



CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION

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February 7, 2021

- *Today's Mass*
Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time
- *Sunday Masses*
8, 9:30, 11 am, 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*
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 11:30-11:50am and Saturday, 4-4:30pm, lower church
- *Baptisms*
Each Sunday 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

LENTEN SEASON 2021

The Lenten season begins with Ash Wednesday, February 17th. There are multiple ways for you to participate in this year's Ash Wednesday liturgies.



To Attend Ash Wednesday in Person

There will be a blessing and distribution of ashes during the Masses at 7:00am, 10:00am, Noon and 5:15pm. *Reservations will be required for those who want to attend Mass in person.* Reservations will open beginning at 9:00am on Thursday, February 11th. To make a reservation please visit the parish website at www.assumptionsp.org or call the parish office (651-224-7536). A confirmation of your reservation will then be sent to your email address. You will need to bring that confirmation with you to Mass. Please note, there will be no confessions on Ash Wednesday.

To Attend Ash Wednesday Virtually

Ash Wednesday Mass will be live streamed at Noon and can be viewed from the comfort and safety of your home. The Mass can be found on the parish website (www.assumptionsp.org) and will also be available to watch the rest of the day.

To Receive Ashes From Your Car

Ashes will be offered to those who come for drive up Communion, beginning at 1:00pm in the parking lot. Please enter the parking lot from Exchange Street.

Together in Hope - 2021 Catholic Services Appeal

As parishioners of Assumption you have most likely received a mailing from the Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) Foundation requesting your support for the 2021 appeal. Your donation helps to support 20 ministries within our 12 county Archdiocese.



Please see the insert in this weekend's bulletin detailing the list of ministries that are supported by this campaign. Please prayerfully consider making a pledge to the CSA Foundation. Envelopes will be available at church entrances next weekend. Donations can also be made via the parish website.

Upcoming Events

- *Religious Education*, Saturday mornings, 9:00-10:15am, St. Mary's Church. For more information contact Jill Bueno, 651-224-7536.
- *Baptism Preparation Class*, this Sunday, February 7th, following the 9:30am Mass. The class is held in the choir room. Please call the parish office to register, 651-224-7536.
- *Ash Wednesday*, February 17th. Mass and distribution of Ashes at 7am, 10am, Noon, & 5:15pm.
- *Lenten Stations of the Cross*, Fridays during Lent beginning February 19th at 3:00pm in the church.

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 Offer Our Condolences

To the family and friends of **Linda Turi, Andrew Froistad, Ronald Jerich and Beverly Anderson** who have passed away. *"Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon them."*

We Welcome into Our Community

The following children who will be baptized at Assumption: **Molly Louise McMillan**, child of Ryan & Emily McMillan; and **Teagan Elise Vandenberghe**, child of Cory & Tia Vandenberghe.



Baptisms are held most Sundays with a common celebration of the sacrament after the 12:30pm Mass. A pre-baptismal class, especially helpful for first time parents, is offered the first Sunday of the month in the lower church following the 9:30am Mass. Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism for your child or to register to attend the class, 651-224-7536.

Congratulations

And God's continued blessings to Fr. Malone who is celebrating the anniversary of his ordination this month. We are so very grateful for this faithful service to the Church and for all he has done and continues to do for Assumption.



Additional Eucharistic & Hospitality Ministers Needed

Especially at our 11:00am and 12:30pm Masses. Please contact Volunteer Coordinator, Mary Weyandt, at the parish office, 651-224-7536, Ext. 111, to learn more about volunteering for these important ministries.

The Power of Prayer

You are welcome to request prayers for yourself or a loved one through our Assumption prayer team. To do so, call the parish office, 651-224-7536. You may leave a first and last name. Requests for prayers can be for any reason, including illness or death of a loved one, job stress, or family discord. Please identify the timeline for your request (i.e. 1 day, 1 month, 6 weeks). All requests are kept confidential.



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Special thanks to:

- *Snow Plowing*
Joseph Vogel
- *Parish Historian*
Dave Brown
- *Landscaping*
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- *Porter*
James Prifrel, Jr.

Scripture and Tradition on Wednesdays

You are invited to join Colin Miller on Wednesdays at 12:30pm in the church for a series of short talks on various Catholic topics. Please gather, with the usual precautions, in front of the Saint Joseph altar immediately following the noon Mass. There is no need to RSVP and you may drop in whenever you can. The topic this Wednesday, February 10th, will be “Rethinking the Good Samaritan”.

Becoming Catholic

Are you interested in exploring the Catholic Faith? Would you like to be baptized or confirmed as an adult? Assumption offers Becoming Catholic Classes (RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) on a rolling basis – it is never too late or too early to join. For more information please contact Colin Miller, 651-789-6929, or by email at cmiller@assumptionsp.org.



Weekly Mass Intentions

Sunday, February 7	8:00am	Parishioners
<i>Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	9:30am	†Brigid Scanlan Eiyneck
	11:00am	†Ben Storey, III
	12:30pm	†Richard Topp
Monday, February 8	7:00am	Intentions of the Little Sisters of the Poor
<i>Saints Jerome & Josephine</i>	12:00pm	†Bert McKasy
Tuesday, February 9	7:00am	Torba Family
	12:00pm	†Fr. Pat Griffin
Wednesday, February 10	7:00am	†Brad Larson
<i>Saint Scholastica</i>	12:00pm	Kait Beaudette
Thursday, February 11	7:00am	†William Wheeler
<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>	12:00pm	†Leo Greengard
Friday, February 12	7:00am	†Terry Sullivan
	12:00pm	†Timothy Brandl
Saturday, February 13	7:00am	†Betty Mae Collins
	5:00pm	†John Palacio
Sunday, February 14	8:00am	†Shelagh Sampair
<i>Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	9:30am	Parishioners
	11:00am	†Bud Faricy
	12:30pm	†Tim O’Gara & †Mike Ruddy

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MINISTRIES

- Abria Pregnancy Resources
- American Indian Ministry
- Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women
- Campus Ministry – Newman Center
- Campus Ministry – Saint Paul's Outreach
- Catholic Charities
- Deaf Ministry
- Evangelization
- Elementary School Funding
- Elementary School Scholarships
- High School Scholarships
- Hospital Chaplains
- Latino Ministry
- Marriage, Family & Life
- Prison Ministry
- Rachel's Vineyard Twin Cities
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- Youth Ministry

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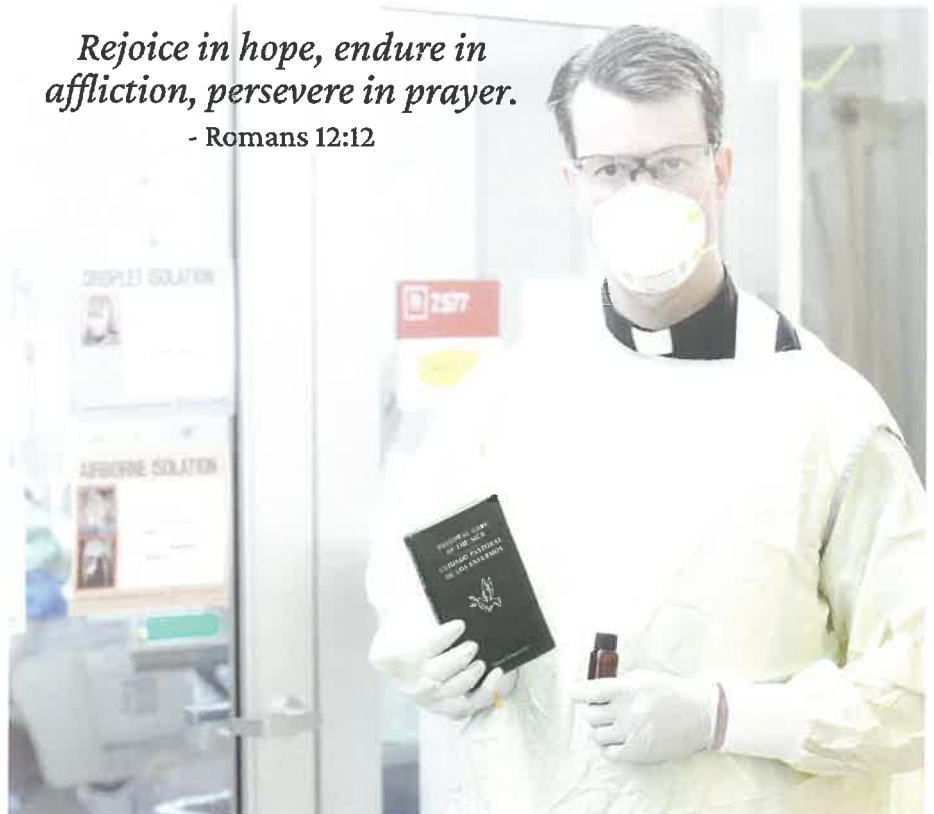
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