

CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION

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July 14, 2024

• *Today's Mass*

**Fifteenth 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

Colin Miller's Candidacy for the Catholic Priesthood – A Mass with the Archbishop



On August 15, the Feast of the Assumption, Archbishop Hebda will preside at the 5:15pm Mass at Assumption, which will include a “Rite of Candidacy” for Colin Miller, according to which Colin agrees to prepare to be a priest in this Archdiocese. All are warmly invited, and a reception will follow.

Colin has served at Assumption for the last five and a half years as our Director of Pastoral Care and Outreach, and more recently also as the Director of the Center for Catholic Social Thought. He is a happily married man, and a devoted father of five young children. He is also a former priest in the Episcopal Church, an Anglican denomination. He is therefore eligible for a special provision put in place by Pope St. John Paul II in 1980, which allows former Anglican clergy who have been received into full communion with the Catholic Church to be ordained as a Catholic priest, while also remaining married. This “Pastoral Provision,” as it is called, recognizes the rich shared Catholic heritage in the Anglican tradition, honors the candidate’s perception of a genuine call to priestly ministry, and provides an avenue to realize the fullness of that vocation.

Archbishop Hebda and I have been privileged to encourage Colin toward the application process. This past February Colin entered the two year “formation” element of the program, done in collaboration with the Saint Paul and Seton Hall University Seminaries. Colin already has a tremendous theological education, and this program of intellectual and spiritual education is especially designed to fill in any specifically Catholic gaps that remain. After successful completion of the formation period, Colin will be eligible to be considered for ordination. The Rite of Candidacy is done as a way of acknowledging and making public his commitment to this formation and ongoing discernment.

Colin says, “I love the Assumption community and could not be happier or more fulfilled in the work I do here. I’ve always been, and continue to be, as happy as a clam.”

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Upcoming Events

- *Baptism Preparation* classes are held after the 9:30am Mass in the lower church. The next class is Sunday, August 4. Call the parish office to schedule a baptism or to sign up for a class at 651-224-7536.
- *Sunday scripture sharing.* We will be taking a break for the rest of the summer and will start up again in September. Any questions, contact Mary Weyandt at 651-789-6921.
- *Octoberfest at Assumption.* Join us Friday, September 27. Watch the bulletin for more information.
- *Parish Office Summer Hours.* Monday through Thursday 8:30am-4:30pm, Friday 8:30am-12:00pm.

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It is too early to speculate about all the contingencies that ordination would bring with it, and exactly what Colin's continued ministry will look like, but all are hopeful that it retains a strong ongoing relationship with Assumption.

In the meantime, Colin will continue to serve here in his usual capacities. He asks for your continued prayers and promises to keep us all in his.

~ Fr. Paul Treacy



Second Stork – July 18

Volunteers are needed at Second Stork to help assemble care packages of infant items for new mothers. Assumption volunteers will gather the third Thursday of every other month. The next opportunity to volunteer is July 18. You can simply arrive at the Second Stork warehouse (130 Eva St., St Paul) at 9:30am. No previous experience is required. For more information please email Frances at outreach@assumptionsp.org.

Jesus' Revolution: A Bible Study on the Gospel of Luke

New Unit for the Catholic Social Roundtable

All are invited to join the *Catholic Social Roundtable* as we begin a new topic on July 16, focusing on the political and social aspects of the Gospels and the early Church. All are welcome to drop in for the meetings whenever you are able, and no RSVP is necessary. Each class begins with a presentation followed by discussion. We meet the first and third Tuesday of every month from 5:30pm-6:30pm, in the Old Schoolhouse, adjacent to the Rectory at Assumption Church in St. Paul. For questions, please contact cmiller@assumptionsp.org.



We Welcome into Our Community

The following child will be baptized at Assumption:

Caroline Cay Bastone, child of Scott Bastone and Natalie Ives.



Travel with Fr. Treacy

Join Fr. Treacy on a pilgrimage to Italy. Celebrate the 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope, September 15-25, 2025.

On this special pilgrimage, explore the tranquil hilltop village of Assisi, built on pink stone on the slopes of Mount Subasio. Spend time in Siena, birthplace of St. Catherine, and visit the black-and-white Cathedral.

For more information you can call Magi Travel at 952-949-0065, click on the QR code to the right or follow the link <https://cvent.me/wa0g9Z>.



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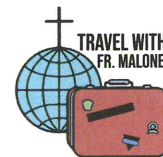
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Special thanks to:

- *Snow Plowing*
Joseph Vogel
- *Parish Historian*
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Travel with Fr. Malone

Join the trip to the Christmas Markets, Nurenberg, Munich and Salzburg followed by Lucerne Switzerland November 30, 2024. The Markets are special, the atmosphere is about Christmas and families gathering for an evening out. Contact Karol Baumeister for more information. Her email address is Karol@americangrouptours.com or you can call her at 651-452-4679.



We Extend our Sympathies



To the family and friends of Mary Poston who has passed away. *"Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon them."*

Weekly Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 14	8:00am †Ron Flanagan
<i>Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9:30am Parishioners
	11:00am †Harold & †May Belair & †Georgie Modeen
	12:30pm †Shirley & †Richard Donovan
Monday, July 15	7:00am †Kathy Nasseff
<i>Saint Bonaventure</i>	12:00pm †Colleen Kammueller
Tuesday, July 16	7:00am Poor Souls in Purgatory
	12:00pm †Katherine Beesch
Wednesday, July 17	7:00am †Eleanor Donlin Cleary
	12:00pm Patricia Ann Weismiller
Thursday, July 18	7:00am Poor Souls in Purgatory
	12:00pm †Leo Flaherty
Friday, July 19	7:00am †Catherine LaManna
	12:00pm †Jeff Beissel
Saturday, July 20	7:00am †Carol & †Jerry Halloran
	5:00pm Parishioners
Sunday, July 21	8:00am †Craig Zellmer
<i>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9:30am †Hugh Markley
	11:00am †Katherine Beesch
	12:30pm Alexander James Mathews

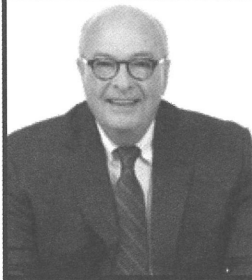


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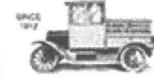
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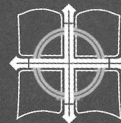
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