



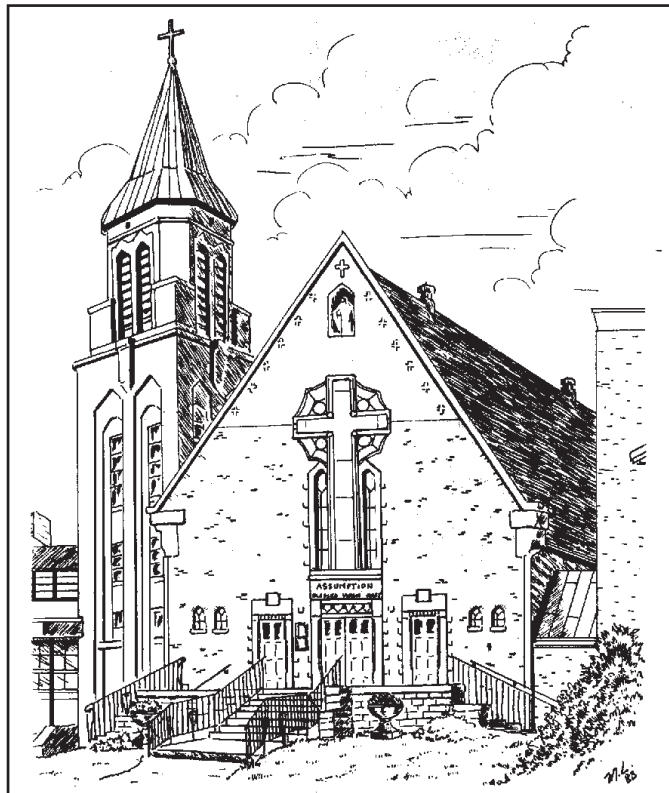
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish



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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)
(Church doors open 45 minutes before the Mass)

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)

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.



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:



Carmela Dorego, Lina Groulx,
Claire Kiruhira, Christopher
Finnerty, Roque Mateo,
Charity Marohombsar, Michael
and Arnita Sabong, Nelia
Samonte, Felisa Daiz, Arlene
Magpayo, Theresa Akan,
Virgie Bautista, Leonida
Sarmiento

**All are invited to attend
Mass for the Sick every Tuesday in Ordinary
Time (except on Solemnity, Feast, or Obligatory
Memorial)**

**Pope Leo's Prayer Intention
For Mental Health Ministry**

*"Let us pray that the mental health ministry
be established throughout the Church,
helping to overcome the stigma and
discrimination of persons with mental illness."*

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Oct. 24, 4:00 PM – Edgar Piol,
Richard Horrigan, Chit Villanueva
with Manny Beloy; **Oct. 25, 9:30
AM** – Susan Teodoro, Nneka
Onkwonda, Lynn Obero with
Melchor Tejero, Yola Beloy; **12
NOON** – Donatila Medrano, Helen
Belda, Elisa Pulmano with Novie
Ramos, Nora Arriola; **7:00 PM** –
Noly Formoso, Nieves Murillo, Nick
Murillo with Lori Scott



**Mass
Intentions**

OCTOBER 17, SATURDAY, 9:00 AM,
MEMORIAL, ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH (red)
– † Delia Arriola (birthday) by Danny & Nora
Arriola; 4:00 PM, **SUNDAY LITURGY** –
†Gloriani Mateo by Danny & Nora Arriola

OCTOBER 18, **TWENTY- NINTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME** (green), 9:30 AM – †Rev.
Paul Beaudoin by Beaudoin Family; †Fr. Joseph
Vayalil; and †Louise O'Bomsawin by Beaudoin
Family 12:00 NOON – Well-being of the donors
of Parish; Thanksgiving by OVFCSCA and El
Shaddai Group; Thanksgiving by Mila Camarsi
and Perla Sevillano; Thanksgiving by Hilario &
Greline Garasi & Family; Hanz Godffrey J.
Garasi (birthday); †Gloriani Mateo; 7:00 PM –
Pro Populo

OCTOBER 19, Monday, FERAL DAY (green)
8:00 AM – William Andreas Cole (birthday) by
Danny & Nora Arriola; For the well-being of all
parish donors

OCTOBER 20, Tuesday, VOTIVE MASS in
honor of St. ANTHONY of PADUA (white) 8:00
AM – Paul Castanos (birthday) by Nena Coronel

OCTOBER 21, Wednesday, VOTIVE MASS in
honor of Our LADY of PERPETUAL HELP
(white) 8:00 AM – Friar Maurice Richard
(birthday) by Nena Coronel

OCTOBER 22, Thursday, FERAL DAY
(green), 8:00 AM – Fr. Glicerio Jimenez
(birthday) by Nena Coronel

OCTOBER 23, Friday, FERAL DAY (green),
8:00 AM – † Gloriani Mateo by Nena Coronel

WEEK-ENDING COLLECTION REPORT

October 10 & 11, 2026 - \$ 1,906.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: This October 18, marks the 100th World Mission Sunday, established by Pope Pius XI in 1926. Catholics worldwide are invited to pray for the Church's missions and support mission territories and young Churches (*under the responsibility of the Dicastery for Evangelization*) through the collection organized by the Pontifical Mission Societies.

COMMUNITY ROSARY: All are invited to pray the Rosary in the church throughout October, 30 minutes before each scheduled Mass:

Monday–Friday: 7:30 a.m.

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m., & 6:30 p.m.

As we pray, we meditate on the life, death, and Resurrection of Jesus in union with the Virgin Mary, who “*kept all these things, pondering them in her heart*” (Luke 2:19).

The Rosary invites us to contemplate the mysteries of Christ our Saviour while praying with Our Blessed Lady.

A CALL FOR SPIRITUAL RENEWAL. The Missionary Families of Christ–Canada invites everyone to participate in the CHRISTIAN LIFE SEMINAR on **Saturday, October 24, 2026, from 8:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** LOCATION: Immaculata Hall (church basement), Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church ENTRANCE: 321 Cody Avenue, at the back of the church building. **The seminar and meals are free.** To help with meal and event preparations, please register by **October 14.** For registration, contact NICK MURILLO at 613-858-3106 or REY AND CHAT BABOL at 613-261-8463

PARISH OFFICE: Please note that the parish office **will be closed** on **Thursday, October 22nd** for the PASTORAL DAY --- a meeting in the Archdiocese with other parishes.

CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM (CLP) – FALL 2026 REGISTRATION. The Couples for Christ invites individuals and married couples to join the CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM, a series of eight talks about God's plan for our lives. It aims at helping participants strengthen their relationship with their spouse, children, parents and the wider Christian community.

When: Starting October 24, 2026, every Saturday, from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM.

Where: St. Francis Hall - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish, 321 Cody Street.

ALL are welcome! Come and discover God's plan for your life and grow in faith, love and Christian fellowship.

Register or inquire:

cfcottawa@couplesforchrist.ca

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (OCIA): Do you know of anyone who wants to become a Catholic? Our 8-month program meets every Tuesday evening this October. If you're interested, please get in touch with the parish office at Tel. 613-695-6079 or Nick at 613-858-3106.

NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE. Let us remember our departed loved ones and parish members through prayers, the Rosary and Masses for their eternal rest. Donations for the Masses for the Faithful Departed may be placed in the collection basket using the envelopes at the ends of the pews. Offering will be recorded and distributed to needed priests and those serving in the missions.

The PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY meets every 1st Saturday of the month (**next on November 7**). We begin with Holy Mass at 4 PM, followed by a youth gathering. **Everyone is welcome to join us celebrate and learn more who Jesus is.**



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