



# 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 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 9:00 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.  
12:00 p.m. (Filipino Mass)  
Weekdays - Monday to Friday: 8:00 a.m.

ASSUMPTION SCHOOL 613-746-4822  
OCCRSSB-TRUSTEE:  
Therese Maloney-Cousineau 613-235-2024

#### DEVOTIONS

ROSARY - 20 minutes before weekday Masses.  
PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP -  
6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. every Wednesday.  
FIRST WEDNESDAY MASS - 6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
FIRST FRIDAY - Exposition and benediction ending at 9:00 a.m.  
EVERY FRIDAY - Holy Hour of Adoration - 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

#### PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Dominic Lim, OFM Conv.  
Resident Friars: Rev. Fr. Jobe Abbass, OFM Conv.  
Rev. Fr. Saviour Karamvelil, OFM Conv.  
Rev. Fr. Jeremiah Budau, OFM Conv.  
Deacons: Rev. Paul Beaudoin  
Rev. Ricardo Santiago  
Secretary: Nora Arriola

#### OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday  
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 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 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** - 15 minutes before all Weekday Masses, as well as 3:30 p.m. 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.

**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.

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

**Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM † Liliane Segouin  
4:00 PM † Warren Scott by the Scott Family

**Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM For the parishioners of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church  
10:30 AM Michael Barrett by Assumption Parish  
12:00 PM † Emily S. Abad, died 16<sup>th</sup> August 2018

**Weekday Masses August 27<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

Mon. 8:00 AM † Ortigosa & Forro families by Nena Coronel  
Tue. 8:00 AM † Penuela & Forro families by Nena Coronel  
Wed 8:00 AM † Forro clan by Nena Coronel  
Thu 8:00 AM Mark & Nathalie Coronel by Nena Coronel  
Fri. 8:00 AM Thanksgiving to Blessed Virgin Mary and St. Anthony of Padua for rescue of the soccer team trapped in cave by Marie-Pauline Desjardins

**Saturday, September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM † Jordan Banes by Nena Coronel  
4:00 PM For the parishioners of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church

**Sunday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM Celedonio Ricasio, Jr. by Araceli Williamsen  
10:30 AM † Jordan Banes by Nena Coronel  
12:00 PM

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**September 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018**

4:00 PM: Deacon Paul Beaudoin; Cora Guillermo (L), Novy Marquez (L)  
9:00 AM: Frank Barrett (EMHC); Betty Barrett (L); Irish Olano (L)  
10:30 AM: Noly Formoso (EMHC), Nora Cerda (L), Ruby Formoso (L);  
12:00 PM: Emie Fairweather (L), Emilyn Suficiencia (L)

**Please arrive 15 minutes before mass.**

**WE WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS TO OUR PARISH.** Thank you for praying with us and for helping build a Christian community.

**HOLY HOUR.** All are encouraged to spend this time with Evening Prayer and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday from 7:00 to 8:00 PM, **except the last Friday of the month.**

**CINEMA FORUM NIGHT.** On every last Friday of the month at 6:30 PM in the Parish Hall, there is a **free** movie on the life of a Catholic saint, followed by a brief discussion. Saint Thomas Becket will be featured on August 31<sup>st</sup>. Bring the family and friends.

**EL SHADDAI** Praise and Worship every Sunday, after the 12:00 noon Mass. Everyone is invited.

**ALTAR SERVERS.** The parish invites volunteers to serve at Mass. Training—and the opportunity to appreciate the Mass more—will be provided. Please call the Parish Office at (613) 746.8503.

**COME FOR COFFEE, TEA AND FELLOWSHIP:** in the Hospitality Room after the 9:00 AM & 10:30 AM Masses. Create and strengthen friendships in Christ.

**FOOD FOR SALE** every 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays of the month in the Parish Hall, after the 10:30 AM and 12:00 PM Masses. All proceeds go to the parish fund.

**FREE FITNESS CLASS FOR SENIORS:** Wednesdays and Fridays from 12:00 to 1:00 PM in the Parish Hall.



**ELECTION OF NEW MEMBERS OF THE PASTORAL COUNCIL**

will be held from September 1<sup>st</sup> to the 30<sup>th</sup>.

There will be no list of nominees.

The qualifications for the council members are posted on the bulletin board; and all parishioners registered as of July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018 are entitled to vote for whomever they deem capable and willing to serve in the council.

Ballots are available at the table near the main entrance of the church; and the completed forms are to be dropped into the ballot box located in the same area.

All voters are asked to indicate their envelope number on the ballot: without this number, the ballot will be null and void.

Let us keep building our Christian community.

**AN INVITATION TO MINISTRY  
IN THE ASSUMPTION FAITH FORMATION TEAM**

This parish ministry group is envisioned to conceptualize and deliver faith formation initiatives, including sacramental preparation, within the parish. Invited to join this group are parishioners who feel called to minister to others in various capacities, e.g., as catechists, event organizers, assistants, prayer partners, or providers of input to go into the planning and delivery of spiritual formation programs for the parish.

If you are interested in being part of this group, or even just considering the possibility, please come to an informal organizational meeting in the Parish Hall at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, the 30th of August. It would help if you could indicate your intent to attend by sending a note via email to [FaithFormation@paxcordis.net](mailto:FaithFormation@paxcordis.net).



**WE PRAY FOR THE GIFT OF HEALING** of the mind, body and spirit of **Marie Burke, Sylvia Gosselin, Coleen Houle, Jennie Morris, Lucienne Sabourin, Celedonio Ricasio, Jr. and Eldon Vanesse.**

May God give solace and courage to all who are suffering and to those who look after them.

**COMMEMORATING THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED IN THE ARCHDIOCESAN CEMETERIES:** At Notre-Dame Cemetery on **Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2:30 PM** and at Hope Cemetery, **Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2:30 PM**, Archbishop Terrence Prendergast will preside at these annual Masses.

**SCHEDULE OF PARISH MEETINGS**

Legion of Mary	Every Sunday	10:30 AM
SLR Choir	Every Sunday	1:30 PM
SLR Filipino Comm	First Monday	7:00 PM
Prayers after Mass	Every Tuesday	8:30 AM
Choir	Every Tuesday	7:00 PM
Catechesis	Every Wednesday	7:30 PM
Temporal Council	Quarterly (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues.)	7:00 PM
Liturgy Committee	Second Wednesday	7:00 PM
CWL	Third Tuesday	7:00 PM
Altar Guild	Third Wednesday	7:00 PM
Pastoral Council	Third Thursday	7:00 PM
KnightsofColumbus	Fourth Thursday	7:00 PM
El Shaddai	Every Sunday	1:30 PM

**Collection Report**

**for the Week Ending Aug. 19<sup>th</sup> : \$2,647.10**

Thanks to volunteers who help reduce expenses!

*Saint of the Week*  
**Saint Monica (August 27)**

*Born in Tagaste in Africa, St. Monica (331-387) for decades prayed and suffered for her son, St. Augustine's conversion, never ceasing to believe in the power of grace to move. She is the patroness of married women and a model for Christian mothers.*

*A Message from Your Pastor*

Pax et bonum.

Today's readings are the last of the four-series meditative theme about the Holy Eucharist.

After the long exposition of the Eucharist, we are asked to make our choice like that of the Israelites in the first reading and that of the Apostles in the Gospel. It is either to believe in the Eucharist and serve our God or to believe in and serve false gods.

For four weeks we have been shown in the liturgy the mystery of the Eucharist—a miracle far greater than those performed by God in bringing the Israelites out of the land of Egypt.

God has promised us a new homeland and eternal life, offering us bread from heaven to strengthen us on our journey. He has told us that unless we eat His Flesh and drink His Blood we will have no life in us.

It is a difficult teaching, but He has given us the words of eternal life. We have to believe; because, as Peter says today, "He is the Holy One of God", who handed himself over for us, who gave His flesh for the life of the world.

Let us renew our love for Jesus today, approaching His holy altar with confidence, as we sing in today's psalm, the Lord will redeem the lives of His servants.

Ave Maria.

Father Dominic





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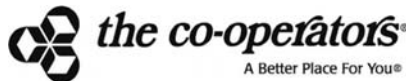


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