



CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION

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September 3, 2023

• *Today's Mass*

**Twenty-Second Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

- *Sunday Masses*
8, 9:30, 11am, 12:30pm
- *Saturday Masses*
7:00am, 5:00pm
- *Weekday Masses*
Monday through Friday
7:00am, 12 noon
- *Holy Day &
Holiday Masses*
Please see weekly Mass
schedule
- *Confessions*
Monday through Friday,
11:15-11:45am and
Saturdays, 4pm
- *Baptisms*
Sundays following the
12:30pm Mass
- *Matrimony*
Membership in parish for
at least one year prior to
marriage plans
- *Devotions*
Mother of Perpetual Help
Tuesdays & Sacred Heart
on Fridays at 11:45am

Little Sisters of the Poor

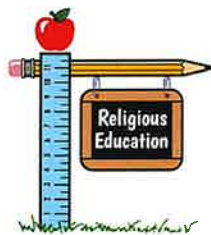
Next weekend we welcome Sr. Paul
and Sr. Joseph from Holy Family

Residence on Exchange Street in St. Paul. Their visit gives us the chance to
share in their ministry work with elderly residents in their care.

The Sisters will take up a second collection at each Mass. Checks should be
made out to Little Sisters of the Poor. Your gift can be dropped in the collection
(envelopes will be in the pews). You may also donate electronically at
www.assumptionsp.org. Simply click on the "Electronic Giving" button found
on the homepage and choose "Little Sisters" as the fund choice. Your support,
prayers, and gifts will be greatly appreciated.

**LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR
HOLY FAMILY RESIDENCE**

Religious Education Classes



Religious education classes will meet Saturday mornings in
the historic school building at Assumption from 9:00am to
10:15am. The program is offered to Pre-K through 12th grade
students. Preparation for 1st Communion and Reconciliation
is offered to 2nd graders and Confirmation preparation is
offered to students in 8th grade and older. The start dates for
religious education will be slightly different this year as we are getting close to
the completion of the historic school building. The second grade and eighth
grade will start first, beginning Saturday, September 9. The remaining grades
will start Saturday, October 14. To find out more about our religious education
or to get registration forms and schedules, please call Jill Bueno, Director of
Religious Education at 651-789-6925 or email jbueno@assumptionsp.org.

Second Stork – September 21

Volunteers are needed at Second Stork to help
assemble care packages of infant items for new mothers. Assumption volunteers
gather the third Thursday of every other month, upcoming date of September
21. You can simply arrive at the Second Stork warehouse (130 Eva St., St Paul)
at 9:30am on those days. No experience is required. For more information
contact Linda via email at outreach@assumptionsp.org.



SecondStork
Helping new parents in need

Upcoming Events

- *Baptism Preparation* classes are held the first Sunday of the month following the 9:30am Mass in the lower church. The next class is this Sunday, September 3. Call to schedule a baptism for your child at 651-224-7536.
- *Mass on Labor Day.* Monday, September 4, Mass will be at 10:00am. The parish office will be closed in observance of the holiday.
- *Little Sisters of the Poor.* The weekend of September 9 and 10, we will be taking a collection for Little Sisters of the Poor.
- *The Catholic Social Teaching Roundtable* meets the first and third Tuesday of every month. For more information please contact Colin at 651-789-6929.

Consider Donating Blood September 28



As summer wraps up and kids head back to school, we know schedules shift and blood donors are busy. The Red Cross is reminding

donors that blood for patients can only come from volunteer donors. Please make time to give blood to ensure it's available for patients this fall.

Assumption will be hosting a blood drive on Thursday, September 28 in the lower church. You can sign up for a donation appointment by visiting the Red Cross website at www.redcrossblood.org or by contacting Assumption parishioner Karee Lendway at klendway7@gmail.com or 651-894-4618.

Please consider making a blood donation. Help save a life!

We Welcome into Our Community

The following children being baptized at Assumption:

Kendall Christine Bisek, child of Jacob and Kathleen Bisek;
Sloane Elizabeth Focke, child of Alex and Nicole Focke;
Harvey Jameson Conway, child of Cory and Rebecca Conway.



We Extend our Sympathies



To the family and friends of Timothy Thornton, Mary Jo Torinus, Mick O'Gara and Mary "Donna" Leonard. who have passed away. *"Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon them."*

Prayer Shawl Ministry to Meet

The Assumption Prayer Shawl ministry will meet Sunday, September 10. The Prayer Shawl Ministry is a group of parishioners who knit, crochet, or sew blankets for baptisms here at Assumption and prayer shawls for folks who are ill or homebound. The group meets in the lower church, typically on the second Sunday of the month following the 9:30am Mass. If you are interested in joining, contact Tammy Clemens at 651-442-0544.



Choir Season Returns!



Assumption Choir

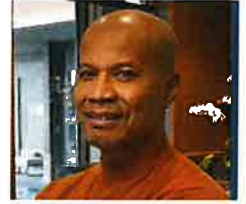
The Assumption Choir will soon be returning from summer break and now is an excellent time to consider joining! If you or someone you know would like more information regarding this ministry, please contact Simon Pick at sjpick@assumptionsp.org or by calling him at 651-789-6927.

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- Special thanks to:**
- *Snow Plowing*
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Catholic Social Difference Speaker Series

As part of the establishment of the new *Center for Catholic Social Thought*, Assumption is pleased to announce a fall speaker series on *The Catholic Social Difference*. This event features conversations with local Catholic leaders introducing the Church’s social teaching and imagining how to practice it in our daily lives. The Speaker series will be on the topic, “Community, Poverty, and the Common Good.” The speaker will be Michael Goar, President and CEO of Catholic Charities Twin Cities (pictured above). The Speaker series will be Thursday, September 7 at 7:00pm. We will meet in the church at Assumption. For more information and to register, visit the Web site catholicsocialthought.org.



Weekly Mass Intentions

Sunday, September 3	8:00am	Parishioners
<i>Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9:30am	†Bud & †Virginia Conoryea
	11:00am	†June & †Norman Ravenscroft
	12:30pm	†Harold & †May Belair & †Georgie Modeen
Monday, September 4	10:00am	Genevieve Felicity Beaudette
Tuesday, September 5	7:00am	†James Trucker
	12:00pm	†Stanley Dupre
Wednesday, September 6	7:00am	†Gene & †Shirley Beaulieu
	12:00pm	†James Brennan
Thursday, September 7	7:00am	†Elaine Flood
	12:00pm	†Christine Rulli
Friday, September 8	7:00am	Steve Lauinger
<i>Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	12:00pm	†Walter Grecula
Saturday, September 9	7:00am	†Ben & †MaryJane Opitz
<i>Saint Peter Claver</i>	5:00pm	†Tom Farrell
Sunday, September 10	8:00am	†Pat Lisec
<i>Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9:30am	Parishioners
	11:00pm	†Tom Gerlach
	12:30pm	Darren Michael Beaudette



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