

CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION

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August 4, 2024

• *Today's Mass*

**Eighteenth 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

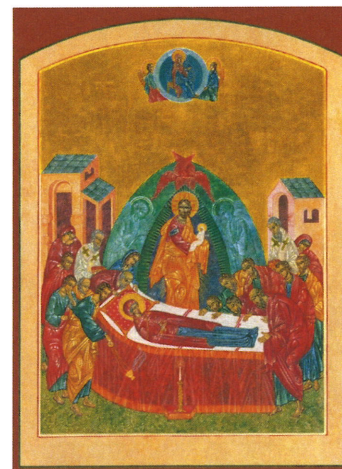
Feast of the Assumption

On Thursday, August 15 we will celebrate our patronal feast, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Masses will be Wednesday, August 14 at 5:15pm and Thursday, August 15 at 7:00am, 12:00pm, and 5:15pm. The Assumption choir will sing at the 5:15pm Mass. This is a holy day of obligation. *(Please note there will be no confessions on August 15th.)*

The Feast of the Assumption recognizes Mary's passage into heaven, as illustrated in the Icon written by Kathleen Holmberg, CSJ (Pictured to the right and is located in church).

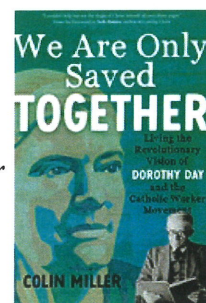
Assumption is a very old feast of the church, celebrated universally by the sixth century. Because it signifies the Blessed Virgin's passing into eternal life, it is the most important of all Marian feasts. This special day is also known as the Feast of the Dormition, a word which means "the falling asleep."

On the Feast of the Assumption in 1855, the cornerstone of the first Assumption church was laid. The roof was completed the following year and the first service was held on May 25, 1856. We are grateful to those German immigrants who founded Assumption over 165 years ago.



Book Reading and Reception, August 29

All are warmly invited to a reading and reception for Colin Miller's new book, *We Are Only Saved Together: Living the Revolutionary Vision of Dorothy Day and the Catholic Worker Movement*, recently published by Ave Maria Press. The book reading and reception will take place 6:30pm-8:00pm on Thursday, August 29, here at Assumption in the Lower Church; it is free and open to the public. For more information and to RSVP, please visit catholicsocialthought.org. The book is an introduction to living the Catholic Worker vision today for the ordinary person.



Upcoming Events

- *Baptism Preparation* classes are held after the 9:30am Mass in the lower church. The next class is Sunday, September 1. Call the parish office to schedule a baptism or to sign up for a class at 651-224-7536.
- *Feast of the Assumption* is Thursday, August 15. See the front page of the bulletin.
- *Blood Drive*. The fall blood drive will be Thursday, September 26.
- *Octoberfest at Assumption*. Join us Friday, September 27. Watch the bulletin for more information.
- *Travel with Fr. Malone*. Join the trip to the Christmas Markets, Nuremberg, Munich, and Salzburg. Contact Karol at 651-452-4679 for more information.

We Extend our Sympathies

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



We Welcome into Our Community

The following children will be baptized at Assumption:

Benjamin Patrick O’Neill, child of Patrick and Carrie O’Neill;
Cooper Timothy John Young, child of Austyn and Callen Young.



Religious Education Classes



Registration for 2024-25 Religious Education Classes is under way. Classes meet Saturday mornings from 9:00am-10:15am at Assumption Church in the old school house. The program is offered to Pre-K through 12th grade students. Preparation for 1st Communion and Reconciliation is offered to 2nd graders, Confirmation preparation is offered to students in 8th grade and older. Please contact Jill Bueno, Religious Education Director, at 651-789-6925 or email her at jbueno@assumptionsp.org to register or for more information.

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. Taste an array of Italian wines. Learn the secrets of homemade pasta. Enjoy a special private tour of the Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel, without the crowds! You will also enjoy some free time to relax and explore on your own.



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>.

Garden Abundance

Is your garden flourishing? Are you running out of recipes, family, and friends for the zucchini, cucumbers, and tomatoes that your garden is producing this summer?



Consider sharing your harvest with a food shelf! Fresh produce is a wonderful gift for families in need. You may leave your items near the church entrances and we’ll make sure that they get to an area food shelf.

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- Special thanks to:**
- *Snow Plowing*
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Thank you!!

"Shout out to this group of volunteers from Assumption who gathered at Second Stork to organize and pack baby supplies! Together they packed 97 newborn bags and bagged all the Size one diapers that were delivered.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Sunday, August 4	8:00am	†Rita Grundtner
<i>Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9:30am	†Virginia & Bud Conoryea
	11:00am	Lillian Weatherholt & †Colquette McNamara
	12:30pm	James Paul Beaudette
Monday, August 5	7:00am	Poor Souls in Purgatory
	12:00pm	†Lexi Foley
Tuesday, August 6	7:00am	†Cheryl Hanzal
<i>The Transfiguration of the Lord</i>	12:00pm	†Steve Stroh
Wednesday, August 7	7:00am	†Cleven Duncan
	12:00pm	†Bob Gosselin
Thursday, August 8	7:00am	†Evelyn & †Matt Siebenaler
<i>Saint Dominic</i>	12:00pm	†Howard Glass
Friday, August 9	7:00am	†Carol & †Jerry Halloran
	12:00pm	†Nicholas Dearse
Saturday, August 10	7:00am	Poor Souls in Purgatory
<i>Saint Lawrence</i>	5:00pm	†Said & †Ann George
Sunday, August 11	8:00am	†Steve McCarron
<i>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9:30am	†Joan Kammerer Zwart
	11:00am	†Harold & †May Belair & †Georgie Modeen
	12:30pm	Parishioners

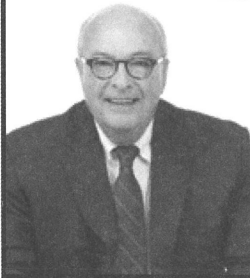


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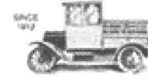
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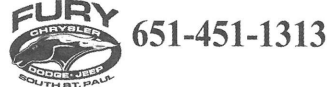
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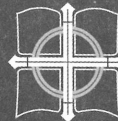
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