

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish

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Feast of the Holy Family

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Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, December 28th, 2019

9:00 am Toots Manangan (bday) by Nena Coronel
4:00 pm Nora Arriola by Mary Stanton

Sunday, December 29th, 2019

9:00 am Frank Barrett (91st bday) by Betty Barrett
10:30 am For the intentions of our parishioners
12:00 pm

Monday to Friday, Dec. 30th, 2019 to Jan. 3rd, 2020

Mon 8:00am †Margaret Curley by Mary Stanton
Tue 8:00am †Willetta Kirkham by Mary Stanton
6:00pm Solemnity of Mary Vigil (ENG/FIL)
Wed 9:00am Solemnity of Mary
10:30am Solemnity of Mary
Thu 8:00am †George Faycal by Norma Faycal
Fri 8:00am †Josephine Coward by Marjorie

Saturday, January 4th, 2020

9:00 am †Eufrocina Guillermo by Art & Cora Guillermo
4:00 pm †Grace Hamilton by OECTA

Sunday, January 5th, 2020

9:00 am Cecilia Buchanan (bday) by Mary Stanton
10:30am †Thelma Harrigan by Diane & Ed Dunn
12:00 pm

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Jan. 4th & Jan. 5th, 2020

9:00 AM Lori Scott
4:00 PM Deacon Paul Beaudoin;Joan Lepage (L);Lori Scott (L)
9:00 AM Frank Barrett (EMHC),Irish Olano (L); Irish Olano (L)
10:30 AM Gloria Piol (EMHC),Mary Miguel (L); John Anethua (L)
12:00 PM Flor(EMHC),Melchor(EMCH);Noly(EMHC); Emilyn Suficiencia (L);Nora Cerda (L),Helen Belda (C)

Please arrive 15 minutes before Mass.

We welcome new members and visitors to our parish. Thank you for praying with us and for helping build a Christian community.



WE PRAY FOR THE GIFT OF HEALING of the mind, body and spirit of Paul Beaudoin, Marie Burke, Phil Gosselin, Carol Kane, John Lamont, Norman Levesque, Tina Mills, Jennie Morris, Lucienne Sabourin, Mely Gomez, Helen Geneta, Gordon Hilchie, Alice Hilchie, Teresita Gabriel, Kathleen Merjudio and Maura David.

May we be able to reach out to them in compassion.



BLOCK ROSARY: Spearheaded by the Legion of Mary. Our parish has started a block rosary with the "Visitation of the Statue of Our Lady of Cape" to homes of our parishioners. Those interested, please sign up by completing the form located at both entrances of our church. For more information, please call Mary Stanton at 613-748-6191.

COMMUNITY PUBLIC ROSARY: A devotion to Our Lady, every First Saturdays of every month, after the 9:00 AM Mass (January 4th). Let us reclaim the Rosary.

EL SHADDAI PRAISE AND WORSHIP: Every Sunday, after the 12:00 Noon Mass. Everyone is invited to come and join the group.

FREE FITNESS FOR SENIORS: All seniors are invited to attend a fitness class every Wednesdays and Fridays from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm in the Parish basement Hall (enter through Cody St.). Sponsored by OVFCSCA(Seniors Association).

2020 COLLECTION ENVELOPES: are now available for pick-up at the main entrance of the Church.

LUNCH-TO-GO: Delicious food available on the 1st and 2nd Sundays of every month in the Parish Hall, after the 10:30 am and 12:00 pm Masses. All profit go to the Parish.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL: NO PARKING ON OLMSTEAD ST.: during the winter months.

DECEMBER PAPAL PRAYER INTENTION: The future of the very young: The Pope's December prayer intention, disseminated by the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network (Apostleship of Prayer), is "that every country may determine to take the necessary measures to make the future of children, especially those who suffer, a priority"

FOR PARISHIONERS WANTING TO REGISTER, PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE BY PHONE (613-746-8503) OR BY EMAIL: assumptionparishchurch@outlook.com and provide us with your address and phone number.

Christ is everything for us. "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life". (John 6.68).



Collection Report
For the weeks ending

Dec. 15, 2019 - \$2,674.

Thanks to all for your wonderful and on-going support

A copy of the Treasurer's Report may be requested from the Parish Office.



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"Let us work for the good of all, and especially for the family of the faith".

—Galatians 6.106



SCHEDULE OF PARISH MEETINGS

Pastoral Council	Quarterly	
Temporal Council	Quarterly	
Legion of Mary	Every Sunday	10:30 AM
SLR Choir	Every Sunday	11:00 AM
10:30 Choir	Every Tuesday	7:00 PM
Catechesis	Every Wednesday	7:30 PM
Liturgy Committee	Second Thursday	7:00 PM
CWL	Third Tuesday	7:00 PM
Knights of Columbus	Fourth Thursday	7:00 PM
El Shaddai	Every Sunday	1:30 PM

The Most Holy Name of Jesus (January 3)

From apostolic times, the Church has professed, "At the name of Jesus every knee should bend, of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is lord, to the glory of God the Father" (Phil. 2:10-11). Through the efforts of St. Bernardine of Siena, devotion to the Holy Name of Jesus was promoted through the inscription of its monogram (HIS) and the addition of the name of Jesus to the Hail Mary. Pope Sixtus V granted an indulgence for piously uttering the phrase "Praised be Jesus Christ."

A Message from Your Pastor

A grace filled New Year to all of you!

As we approach another year, let us look back on the past year with gratitude for all the blessings of the Lord. Let us also examine our lives, if we have done enough to know and love God with all our being and if we have loved our neighbours as ourselves. If not, let us strive to make amendments and efforts to better ourselves as a child of our Father in heaven and brothers and sisters of our Lord Jesus.

Today as we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family, let us also try to learn from them and do our obligation to our families: to love, honour and respect our parents, to love and serve our sisters and brothers so we might be part of the building of the kingdom of God, to which the Holy Family was patterned.

May we trod this year with fresh hope, strong faith and lively charity.

Ave Maria!

Fr. Dominic Maria Lim, OFMConv., Pastor



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