



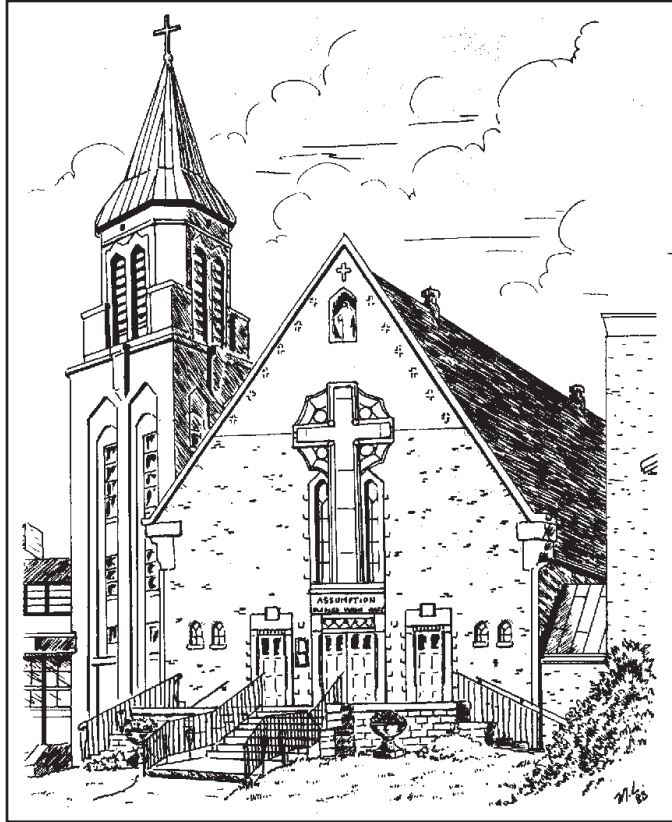
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish



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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.

ASSUMPTION SCHOOL 613-746-4822
OCRCSSB-TRUSTEE:
Therese Maloney-Cousineau 613-235-2024

DEVOTIONS

ROSARY - 20 minutes before weekday Masses.
PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP -
6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. every Wednesday.
FIRST WEDNESDAY MASS - 6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
FIRST FRIDAY - Exposition and benediction ending at 9:00 a.m.
EVERY FRIDAY - Holy Hour of Adoration - 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Dominic Lim, OFM Conv.
Resident Friars: Rev. Fr. Jobe Abbass, OFM Conv.
Rev. Fr. Saviour Karamvelil, OFM Conv.
Rev. Fr. Jeremiah Budau, OFM Conv.
Deacons: Rev. Paul Beaudoin
Rev. Ricardo Santiago
Secretary: Nora Arriola

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.

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, Jan. 13th, 2018

9:00 AM

4:00 PM † Mary Catherine Merilees by Albert & Joyce White

Sunday, Jan. 14th, 2018

9:00 AM † Tina Kuchciak by Lori Scott
10:30 AM † Evelyn Harrigan & Jeanne Vogel by Thelma, Janine & Erwin
12:00 PM For the intentions of the parishioners of Assumption Church

Weekday Masses, Jan. 15th – Jan. 19th 2018

Mon. 8:00 AM
Tue. 8:00 AM
Wed. 8:00 AM
Thu. 8:00 AM
Fri. 8:00 AM

Saturday, Jan. 20th, 2018

9:00 AM

4:00 PM † William Blathwayt by Albert & Joyce White

Sunday, Jan. 21st, 2018

9:00 AM † John S. & Theresa Stanton by Mary Stanton
† Carl & Rose Linseman by Mary Stanton
10:30 AM † Mr. Denis & Mrs. Rejeaune Desmarais by Janine & Thelma Harrigan
12:00 PM

LECTORS / EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Jan. 20th & Jan. 21st 1q, 2018

4:00 PM: Deacon Paul Beaudoin (EMHC); Lynn Obero (L); Theresa Akan (L)

9:00 AM: Frank Barrett (EMHC); Melchor Tejero (L); Betty Barrett (L)

10:30 AM: Manny Beloy (EMHC), Yola Beloy (L), Michelle Alfeche (L)

12:00 PM: Chit Villanueva (L); Manny Beloy (L); Ben Formoso (C); Helen Belda (Cantor)

PLEASE ARRIVE 15 MINUTES BEFORE MASS

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 attend 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.

FREE CINEMA FORUM NIGHT: Starting January 26th and every last Friday of every month, there will be a film viewing and discussion on the lives of the saints at the parish basement hall from 7:00 PM.. Bring your family and friends.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: For different ministries, r. anyone interested, please contact the office.

DONATE A TILE: To cover the cost of the floor repair in our upper hall. Your donations are greatly needed and much appreciated

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

ENVELOPES: 2018 Collection Envelopes are now available at the main entrance of the Church. Please take yours home today. Kindly contact the parish office to request for envelopes and to register.



WE PRAY FOR THE GIFT OF HEALING of the mind, body and spirit of **Sylvia Gosselin, Lucienne Sabourin, Theresa Morris, Marie Burke, Coleen Houle and Nick Mangione.**

May God's presence give strength and comfort to all who are in need and to those who care for them.

WE WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS TO OUR PARISH. We hope you continue to come and support our church.

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity: Celebrated around the world **January 18 to 25, 2018**, on the theme “*Your right hand, O LORD, glorious in power*”. The theme and biblical texts for this annual Week of Prayer are jointly prepared by the Holy See’s Pontifical Council for Promoting Christian Unity and the Commission on Faith and Order of the World Council of Churches. The thematic introduction to the 2018 materials come from Churches in the Caribbean region. National and regional Councils of Churches adapt the resources for their local context. The resources for Canada are produced by an ecumenical writing team coordinated by the Commission Faith and Witness of the Canadian Council of Churches (CCC), in collaboration with the Canadian Centre for Ecumenism in Montreal and the Prairie Centre for Ecumenism in Saskatoon.

LECTORS’ COURSE: Given by Deacon Paul Beaudoin for new and current lectors will take place on Saturday, February 3rd from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM to allow for questions and answers. You are asked to register with Lori Scott at 613-749-8455 before January 31st to allow time for course materials to be prepared. Remember, you PROCLAIM THE WORD OF GOD, it is not a simple matter of reading. This is an important ministry.

December, 2017 Financial Report

Needed to Run the Parish (est.)-- \$18,400.

Total revenue for the month \$24,042.
Total collections for the month \$11,976.

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 Parish Secretary: 613-746-8503.

SCHEDULE OF 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	7:00 PM
Liturgy Committee	Second Wednesday	7:00 PM
CWL	Third Tuesday	7:00 PM
Altar Guild	Third Wednesday	7:00 PM
Pastoral Council	Third Thursday	7:00 PM
Knights of Columbus	Fourth Thursday	7:00 PM
El Shaddai	Every Sunday	1:30 PM

SAINT FOR THE WEEK

St. Berard of Carbio

Was a Franciscan Friar who was executed in Morocco due to his attempts to promote Christianity. A thirteenth century saint and martyr, he and his companions, **Peter, Ortho, Accursius and Adjutus**, are venerated as saints and considered the *Franciscan Protomartyrs*. The deaths of St. Berard and his companions sparked a missionary vocation in Anthony of Padua and others. There have been many, many Franciscans who have responded to Francis’ challenge. Proclaiming the gospel can be fatal, but that has not stopped the Franciscan men and women who even today risk their lives in many countries throughout the world.

Message from the Pastor

Peace!

As we begin the ordinary time of the liturgical year, we are invited to live the mystery that was revealed to us this Advent and Christmas time through the fiat of Mary. To live extraordinarily the ordinariness of everyday life as Mary did. To make everyday special by inviting Christ to stay in our hearts. This is very much possible if we nurture our lives with the sacraments, most especially with the Eucharist which is the source and summit of our life.

May we let our lives be nourished by Word made flesh, the Bread of Life who came to feed us and may Mary teach us how to receive Him well.

Ave Maria!

Fr. Dominic Maria Lim, OFMConv



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