



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
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
Weekend Assistant:	Rev. Thomas Mooren, Ofm Cap
Deacons:	Rev. Rudy De Castro Rev. Paul Beaudoin
Secretary:	Ms. Judy Filion

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
12:30 pm to 4:30 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.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, February 26th, Weekday

4:00pm. †John Moriarity by Ruth Tazzi
and also †Cecil Brady by Bonnie & Andy Lecompte

Sun., February 27th 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am †Lewina Hogan by Mary Stanton
10:30am †Eveline Saunders by the MacDonald Family
12 noon For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

Weekday Masses at 8 am, Feb.28th to March 4th

Mon.
Tues. †Ronald Lortie by O.E.C.T.A.
Wed. †Gary Schreider by O.E.C.T.A.
Thurs. †Flora Tymchuk by O.E.C.T.A.
Fri. †Arthur Mercure by O.E.C.T.A.
2:15 pm. Intentions of Students & Teachers of Assumption School

Saturday, March 5th, Weekday

4:00pm. For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

Sunday, March 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am †Roy & Gerald O'Brien by Therese Xavier
10:30am †John Moriarity by Carmel Wrinn
12 noon For the Parishioners of Assumption Parish

<u>LECTORS / EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>	
<u>March 5th & 6th</u>	
4:00 pm	Deacon Beaudoin(EM); TBD (EM-C); Lori Scott (EM-C); Melchor Tejero(L); Lorraine Cormier (L).
9:00 am	Frank Barrett(EM); Leonide Merritt(EM-C); Betty Barrett (EM-C); Wayne Chernow (L); Myrna Rosales (L).
10:30am	Carmel Wrinn(EM); Gloria Piol (EM- C); Edgardo Piol (EM-C); Edna Rodriguez(L); Donato del Castillo (L).
12 noon	Noli Formoso(EM); Ruby Formoso(EM); Cora Reyes(L); Gloria de Castro(L); Noli Formoso(C).

PALMS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY

Please bring to the church the palms that were blessed last year on Palm Sunday. These are needed to **prior to Sunday, March 7th** in preparation for Ash Wednesday. A box will be provided at the front and back of the church where the blessed palms may be deposited.

ASSUMPTION CWL / ST. PATRICK'S BANQUET

The annual St. Patrick's Banquet hosted by Assumption Parish Catholic Women's League will be held on **Sunday, March 13th at 5 pm**; at Assumption Parish Hall, entry via Cody Street. There will be a hot and cold buffet, and homemade pies for dessert. Tickets are \$14.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children under 12 years. **Tickets for this event will be on sale after all Masses, February 26th & 27th, and March 6th & 7th.** You can contact the parish office (613-746-8503) or Carmel Wrinn (613-746-1490) for tickets.

LENT BEGINS MARCH 9TH

Assumption Parish will celebrate the beginning of the Lenten season on **Ash Wednesday, March 9th, with 7:00pm. Mass**, and a blessing with ashes. Everyone is strongly encouraged to come and participate in this important celebration.

<u>Weekly Financial Report 2011</u>	
<u>Needed to Run the Parish (est.)</u> -----	\$4,250.00
<u>Please volunteer to reduce expenses</u>	
<u>Collection: February 19th & 20th</u> -----	\$2,213.50
<u>Reserve Fund Update: TARGET</u> -----	\$250,000.00
<u>Collected: February 20th</u> -----	\$ 5,170.00
After reserve used to pay expenses for repair & maintenance, as of Feb. 6 th , reserve available ----- \$59,603.00	

FREE DIABETES SEMINAR AT ASSUMPTION

The Community Diabetes Education Program of Ottawa is offering a FREE Education Program on the Prevention and Management of Diabetes: -What is Prediabetes and Diabetes / -Are you at Risk for developing Diabetes / How to delay or prevent Diabetes with healthy eating and regular physical activity /Tips for making successful changes / Assumption Parish Basement Hall, Sunday, March 27, 2011 from 2:00 to 4:00pm(after the Pancake Breakfast). Open to all Please email assumption@rogers.com to register. *This Program is offered by a Nurse and Dietician from the Community Diabetes Education Program of Ottawa.Sponsored by Centretown Community Health and Resource Centre of Ottawa. Funded by the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-term Care.*

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY AT ASSUMPTION

The St. Vincent de Paul Society at Assumption Parish will respond to calls for emergency assistance for food from our community in Vanier. If you know of a family, an elderly person or shut-in that are in need of assistance they may call the Parish office (613-746-8503) from 12:30 pm to 4:30 pm Mondays to Fridays. The office will relay the message and someone will call them back. Food or vouchers will not be provided by the Parish Office and clients must call for assistance.

ST. JOHN VIANNEY DRAMA: Coming to Ottawa!

Mark your calendars for this critically acclaimed drama that has been touring North America, and will be stopping for two shows in Ottawa: Holy Redeemer on **May 9, 7:30 p.m.** (tickets available at [parish office](#)) and St. Patrick's Basilica on **May 10, 7:30 p.m.** (tickets available at [Saint Patrick's Gift Shop](#)). Admission: \$12 Adults, \$6 Youth/Students. Suitable for ages 9 & up. Info: (www.vianneydrama.com).

MASS OF REPENTANCE FOR THE HEALING OF THE NATION OF CANADA: St. George Church, 415 Piccadilly, Feast of St. Joseph, **Saturday, March 19, 10:00 a.m.** Day's events conclude at 3:00 p.m. Guest speakers: Dr. Carlos Miura & Mr. Marcel Dion. Celebrant: Fr. Bob Poole. Includes prayers for the Healing of the Family Tree. Info: Gemma (613-562-3130) or Diane (613-823-0219); (<http://sites.google.com/faithfulcatholics>).

SCHEDULED PARISH MEETINGS

Legion of Mary	every Sunday	10:30 am
Parish Holy Hour	every Monday	8:30 am
Temporal Council	2nd Tuesday	7:00 pm
Pastoral Council	third Thursday	7:00 pm
Liturgy Committee	2nd Wednesday	7:00 pm
Choir	every Tuesday	7:00 pm
C. W. L.	third Tuesday	7:00 pm
Altar Guild	third Wednesday	7:00 pm
Knights of Columbus	4 th Thursday	7:00 pm

PARISH TEMPORAL COUNCIL

Chair(Acting)	Fr. Pedro Arana	746-8503
Treasurer	Mel Tabalba	262-4335
Member	Gloria Piol	731-4700
Member	Deacon Phil Gosselin	837-9347
Member	Stephen McElroy	746-3022

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Chair	Irene Lafrance	746-8617
Vice Chair	Wayne Chernow	748-6064
Secretary	Noreen Plant	830-528

LITURGY COMMITTEE

Coordinator	Manny Beloy	234-3417
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

EDUCATION COMMITEE

Coordinator	Sherry Simpson	421-3635
Baptism Preparation	Deacon Beaudoin	746-8503
Sacramental Prep	Sherry Simpson	421-3635
RCIA (819)	Emie Fairweather	643-1555
RCIA	Betty Barrett	749-8708
Bible Study	Gerry Panes	834-1221
Spiritual Education	Tina Kuchciak	731-8687

PARISH AND COMMUNITY LIFE COMMITTEE

CWL President	Tina Kuchciak	731-8687
Knights of Columbus	Art Cuenco	734-1670
Special Needs	Procy Belda	889-1220
Pastoral Home Care	Ricardo Santiago	842-9035
	Coordinator: Dianne Burns	749-7702
Prayer Group	Flor Marcelo	747-9738
Legion of Mary	Emilyn Suficiencia	851-8751
Youth	Melchor Tejero	421-5110
Outreach	Emie Fairweather	643-1555
All Hall Rentals	Gloria Piol	731-4700
Weekday Sacristans	Betty Barrett	749-8708
	Irene Lafrance	746-8617

SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

St Vincent de Paul	Deacon Paul Beaudoin	746-8503
Pro-Life Rep	Frank J. Barrett	749-8708
Mission, D & P	Edgardo Piol	731-4700



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