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Kevin Alexander - *Chair*

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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

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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.

May 17, 2015

Ascension of the Lord




**The Office and Rosary Chapel
will be closed on
Monday May 18, 2015
Have a safe long weekend!**



**On Sunday May 10, 2015
Our Parish Welcomed**


**Philip Mark Deklaj
child of Tom and Rowena**



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Surprisingly, the church moved very slowly in claiming marriage as a focus of attention and care. Nearly everywhere in the Roman world, citizens agreed on how to celebrate marriage. Consent of the man and woman is what made a marriage valid in the eyes of the law, and although there was a traditional ceremony, it was home-based and optional. The ceremony was for showing the social status of the families involved (the procession ideally detoured through crowds), and for reminding the woman of her legal transfer from her father's control to her husband's. The "big moment" of the ceremony had nothing to do with vows, but with the bride's donning the yellow veil with red highlights that was the daily wear of married women. A wedding feast included soothsayers and animal sacrifice to the new household's gods. Christians found that distasteful, of course, but since marriage was a family matter, they could edit things out. The church was comfortable with this, and sometimes recommended that the couple seek the advice of the bishop. His permission was only required for the marriage of a cleric, or for a marriage Rome didn't recognize, such as between a free woman and a slave. There was no blessing, no liturgy, no priest. Christians followed the customs of the day, but they knew that custom and relationships were transformed from within themselves by the fact of their baptism. Outwardly, Christians married exactly as their pagan neighbors, but they certainly invested the usual gestures with a dynamic sense of Christ's presence.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



PROCLAIM THE GOSPEL

Today we celebrate one of the tenets of our creed: that the Lord ascended into heaven. From Mark's Gospel we hear the final words Jesus spoke to his disciples shortly before he ascended into heaven. Those were words of commissioning, no less real for us today than they were to the disciples then. We are called to "proclaim the gospel to every creature." For the vast majority of us, this means that we proclaim the gospel by the witness of our everyday lives. Treating others with dignity and respect, providing for those less fortunate than ourselves, being good stewards of the many gifts showered on us, coming together as God's family in worship and praise—these are all signs that the gospel has taken root in our lives.

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THE SHIP OF THE CHURCH

The Church is like a great ship being pounded by the waves of life's different stresses. Our duty is not to abandon ship, but to keep her on her course.

—St. Boniface

TODAY'S READINGS


First Reading — This Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven will return in the same way as you have seen him going into heaven (Acts 1:1-11).

Psalm — God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord (Psalm 47).

Second Reading — God seated Jesus at his right hand in the heavens (Ephesians 1:17-23) or *Ephesians 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]*.

Gospel — The Lord Jesus was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God (Mark 16:15-20).

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**ASSUMPTION PARISH MISSION CLUB
ANNUAL GARAGE SALE**

Friday June 12th from 5:00pm to 8:00pm
Saturday June 13th from 9:00am to 2:00pm
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Mondays and Wednesdays
from 10:00am to 3:00pm
and
Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays
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Proceeds go to support various missions.

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At this time we are experiencing an overwhelming request for **Mass Intentions** in Rosary Chapel.

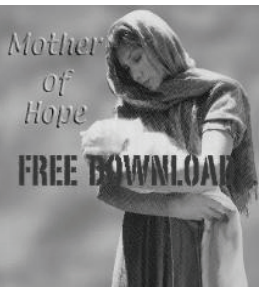
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 for more information
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Wednesday May 20, 2015 9:30am – 3:30pm
Surviving Adversity and Personal Challenges
 This special day invites you to focus on trust and courage to survive challenges and adversities in the face of tragedy, health issues, injuries, death of a loved-one, loss of a job, etc. This day includes a presentation, movie, reflection and prayer.


Facilitators: Katherine Worotny snjm associate,
 Janine Rocheleau snjm and Joe Quinn csb
Suggested offering: \$25 includes lunch

Please pre-register by phone or e-mail

SUNDAY COLLECTION	
May 10, 2015	
Regular Offertory	\$4,479.24
Miscellaneous	\$1,038.45
Total Collection this week	\$5,517.69
Nepal Earthquake Relief Fund	\$500.00

 Mass Intentions for the Week	
8am-Mass	Monday May 18th Chapel is closed today—Victoria Day
12:10-Mass	Tuesday May 19th † Ralph, Laura & Neenie Ferrari by Marie & Billy Ferrari † Kenneth Hickey by Julia Hickey For Our Lady of the Assumption Parish Community 10:00am Moms and Tots (McEwan Campus-Hall) 7:00pm Cenacle of Our Lady of Guadalupe (Rosary Chapel)
5pm-Mass	Wednesday May 20th † Antonia Dominato by Dennis Malette † For the Repose of the soul of Romeo Coloyan by Emmanuel & Evangeline Franco For the Intentions of Edmund Martin S. Franco & Family by his parents
12:10-Mass	Thursday May 21st † David Koren by the Koren Family † Katarina Koren by the Koren Family For the intentions of John and Dora Doig by daughter Lisa 7:00pm Choir Practice with Peter (McEwan Campus-Church) 7:30pm Hour of Power (Rosary Chapel) 7:30pm Nar Anon (Rosary Hall)
8:am-Mass	Friday May 22nd † Leonica Sico by Simone Hobson † Roberto Lebata by Cecile Leonida † Berla Managero by Cecile Leonida 9:00am SVDP Forgotten Harvest Produce (McEwan Campus) 3:00pm Divine Mercy Hour (Rosary Chapel) 6:30pm Confessions (Rosary Chapel) 7:00pm Apostolate of Fatima Mass & Rosary (Rosary Chapel)
Mass 5:00pm	Saturday May 23rd For the Intentions of the Parishioners 8:30am SVDP Meeting/Home Visits (McEwan Campus) 2:00pm Paquette/Brown Wedding (McEwan Campus)
Masses 9:00am 11:00am 7:30pm	Sunday May 24th For the Intentions of the Parishioners For the Intentions of the Parishioners For the Intentions of the Parishioners

Nepal Earthquake Emergency
 This will be the last weekend to contribute to the much-needed relief fund to:



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