

*Assumption of
the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish*

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PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Pedro Arana

Weekend Assistant: Rev. Thomas Mooren, Ofm Cap

Deacons: Rev. Rudy De Castro, Rev. Paul Beaudoin

Secretary: Irene Kibel

prepare the way...



ADVENT

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday December 19th, 2015

4:00 pm †Carol, Kim, and Janet Brown by Deacon Paul and Linda Beaudoin
Thanksgiving Mass for Irene Cormier on her 91st birthday by Lorraine and Cornie Cormier

Sunday, December 20th, 2015 – Fourth Sunday of Advent

9:00 am
10:30 am Intentions of Assumption Church
.....Parishioners

Weekday Masses: December 21st to 25th, 2015

8:00 am Mon.
8:00 am Tues.
8:00 am Wed. †For the deceased family members and friends of a parishioner
7:00 pm Thurs. Christmas Eve – English
9:30 pm Thurs. Christmas Eve - Filipino
10:30 am Fri. Christmas Day

Saturday December 26th, 2015

4:00 pm †Rhéal and Jeannette Beaudoin, and Marie Quesnel by Deacon Paul and Linda Beaudoin

Sunday, December 27th, 2015 – The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

9:00 am
10:30 am
12:00 pm Intentions of Assumption Church
.....Parishioners

ASSUMPTION HOLY HOUR EVERY FRIDAY: A Holy Hour of Adoration is held every Friday from **7:00 to 8:00 pm**. Everyone is welcome.

NOVENA TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP: You are invited to Assumption Parish every Wednesday for a Novena in honour of Our Mother of Perpetual Help. The prayer of the Rosary will start at 6:10 pm followed by the Novena at 6:30 pm. On the first Wednesday of every month, there will be a Mass at 6:30 pm.

EL SHADDAI: invites everyone to praise and worship fellowship **every Sunday** after the **12:00 noon Mass**.

COFFEE SOCIAL: Everyone is invited to the upper hall for coffee and refreshments after the **10:30 am Mass** every Sunday, **except** the last Sunday of the month when the Knights of Columbus host their pancake breakfast.

MORNING MASS: Please note there will be no morning Mass on Thursday, December 24th at 8:00 am. There will be two evening Masses on Christmas Eve. Please see the Christmas Mass schedule.

SUNDAY MISSALS FOR 2016: are now available for sale at **\$5.00** each. Please see the ushers during weekend Masses or call the parish secretary.

CHRISTMAS MESSAGE TO ALL PARISHIONERS:
With the hustle and bustle of the glitter and glamour of putting up Christmas decorations, the rush of writing and sending greeting cards, and the frenzy of shopping for gifts and gorgeous dinners, we might easily overlook the real reason for the joy of celebrating Christmas: that God has finally ushered the fulfillment of His promise of salvation to mankind with the birth of Jesus. Christmas is about God's great love for us by sending His only begotten Son to save us from sin and death – opening for us eternal life in His kingdom. Christmas is about the joy of salvation – the triumph of God's love over the ugliness, corruption and death of this world. Merry Christmas to all!
Fr. Pedro

November Financial Report 2015
Needed to Run the Parish (est.)-- \$18,400.00
Total revenue for the month \$20,887.70
Please volunteer to reduce expenses
A copy of the Treasurer's Monthly Financial Report is available from the Parish Office. If interested, please contact the secretary, Irene Kibel: 613-746-8503.

ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICE: Our parish advent penitential service will take place on **Saturday, December 19th** from **2:00 pm to 3:00 pm**.

SIMBANG GABI: began on **Tuesday, December 15th** and runs until **Wednesday, December 23rd** at **7:00 pm.** each evening. Schedule and sponsorship forms are available at the front entrance of the church.

PRE-CHRISTMAS CHURCH CLEANING: Come and join us on **Saturday, December 19th** from **9:00 am to 12:00 pm** noon. Please help clean your church. Bring your own bucket. Light refreshments will be served after our chores are done. We would like to see a few new faces; the more of us there are, the quicker we will finish. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS EVE MUSIC: Please note that during the Christmas Eve Mass at **7:00 pm,** music will be provided by Debbie McCann and members of the McCann family.

OFFICE CLOSED: Please note that the parish office will be closed for **Christmas** on Friday, **December 25th** and Monday, **December 28th.** The office will reopen on Tuesday, December 29th.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S

Christmas Eve: Thursday, December 24th
 7:00 pm English Mass
 9:30 pm Filipino Mass

Please note there will be no mass at midnight

Christmas Day: Friday, December 25th
 10:30 am English Mass

New Year's Eve: Thursday, December 31st
 4:00 pm English Mass

New Year's Day: Friday, January 1st (Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God)
 9:00 am English Mass
 10:30 am English Mass
 12:00 pm Filipino Mass

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY: All are welcome to attend a New Year's Eve party and fundraiser for the **Migrant Workers** of our parish on **Thursday, December 31st** at **8:00 pm** in the church hall. It will include food, live entertainment and door prizes. Tickets cost \$20 and will be available at the door. For information and tickets contact: Irish Olano at 613-415-8522 or Guy Ferraton at 613-314-0575.

SCHEDULED PARISH MEETINGS

Legion of Mary	every Sunday	10:30 am
SLR Choir	every Sunday	1:30 pm
Prayers after Mass	every Tuesday	8:30 am
Choir	every Tuesday	7:00 pm
Faith Journey	every Wednesday	7:00 pm
Catechesis	every Wednesday	7:30 pm
SLR Filipino Comm.	first Monday	7:00 pm
Temporal Council	second Tuesday	2:00 pm
Liturgy Committee	second Wednesday	7:00 pm
CWL	third Tuesday	7:00 pm
Altar Guild	third Wednesday	7:00 pm
Pastoral Council	fourth Tuesday	7:00 pm
Knights of Columbus	fourth Thursday	7:00 pm

PARISH TEMPORAL COUNCIL

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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Co-Chairs	Wayne Chernow and Noly & Ruby Formoso	748-6064 523-5359
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LITURGY COMMITTEE

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Altar Guild	Lori Scott	749-8455
Altar Servers	Melchor Tejero	421-5110
Hospitality	Richard Fairweather	(819)-643-1555
Ushers	Manny Beloy	843-8761
Children's Liturgy	Justina Kuchciak	731-8687
Music Ministry	Joan Lepage	745-7935
Cantors	Lynn Obero	261-9178
Sacristan	Yola Beloy	843-8761

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Coordinator	Vacant	
Baptism Preparation	Rev. Pedro Arana	746-8503
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RCIA	Emie Fairweather	(819)-643-1555
Bible Study	Rev. Pedro Arana	746-8503

PARISH AND COMMUNITY LIFE COMMITTEE

CWL President	Justina Kuchciak	731-8687
Knights of Columbus	Wayne Chernow	748-6064
Pastoral Home Visits	Dianne Burns	749-7702
Legion of Mary	Annaliza Rivera	240-5198
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Outreach	Emie Fairweather	(819)-643-1555
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SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

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