



# 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

**SUNDAY**                      **MAY 28**  
 8:00am                      Mass + Coffee & Donuts  
 10:30am                      Mass + Coffee & Donuts

**MONDAY**                      **MAY 29**  
 (Parish Office closed)  
 8:00am                      Mass

**TUESDAY**                      **MAY 30**  
 8:00am                      Mass

**WEDNESDAY**                      **MAY 31**  
 8:45am                      Mass  
 9:30am                      Adoration  
 4:30pm                      Confessions  
 5:30pm                      Benediction

**THURSDAY**                      **JUNE 01**  
 8:00am                      Mass

**FRIDAY**                      **JUNE 02**  
 8:00am                      Mass

**SATURDAY**                      **JUNE 03**  
 7:00am                      Men's Bible Study  
 3:00pm                      Confession  
 5:00pm                      Mass

**SUNDAY**                      **JUNE 04**  
 8:00am                      Mass + Coffee & Donuts  
 10:30am                      Mass + Coffee & Donuts



5/28 Sunday  
 8:00am Leonard Riley +  
 10:30am Mary Schroeder +  
 5/29 Monday Marilyn MacDowell +  
 5/30 Tuesday Dorothy Rasmussen +  
 5/31 Wednesday Mary Schroeder +  
 6/01 Thursday Steve & Mabel Sullivan +  
 6/02 Friday Ruth Johnson +  
 6/03 Saturday People of Assumption Parish

**CONFIRMATION & FIRST EUCHARIST**

Banners and certificates for those who celebrated Confirmation & First Eucharist last weekend are now in the Parish Office for families who haven't yet picked them up.



**THANK YOU**—We are grateful to Fr. Steve Hess, Fr. Mike Savelesky, Fr. Tom Caswell, and Fr. Jo Hien who will be saying Mass while Fr. Tim is away.

*Thoughts and Prayers* IN OUR  
 Please pray for: Mae Swagel, Vic Alfonso, Jordan Lockwood, Helen Black, Joseph Agoos, Joan Marihugh, Stacey Hastings, MaryAnn O'Hare, Mike Schauble, 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).



May 21, 2017: \$8,955.00 Needy: \$1,020.00  
 "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)



May 28, 2017  
7th Sunday of Easter



*I have always been enthralled* with the stories of adventurers and pilgrims who have travelled to different parts of the world so different from my own. With the development of modern transportation in the early 20th century which made travel so much more possible, newspaper journalists and adventurers shared with a much larger public, their experiences to places only imagined in the preceding years. Our pilgrimage will begin in Thessaloniki where we will arrive on Monday. St. Paul's arrival there was met with some significant opposition: Thessaloniki was a significant Roman city, but had a strong Jewish center. Paul's preaching proclaimed Jesus as Messiah, whose rising from the dead was a 'parousia' or a "royal appearance," flying contrary to the vision of the Jews who resisted His recognition and the vision of the Romans who had shortly before that, declared that the emperors were deities and where, within the common culture, being divinized—(being recognized as gods). Paul and his companions are quickly driven out from Thessaloniki, and his letters to the community there remind them of God's tender care for them, but it also contains the vision of resurrection which confounds the Jewish temple leaders because it adopts the Pharisees position of resurrection wherein the dead in Christ will rise first—that those who have died, will be caught up in the air with the Lord... Paul and his companions escape, but withdraw a short distance away to Berea, and it is there that there is peace for some short while. We will move on to Philippi and Kavala (Neapolis in Paul's time), and then to visit some of the sites associated with ancient Macedonia—there will be the opportunity to preach and celebrate at the Bema of St. Paul in Veria. (the 'bema' is a sort of runway that moves out from the sanctuary area of a temple that allows one's voice to be heard in the crowd—this would have been the venue for the kind of preaching that Paul would have done among the larger gatherings). We marvel that the Acts of the Apostles tells us of 3, 4, and 5 thousand people being added to the number of disciples in a day—with that kind of exposure to the crowds, the companions of Paul would have been kept busy baptizing and welcoming people into the Body of Christ....

Join us on-line for some of the updates that I will try and have for you as the days of our pilgrimage go on...

With prayers for us all at Assumption, on pilgrimage,

Fr. Tim and companions

*All-powerful God, you always show mercy toward those who love you  
and you are never far away for those who seek you.  
Remain with your servants as they travel and guide their way in accord with your will.  
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.  
Amen*

## Heavenly Father,

On this Memorial Day, we pray for those who courageously laid down their lives for the cause of freedom. May the example of their sacrifice inspire in us the selfless love of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Bless the families of our fallen troops, and fill their homes and their lives with your strength and peace.

In union with people of goodwill of every nation, embolden us to answer the call to work for peace and justice, and thus, seek an end to violence and conflict around the globe.

We pray through Christ our Lord.

Amen



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



Mark your calendars for the week of June 26-30 for an exciting week with "*Rome, Paul and the Underground Church*". Registration forms available in the School or Parish Offices, and on our website. Please turn them in as soon as possible, we will be limiting sign up to 150 children. Volunteers are still needed for various shops and activities, as well as set up. Please call Jane Weigelt (844-2265) or the parish office (326-0144) for more information.

**PLAY AND PRAY!** Join other families on Sunday, June 4, 4:30-6:00pm on the upper field as we "play" Ultimate Frisbee and "pray" together as we enjoy our time together outdoors as a parish family. The younger children will have the playground equipment while older ones can be on a team. Call Sheila d'Esterre 406-253-9569 for more information.



## CARITAS OUTREACH MINISTRIES

**Items needed:** Canned vegetables, jelly

**Necessities:** Toilet paper, paper towels, dish soap

Volunteers for the food bank, front desk, (especially on Mondays) and backup drivers are also needed. Please call 326-2249 for information.

**Yard Sale**—Donations accepted for our yard sale on Sat, June 24, 8:00am-3:00pm.



## ASSUMPTION PARISH SCHOOL

Principal: TJ Romano / 328-1115

**BLOOD DRIVE FOR SCIENCE!** Help Assumption Parish Catholic School raise \$1,500 for our science program by donating blood. Assumption is partnering with Inland Northwest Blood Center to host a Blood Drive on Wednesday, May 31st from 12:00-5:00. We need 30 volunteers to give blood for Assumption to receive this **\$1,500 science grant.** By donating your time and blood to Inland Northwest Blood Center you will be benefiting people in need of a transfusion and the Assumption students. Call the School Office to make your appointment today. Please call the school office at 328-1115 for additional details. Thank you for your support. Go Hawks!



## AROUND THE DIOCESE

**MEMORIAL DAY MASSES**—Catholic Funeral & Cemetery Services cordially invites you to one of the Memorial Day Masses on May 29 at each location: Queen of Peace Cemetery at 8:00am, St. Joseph Cemetery at 10:00am, and Holy Cross Cemetery at 10:00am. Invite friends and family to the celebration of Mass to pray and remember the faithful departed. Except for Queen of Peace, the Masses will be celebrated outdoors (weather permitting), please bring your own chair. Bishop Thomas Daly will be the celebrant at Holy Cross.



The **International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima** is on a two-year journey across America, honoring the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the apparitions at Fatima. The tour stops at St. Anthony Parish in Newport, WA on Monday, July 17. Bishop Daly will preside at the 5:30 pm Mass. Events happen throughout the day. Go here for more information: <https://www.fatimatourforpeace.com/the-tour/> For more information, please contact Mary Ann Barton 509-447-2685

*Fatima is more than anything this mantle of Light where we take refuge when we ask the Virgin Mary: "show unto us Jesus". - Pope Francis*

## PARISH LIBRARY



Fr. Svetozar Kraljevic's Apparitions of Our Lady at Medjugorje—A historical account with interviews that details the apparitions in the words of those who experienced them. See the parish website under **Faith Formation** for open hours, book lists, etc.

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