



CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION

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November 19, 2023

• *Today's Mass*

**Thirty-Third 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

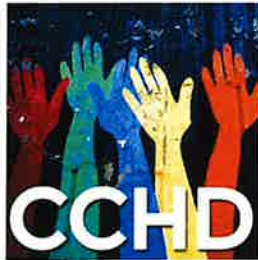
• *Matrimony*

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

Working on the Margins



Help support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) Collection, this weekend, November 18-19. This annual appeal is a U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishop's national initiative to help organizations that focus on alleviating poverty. The appeal supports local and national organizations, run by low income groups, that move people from reliance to self-sufficiency. Checks can be made payable to Assumption Church and be dropped in the collection. Donations can also be made electronically via the parish website, www.assumptionsp.org and click on the CCHD tile.

The Book of Remembrance



The Remembrance Book will be in church near the baptismal font for the entire month of November. Parishioners are encouraged to write in the names of loved ones who have died so we may pray for and remember them at this special time.

Thanksgiving Food Drive

You are invited to help those in need by donating to the Thanksgiving food drive. All donations will benefit the Franciscan Brothers of Peace food shelf. Donations of non-perishable items may be left near church entrances. Monetary gifts may be placed in the collection basket with "Food Shelf" indicated on the memo line or made electronically via the parish web site. Volunteers are needed to help with the food drive. If you can help transport the food donations, contact Linda at outreach@assumptionsp.org.



Welcome

To those who are visitors with us this weekend; if you would like more information about the parish or are interested in registering, please call the parish office, 651-224-7536.

*We're so glad
YOU'RE
HERE!*

Upcoming Events

- *Religious Education Class.*
No classes on November 25.
- *Bible Study with Fr. Adrian.*
Join Fr. Adrian Monday November 20 and 27, in the lower church from 5:30pm to 7:00pm. No RSVP is necessary.
- *Thanksgiving Day Mass,*
Thursday, November 23, 10:00am in the church.
- *Baptism Preparation* classes will be held after the 9:30am Mass in the lower church. The next class is Sunday, December 3. Call the parish office to schedule a baptism or to sign up for a class at 651-224-7536.
- *Coffee & Donuts.*
Please join us for Coffee & Donuts in the lower church Sunday, November 26.

Thanksgiving Day Holiday



In observance of the Thanksgiving day holiday the parish office will be closed November 22 at Noon and all day November 23 and 24. In case of a pastoral emergency, please call the parish office, 651-224-7536, and your call will be redirected. Normal office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm. Please do not hesitate to call if we can be of assistance.

We Welcome into Our Community

The following children being baptized at Assumption:

Nicolai Cash Casarez, Layanna Ivana Casares, and Simone Monet Elizondo, children of Denise Jones; **JoLeanna Zakaya Lancette,** child of Joseph Lancette and Charmaine Paxton; **Georgiana June Kvig,** child of Stian and Rachael Kvig.



Catholic Social Teaching Roundtable



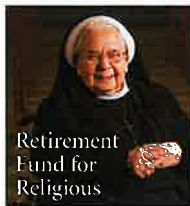
The Catholic Social Teaching Roundtable meets at 5:30pm on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. We will meet in our newly renovated school building on the second floor. The group discussion will be "What is Christian Social Order". Each week begins with a short presentation, followed by a discussion. All are welcome to drop in for class.

Make an Advent Wreath

The Advent wreath is part of our long-standing Catholic tradition. You are invited to the lower church on **Saturday, December 2,** following the 5:00pm Mass to make an Advent wreath to take home. All of the needed supplies, including a set of Advent candles, will be ready for your family to make your own Advent wreath. Please contact Kara Winter at 612-468-1287 to rsvp or with any questions. There is no charge to participate in this event.



A Lifetime in Service to Others



Assumption will participate in the annual Retirement Fund for Religious collection, December 9 and 10. Across the United States, hundreds of religious communities lack the financial resources to meet the retirement and healthcare needs of their aging members. Please share your gratitude for those who have made a positive difference in the lives of so many. Envelopes will be in the pews. Checks can be made payable to Assumption Church.

Parish Staff

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- *Wedding & Volunteer Coordinator*
Mary Weyandt

Special thanks to:

- *Snow Plowing*
Joseph Vogel
- *Parish Historian*
Dave Brown
- *Landscaping*
Brian Christopherson

We Extend our Sympathies



To the family and friends of Anna O'Gara, Mary Ellen Malone and Patricia Salisbury who have passed away. "Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon them."

Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary

Friday, December 8 is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception and is a holy day of obligation. Masses at Assumption will be celebrated at 5:15pm on December 7 and at 7:00am, 12:00 Noon, and 5:15pm on December 8. This feast day is one of the most important of the Marian feast days. On this day we celebrate the saving work of God in preserving the Blessed Virgin Mary from the stain of original sin.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Sunday, November 19 8:00am †Bernice & †DeNiece Roach

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30am Parishioners
11:00am †Devin Rice
12:30pm †Ed Erickson

Monday, November 20 7:00am †John Vitelli

12:00pm †Dave Clemens

Tuesday, November 21 7:00am †Poor souls in Purgatory

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary 12:00pm †John Jerome Palacio

Wednesday, November 22 7:00am †Tim Belisle

Saint Cecilia 12:00pm †Helen Faricy

Thursday, November 23 10:00am †Joe, Mike, Judy, & Tom Weismiller

Friday, November 24 7:00am †Roger Drawing

Saint Andrew 12:00pm †John Palacio

Saturday, November 25 7:00am †Cormick Scanlan

5:00pm †Jim Madison

Sunday, November 26 8:00am †Joe Grundtner

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe 9:30am †Bud & †Virginia Conoryea
11:00pm Parishioners

12:30pm †Michael Derrick



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