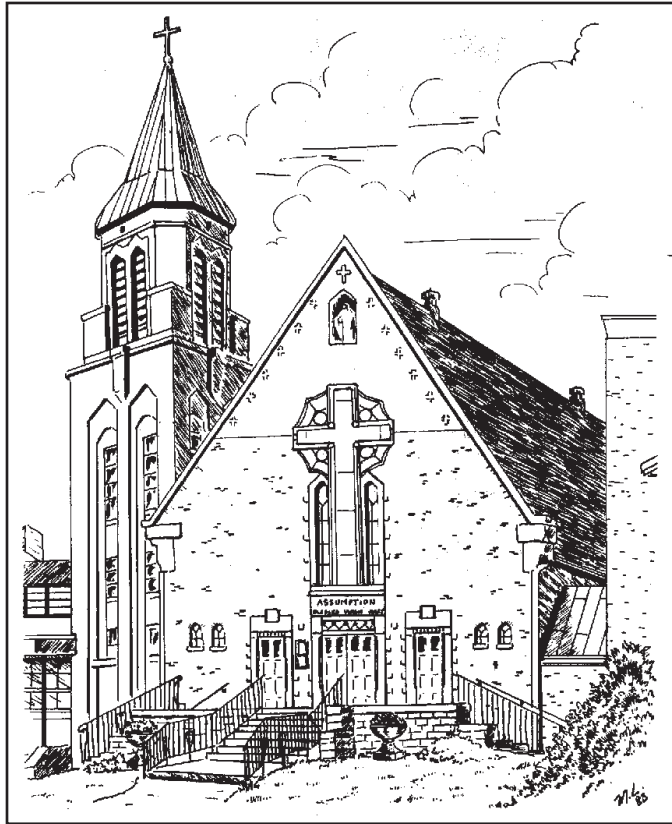




Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish



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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.
(anticipated Mass)
Sunday: 9:30 a.m.
12:00 p.m. (Filipino Mass)
7:00 p.m. (also available on-line)*
Weekdays - Monday to Friday: 7:00 P.M.
(also available on-line)*

*Accessible through Facebook under "Assumption Church"

DEVOTIONS

Rosary - 20 minutes before weekday Masses.
Community Public Rosary - Every First Saturday of the month, after the 9:00 am Mass
First Friday - Exposition and benediction 3:00 PM (1 hour)

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. Maurice Richard, 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 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 - 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.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, September 18, 2021

9:00am †Manuel, Naty & Danilo Forro
by Nena Coronel

4:00pm For the intentions of our Parishioners

Sunday, September 19, 2021

9:30am Ramon Marzo (health) by Nena Coronel

†Paola Bertolini Grudina by Sylvia Bertolini

Queenie Miguel (bday) by Rose Bocboc

†Lily Abola by Yvonne & Charles Gadula

7:00pm †Rev. Fr. Austin Stanton (former Pastor) by
Mary Stanton

Monday to Friday, Sept. 20 to Sept. 24, 2021

Mon 7:00pm †Dominga, Ignacio & Mary Bernard
Escucha by Nena Coronel

Tue 7:00pm Michael Roy Coronel (health) by Nena
Coronel

Maureen & Steve Mayor by Lori Scott

Wed 7:00pm Maria Teresa Forro (health) by Nena
Coronel

†Julian Rosalan, Jr. by Gloria & Edgar Piod

Thu 7:00pm †Serafin & Marina Celda by Nena
Coronel

†John S. & Theresa Stanton by Mary Stanton

†Patricio Mercado by Bless Mercado

Fri 7:00pm Maria Teresa Forro (health) by Nena
Coronel

Glenn Nevin (health) by Nena Coronel



Spiritual Communion with Mary

*O Immaculate Queen of Heaven and Earth,
Mother of God and Mediatrix of every grace, I
believe that thy dearly beloved Son, Our Lord
Jesus Christ is truly, really and substantially
contained in the Most Blessed Sacrament. I love
Him above all things and I long to receive Him
into my heart. Since I cannot now receive Him
sacramentally, be so good as to place Him
spiritually in my soul.*

*O my Jesus, I embrace Thee as One who has
already come, and I unite myself entirely to Thee.
Never permit me to be separated from Thee.*

Amen



*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,
Carol Kane, Norman Levesque, Tina Mills, Jennie
Morris, Lucienne Sabourin, Marie- Pauline
Desjardins, Claude Cloutier, Alexander Liberty,
Colette Eisl, Diane Dunn, Debora Anne Eisl, and
Eileen Latour.**

May we be able to reach out to them in compassion.



SCHEDULE OF MASSES ON-LINE

Sundays 18:30 Holy Rosary
19:00 Holy Sacrifice of Mass

Mondays & Tuesdays
18:30 Holy Rosary
19:00 Holy Sacrifice of Mass

Wednesdays 18:30 OLPH Novena & Rosary
19:00 Holy Sacrifice of Mass

Thursdays 18:30 Holy Rosary
19:00 Holy Sacrifice of Mass

Fridays 18:30 Holy Rosary
19:00 Holy Sacrifice of Mass

Saturdays 08:30 Holy Rosary
09:00 Holy Sacrifice of Mass

To access the above Masses on-line, go to our
Facebook Account – Assumption Church
Ottawa. (<http://facebook.com/assumption.church.522>)



CONGRATULATIONS! To the following Winners in our Raffle Draw: drawn last Sunday, Aug. 29th :

<u>Ticket No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Name</u>
6218	\$500.00	Susan Teodoro
0125	\$200.00	Mark Murillo
6170	\$100.00	Abner Obero

Total amount raised from sale of Raffle Tickets -\$5,235; from Sponsorships - \$25,880.00. Total proceeds from our fundraising efforts - \$31,115. This will cover the cost of renovating our St. Francis of Assisi Hall (Upper Hall) and other necessary repairs in the church. BIG THANK YOU to everyone for your support and generosity.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN: 40 days to pray and fast for an end to abortion, begins Wednesday, September 22nd. Our Parish vigil day is on Wednesday, Sept. 22nd at Bank and Queen Sts. Parishioners are encouraged to give one hour of your time to come and stand in silent prayerful vigil for the sake of the unborn child. Sign-up sheets are in the main entrance of the Church. Any enquiries, please contact Joan Lepage, Pro-Life Rep. at 613-745-7935.

LIFE CHAIN IN OTTAWA & AREA: Full info. and locations at the Campaign Life Coalition website at <https://www.campaignlifecoalition.com/life-chain>. Sunday, Oct. 3, 2-3pm.

8:30am MASS EVERY WEDNESDAY: here in the Parish starting Wednesday, Sept. 1st, and every Wednesday thereafter for the staff of the Catholic Christian Outreach. Everyone is welcome to attend.

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES: Celebrated in Canada this year on Sunday, September 26th.

THANK YOU: TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS FOR THEIR GENEROSITY AND CONTINUED SUPPORT TO OUR PARISH ESPECIALLY DURING THIS TIME OF THE PANDEMIC. MAY GOD REWARD YOUR GENEROSITY.

Featured Saint of the Week

St. Pio of Pietrelcina, Priest (September 23)

St. Pio (1887-1968), affectionately known as Padre Pio, joined the Capuchin Friars and was later ordained a priest. For fifty years he lived at the monastery of San Giovanni Rotondo, where his miraculous abilities as spiritual advisor, confessor, and intercessor attracted the attention of the world. His humility and constant devotion to the Eucharist caused him to remark often, "I only want to be a friar who prays."

A MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

Peace and good health!

We continue our journey of following Our Lord Jesus Christ. This Sunday, as a continuation of last Sunday's theme, we are reminded that following Our Lord means suffering with Him. Jesus' announcement of His forthcoming sufferings caused them commotion. They did not understand it. They argued among themselves who was the greatest. The Gospel put the contrast between the understanding of the world of greatness and Jesus' greatness. While the world looks on the material things as greatness, Jesus shows them that the greatness of a person lies in the love he/she puts in embracing suffering and serving the least of his/her brethren.

The Psalmist re-assures us that amidst these pains and sufferings in the world, "the Lord upholds our lives."

The readings challenge us to love and serve those whom the society considered as poor, marginalized, outcast, and least. It is through them that we see the face of God for Jesus suffered for all of us but mostly for them.

Ave Maria!

*Rev. Fr. Dominic Lim, OFM Conv.
Pastor*



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