



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. David Anthony
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.

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, December 12th

4:00pm †Larry Bouvier by Ellen & Family
and also †Marie McCann Stanton by Ann McConville

Sunday, December 13th

9:00am †Gilbert Lavergne by Myra Logue
10:30am †Genevieve Mary Meloche by Colleen Houle
12 noon For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

Weekday Masses at 8 am. Dec.14th to Dec.8

Mon. †Deceased Family Members
of Agnes Berthelet by the Estate
Tues.
Wed. For Immigration Status to be Accepted
by Stanley Nkem
Thurs. †John Eisl by Colette Eisl & Family
Fri. †James McGuire by Estate of Lorraine McGuire
11:00am. For the Intentions of the Students &
Teachers at Assumption School

Saturday, December 19th

4:00pm †James Scharf by Bob & Jean Scharf
and also †Marie McCann Stanton by Tony McConville

Sunday, December 20th

9:00am †Germaine Decaire by the Moriarity Family
10:30am †Deceased Family of Agnes Berthelet
by the Estate
and also †Marjorie Brusseau by Assumption CWL
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
December 19th & December 20th

4:00 pm Colette Eisl(EM); Lori Scott(EM-C);
Irene Lafrance(EM-C);Joan Lepage(L).
9:00 am Mary Corbett(EM); Mary Lamont(EM-C);
John Lamont(EM-C) Christine Morin(L).
10:30am Deacon Phil(EM);Carissa Tsevi(EM-C)
Gary Plant(EM-C); Myrna Rosales(L)
12 noon Noli Formoso(EM);Ruby Formoso(EM);
Gladys Bellingan(L);Al Rosales(L);
Pilar dela Cuesta(C).

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHRISTMAS PARTY
Please join the Knights of Columbus #14337 St. Lorenzo Ruiz Council of **Assumption Parish for our Christmas Dinner and Dance Party on Dec.,19, 2009.** Catered food and music by Live D.J. Fellowship starts at 6:00pm., dinner at 7:00pm. Attire is semi-formal (persons 18 yrs. & over) Tickets are \$20/per person, proceeds will be split between the K of C, and the Assumption Parish Reserve Fund. **For Tickets Please Call:** Edgar & Gloria Piol – 613-731-4700/ Cell- 613-302-9796; Melchor Tejero – 613-421-5110; Richard & Emie Fairweather -613-265-8618

ASSUMPTION PARISH
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST
Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, Dec. 13th, 2009.
Treat yourself to all you can eat pancakes, sausages, eggs, ham, fruit bowls, coffee, tea and juice. Cost is just \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for kids 10 and under. Food will be served from 9:45 a.m. until 2:15 p.m. Entrance to Assumption Parish lower hall is by the Cody Street entrance. Come join your neighbours and parishioners for great food and fellowship.

HOMELANDS MASS
Please note that the Homelands Mass will be held on **Sunday January 10, 2010.** We will be in touch shortly with the Cultural communities regarding this event. Further information will follow in the New Year.

Weekly Financial Report 2009

Needed to Run the Parish (est.) -----\$4,750.00
Collection: Dec. 5th & Dec. 6th --- \$3,498.16
Reserve Fund Update: TARGET-----\$250,000.00
Collected from Jan. 1st to Dec. 1st ----- \$26,341.00
Individual Donations Dec. 6th Week ----- \$225.00

THANK YOU!

Christmas Mass Schedule

Thursday, December 24th

6:30 pm Children's Christmas Mass

8:30 pm Christmas Evening Mass

11:00 pm. Christmas Midnight Mass

Friday, December 25th

10:30 am Christmas Morning Mass

Thursday, December 31st

7pm. To 10 pm. Mass, Vespers &

Exposition of Eucharist

Friday, January 1st

Masses at 10:30 am., and Noon

SIMBAG GABI AND CHRISTMAS EVE MASS 2009

San Lorenzo Ruiz Filipino Community is organizing a "Simbang Gabi" at Assumption Parish. Simbang Gabi refers to evening Masses celebrated for nine days in preparation for Christmas, culminating in the Christmas Eve Mass. You are invited to join us in the celebration of Simbang Gabi starting Dec. 15th to Dec. 23rd. **The Novena Masses schedule is as follows: Tues. Dec. 15th to Fri. Dec. 18th at 7:00 pm. / Sat. Dec. 19th - 6:00pm. / Sun. Dec. 20th - 12 noon / Mon. Dec. 21 - 8:00 pm. / Tues. Dec. 22nd & Wed. Dec. 23rd at 7:00 pm. and Thur. Dec. 24th at 8:30 pm. On Thursday, Dec. 24th at 8:00 pm.** children and all the parishioners and the organizations are invited to bring non-perishable food items which can be brought to the front of the altar and offered to the infant Jesus during the offering of host and wine. These gifts will be sent to the Philippines for those who were affected by typhoon Ondoy and Pepeng. We hope you will join us in these celebrations and thank you so much for your continued support of San Lorenzo Ruiz Filipino Community.

DEVELOPMENT & PEACE FALL CAMPAIGN

Land for Food, Not for Fuels
Development and Peace Campaign is inviting us to sign our Fall Action Cards which will be directed to Prime Minister Harper. Our goal is to ensure that small scale farmers in Asia, Africa and Latin America have access to land to feed their families and neighbours in a sustainable way and to preserve the land for future generations. We also wish to protect small scale farmers from harassment and violence from large corporations who want to export for bio-fuels. Fall Action are at the front & back entrances of the church for your signature, and we will send these to the Prime Minister.

Edgardo Piol Assumption Parish D&P Coordinator

SCHEDULED PARISH MEETINGS

Legion of Mary	every Sunday	10:30 am
Parish Holy Hour	every Monday	8:30 am
Temporal Council	2nd 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	Irene Lafrance	746-8617
Vice Chair	Wayne Chernow	748-6064
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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