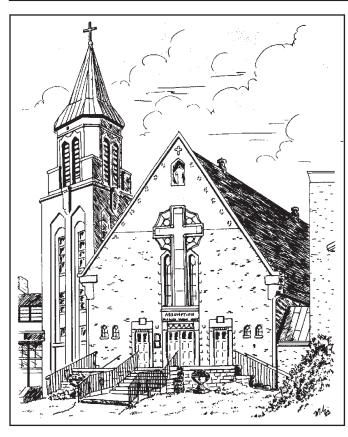
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish

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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 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. (anticipated Mass)

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. (Filipino Mass) 7:00 p.m. (also available on-line)*

Weekdays - Monday to Friday: 7:00 P.M.

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*Accessible through Facebook under "Assumption Church"

DEVOTIONS

Rosary - 20 minutes before weekday Masses.

Community Public Rosary - Every First Saturday of the month, after the 9:00 am Mass

First Friday - Exposition and benediction 3:00 PM (1 hour)

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Deacons:

Pastoral Council Chair: Dr. Alfredo Formoso Temporal Council Chair: Art Guillermo Secretary: Nora Arriola Resident Friars: Rev. Fr. Jobe Abbass,

Rev. Fr. Dominic Lim, OFM Conv Rev. Paul Beaudoin Rev. Ricardo Santiago Dr. Alfredo Formoso Art Guillermo Nora Arriola Rev. Fr. Jobe Abbass, OFM Conv Rev. Fr. Maurice Richard, OFM Conv

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 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 - 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.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, February 12, 2022

<u>9:00am</u> †Denise Roy Lortie by OECTA Rodrigo & Roy Coronel (blessings) by Nena Coronel 4:00pm For the intentions of our Parishioners

Sunday, February 13, 2022

<u>9:30am</u> †Pasqua Brandolin Pia Obero (healing) by Lynn Obero Bill & Angela Radych (healing) by Lynn Obero †Denise Hebert by Charles Hebert <u>7:00pm</u> †Omar Sumndad by Lynn Obero Mary Stanton (blessings) by Nena Coronel

Monday to Friday, Feb. 14 to Feb. 18, 2022

<u>Mon 7:00pm</u> **†For the departed members of the Forro & Coronel Families** by Nena Coronel **Doris McBean** (healing) by Theresia & Jean Quesnel

<u>Tue 7:00pm</u> Fr. Saviour Karamvelil(bday) by Nena Coronel

Luis Guillermo Zavala(bday) by Theresia & Jean Quesnel

<u>Wed 7:00pm</u> Christine Lacabio (bday) by Nena Coronel

†Cecile Girolami by Theresia & Jean Quesnel <u>Thu 7:00pm</u> **†Jaime & Jeffey Oira** by Nena Coronel

†Jovita Pillorama Millama by Jolyn Millama <u>Fri 7:00pm</u> **†Ponciano, Flaviano & Danilo Forro** by Nena Coronel

Helen Henry (healing) by Theresia & Jean Quesnel

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Spiritual Communion with Mary

O Immaculate Queen of Heaven and Earth, Mother of God and Mediatrix of every grace, I believe that thy dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ is truly, really and substantially contained in the Most Blessed Sacrament. I love Him above all things and I long to receive Him into my heart. Since I cannot now receive Him sacramentally, be so good as to place Him spiritually in my soul. O my Jesus, I embrace Thee as One who has already come, and I unite myself entirely to Thee. Never permit me to be separated from Thee. Amen. We welcome new members and visitors to our parish. Thank you for praying with us and for helping build a Christian community.

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WE PRAY FOR THE GIFT OF HEALING of the mind, body and spirit of Lucienne Sabourin, Marie-Pauline Desjardins, Claude Cloutier, Colette Eisl, Diane Dunn, Eileen Latour. Ryan Kane, Madeleine Samson and Annette Liberty.

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

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SCHEDULE OF ON-LINE MASSES

Sundays	18:30	Holy Rosary
-	19:00	Holy Sacrifice of Mass
Mondays & Tuesdays		
	18:30	Holy Rosary
	19:00	Holy Sacrifice of Mass
Wednesdays	18:30	OLPH Novena & Rosary
		Holy Sacrifice of Mass
Thursdays	18:30	Holy Rosary
2		Holy Sacrifice of Mass
Fridays	18:30	Holy Rosary
		Holy Sacrifice of Mass
Saturdays	08:30	Holy Rosary
		Holy Sacrifice of Mass

To access the above Masses on-line, go to our Facebook Account – Assumption Church Ottawa.(<u>http://facebook.com/assumption.chur</u> <u>ch.522</u>

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God of the prophets, help us to listen to your word. Infuse in our families, friendships and communities' deep bonds of trust, honesty and tenderness. Help us to be open to a culture of encounter and dialogue wherever we find ourselves. Amen.

<u>The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for February:</u> For religious sisters and consecrated women

We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.

<u>BE HEARD:</u> The Pope has recently called on all parishes around the world to participate in a synodal consultation of all the faithful to address issues affecting the parishes. INVITE your family and friends to participate in these consultations to be held during February to mid April, 2022. For more details, please watch out for a series of informative posts in our "Assumption Church" Facebook account. If interested, please contact: Edgar at 613-302-9796; Noly at 613-523-5359 or Nick at 1-416-939-3222. You can also fill up the Synod Participation Info Sheet found at the Church entrance.

<u>ALPHA FOR SENIORS:</u> Feeling Down? Feeling Forlorn? Need a little spiritual and faith refreshment? Sessions beginning Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 15 via Zoom. FREE. Offered by the Ottawa-Cornwall Catholic Seniors. Registration details: <u>https://www.facebook.com/Ottawa-Cornwall-Catholic-Seniors-101395388872197</u> or <u>https://en.archoc.ca/seniors</u>. Info: Patricia Marsden-Dole pmarsdendole@archottawa.ca

PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT: We encourage our parishioners and donors to contribute directly from their bank account to the parish bank account with regularity and complete security. All you need to do is fill up a form and provide a copy of a cancelled cheque. Those interested, please email us at <u>assumptionparishchurch@outlook.com</u>. We hope that you will adopt this system which will make Assumption Church more viable and strong into the future.

TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS: THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND CONTINUED SUPPORT TO OUR PARISH ESPECIALLY DURING THIS TIME OF THE PANDEMIC. MAY GOD REWARD YOUR GENEROSITY. Featured Saint of the Week

Saints Cyril, Monk, and Methodius, Bishop (February 14)

Sts. Cyril (d. 869) and Methodius (d. 885) were brothers who evangelized Moravia, Bohemia, and Bulgaria. Methodius was consecrated bishop by Pope Adrian II. Pope John Paul II proclaimed the brothers Patrons of Europe along with St. Benedict.

<u>A MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR</u>

Peace and Goodness!

The readings for today direct us to search for the real treasure. What the world considers as treasure most of the time brings us into misery. The treasure that God is offering us as His children enriches the inner core of our lives. The way to acquire this treasure is righteousness which is credited as hope in the Lord and delight in His law. Those who put their trust in this world are cursed and they wither like grass. Searching the inner core of our hearts, we know the truth of the message of the readings but most of the time we still fall into this temptation of material accumulation only to end up unhappy and lonely.

Our hope is in God who embraces us with his Mercy and Love. Last Sunday, Jesus asked us to "go into the deep". Today's Gospel brings us into the deep core of human existence. We are made by God in His image and likeness. Our mission is to recuperate that image that we have lost by sinning.

Today's Gospel reading helps us to focus our attention to what is essential in our life. Let us set our goal and gaze on the face of Jesus. Ave Maria!

Rev. Fr. Dominic Lim, OFM Conv.Pastor

