



ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

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Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:00pm

Sunday - 8:00am & 10:30am

Weekdays - 8:00am except on Wednesday

School Mass on Wednesday at 8:45am

Rosary - before Daily Mass

Holy Days - announced in bulletin

Confession - Saturday 3:30-4:30pm and

Wednesday 4:30-5:30pm (or by appointment)

Adoration - Wednesday 9:30am-5:30pm

(Concluding with Solemn Benediction at 5:30pm)

Assumption Parish School

Pre-School - Kindergarten - Grades 1-8

Principal - TJ Romano 328-1115

Sacraments

Baptism - Contact the Parish Office

Marriage - Contact the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to wedding for marriage preparation.

Anointing of the Sick - Contact the Parish Office

Parish Council

Christine Anderson Carolyn McCanna

Sally Piepel Bob Pringle

Colleen Spangler Will Terpening

Bill Watson

Finance Council

Bill Arnold Greg Hicks

Judy Hagan (chair) Carol Normandeau

Frank Reichert Craig Soehren

Sue Van Hout

“My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord;
my spirit rejoices in God my savior.” Luke 1:46-47



4/02 Sunday
 8:00am People of Assumption Parish
 10:30am
 4/03 Monday Gene Coil +
 4/04 Tuesday Mary Schroeder +
 4/05 Wednesday Mike Schauble
 4/06 Thursday Evelyn Catherine Baum
 4/07 Friday Mary Schroeder +
 4/08 Saturday Al & Irene Dalsky

SUNDAY
 8:00am
 9:00am
 10:30am
MONDAY
 8:00am
TUESDAY
 8:00am
 9:00am
 9:30am
 6:00pm

APRIL 02
 Mass + Coffee & Donuts
 Sacramental Prep Classes
 Mass + Coffee & Donuts

APRIL 03
 Mass

APRIL 04
 Mass
 Ladies Bible Study
 Senior's Continental Breakfast
 JR High Youth



WEDNESDAY
 8:45am
 9:30am
 4:30pm
 5:30pm
 7:00pm
THURSDAY
 8:00am
 6:30pm
FRIDAY
 8:00am
 10:00am
 6:00pm
 7:00pm
SATURDAY
 7:00am
 10:00am
 3:30pm
 5:00pm
SUNDAY
 8:00am
 9:00am
 10:30am
 1:00pm

APRIL 05
 Mass
 Adoration
 Confessions
 Benediction
 RCIA

APRIL 06
 Mass
 Adult Ed (Multi-Purpose Room)

APRIL 07
 Mass
 Assumption Retired Men
 Soup Supper
 Stations of the Cross

On Fridays during Lent, we will have our Lenten Soup Suppers at 6:00pm in the Multi-Purpose Room. Bring a favorite meatless soup or simply stop by for a bowl before Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm.



Please join us for Stations of the Cross Friday evenings at 7:00pm in the church.



IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers

Please pray for: Joan Marihugh, MaryAnn O'Hare, Mike Schauble, Ken, Kathy Richardson, Megan Day, John Reilly, Gerrine Njenga, Halla Miller, Hank,, Jamie, Susan, Peg Walsh, Sean, Dick Henrichs, Anita Brennan, and all who are sick or recovering from surgery. If you have a prayer request for the bulletin, please call Barbara Rice (327-8124) or Kathryn Overland (328-8523).



March 26, 2017: \$12,510.00 Needy: \$151.00
 "As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace"
 (1 Pt 4:10)



April 2, 2017 5th Sunday in Lent



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION classes on Tuesdays have ended for the year. We had the final class on Tuesday, March 28. I would like to extend my thanks to our Religious Ed Coordinator Jane Weigelt, and the teachers this year who led the classes with enthusiasm, energy and joy. They have been positive role models who helped the children grow in faith and spirituality. Thank you to Patty Amaro, Crystal Bedell, Catherine Bovey, Terry Morgan and Molly Sanchez. A special thank you to Melissa Winborne for help in setting up and serving the pizza before classes.

*A catechist is faith, hope, and love attached to arms and legs, aches and pains,
family duties and not enough time.*

*A catechist is an ordinary person who is extraordinary because
he or she teaches as Jesus did.*

*A catechist is faithful to the past, open to the future, but especially dedicated
to deepening the faith of the present generation.*

- From the poem "A Catechist Is" by Msgr. John Francis Murphy



40 CANS FOR LENT

As of March 26, we are over 2,500 pounds of canned goods have been donated to Caritas!

Your generosity continues to inspire—thank you!

The Assumption Knights of Columbus Council are participating in a **40 Cans For Lent** food drive for Caritas again this year. During this Lenten season, the Assumption Knights of Columbus Council asks that each family prayerfully consider donating 40 "canned items" (or other necessities) and deposit them in the receptacle at the entrance of Assumption Church. The following items are needed at Caritas:



Canned Beans	Lentils	Syrup	Quinoa
Canned Fruit	Macaroni & Cheese	Split Peas	Peanut Butter
Canned Soup/Chili	Pasta	Jam	Cereal
Canned Vegetables	Pasta Sauce	Crackers	

On behalf of the Pope St. John XXIII Knights of Columbus Council #15968, thank you for your support and generosity for this worthwhile charitable ministry.

SENIOR'S CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST



will meet on Wed, April 5 at 9:30am in the gym. Stop by for coffee and a light breakfast and a chance to visit with friends.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Deacon Craig Blomgren will be leading a special walking Stations of the Cross on Sat, April 8 at 2:00pm at Holy Cross Cemetery. Everyone is invited as we begin our journey to Holy Week.



LENTEN DATES TO REMEMBER

Chrism Mass	Tue, Apr 4	5:15pm	Cathedral of Our Lady of Lourdes
Holy Thursday	Thur, Apr 13	7:00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday	Fri, Apr 14	7:00pm	Veneration of the Cross
Easter Vigil	Sat, Apr 15	8:00pm	
Easter Sunday	Sun, Apr 16	8:00am / 10:30am	

QUILT RAFFLE—We will be having members from the Guatemala Commission here in the next few weeks selling raffle tickets after Mass to win a beautiful handmade quilt. Because of the longstanding relationship with Guatemala, our Guatemala Mission support goes directly to the poor and needy. Ongoing prayer and financial support are vital to the lives and welfare of these people. The Mayan Indians in the Northern Guatemala are among the most impoverished people in the world. Oppressed by others for hundreds of years, these native peoples have been forced to eke out a living on the slopes of volcanic peaks at the 9,000-12,000 ft. elevation level. Many families live in one-room cornstalk huts with dirt floors and no water or electricity. All proceeds from the quilt raffle will benefit the mission in the Diocese of Solalá.



YES FOR VBS! We are grateful to those who have come forward to help ensure that Vacation Bible School will continue this year! Mark your calendars for the week of June 26-30 for an exciting week with *"Rome, Paul and the Underground Church"*. Volunteers are still needed for various shops and activities, as well as help in planning and set up. Please call Jane Weigelt (844-2265) or the parish office (326-0144) for more information.



2017 Winter Annual Catholic Appeal—Thank you so much to everyone who has already donated to the Annual Catholic Appeal. Our goal is \$95,612—we are a 76% of our goal! As of last Thursday, March 16, we had pledged **\$72,355.00**. The Appeal funds programs for our retired priests (supporting Fr. Mike, Fr. Ty, Fr. Tom Caswell and many more), youth ministry, (from Religious Ed through college age), formation for future priests (we need more!), and much more. Thank you for your continued generous support.



ASSUMPTION PARISH SCHOOL

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Get ready to sail away on a cruise for two to either the Bahamas or Caribbean! Assumption Parish Catholic School is selling raffle tickets to win this great prize! Win a 4 or 5 night cruise on Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines, a set of Nautica luggage and a \$300 Visa gift card. (airfare not included) The winning ticket will be drawn the night of our **31st Annual Auction Sat, April 22 at 5:00pm at Gonzaga Prep.**

Tickets are only \$10, and available in the school office.



At the auction, there will also be a **"Wall of Wine"** filled with many different wines for purchase. If you have an extra bottle or two of wine that you would like to donate—they will be gratefully accepted!

You may drop them off in the School or Parish Office.



SPRING BREAK— We pray ... "Shelter them with Your protection by day, give them the light of Your grace by night, and, as their companion on the journey, bring them to their destination in safety."
- from the Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers



SACRED HEART RADIO

Take the Lenten Listener Challenge, and tune in to Sacred Heart Radio AM 1050 each day from now until Easter. Listen during your commute, or anytime during the day! For great reception all day and night, try out the beautiful new Sacred Heart Radio app. It's free, and available for iPhone and Android. Take Sacred Heart Radio with you wherever you go this Lent.

ENCOUNTER RESILIENCE



We encounter Dita in Ethiopia, and see how her newfound entrepreneurial skills are providing three meals a day for her children—even during a devastating drought. What skills have you discovered this Lent that can be put to good use in building God's kingdom? Visit crsricebowl.org for more information.

CARITAS OUTREACH MINISTRIES

Items needed: Pancake mix, jam/jelly

Necessities: Toilet paper, shampoo, shaving cream, razors, toothpaste, can openers, Kleenex.

Volunteers for the food bank and to pick up food are desperately needed. It requires only a few hours per week. Please call 326-2249 for information.

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