



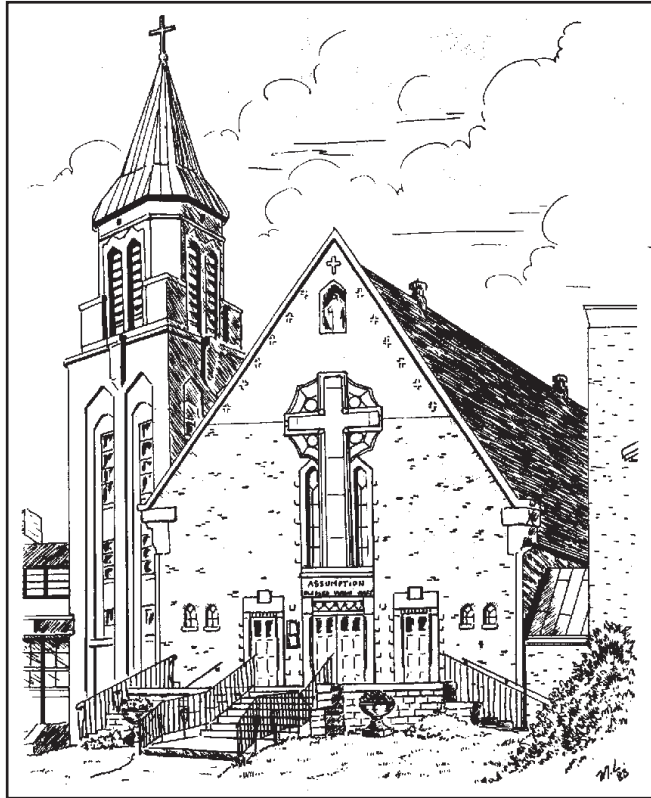
# Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish



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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

Youth Ministry – Every 1st Saturday of the month, 30 to 45 min. session, after the 4:00pm Mass

## PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:	Rev. Fr. Francis Victor Mateo, OFM Conv.
Deacon:	†Rev. Paul Beaudoin (RIP)
Pastoral Council Chair:	Art Guillermo
Finance Council Chair:	Mary Stanton
Administrative Assistant:	Nora Arriola

## 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.

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Welcome

to the new and current MEMBERS and all VISITORS to our PARISH. Kindly visit our website

<https://www.assumptionparishottawa.ca>

**POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION  
DECEMBER 2024**

*For pilgrims of hope: Let us pray that this Jubilee strengthen us in our faith, helping us to recognize the Risen Christ in the midst of our lives, transforming us into pilgrims of Christian hope.*

**TUESDAYS OF EACH WEEK**



Let us pray for the healing of *Glenda Hadloc, Charles Hebert, Ed & Diane Dunn, Generoso Jacinto, Claire Kiruhira, Charity Marohombsar, Feliza Daiz Michael & Arnita Sabong, Maxima de Leon, Jack Beltran, Nelia Samonte, Rosie Nabong, Maximilia Arano, Kier Gabriel Villanueva, Christine Blondin, Generosa Tejero, Mary Ann Cote, Leonida Belen Sarmiento*

**Dec. 21, 4PM** – Joan Lepage, Richard Horrigan, Noly Formoso with Nora Horrigan;  
**Dec. 22, 9:30AM** – John Anethua, Emilyn Suficiencia, Gina Distor with Andrew Samonte, Melchor Tejero; **12PM** – Nora Mercader, Francis Aldeguer, Macky Abulencia with Nora Arriola, Juanita Maraguica; **7:00PM** – Andrew Samonte, Chit Villanueva, Novie Ramos with Lani Agustin



**Mass Intentions**

December 14 – Saturday, 9:00 AM – **Memorial, St. John of the Cross** (white) – Jovy Sales (birthday) *by Nena Coronel*; 4:00PM – **SUNDAY LITURGY** (violet) – Rose Bocboc (birthday) *by Nena Coronel*; Melanie *by Mary Stanton*.

DECEMBER 15 – **3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT** (violet) 9:30AM – †Betty Barrett *by Frank Barrett*; † Rev. Paul Beaudoin *by Beaudoin Family*; 12PM – †Romeo Castanos (birthday) *by Marlyn Castanos*; †Maria Estacio *by Nora Cerda*. 7:00PM – Pro Populo

DECEMBER 16, Monday, – **Advent Weekday** (violet) 8:00AM – Fr. Dominic Lim (birthday) *by Nena Coronel*; Thanksgiving *by Danny & Nora Arriola*.

DECEMBER 17, Tuesday, **Advent Weekday** (violet) 8:00AM – Adelaida Mercado (birthday) *by Nena Coronel*; John Eisl *by Colette Eisl*.

DECEMBER 18, Wednesday, **Advent Weekday** (violet) 8:00AM – †Souls in Purgatory *by Mary Stanton*; †Agustin Tomas.

DECEMBER 19, Thursday, **Advent Weekday** (violet) 8:00AM – Dorene (Didi) Arriola (birthday) *by Danny & Nora Arriola*.

DECEMBER 20, Friday, **Advent Weekday** (violet) 9:30AM – **Assumption School Christmas Mass-** †John S. & Theresa Stanton *by Mary Stanton*.

**WEEK ENDING COLLECTION REPORT**

Dec. 7 & 8, 2024

**\$1,968.**

**NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER**

Please note that we have a new telephone number for the parish office - **613-695-6079**



Join your fellow parishioners, on Wednesdays, immediately after the Mass, for the Novena in honor of Our

Lady of Perpetual Help and **prayers for vocations**. Also, on **FIRST FRIDAYS** (next schedule on January 3, 2025) after the morning Mass there is ADORATION and EXPOSITION of the Blessed Sacrament in reparation for the offenses against the Sacred Heart of Jesus and **for faithful and sincere vocations in the Church**. An opportunity for CONFESSION is also available at that time.



2025 COLLECTION ENVELOPES are now available for pick-up at near the church's main entrance. Those who want a box of envelopes, please email the office at [assumptionparishchurch@outlook.com](mailto:assumptionparishchurch@outlook.com) or call 613-695-6079 with your name, complete address, and telephone number.

**PARISH FINANCIAL RESULTS – 2024**

<b>Jan – March Revenue</b> \$ 74,327.07	<b>Jan – March Expenditures</b> \$ 77,099.04	<b>Deficits</b> <b>(\$2,771.97)</b>
<b>April – May Revenue</b> \$ 71,204.98	<b>April – May Expenditures</b> \$ 56,584.23	<b>Surplus</b> \$ 14,620.75
<b>July – Sept Revenue</b> <b>\$165,333.72</b>	<b>July – Sept Expenditures</b> \$81,230.45	<b>Surplus</b> \$84,103.27
<b>Year-To-Date (Sept 2024) Revenue</b> \$310,865.77	<b>Year-To-Date (Sept 2024) Expenditures</b> \$214,913.72	<b>Year-To-Date (Sept 2024) Surplus</b> <b>\$95,952.05</b>

**SIMBANG GABI at Assumption Parish**

<b>December 15</b> Sunday, 7 PM	Fr. Victor Mateo <i>Couples for Christ Choir</i>
<b>December 16</b> Monday, 7 PM	Fr. Lodewicus Barnard <i>ELIM Community</i>
<b>December 17</b> Tuesday, 7 PM	Fr. Victor Mateo <i>San Lorenzo Ruiz Choir</i>
<b>December 18</b> Wednesday 7 PM	Fr. Victor Mateo <i>San Lorenzo Ruiz and St. Peter Choir</i>
<b>December 19</b> Thursday 7 PM	Fr. Joe Vayalil <i>El Shaddai Choir</i>
<b>December 20</b> Friday 7 PM	Fr. James Zettel <i>Children's Choir</i>
<b>December 21</b> Saturday 4 PM	Fr. Victor Mateo <i>BVM Choir</i>
<b>December 22</b> Sunday 7 PM	Fr. Victor Mateo <i>Seniors Choir</i>
<b>December 23</b> Monday, 7 PM	Fr. Victor Mateo <i>El Shaddai Choir</i>

**Candles** are available with a token offering. You can also **bring your grocery gifts to the poor or the needy** and offer them during the Novena Masses. All are invited to gather at the Carlo Acutis Hall after the Novena Masses for a light refreshment. There are Filipino Sticky Rice Snacks are for sale!



Rececca ABAD, Tereza ADOWIN, Michelle AMORES, Justine Chapajong ANZIANUA, Kahina BELHANDI, Olachegoun Elvis Mike BRAHI, Armel CANTIVEROS, Olivine Fria CANTIVEROS, Ric & Lydia CARREON, Gingle CATAQUIZ, Arnelito & Roche CATAYAS, Maribeo DOMINGO, Kathleen Joy FAMILLARAN, Gemma GENEREUX, Raygine & Raymund ILAGAN, Teodora de Leon LU, Lydia MAKHLOUFI, Michael & Estefania MAJOR, Rosita MANGLAL-LAN, Carlo MARQUEZ, Jocelyn MILITAR, Claudine MUKASHYAKA, Emmanuel NJOKU, Cerila OBEJERA, Peter & Ewere OKEREKE, Eugenia, Natasha & Roman OLIVEIRA - ZEPEDA, Muriel ONG, Jessie PATAGOC, Laura PROVOST, Andres QUINTO, Perpetua RIMANO, Laurent & Larry SAUMURE, Kimo SOUY, Michael Roger & Aquilina Conulibang TREMBLAY, Ema UMUHIRE, Cecilia VENTURA, Realyn VERDADERO.





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