



Our Lady of Assumption CATHOLIC PARISH

HURON CHAPEL, 1804



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PASTORAL TEAM

Father William Riegel, C.S.B. - *Pastor*
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WEDDING CEREMONY COORDINATORS

Carmen Archibald Annette Richards

MUSIC

Margaret Rathwell (5:00 p.m.)
Judy Boutin (9:00 a.m. HNM)
Greg Mailloux (7:30 p.m.)

SUNDAY MASSES

Assumption Church

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 7:30 p.m.

Holy Name of Mary Church

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Assumption Church in Rosary Chapel

Monday to Saturday 8:00 a.m.
Morning Prayer 7:40 a.m.

Holy Name of Mary

Thursday 8:30 a.m.

LATIN MASS

Mass in the Tridentine Form
Sunday, 2 p.m.; Tuesday, 7 p.m.

Chaplain: Fr. Peter Hrytsyk

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 3:45 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. in Rosary Chapel

BAPTISMS: Baptisms for children of registered and active parishioners take place the second Sunday of each Month. Contact the rectory for details.

WEDDINGS: Weddings for registered and active parishioners, please contact the rectory at least one year in advance.

RCIA (ROMAN CATHOLIC INITIATION OF ADULTS):

Those adults interested in the Catholic Faith, please contact the rectory for information.

CHILDREN CATECHETICAL PROGRAMME:

(First Confession, First Communion, Confirmation)
Mr. Paul Bezaire (contact the rectory)

ANOIDTING OF THE SICK:

Communal (Parish) Celebrations Yearly or by request.

EXPOSITION IN ROSARY CHAPEL:

Monday to Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Saturday: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 12:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: (Sunday, 11 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. Mass)

Chantal Marvelli (contact the rectory)

OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

St. James Elementary School (519-252-9960)
St. John Elementary School (519-256-4092)
Assumption High School (519-256-7801)

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

New parishioners are most welcome and are invited to register in our parish. Cards are available at the back of the Church or at the Office.

CATHOLIC ORGANIZATIONS: (contact the rectory)

Assumption Knights of Columbus: Mr. Michael Weston,
Grand Knight (contact the rectory)
St. Vincent de Paul: Mr. Phil Hanslein (contact the rectory)

BULLETIN: All entries must be in at the office by 3:00 p.m. Monday

Assumption Site: 350 Huron Church Road, Windsor, Ontario N9C 2J9

Holy Name of Mary Site: 681 McEwan

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Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Closed 12:00-1:00 p.m.)

Website: www.assumption.dol.ca

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

March 4th, 2012

Genesis 22:1-18; Romans 8:31-37; Mark 9:2-10



In today's gospel of the Transfiguration, the message the disciples receive from the Father in an enveloping cloud is: "This is my beloved Son, Listen to him." Those heroes and guides of the past from Abraham on, those whose lives anticipated the fulfillment of God's blessings, now fade into the background. There is no one but Jesus. Our submission of faith is to him alone. We bind ourselves to him even if that means going to Jerusalem and witnessing his passion. Moreover, as St. Paul reminds us, we bind ourselves to him in the midst of our own tribulations. And we do so knowing that he has also irrevocably bound himself to us. The Transfiguration offers striking insight into Christ's authority, mission and nature. The journey begins and ends with Jesus.



Dear Parishioners: as we now enter more and more into the journey of Lent, I want to point out the many activities and services of our parish during these grace-filled days. Daily Mass at Assumption Church Mon.-Fri. is at 8 am and 12:10 pm; Sat. at 8 am. Holy Name of Mary Thursday Mass at 8:30 am. Stations of the Cross and Benediction each Friday in Assumption Church at 7 pm. The Diocesan Day of Reconciliation will be held on Wed. March 21. We will also be celebrating the Sacrament of the Sick at all weekend Masses on March 17/18. And finally, a financial update will be given to the parish the weekend of March 24/24 (This is a Lenten exercise to make us aware of our almsgiving throughout the year). The Holy Week schedule will be included in our bulletin in the next few weeks. Of course, adoration continues in Holy Rosary Chapel on a weekly basis offering all in Windsor a haven of peace for prayer. Let us continue to follow him to Jerusalem and as St. Paul tells us: if we are faithful in following him in his cross, surely we will rejoice with him in his resurrection.

J. Bill

Did you KNOW? Assumption Parish is on Facebook? You can LIKE us by going to the embedded Facebook feed on our website (www.assumption.dol.ca)

Looking for a little inspiration during Lent? Follow the Campus Ministry student blog, wiLent: A Journey Through the Desert. The blog follows seven students blogging about their Lenten journey on a daily basis. Additionally, each Sunday, a video reflection is produced. All of these links can be found at the parish website (www.assumption.dol.ca) under the "Resources" tab.

THIS WEEK AT ASSUMPTION PARISH

March 4th ~ March 10th

SUNDAY:

8 am. Mass, Assumption (pro populo)
9 am. Mass, HNM (pro populo)
11 am. Mass, Assumption (pro populo)
2 pm. Assu. Church Latin Mass in the Tridentine Form
7:30 pm. Mass, Assumption (pro populo)

MONDAY:

8 am. Rosary Chapel Mass
Sabatino Rusciollelli (Mrs. Edvig Duronio)
Giuseppe Slongo (Wife & Family)
Remo Incitti & Gino Palermo (Elizabeth)
12:10 pm. Mass Rosary Chapel

TUESDAY:

8 am. Mass, Rosary Chapel
Michellina Manicini (Family)
Benedetto Liburdi (Filomena Liburdi & Family)
All Souls in Purgatory (Filomena Liburdi)
11 am. Rosary Hall Alcoholics Anonymous Campus Group Meeting
8:10 pm. Rosary Chapel Bible Study with Fr. Bill
12:10 pm. Mass Rosary Chapel

WEDNESDAY:

8 am. Mass, Rosary Chapel
Bernard & Norma Dunn (Charmaine & Dale Dunn)
Int. of Berney Lesperance (Cess)
All souls in Purgatory
12:10 pm. Mass Rosary Chapel

THURSDAY:

8 am. Mass, Rosary Chapel
Eugenio Ruffolo (Tony Bietola)
Loreto Venditti (A & A Torti)
Pinetta Iosa (Torti Family)
8:30 am. Mass, HNM
Vincenzo & Wugenia Giannone (Calamita)
Aldo Boaro (Maria Timperio)
Marilyn Shaw (Alistair & Anita MacLeod)
11 am. Rosary Hall Alcoholics Anonymous Campus Group Meeting
12:10 pm. Mass, Rosary Chapel

FRIDAY:

8 am. Mass, Rosary Chapel
Leo Quimby (Wife Daisy)
Int. of Chanana Perera (Family)
Pinetta Iosa (Torti Family)
12:10 pm. Mass, Rosary Chapel
3 pm Rosary Chapel, Divine Mercy Hour
7 pm Stations of the Cross, Assumption Church

SATURDAY:

8 am. Mass, Rosary Chapel
Int of Charles & Margaret Semande (Barbara Semande)
Howard Williams (Pat and Brenda)
Int. of Berny Lesperance (Friends)

CREED 2: Spirituality of Community: Beyond Individualism

We live so much of our lives in communities, but many of us live in an unhealthy level of individualism. We connect to people only when we need them. This week, CREED focuses on community and hospitality.

Join us at 6 pm in the Freed-Orman Centre for a facilitated discussion on this important Lenten Theme.

“As Much as I am seeking other people out in order to get something for myself, the deeper truth is that I am hoping they will draw me out of myself.” - Barbara Brown Taylor, *An Altar in the World*.

Student Lenten Retreat – March 11

Sunday, March 11, we will join students from King's College, Brescia College and Seminarians from St. Peter's Seminary (all the higher ed institutions in the diocese) for a one-day retreat in London.

Our Keynote speaker will be Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI (Hamilton).

There is no cost for the retreat. We will leave at 9:30 am on Sunday and return at 9 pm. See the Facebook event or contact Fr. Chris for details.

PLEASE RSVP BY MONDAY, MARCH 5!

Any questions about the above may be directed to Fr. Chris at cvalka@assumptionu.ca or at 519-253-3000 x3381.



DIOCESAN DAY OF RECONCILIATION
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Schedule for Assumption Church
9—11:30 am
12:30 pm—3 pm
6—8 pm

In this season of Lent, as we focus on God's call to return to him with all our hearts, we will have the opportunity to ritualize our desire for change and renewal. Throughout the diocese on Wednesday, March 21, every priest in every parish will be available throughout the entire day to celebrate the sacrament of penance (reconciliation). Over this week let us make the journey into the heart of our relationship with God. Take a long loving look at the ways God calls you to grow. Take this challenge and hold it in readiness for the rich blessing that is manifest in sacrament of penance (reconciliation).



ST. MARK'S SCRIPTURE STUDY WITH FR. BILL

WE WILL BE BREAKING FOR ONE MORE WEEK AND THE REMAINING SCHEDULE IS:

March 13/14—Peter's Confession/Transfiguration/Passion Predications

March 20/21—The Jerusalem ministry of Jesus

March 27/28—The Passion/Resurrection

We meet on Tuesday evening, 8:10 pm in *Rosary Chapel* and the same material offered on Wednesday, 12:10 pm in *Rosary Hall*.



PARISH CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK
MARCH 17/18

God of all consolation, you chose and sent your Son to heal the world. Graciously listen to our prayer of faith: send down the power of your Holy Spirit, the Consoler, into this precious oil, this soothing ointment, this rich gift, this fruit of the earth.

Bless + this oil and sanctify it for our use.....

LENT—GOD'S GIFT TO US OF HEALING. WE WILL CELEBRATE THIS GIFT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK AT ALL THE WEEKEND MASSES MARCH 17/18. THIS IS NOT A GENERAL ANOINTING FOR ALL PARISH MEMBERS BUT IS RESERVED FOR THOSE SUFFERING ILLNESS OF ANY KIND AND SENIORS WHO WISH TO RECEIVE THE GRACE OF THIS SACRMENT.....HOWEVER, THE ENTIRE PARISH PRAYS WITH THOSE ANOINTED THAT THE HOLY SPIRIT INDEED STRENGTHENS ALL.

PARISH GOOD FRIDAY FISH DINNER

Following the Good Friday Service at the Freed/Orman Centre behind Assumption Church.
More information to follow....



PARISH SUPPORT

THANK YOU

Offertory Collection for Assumption Parish

Feb. 19 \$ 6,606.31

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Misc. Offerings....

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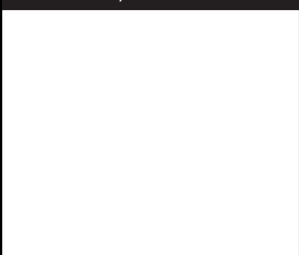
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