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Office Hours: Monday to Thursday: 9am to 12noon and 1pm to 4pm

### PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Maurice Restivo CSB – *Pastor*  
Dcn. Paul Bezaire – *Deacon*  
Rev. Jim Stenberg C.S.B. – *Parochial Vicar*  
Kevin Mannara C.S.B. – *Seminarian*  
Sr. Lise Jolie, SNJM – *Business Manager*  
Sr. Connie Harrington, SNJM – *Youth Programs*  
Marilyn Morrison – *Bereavement Ministry*

### PARISH STAFF

Sally McQuaid – *Secretary*  
Kevin McQuaid Jr. – *Properties*  
Tim McKinley – *Properties*  
Ammilla Perera – *Parking Lot Manager*

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Kevin Alexander - *Chair*

### PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE

Jason Grech - *Chair*

### WEEKEND MASSES MCEWAN CAMPUS

Saturday Vigil - 5 pm  
Sunday - 9 am, 11 am, 7:30 pm

### CONFESSIONS - MCEWAN CAMPUS

Saturdays - 3:45pm to 4:45pm

### DAILY MASSES - ROSARY CHAPEL

Monday - 8am  
Tuesday - 12:10pm  
Wednesday - 5pm  
Thursday - 12:10pm  
Friday - 8am

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - ROSARY CHAPEL

Monday to Friday - 8:30am to 8pm

### BAPTISMS

Baptisms for children of parishioners are celebrated monthly. Contact Sr. Lise Jolie for details of the program.

### MARRIAGES

Couples must arrange one year in advance and be active in the parish. Contact the Parish Office.

### RCIA

Program for those interested in the Catholic Faith. Contact the parish office.

### CHILDREN'S PROGRAMING

For children preparing for First Confession, Communion, Confirmation and for all other grades at well. Registration is required in September.

### VISITATION OF THE SICK

Contact Dcn. Paul Bezaire to make arrangements.

### FUNERALS

Please have the Funeral Director contact the office for arrangements.

### CAMPUS MINISTRY

(519-973-7033)  
Fr. Paul McGill, C.S.B. - *Chaplain*  
Chrisandra Skipper, Tom Dula, Andrea Dula  
- *Campus Ministers*

### CATHOLIC ORGANIZATIONS

Assumption Parish Community Association  
Chad McPhedran - *Chair*  
Knights of Columbus  
Sammy Sleiman - *Grand Knight*  
St. Vincent de Paul  
Ivan Benko - *Chair*

ASSUMPTION PARISH WELCOMES ALL VISITORS AND WE ARE BLESSED TO HAVE YOU WITH US.  
NEW PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO INTRODUCE YOURSELVES TO A MEMBER OF OUR  
PASTORAL TEAM AND TO REGISTER IN THE PARISH.

# Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

## September 6, 2015



You, the people who make up Assumption Parish, are *amazing*! So many of you came to Assumption Church on our patronal feast—some estimates were around 600.

Even more impressive was the following day: around 400 of us gathered for the parish picnic. You braved the high temperatures and hot sun, and waited around while we went out for more meat, making what many told me was the largest gathering of its kind that Assumption has had.

I hope each of you realizes just how important you are to the parish. Whether we sink or swim depends on the dedication, presence, and commitment of the people in the pews, not the ones up at the altar.

As I write this, I am on holidays in Texas. I'm here for a family celebration. (Over 60 of us were together to celebrate birthday milestones!) As you read this, I'll be back home among you, and we will be celebrating Labour Day. I hope that everyone has had the opportunity to take at least some time to get away from routine and taken time for rest and renewal this summer. And now as the school year begins, and summer holidays have ended, we come together in earnest.

The Letter of James reminds us of the importance of each and every one of us. It is not just the powerful and the moneyed who are special in God's eyes. In fact, the labour movement reminds us of that very thing: we are each special in God's eyes. We each contribute something important to the whole—regardless of our education, social status, finances, physical or mental abilities, or anything else. I pray that every one of us can discover how special we are to God, and help others to do so as well.

*J. Maurice*

## LITURGY CORNER

The Assumption Parish bulletin will have a new feature entitled "Liturgy Corner." Each week we'll address a topic related to how the Church worships. These will include what liturgy is, some history and background about the Church's liturgical life, liturgical ministries and liturgical space. Eventually I will take liturgy-related questions from parishioners, so start thinking about what we do at mass and what more you'd like to know. For example: Why does the priest wear certain colors? Has the Mass always been the same? How important is liturgy to the life of the Church? Why dip our hand in holy water and make the sign of the cross as we enter a church? What is liturgical ministry? Has the Church adopted a certain style of architecture?

—Kevin Mannara C.S.B.

### Our Parish Welcomed



**Ilario Federico Shaw child of Martin and Sabrina**  
Sunday July 5, 2015

**Jace Robert Ruggirello son of Anthony and Jodi**  
Sunday August 9, 2015

**Lilyana Rose Jardine daughter of Jamie and Lisa**  
Sunday August 16, 2015



### CONGRATULATIONS TO

**Adam and Tehra Gwilt**  
Saturday July 4, 2015

**Troy and Katherine Sajatovich**  
Saturday July 18, 2015

**Michael and Carolina Harrington**  
Saturday July 25, 2015

**Kyle and Theresa Renaud**  
Saturday July 25, 2015

**Alex and Jane Bussiere**  
Saturday August 15, 2015

On their Sacrament of Marriage in our parish



## WHY CATHOLIC? SEASON TWO

*Why Catholic? is a dynamic small group faith sharing experience*

THEME: BELIEVE: THE CREED

### SIGN – UP SUNDAY

**SEPTEMBER 19 / 20**



Assumption Parish is pleased to welcome anyone who may be interested in exploring the Catholic faith.

Our program is meant to include those who have not been baptized, those baptized in another Christian tradition who would like to be received into the Roman Catholic Church, and also Catholics who wish to renew and deepen their faith.

As the Lord says: "Come and see!"

**Stay tuned for more information coming soon!**

### CATECHISM REGISTRATION



If you are planning to have your child make a sacrament in our parish please make sure you register with the catechism classes for this year. Registration on Monday September 14 and 21 Assumption Parish-McEwan Campus

711 McEwan Ave

from 6:00pm-7:30pm

Please note that all children planning to make their sacraments at our Parish **MUST** be registered for the classes.

### HOMILIES ON LINE



FATHER MAURICE AND DEACON PAUL ARE NOW RECORDING THEIR

WEEKEND HOMILIES AND THEY ARE

AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE TO HEAR AT

[WWW.ASSUMPTION.DOL.CA](http://WWW.ASSUMPTION.DOL.CA)

**DIVORCED?**

**The Catholic's Divorce Survival Guide** 12-week group begins on Wednesday September 23, 2015 @ 7 pm in Rosary Hall. Cost to register is \$15 and includes a "Personal Survival Guide". This Christian program is based on the teachings of the Catholic Church and open to anyone who needs comfort, counsel and clarity after a divorce.

To register call Rose Marie Ruston 519-967-1782 or email: [assumption@cogeco.net](mailto:assumption@cogeco.net)

**A September Ultreva for Windsor/Essex County**

will be held at

St. John the Baptist Parish, Amherstburg, ON  
Friday, September 11 at 7:30pm.

If you have made a Cursillo Weekend please come and share in a Faith-filled evening.

All Cursillistas are WELCOME!



**Assumption Parish Community Association**

Our Lady of the Assumption

"Children of the Light Catechism Program" will begin on Oct. 19, 2015 with registration being held on September 14th and 21st.

Are you willing to share your time and/or talent by volunteering for the program? The time is 2 hours each Monday night and the talent needed are the gifts God gave you on your journey of life. If you are 18 years or older, we invite you to prayerfully consider participating in this unique faith centered program for the youth of our Parish. The Catechism Program has been in existence in our Faith Community for the past 15 years and was developed to encourage and maintain community involvement in the education, protection, spiritual development and well being of our children.

May the light of Christ shine on you to answer the call to serve.

For further information please contact:

Marilyn Morrison 519-253-2761 [mgm7@cogeco.ca](mailto:mgm7@cogeco.ca)  
or the Rectory at 519-253-2493



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For confidential information about, or to register for the September program beginning with a weekend on September 25-27, 2015 call 226 231-0836

email: [retrouvaillelondonstthomas@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvaillelondonstthomas@gmail.com)  
or visit the web site at [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org)

**SUNDAY COLLECTION**

**September 6, 2015**  
**Regular Offertory**  
**Miscellaneous**  
**Total Collection**

Please refer to next week's bulletin for total.



**Mass Intentions for the Week**

<b>8am-Mass</b>	<b>Monday September 7th-Labor Day Holiday</b> <b>Open for Mass only-Chapel closed after Mass</b>
<b>8am-Mass</b>	<b>Tuesday September 8th</b> <b>For the intentions of Gabriel, Andreas, Aron and all the children in the whole world</b>
<b>12:10-Mass</b>	† Remo Incitti by wife Lucy † Santigo Eugenio by Mila & Family † Marco Pavicich by the Koren Family
7:00pm	Cenacle of Our Lady of Guadalupe (Rosary Chapel)
<b>8am-Mass</b> <b>5pm-Mass</b>	<b>Wednesday September 9th</b> † Dorothy McPhee by the Good Shepherd Associates † Laura Mantovan by John & Karen Dollar
<b>8am-Mass</b> <b>12:10-Mass</b>	<b>Thursday September 10th</b> † Cecile & Raymond Nadeau by the Family <b>In honor of St. Anthony by Marg White</b>
7:00pm 7:30pm 7:30pm	Choir Practice with Peter (McEwan Campus-Church) Hour of Power (Rosary Chapel) Nar Anon (Rosary Hall)
<b>8am-Mass</b>	<b>Friday September 11th</b> <b>For the intentions of Berny Lesperance by Rose &amp; Bill Desbien</b>
9:00am 3:00pm 6:30pm 7:00pm	SVDP Forgotten Harvest Produce (McEwan Campus) Divine Mercy Hour (Rosary Chapel) Confessions (Rosary Chapel) Apostolate of Fatima Mass & Rosary (Rosary Chapel)
<b>Mass</b> <b>5:00pm</b>	<b>Saturday September 12th</b> <b>For the Intentions of the Parishioners</b>
8:30am 2:00pm	SVDP Meeting/Home Visits (McEwan Campus-Hall) Hawkins/Faraci Wedding (McEwan Campus-Church)
<b>Masses</b> <b>9:00am</b> <b>11:00am</b> <b>7:30pm</b>	<b>Sunday September 13th</b> <b>For the Intentions of the Parishioners</b> <b>For the Intentions of the Parishioners</b> <b>For the Intentions of the Parishioners</b>

**MASS TIMES IN ROSARY CHAPEL**  
**STARTING SEPTEMBER 7TH**



**MONDAY THRU FRIDAY-8:00AM**  
**AND ALSO**  
**TUESDAY & THURSDAY-12:10PM**  
**WEDNESDAY-5:00PM**

**CAMPUS MINISTRY MASS SUNDAY MASS-4:00PM**  
**DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR**



**FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER**

Please pray for the following couple as they prepare for their upcoming marriage

Ryan Hawkins and Jillian Faraci-September 12, 2015



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