



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.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.
12:00 p.m. (Filipino Mass)
Weekdays - Monday to Friday: 8:00 a.m.

DEVOTIONS

ROSARY - 20 minutes before weekday Masses.
FIRST FRIDAY - Exposition and benediction ending at 9:00 a.m.
EVERY MONDAY - Holy Hour of Adoration - 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
EVERY SUNDAY - El Shaddai Praise and Worship - After the 12:00 noon Mass

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Dominic Lim, OFM Conv
Deacons: Rev. Paul Beaudoin
Rev. Ricardo Santiago
Pastoral Council Chair: Dr. Alfredo Formoso
Temporal Council Chair: Art Guillermo
Secretary: Nora Arriola
Resident Friars: Rev. Fr. Jobe Abbass, OFM Conv
Rev. Fr. Saviour Karamvelil, OFM Conv
Rev. Fr. Varghese Puthenpurackal, OFM Conv

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 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 - 15 minutes before all Weekday Masses, as well as 3:30 p.m. 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.

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.

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, January 11th, 2020

9:00 am †Walter Chaplinski by OECTA
4:00 pm †Cecile Martel by Family Czyzewski

Sunday, January 12th, 2020

9:00 am Fr. Jobe Abbass (bday)
10:30am †Cosgrove & Keelan Families by The Family
12:00 pm

Monday to Friday, Jan. 13th, to Jan. 17th, 2020

Mon 8:00am †Louise & Ken Dumas by Mary Stanton
Tue 8:00am Melanie & Family by Mary Stanton
Wed 8:00am †John Hill by OECTA
Thu 8:00am †Maria Prattico Cassell by Marjorie
Fri 8:00am †Gino Zanetta by OECTA

Saturday, January 18th, 2020

9:00 am †Sham Sunder Ahuja by OECTA
4:00 pm Thanksgiving by Danny & Nora Arriola

Sunday, January 19th, 2020

9:00 am Rick C. by Mary Stanton
10:30am †James Carnegie by OECTA
12:00 pm

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Jan. 18th & Jan. 19th, 2020

9:00 AM Richard Fairweather
4:00 PM Deacon Paul Beaudoin; Lynn Obero(L); Joan Lepage (L)
9:00 AM Frank Barrett (EMHC), Irish Olano (L); Lori Scott (L)
10:30 AM Yola Belay (EMHC), Manny Belay (L); Michelle Alfeche (L)
12:00 PM Edgar(EMHC), Gloria(EMCH); Nora C (EMHC) Manny Belay(L); Novy Ramos (L), Flor Marcelo (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.

MONTHLY PRAYER ASSEMBLY : The next prayer assembly, sponsored by the Live Christ, Share Christ (LCSC) Mission, will be on **Saturday, February 8th from 9:30 to 11:45am** in the Upper Hall. We encourage you to continue our faith journey through Praise and Worship. Join us and learn more about Christ and follow His righteous path.

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

PINOYS ON PARLIAMENT FUNDRAISING: Food will be sold after the 12Noon Masses on **Jan. 12th, Feb. 2nd, and Feb. 9th** in the basement hall to raise funds to cover expenses for a 3 day conference to be held in Ottawa this year. POP, is a youth organization focusing on Filipino representation in fields such as government, politics and civic engagements. Currently on it's 2nd year with 200 young Filipino members from nearly every province and territory in Canada. **LET US SUPPORT OUR YOUTH**

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. **Please pick-up your envelopes ASAP.**

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

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.

COME FOR COFFEE, TEA AND FELLOWSHIP: In the Hospitality Room after the 9:00 AM and 10:30 AM Masses. Create and strengthen friendships in Christ.

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 week ending
Dec. 29, 2019 - \$6,307.

Thanks to all for your wonderful and on-going support

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



Christ is everything for us.

"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

St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church (January 13)

Born at Poitiers, St. Hilary(315-368) was a leading defender of the Church against the Arian heresy. He wrote twelve books about the Blessed Trinity as well as commentaries on St. Matthew's Gospel and the Psalms.

A Message from Your Pastor

Peace and Goodness through Our Lord Jesus Christ!

The Church celebrates with great joy, the feast of the Baptism of Our Lord Jesus Christ! He inaugurates today the calling to be re-born in the Spirit. Our baptism renews us, cleanses us of the stain of original sin and makes us children of God. His coming to the flesh is to make us sharers in His divinity.

Jesus by allowing himself to be baptized by John, gave himself to humanity so that He might take us to share in His divinity. By doing so, he is already lifting up our fallen humanity.

Our own baptism is not just a rite. It calls us to share in the life of Christ by living our baptismal promises. Catholic baptism has to be lived in order for its fruits to take effect. Parents has the duty to nourish their children's baptism by bringing them to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and to prepare them for the other Sacraments until they are mature enough to feed themselves with the "Bread of Life", Jesus Himself.

Come let us continue to adore Him, Jesus Christ, our Lord!

Ave Maria!

Fr. Dominic Maria Lim, OFMConv., Pastor



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