



# 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.

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

**Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM Ken Kya (thanksgiving)  
4:00 PM † Laurette Provin by Joan Lawless

**Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM † Warren & Mark Scott by Noreen Roney  
10:30 AM Thanksgiving by Maria Matos  
12:00 PM

**Weekday Masses October 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> 2018**

Mon. 8:00 AM Catherine Charron by Janine Harrigan  
Tue. 8:00 AM For healing of Bradley Kya  
Wed 8:00 AM  
Thu 8:00 AM Thanksgiving to St. Francis of Assisi by Marie-Pauline Desjardins  
6:30 PM Feast of St. Francis of Assisi with Blessing of the Animals  
Fri. 8:00 AM

**Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM Catherine Charron by Janine Harrigan  
4:00 PM † Raymond Kane by John Burke & Ryan Kane

**Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

9:00 AM  
10:30 AM  
12:00 PM Fr. Pedro Arana by Cecilia Pinto

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**October 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

4:00 PM: Deacon Paul Beaudoin; Lori Scott (L); Chit Villanueva (L)  
9:00 AM: Frank Barrett (EMHC); Betty Barrett (L); Cristina Rotor (L)  
10:30 AM: Emie Fairweather (EMHC); Nora Mercader (L); Ruby Formoso (L)  
12:00 PM: Noly Formoso (EMHC); Emie Fairweather (L); Emilyn Suficiencia (L); Gina Distor (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.

**HOLY HOUR.** All are encouraged to spend this time with Evening Prayer and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday from 7:00 to 8:00 PM, **except on the last Friday of the month.**

**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 FELLOSHIP:** 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.

**CAMPAIGN LIFE'S "LIFE CHAIN":** *On Sunday, Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 to 3:00 PM, will be gathered at the corner of Montreal Rd. and Vanier Parkway to pray for the prevention of abortion. We ask that you join us for this one hour in support of life.*

**TRIP TO THE GATINEAU PARK:** Knights of Columbus of Assumption Parish is organizing a bus trip to the Gatineau Park in the Fall to view the changing of the colours from 1:00 to 6:00 PM. Cost is \$20/person. For more information, pls. call Charles Hebert 613-745-6941 or Gilles Ladouceur 613-608-3501.

**FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI:** Join us this coming Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM for the Mass celebrating the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi which will include the blessing of the animals.

**WANTING TO BE CATHOLIC?:** Looking to find meaning in life and living your life to the fullest? Would you like to be of service to others? Do you want to know more about Jesus, His life and His teachings?

You are welcome to join the many people from all walks of life who enter the Catholic Church through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults process, better known as the RCIA.

It is a journey in faith and an opportunity to grow in mind and spirit. Its focus is on developing and deepening a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, one that praises God and leads to the loving service of others.

Registration is still open for the batch that starts in the Fall of 2018. To register and for more information, please email [rcia2018@paxcordis.net](mailto:rcia2018@paxcordis.net) or call the Parish Office at (613) 746-8503.

**PARISH 2019 CALENDARS FOR SALE!** is now available after all weekend masses at the main Olmstead entrance or through the Parish Office during regular hours. The cost is \$5.00 each.

**Collection Report**

For the week ending

Sept. 16-\$2,783; Sept. 23 - \$2,330.

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
El Shaddai	Every Sunday	1:30 PM

**SAINT OF THE WEEK**

**St. Francis of Assisi (October 4)**

Born in Assisi, St. Francis (1182-1226) preached and lived a life of poverty and charity. He founded the Franciscan order and with St. Clare, he founded the Order of the Poor Clares. Later, he also founded a lay third order.

***A Message from Your Pastor***

Peace and all goodness!

Moses, in the first reading, is presented to us by the liturgy as prefiguring Jesus. In the first reading, we saw God taking some from the spirit that was on Moses and put it on the seventy elders. Two men were not present there with the seventy but they also received the spirit and they start prophesying. Joshua asked Moses to stop them but Moses would not. We find a similar situation in the Gospel, the disciples were like Joshua, jealous to see others who are not with them, casting demons in Jesus' name. Jesus, like Moses, rebuked them and told them that they too are doing His work.

God can and will work mighty deeds through the most unexpected and unlikely people. All of us are called to perform even our most humble tasks, such as giving a cup of water, for the sake of His name and the cause of His kingdom.

Cleanse me from my unknown faults, we pray in today's Psalm. Often, like Joshua and John, perhaps without noticing it, we cloak our failings and fears under the guise of our desire to defend Christ or the Church. But as Jesus says today, instead of worrying about who is a real Christian and who is not, we should make sure that we ourselves are leading lives worthy of our calling as disciples.

Ave Maria.

Father Dominic Maria Lim, OFMConv, Pastor





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