



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 am and 4:00 pm (anticipated Mass)

Sundays: 9:30 am, 12:00 pm (Filipino Mass), 7:00 pm

WEEKDAYS

Monday to Friday: 8:00 am

DEVOTIONS

Rosary 30 minutes before weekday Masses

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

Eucharistic Adoration – Every Friday at 6:00 pm

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help – Every Wednesday after the 8:00 am Mass

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:	Rev. Fr. Francis Victor Mateo, OFM Conv.
Deacons:	Rev. Paul Beaudoin Rev. Ricardo Santiago
Pastoral Council Chair:	Dr. Alfredo Formoso
Temporal Council Chair:	Art Guillermo
Administrative Assistant:	Nora Arriola
Resident Friars:	Rev. Fr. Maurice Richard, OFM Conv. Rev. Fr. Jeremiah Arguelles, 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 you 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 - First Friday-(during exposition of the Blessed Sacrament), 8:30 am to 9:00 am; First Saturday – 9:30 am to 10:00 am By appointment only; Sundays – 11:30 am to 12:00 Noon, 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.

We **welcome** new members and visitors to our parish. Please visit our website <https://www.assumptionparishottawa.ca>

Mass Intentions for the Week

MASS INTENTIONS: In the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall only three (3) intentions at each Mass are allowed. So please contact the parish office to reserve your preferred dates (*at least a week before*). Requests will be handled on a “first come first served basis.” Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

June 24 – SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST (white) – 9:00 AM – †Val, Cecilia & Kat Creag *by Tino Flores*; 4:00 PM – SUNDAY LITURGY – †Juliana, & Francisco dela Cuesta *by Manny & Yola Beloy*; †Clemente & Nieves Doctor *by Peter & Nenita Clark*; †Crisogono Pacifico *by Laura Lafreniere & Lina Groulx*; †Nerisia de Luna *by OVFCSCA*

ALL are requested to pray for the gift of healing of the mind, body and spirit of Claude Cloutier, Lucienne Sabourin, Diane Dunn, Cora Guillermo, Tamara Kane, Glenda Hadloc and Charles Stanton. *Let us continue assisting them with our prayers and reach out to them in love.*

June 25 – 12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (green) 9:30 AM –Thanksgiving *by Abner, Lynn Obero & family*; †Betty Barrett *by Frank Barrett*; †Yves Provost *by Mary Stanton*; †Tony McNeil *by Greg, Abigail & Amy*; 12:00 NOON – Thanksgiving *by PICOV*; Arriela Antonia Cole (birthday) *by Danny & Nora Arriola*; Mark & Rebecca Burke (birthday) *by Joshua Mata*; †Felix Atienza; †Elizabeth Jagna *by Evie Jagna*; 7:00PM – **Missa pro populo**

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION

June 2023 – FOR THE ABOLITION OF TORTURE

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

June 26 – FERIAI DAY (green), Monday 8AM – †Jaime Baguio *by Edgar & Gloria Piol*

June 27 – FERIAI DAY (green), Tuesday 8AM – †Cindy McNeil *by Nena Coronel*

SCHEDULE of LECTORS and EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS of HOLY COMMUNION

June 28 – MEMORIAL OF ST. IRENAEUS (white), Wednesday 8AM – Avelino Forro (health) *by Nena Coronel*

July 1 at 4PM – Yola Beloy & Edgar Piol with Lori Scott; **July 2** at 9:30AM – Richard Horriqan & Melchor Tejero with Emilyn Suficiencia; 12:00 PM – Nora Cerda & Naty Recario with Nora Arriola; 7:00PM – Chit Villanueva & Novie Ramos with Gloria Piol

June 29 – SOLEMNITY OF ST. PETER & ST. PAUL (white), Thursday 8AM – MariaTeresa, Fe & Nena Forro (health) *by Nena Coronel*

June 30 – FERIAI DAY (green), Friday 8AM – Yoly Forro (birthday) *by Nena Coronel*

PICOV THANKSGIVING MASS: At noon, June 25, 2023, celebrating our Philippine Independence Day and the month of June as Philippine Heritage Month (*declared by Parliament in 2018*). An annual tradition of our Filipino-Canadian community held here at Assumption Parish, for all the blessings received from God. With Ambassador Maria Andrelita S. Austria, the officers, and staff of the Philippine Embassy in Ottawa as special guests

**WEEK ENDING COLLECTION REPORT
June 17 & 18, 2023 - \$2,264.**

REMITTANCE OF SPECIAL COLLECTIONS. To the Archdiocese: *Diocesan & Missionary Works* \$412.50; *Development & Peace* - \$590.; *Holy Land* - \$489.; *Vocation Works* - \$353. Directly to St. Vincent de Paul Society - \$950 (ongoing).

PARISH COUNCILS
of the Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary

During the meeting of June 18, 2023, at 4:00 PM, the following were elected to specific roles within the Pastoral Council: ART GUILLERMO as **Chairperson of the Pastoral Council**; NICK MURILLO as the **Vice-Chairperson**; CASSIDY BROWN as the secretary.

Meanwhile, Fr. Victor Mateo, OFMConv, as President of the Council, confirms the election of (and appoints others) to the four committees of the parish.

1. **Christian Formation** – Nick Murillo (*chair*) and Don del Castillo (*co-chair*)
2. **Liturgy Committee** – Deacon Paul Beuadoin and Lani Agustin (*vice-chair*)
3. **Social Action** – Joan Lapage (*chair*) and Manny Beloy (*vice-chair*)
4. **Parish and Community Life** – Andrew Samonte (*chair*) and Kingsley Nze (*co-chair*)

Other full-term members of the Pastoral Council are Lynn Obero and Susan Teodoro. **Additional ex-officio members** being Tabore Anethua, Helen Belda, Nora Cerda, Josephine Dianela, Noly Formoso, Nora Horrigan, Edgar Piol and Novie Ramos.

The RITE OF COMMISSIONING FOR THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL will be on August 6, 2023 (Sunday) within the 9:30 AM Mass. After their recognition, these parishioners formally begin their ministry and assumes their specific roles. **REMINDERS: FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING** – JULY 26, 2023 at 6:30 – 7:30 PM. Pastoral Council Meeting on August 6, 2023 at 10:45–11:45 AM.

On JUNE 27, 2023 (TUESDAY)
MASS is at 9:30 AM, not at 8 AM
Parishioners are encouraged to celebrate with the Assumption School community

From the Pastor's Office

Last Sunday, we saw through the Mass readings that those who believe and indeed follow Christ are a priestly kingdom and a holy nation, that God shepherds His people, reconciling us through the death of his Son. We also share in the disciples' mission to be instruments of God to call back lost sheep and bring all people to unity and peace.

The liturgies this weekend (June 24-25) encourage us to continue with this mission given to us with confidence, "*not to fear those who kill the body*" (GOSPEL) because "*the LORD has delivered the life of the needy from the hands of evildoers*" (FIRST READING). He is our Lord, "*steadfast in his love, he answers our pleading*" (RESPONSORIAL PSALM).

Today, the 12th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, our Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall prays and celebrates as we gaze upon the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (*secondary Patron of the Archdiocese*). The Immaculate Heart of Mary signifies her great purity and total giving of self in love for her Son, accepting her mission from GOD the Father.

The Blessed Virgin Mary is our model; with her example and by the grace of GOD, let us accept GOD's Will. **May our hearts be like her** -- - fully dedicated, we strive to do God's Will in our lives and that of others.

I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. (Jeremiah 31:33)

A new heart I will give you, and a new spirit I will put within you; and I will remove from your body the heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. I will put my spirit within you, and make you follow my statutes and be careful to observe my ordinances. Then you shall live in the land that I gave to your ancestors; and you shall be my people, and I will be your God. (Ezekiel 36:26-28)



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