



# 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  
OCCRSSB-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.

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

**Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM Daniel Watters by Bill & Carmen Watters  
4:00 PM † Raymond Kane by Tamarah Kane & Jeanne Lindblad

**Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM † Servant of God, Frank Duff by the Legion of Mary  
10:30 AM † Emie Fairweather by Joan & Cliff Sabourin  
12:00 PM For the intentions of our Parishioners

**Weekday Masses Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> to Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

Mon. 8:00 AM † Elena & Querobin Alcala by Nena Coronel  
Tue. 8:00 AM † Ruperto & Vicente Alcala by Nena Coronel  
Wed 8:00 AM † Ruperto & Tomasa Alcala by Nena Coronel  
Thu 8:00 AM † Cirila & Anselmo Alcala by Nena Coronel  
Fri. 8:00 AM Daniel Watters by Bill & Carmen Watters

**Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM Daniel Watters by Bill & Carmen Watters  
4:00 PM † Laurette Drouin by Suzanne Aucoin

**Sunday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM † Souls in Purgatory by Mary Stanton  
10:30 AM For the intentions of our Parishioners  
12:00 PM

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**November 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

4:00 PM: Deacon Paul Beaudoin; Tony McNeil (L); Lynn Obero (L)  
9:00 AM: Frank Barrett (EMHC); Betty Barrett (L); Lynn Obero (L)  
10:30 AM: Manny Belay (EMHC); Cora Guillermo (L); Beatrice Miguel (L)  
12:00 PM: Ruby Formoso (EMHC); Manny Belay (L); Chit Villanueva (L); Helen Belda (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 **Marie Burke, Sylvia Gosselin, Coleen Houle, Jennie Morris, Lucienne Sabourin, Celedonio Ricasio, Jr. and Eldon Vanesse.** May God give solace and courage to all who are suffering and strength to those who look after them.

**EL SHADDAI PRAISE AND WORSHIP:** Every Sunday, after the 12:00 noon Mass. Everyone is invited.

**ALTAR SERVERS:** The parish invites volunteers to serve at Mass. Training and the opportunity to appreciate the Mass more will be provided. Please call the Parish Office at (613) 746-8503.

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

**LUNCH-TO-GO:** At reasonable prices, available on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays of the month in the Parish Hall after the 10:30 AM and 12:00 PM Masses. All proceeds go to the parish fund for ongoing expenses.

**FREE FITNESS CLASS FOR SENIORS:** Every Wednesdays and Fridays from 12:00 to 1:00 PM in the Parish Hall.

**CINEMA FORUM NIGHT:** Every last Friday of the month at 6:30 PM in the Parish Hall. The featured saint on Nov.30<sup>th</sup> will be **Blessed John Duns Scotus, Defender of the Immaculate Conception.** This will be followed by a brief discussion. **Admission is free.**

**PRAISE & WORSHIP:** On Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 to 11:45 AM. In the Upper Hall of our Parish. Sponsored by CFC-FFL. Everyone is welcome.



**Christ is everything for us**  
*“Let us work for the good of all, and especially for the family of the faith”.*  
*(Galatians 6.10b)*

**PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED;** On Tuesday, Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, Nov.28<sup>th</sup> .All phone messages on both days will be answered on Thursday. Sorry for the inconvenience.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE:** is holding their monthly meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in the Parish hall. We welcome all Catholic women, 16 years of age and older to come and journey with us for personal and spiritual growth, friendship and fun. We gratefully accept any plastic milk bags, please bring them to the back of the church. They are used to make sleeping mats for people who would otherwise be sleeping on the ground.

**MONTHLY PRO-LIFE MASS:** Pilgrimage of prayer for the establishment of a Pro-Life Centre in Ottawa. Before 9am mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Confession and Rosary starting at 8 am. Divine Infant Parish, 6658 Bilberry Dr., Orleans, **Sat., Nov. 17.** Info:wandawoj@rogers.com; 613-831-2515.

**MONTFORT HOSPITAL CHRISTMAS FAIR:** Thursday, Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> , 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM in the auditorium, with 30 artisans and merchants. Free Admission and Free Parking with \$10. purchase or more. A fundraising activity of the hospital’s Volunteer Association.

**Collection Report**

For the week ending  
Oct. 28-\$2,054 .

Thanks to volunteers who help reduce expenses. A copy of the Treasurer’s Report may be requested from the Parish Office.

**SCHEDULE OF PARISH MEETINGS**

Legion of Mary	Every Sunday	10:30 AM
SLR Choir	Every Sunday	1:30 PM
SLR Filipino Comm	First Monday	7:00 PM
Prayers after Mass	Every Tuesday	8:30 AM
Choir	Every Tuesday	7:00 PM
Catechesis	Every Wednesday	7:30 PM
Temporal Council	Quarterly (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat.)	1:00 PM
Liturgy Committee	Second Thursday	7:00 PM
CWL	Third Tuesday	7:00 PM
Altar Guild	Third Wednesday	7:00 PM
Pastoral Council	Third Thursday	7:00 PM
KnightsofColumbus	Fourth Thursday	7:00 PM
EI Shaddai	Every Sunday	1:30 PM

*SAINT OF THE WEEK*

St.Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr (Nov. 12)  
Born in Poland to Orthodox parents, he became a Catholic of the Byzantine Rite and a monk. As bishop, he worked faithfully for the unity of the Church until he was martyred at the hands of an angry mob.

*A Message from Your Pastor*

*Peace and goodness!*

*In today’s Sunday readings, we are presented with two widows. Let us first consider that a woman in the time of Jesus gets her status in the society from either her father (if unmarried), husband (if married) or son (if the husband is dead). A widow without a son loses her status in the society.*

*In the first reading, we find a poor widow having nothing but a small amount of food and yet she was generous enough to give it to the prophet Elijah. Her generosity was paid back in return a thousand fold by God because she had put her life and that of her son in the hands of God and God took care of them. The Gospel presents to us another widow, her generosity was like that of the widow in the first reading. What she offered in the Temple, although in the eyes of many was very little, but in the eyes of God was great for she gave what she herself needed in order to live.*

*Often times, we are so stingy in giving to the Lord, not so much of material things but more on the time we spent with Him. We are so stingy too with our time with families because we are so concerned about a lot of petty and unimportant matters. Like the widow of the first reading, let us remember that our life is too short and we need to spend it well. If we place our lives with the Lord, we will discover the generosity and the love of our loving Father in Heaven.*

*Ave Maria.*

*Father Dominic Maria Lim, OFMConv, Pastor*





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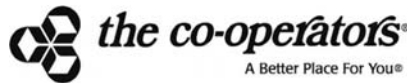


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