



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
JEAN VANIER SCHOOL	745-1502
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
Regular Assistant:	Rev. Raymond Peter
Weekend Assistant:	Rev. Thomas Mooren, Ofm Cap
Deacon:	Rev. Philippe Gosselin Rev. Rudy De Castro
Secretary:	Ms. Judy Filion

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
1:00 pm to 5:00 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.



IN OUR PARISH

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 29th

4:00pm †John McConville by his Family
and also Bob Scharf on his Birthday by Nancy, Mark and Mr. Chester

Twenty-Second Sunday /Ordinary Time , Aug. 30th

9:00am †John Eisl by Colette and Family **and also**
 †Bruce Barrett by Jeannine Harrigan
10:30am †Rita Maheral by Carmel Wrinn
12 noon For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

Weekday Masses at 8 am. Aug. 31st to Sept. 4th
Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri.

Saturday, September 5th

4:00pm †Lyle & Gladys Brown & Germaine Andrews
 by Linda & Paul Beaudoin
and also †Marie McCann Stanton by Myra Logue

Twenty-Third Sunday /Ordinary Time , Aug. 30th

9:00am †Germaine Decaire by the Moriarity Family
and also †Marie Stanton by Mary Stanton
10:30am †Gary St. Onge by Carmel Wrinn
12 noon For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

BULLETIN ENTRIES: PLEASE NOTE that in order for an item to make it to print in the bulletin for the weekend it must be handed in or emailed to the church office secretary **no later than 4:00 pm the Tuesday before** that weekend.

LECTORS/EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

September 5th & September 6th

4:00 pm TBA(EM); TBA (EM-C);
 TBA (EM-C); TBA (L).
9:00 am TBA (EM); TBA (EM-C);
 TBA (EM-C) TBA (L).
10:30am Deacon Gosselin(EM); TBA (EM-C);
 TBA (EM-C); TBA (L).
12 noon Melchor Tejero(EM); Sonia del Rosario(EM);
 Gloria de Castro(L); Cora Reyes(L);
 Noli Formoso(C).

ASSUMPTION PARISH NEWS

REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE

The Rectory and Church courtyard lawn had its newly seeded grass cut for the first time and is looking good. The heavy rain has not penetrated the church walls facing this yard, so that part of the leaky basement problem is resolved.

As well, the electrical wiring is complete and we can now have lights as needed, and we can use new power outlets. The front of church lower wall has been re-pointed. It was a source of water seepage. Work is in progress on the Convent (Catholic Family Service) courtyard to eliminate the basement water leak from that side.

The current excavation work is on the northeast side outside, and inside the church for a new sump pump to connect the collected water seepage to the drainage. The sump pump pipe output connects to the public washroom drain underneath the main floor of the church. A broken drainpipe was discovered below the concrete floor in the northeast basement, below the front stairs, and this has to be fixed as well. Contact: Ed Hiscoe/Bob Scharf

CHURCH BOILER UPGRADE PROJECT

The old boiler is gone. Two smaller new boilers are scheduled on site by end of August, 2009. Our contractor C G Plumbing has already installed new pipes in the boiler room. The work schedule is on track. Contact: Mel Tabalba

Weekly Financial Report 2009

Needed Weekly to Run the Parish -----\$2,500.00
Collection: August 15th & 16th -----\$1,988.33
Collection: August 22nd & 23rd -----\$1,964.00
Reserve Fund Update: Target to June /09 -----\$12,455.00
Collected from Jan. 1st to August 9th -----\$15,695.00
Collected from August 15th to 23rd ----- \$467.00

THANK YOU!

NEW PARISH WEBSITE

On a trial basis, our new website URL is <http://www.assumptionottawa.ca>. It has an objective of being dynamic, up to date, and relevant. In its first launch, it will have the Information pages, a new page "Homilies" by Fr. Arana, and a new link to the Weekly Bulletin. A Survey will follow to gather the Parishioner's needs and expectations. Contact: Fr. Pedro Arana

PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT (PAD)

We thank many parishioners for starting their contribution using this method. The method is flexible. You can have more than one PAD for splitting your contributions. As an example, have one PAD to donate \$X every 15th of each month to go straight to COLLECTIONS, and a second PAD \$Y on each 28th of each month to go to BOILER ROOM. In this second case, the Archdiocese will not tax the contribution. A third PAD \$Z can be deducted quarterly to donate to the RESERVE FUND, again non-taxable till 2010. The forms are available in the front and back of the church. Contact: Judy Filion.

COUNTING WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

To relieve effort and save time, we will introduce a coin counting and sorting machine; and, a bill counting machine. In a practice run with Ed and Gloria Piol for last week's collection, it took about 2 hours from start to finish and to ready the bag for the bank deposit. Coins worth \$85 were counted within 50 seconds. The machine also puts the coins into the coin tubes. Next test run will include the use of the bill counting machine, and we expect to save some more time. The use of PAD will also reduce the time to count and record cheques. Contact: Mel Tabalba

PRO-LIFE SIGN STOLEN

The Pro-Life Sign saying "Respect Life", had been stationed on the front lawn of our church for over a year. This sign has had graffiti cover it numerous times; fortunately I have been able to clean it up. It appears there are some people in our society that do not want to respect life; we can read about it every day in the news concerning abuse to children and seniors alike. Last week the complete sign was stolen – have no fear, a new sign will be in place very soon. Please remember: Every time you see this sign, say a prayer that all will learn to RESPECT LIFE.

Frank J. Barrett / Pro-Life Parish Rep.

JOIN IN THE 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Our Lord said- If you are not with me --- you are against me. Please join us in the Kick Off Rally at Parliament Hill on Tuesday, Sept. 23/ 7-9 pm. Starting Sept. 24 to Nov. 1/09 is the 24 hour vigil for 40 days. The 3 Components are 1.Prayers & Fasting, 2.Peaceful Vigil-public witness, 3.Positive Community outreach. If you can sign up for prayers or vigil hours or both, please contact Frank Barrett/Pro-Life Rep:613-749-8708 or Campaign Life Coalition:613-729-0379/email:40daysottawa@gmail.com

SCHEDULED PARISH MEETINGS

Legion of Mary	every Sunday	10:30 am
Parish Holy Hour	every Monday	8:30 am
Temporal Council	third Tuesday	1:30 pm
Pastoral Council	third Thursday	7:00 pm
Liturgy Committee	2nd Wednesday	7:00 pm
Choir	every Monday	7:00 pm
C. W. L.	third Tuesday	7:00 pm
Altar Guild	third Wednesday	7:00 pm
San Lorenzo Ruiz	first Wednesday	7:00pm

PARISH TEMPORAL COUNCIL

Chair/Property	Ed Hiscoe	749-4401
Treasurer	Mel Tabalba	262-4335
Member	Bob Scharf	749-4024

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Chair	To Be Determined	
Vice Chair	Art Cuenco	734-1670
Vice Chair	Emmanuel Tsevi	599-9487
Secretary	Noreen Plant	830-5289
Youth	Melchor Tejero	421-5110
Mission, P & D	Edgardo Piol	731-4700

SPIRITUAL FORMATION COMMITTEE

Spiritual Director	Deacon Gosselin	837-9347
Coordinator	Art Cuenco	734-1670
Bible Study	Gerry Panes	834-1221
Prayer Group	Flor Marcelo	747-9738
Outreach	Emie Fairweather	643-1555
Spiritual Education	Tina Kuchciak	731-8687

SAN LORENZO RUIZ PASTORAL COMMITTEE

Co-Ordinator	Noly Formoso	523-5359
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LITURGY COMMITTEE

Coordinator	Deacon Gosselin	837-9347
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
Legion of Mary	E. DeLosSantos	741-3854

EDUCATION

Coordinator	Sherry Simpson	421-3635
Baptism Preparation	Deacon Gosselin	837-9347
Sacramental Prep	Sherry Simpson	421-3635
RCIA (819)	Emie Fairweather	643-1555
RCIA	Betty Barrett	749-8708

PARISH COMMUNITY LIFE

Coordinator	Carmel Wrinn	746-1490
CWL President	Joan Lepage	745-7935
Knights of Columbus	Art Cuenco	734-1670
Pro-Life Rep	Frank J. Barrett	749-8708
Special Needs	Procy Belda	825-5445
Rental of Halls	Gloria Piol	731-4700
Use of Parish Rooms	Yola Beloy	234-3419
St Vincent de Paul	Debbie St.Aubin	746-8503

PASTORAL HOME CARE PROGRAMME

Director	Fr. Dodge S.J.	730-6029 x 3
Coordinator	Dianne Burns	749-7702



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