



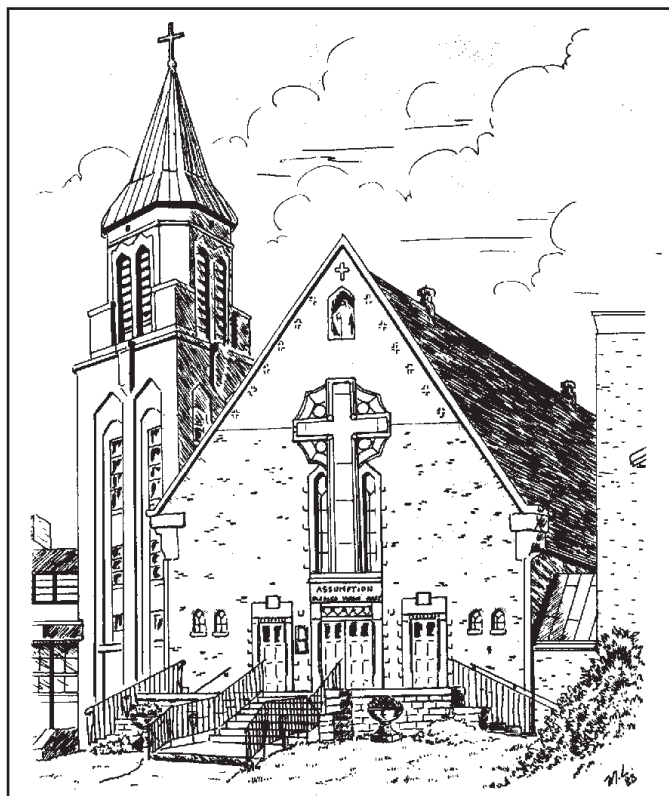
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish



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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, Gloria Piol

**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. 31, 4:00 PM – Joan Lepage,
Richard Horrigan, Samie Ferrer
with Lori Scott; **Nov. 1, 9:30 AM** –
Susan Teodoro, Nena Coronel,
Lynn Obero with Helen Belda, Nora
Horrigan; **12 NOON** – Nora Arriola,
Noly Formoso, Elisa Pulmano with
Christy Collado, Juanita
Managuira, Art Guillermo; **7:00 PM**
– Nora Mercader, Andrew
Samonte, Rebecca Burke with
Melba Panuncio



**Mass
Intentions**

OCTOBER 24, SATURDAY, 9:00 AM, Our
Lady's Saturday (white)– Eddie Stanton
(birthday) by *Mary Stanton*; 4:00 PM, **SUNDAY
LITURGY** – †Marietta Balecha by *Eddie
Balecha*

OCTOBER 25, **THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME** (green), 9:30 AM – Claudio B.
Elisan and Marlone Molino by *Terry Godin*;
Beaudoin & Brown Families (living & deceased);
†Rev. Paul Beaudoin by *Beaudoin Family*; †Fr.
Joseph Leclair; and †Dave Potterton by
Beaudoin Family 12:00 NOON – Well-being of
the donors of Parish; †Emilio & Corazon
Navarro, †Charles & Anna Egloff, †Rowena
Abarracoso, †Victoria & Rebecca Abarracoso by
Jennifer Egloff; †Gloriani Mateo; †James Yeban
by *Jorge Yeban & Family*; 7:00 PM – Pro Populo

OCTOBER 26, Monday, FERAL DAY (green)
8:00 AM – †Gloriani Mateo by *Nena Coronel*;
For the well-being of all parish donors

OCTOBER 27, Tuesday, VOTIVE MASS in
honor of St. ANTHONY of PADUA (white) 8:00
AM – †Eulojio Alcober by *Orlando & Susan
Teodoro*

OCTOBER 28, Wednesday, **FEAST, ST.
SIMON AND ST. JUDE** (red) 8:00 AM – †Cirila,
Anselmo & Susana Alcala by *Nena Coronel*

OCTOBER 29, Thursday, FERAL DAY
(green), 8:00 AM – †Elsie, Claudia & Gerald
Calanao by *Nena Coronel*

OCTOBER 30, Friday, FERAL DAY (green),
8:00 AM – † Diane Stanton by *Mary Stanton*

WEEK-ENDING COLLECTION REPORT

October 17 & 18, 2026 - \$ 2,075.

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.

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.

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

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.

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 to help 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

REMEMBRANCE for the DEAD. Let us remember our departed loved ones and deceased parishioners with Masses for their eternal rest this November. You may write their names on the envelopes placed at the end of the Church pews; enclosed offerings will be recorded as part of our Mass Intention Funds and allotted for Mass intentions and stipends for priest celebrants. If there are extra funds, they will be given to priests in the missions who will celebrate additional Masses for the Souls.

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 to celebrate and learn more about who Jesus is.**

RECENT ROOF MAINTENANCE

The parish paid Sanderson Roofing **\$ 3,745.95** for the replacement of damaged and missing shingles.



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