



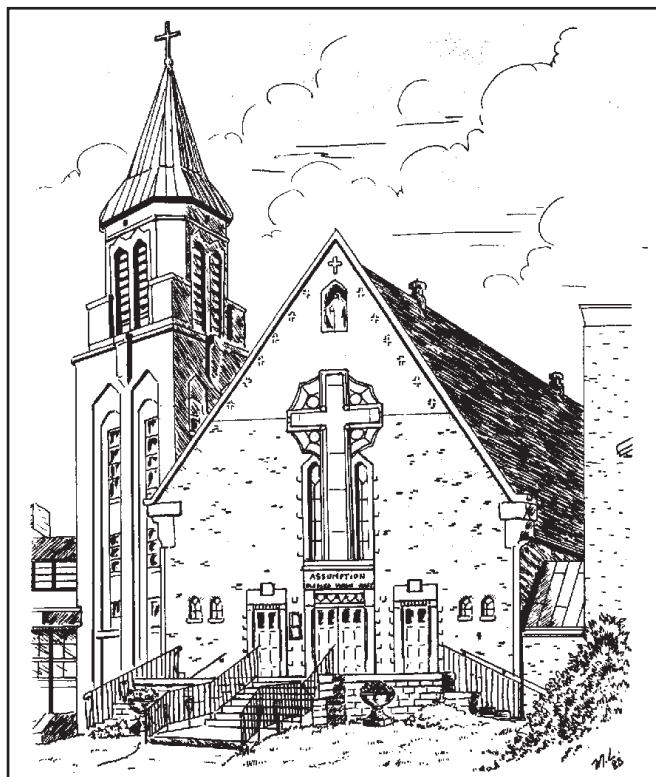
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish



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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) 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.



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, Gloriani and Roque
Mateo, Charity Marohombsar,
Michael and Arnita Sabong,
Nelia Samonte, Felisa Daiz,
Arlene Magpayo, Theresa
Akan, Virgie Bautista,
Leonida Sarmiento and Gloria
Piol

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

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

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."

Oct. 10, 4:00 PM – Richard
Horrigan, Joan Lepage, Sanny
Ferrer with Nora Arriola; **Oct. 11,
9:30 AM** – John Anethua, Nena
Coronel, Mary Miguel with Nora
Horrigan, Helen Belda; **12 NOON** –
Chit Villanueva, Lani Agustin,
Novie Ramos with Edgar Piol, Noly
Formoso, Art Guillermo; **7:00 PM** –
Mariz del Castillo, Don del Castillo,
Nora Mercader with Andrew
Samonte



Mass Intentions

OCTOBER 3, SATURDAY, 9:00 AM, OUR
LADY'S SATURDAY (white) –Thanksgiving to
Our Lady of Fatima *by Flor Marcelo*; For End to
Abortion & protection of the unborn child *by*
CFC; 4:00 PM, **SUNDAY LITURGY** – †Diane
Stanton *by Mary Stanton*

OCTOBER 4, **TWENTY- SEVENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME** (green), 9:30 AM –
Thanksgiving & †Rev. Paul Beaudoin *by*
Beaudoin Family; †Francisco & Juliana dela
Cuesta *by Dela Cuesta Family*; 12:00 NOON –
Well-being of the donors of the Pew Restoration
Project; Sincere and Faithful Priestly Vocations;
Fr. Pedro Arana (birthday) *by Nena Coronel*;
7:00 PM – Pro Populo

OCTOBER 5, Monday, FERAL DAY (green)
8:00 AM – †Diane Stanton *by Mary Stanton*

OCTOBER 6, Tuesday, VOTIVE MASS, St.
ANTHONY OF PADUA (white) 8:00 AM – Sr.
Maria Carmela Forro (birthday) *by Nena Coronel*

OCTOBER 7, Wednesday, **MEMORIAL, OUR
LADY OF THE ROSARY** (white) 8:00 AM – Eric
Hertzman (birthday) *by Danny & Nora Arriola*

OCTOBER 8, Thursday, FERAL DAY (green),
8:00 AM – †Nestor Arriola, Sr. *by Danny & Nora
Arriola*

OCTOBER 9, Friday, FERAL DAY (green), 8:00
AM – †Manuel, Naty & Ma. Fe Forro *by Nena
Coronel*

WEEK-ENDING COLLECTION REPORT

Sept. 26 & 27, 2026

\$ 3,075.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA): Do you know of anyone who wants to become a Catholic? Our 8-month program will begin every Tuesday evening starting October 6. If you're interested, please contact the parish office at Tel. 613-695-6079 or Nick at 613-858-3106.

**ATTENTION
UPDATED SCHEDULE**

95th Anniversary PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY. Celebrate years of faith, family, and community—be part of our parish history!

ABSOLUTELY FREE! Every participating family receives a FREE copy of the Photo Directory. Professional photos are available for purchase with no obligation.

APPOINTMENTS REQUIRED. Contact Fr. Victor Mateo by text (613-878-1973) or email your proposed schedule to francisofmconv@gmail.com.

Appointments are limited to approximately 20 per day. Please confirm your chosen date and time early!

AVAILABLE SCHEDULE FOR PHOTO SESSIONS (as of October 2, 2026).

October 13, Tuesday (afternoon) – 3:30, 3:45, 5:00 (evening) – 7:30, 7:45, 8:00, 8:15, 8:30; **October 14, Wednesday (evening)** – 7:15, 7:30, 7:45, 8:00, 8:15, 8:30. **October 15, Thursday (afternoon)** – 3:00, 3:15, 4:00 PM, 4:15, 4:30, 4:45, 5:00; (evening) 6:30, 7:00, 7:15; 7:45, 8:00, 8:15, and 8:30. **October 16, Friday** – 3:15, 3:30, 3:45, and 8:30 PM; **October 17, Saturday** – (morning) 9:30, 9:45, 10 AM, 10:15, 10:30, 11 AM, 11:15, 11:30, 11:45; (afternoon) 12:30, 12:45, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:45, 2:00, 2:15, 2:30, 2:45 and 3:00

COUPLES FOR CHRIST - *Gift of Life Ministry*, ROSARY: All parishioners are invited to join every *First Saturday of each month (next on October 3)* for a special Mass Intention and a Rosary offered for the end of abortion and for the protection of every unborn child. Come and pray with us as one community. ALL ARE WELCOME

The PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY meets every 1st Saturday of the month (**next on October 3**). We begin with Holy Mass at 4 PM, followed by a 60-minute youth session. Everyone is welcome to join us. Please send an email to our youth minister or through the Parish Office at youthministryassumptionparish@gmail.com or assumption.parish@ottawacornwall.ca

LIFE CHAIN 2026. An Annual Day of Public Witness for Children Killed by Abortion. *Join thousands across Canada standing against abortion in a peaceful, prayerful demonstration!* It will be on **OCTOBER 4 (SUNDAY)** from 2:00 to 3:00 PM. The nearest location to Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish is at **Montréal Rd & Vanier Pkwy, Ottawa, ON K1L 6E6**. Please help the Campaign for Life Coalition spread the word. Promotional Resources: <https://lifechain.ca/resources/>

PROJECT RACHEL RETREAT: From November 13 – 15, 2026, **for women who have been hurt by abortion.** You can speak with someone who understands, and you will have a chance to begin healing from loss and grief. Call 613-473-2679, or email ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org



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