



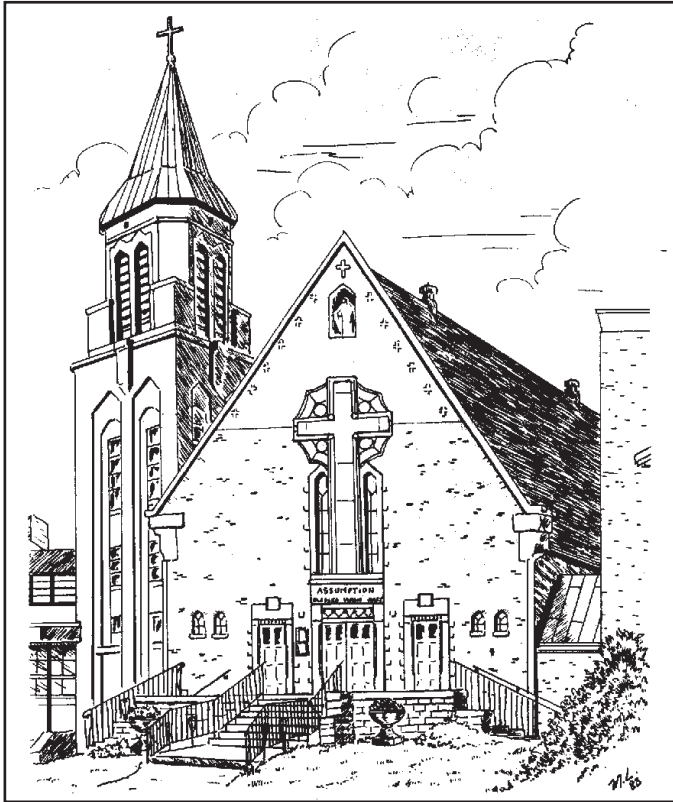
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish



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OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"We endeavour to build for this community a viable Christian Family that all will consider home."

MASS SCHEDULES

Saturdays: 9 am & 4 pm (Sunday Liturgy)

Sundays: 9:30 am, 12:00 pm (Filipino Mass), 7 pm

Mondays to Fridays: 8:00 am (except for School Masses, on Feast and Solemnities)

DEVOTIONS

Rosary: 30 Minutes Before Weekday Masses and Every First Saturday of the Month (after the 9:00 am Mass)

Devotion To Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Every Wednesday After The 8:00 am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration: Every 1st Friday at 8:30am (after the Morning Mass) and every Friday at 6:00 pm

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Victor Mateo, OFM Conv.

Pastoral Council Chair: Nicolas Murillo

Finance Council Chair: Mary Stanton

Administrative Assistant: Nora Arriola

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday, 10 am - 12 noon, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
(closed on holidays)

PASTORAL & SACRAMENTAL CARE

Baptism: Please call the Parish Office to make an appointment to register your child for Baptism and to discuss all the requirements. If you belong to another parish, a letter of permission from your pastor is required. If you are not a parishioner of any parish, you must register and attend Mass regularly, and there is a three-month waiting period before your child can be baptized.

Confessions: Weekdays, after the 8 am morning Mass (approach the priest); First Fridays - 8:45 am to 9:15 am; First Saturdays - 9:30 am to 10:00 am, 3:30 pm to 4:00 pm (by appointment) Every Sunday - 11:30 am to 12noon

Marriages: One of the couples must be a registered member of the parish for at least 6 months and attend Mass here regularly. Please make arrangements at least six months before the wedding date. Marriage Preparation Course required.

Sacrament of the Sick & Communion for Shut-ins: Please contact the Parish Office

Funerals: Arrangements should be made firstly with the church, and then with the funeral director to insure proper Christian burial Assisted by the Bereavement Ministry

Youth Ministry: Every 1st Saturday of the month, 30 to 45 min. session (after the 4 pm Mass) at Carlo Acutis Hall.

Welcome

To the new and current MEMBERS of our PARISH.

Kindly visit our website

<https://www.assumptionparishottawa.ca>

PRAYER REQUESTS: Let us pray for the healing or better health of the following:



Lina Groulx, Claire Kiruhira, Christopher Finnerty, Gloriani Mateo, Charity Marohombsar, Michael and Arnita Sabong, Nelia Samonte, Feliza Daiz, Arlene Magpayo, Theresa Akan, Virgie Bautista, Leonida Sarmiento, Melchor Tejero.

**Pope Leo's Monthly Prayer Intention
For the Values of Sports**

"Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity and personal growth."

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

June 6, 4:00 PM – Bea Miguel, Clyshia Abulencia, Kato Ankunda with Lori Scott;
June 7, 9:30 AM – Susan Teodoro, Nena Coronel, Lynn Obero with Nora Horrigan, Helen Belda; **12 NOON** – Noly Formoso, Macky Abulencia, Cristy Collado with Juanita Maniguira, Cristy Collado, Nora Cerda **7:00 PM** – Don del Castillo, Mariz del Castillo, Chit Villanueva with Andrew Samonte



Mass Intentions

MAY 30. Saturday, **9:00 AM**, OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (white) – †Thelma and † Janine Harrigan; **4:00 PM**, **SUNDAY LITURGY** – †Elena, Ruperto & † Edgar Alcala by Nena Coronel

May 31, **THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY** (white), **9:30 AM** – Thanksgiving by Lynn & Abner Obero; Well-being of the parish donors and volunteers; †Rev. Paul Beaudoin by Beaudoin Family; †Frank Barrett by Noreen Roney; †Princess Grezyl Dapal by Harry Jane & Matthew Vettorel; **12:00 NOON** – Well-being of the donors of the Pew Restoration Project; Thanksgiving by OVFCSCA; † Victorina & Emilio Mendoza, Sr. by Jhun & Cathy Mendoza; †Marites & Amante Pelayo by Lani & Nestor Agustin; **7:00 PM** – Pro Populo

June 1, **MEMORIAL of ST. JUSTIN**, Martyr (red) **8:00 AM** – † All Souls in Purgatory by Nena Coronel

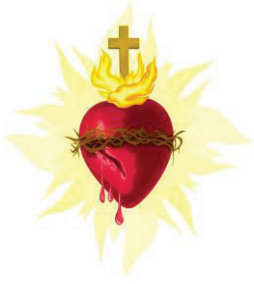
June 2, **VOTIVE MASS, ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA** (white) **8:00 AM** – † Rodrigo, Maria Cristina & Eugenia Coronel by Nena Coronel

June 3, **MEMORIAL of ST. CHARLES LWANGA and COMPANIONS**, Martyrs (red) **8:00 AM** – Thanksgiving by Danny & Nora Arriola

June 4, **FERIAL DAY** (green), **8:00 AM** – †Josephine Dungca & † Domingo Esperanzate, Sr. by Nora & Leo Cerda

June 5, **MEMORIAL of ST. BONIFACE**, Bishop, Martyr (red) **8:00 AM** – †Maria Fe, †Naty, and †Manuel Forro by Nena Coronel

COLLECTION REPORT
May 23 & 24, 2026
\$ 1,991.



VOCATION MINISTRY IN OUR PARISH. LET US CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR VOCATION. Join a group of parishioners EVERY WEDNESDAY immediately after Mass for the Novena in honor of Our Lady of

Perpetual Help and prayers for vocations. Also, every **FIRST FRIDAY (on June 5)** from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM — after the scheduled Mass — there is ADORATION and EXPOSITION of the Blessed Sacrament in reparation for offenses against the Sacred Heart of Jesus and for faithful and sincere vocations in the Church. An opportunity for CONFESSION is also available at that time.

The Parish Community would like to express its appreciation to FR. LODEVICUS BARNARD of the Society of Jesus and FR. JAMES ZETTEL, who worked at the Nunciature and from the Archdiocese of Toronto. Both of them shared their ministry with us over the past years while assigned here in Ottawa --- celebrating weekly Masses, hearing Confessions, and serving as resource persons in our Parish Youth Formation.

Fr. Wicus was assigned to Taiwan, while Fr. Jim was appointed Pastor of St. James Parish in Colgan, effective June 24, 2026.

PASTORAL CARE TRAINING FOR THE LAITY is a distinctly Catholic formation program designed to support and strengthen parish ministries and will be held on June 2, 9, 16, and 23, 2026, at Annunciation of the Lord Catholic Church.

Our Parish is sending committed volunteers to this formation program (*paid for by the parish*) so that we establish a lay pastoral care team who will compassionately serve those who are homebound or vulnerable and help connect them with the liturgical, sacramental, and prayer life of the Church.

PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS. ARCHBISHOP MARCEL DAMPHOUSSE announces the following appointments, among others, effective on **August 1, 2026.**

FR. FRANCIS VICTOR MATEO, current Pastor of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, is extended as the Parish Administrator.

FR. MARC GAUDET received his Ordination to the Priesthood on 31 May 2022 at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica. At present, he is an Associate Pastor at Holy Redeemer in Kanata and has now been appointed as Pastor of St. Ignatius the Martyr Parish in Ottawa.

FR. MAURICE RICHARD, the Pastor of St. Ignatius the Martyr Parish (until July 31), will continue to reside at the Assumption Rectory until around August 2026. **Thank You**, Friar Maurice, for your services to the Assumption Parish Community.

Interested in a Lay Vocation? The DISCALCED CARMELITE SECULAR ORDER meets monthly at St. Patrick's Basilica. Guided by our spiritual mother and Doctor of Spirituality, Teresa of Avila, teaches us how to pray. For more information, please contact Carmel Farmer at 819-420-4125.

ATTENTION

Due to security concerns following the recent incident involving misplaced keys and unauthorized duplication of access keys, **the Parish has decided to change the door locks at the Church's entrances.**

Following the Archdiocese's opinion, habitual access by persons entrusted with keys will be closely monitored (take note of the opening times *before Masses posted on the bulletin boards*). Moreover, **ALL ACCESS previously granted or tolerated will be evaluated against clear criteria, and a signed agreement will be required before new permission is granted.** Concerned persons must see the Pastor --- ASAP!



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