Tina Kuchciak	731-8687

PARISH AND COMMUNITY LIFE COMMITTEE

CWL President	Tina Kuchciak	731-8687
Knights of Columbus	Art Cuenco	734-1670
Pastoral Home Care	Ricardo Santiago	842-9035
	Coordinator: Dianne Burns	749-7702
Legion of Mary	Emilyn Suficiencia	851-8751
Youth	Melchor Tejero	421-5110
Outreach	Emie Fairweather	643-1555
All Hall Rentals	Gloria Piol	731-4700
Weekday Sacristans	Betty Barrett	749-8708
	Irene Lafrance	746-8617

SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

St Vincent de Paul	Deacon Paul Beaudoin	746-8503
Pro-Life Rep	Frank J. Barrett	749-8708
Mission, D & P	Edgardo Piol	731-4700



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