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PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Maurice Restivo CSB - Pastor
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Dcn. Paul Bezaire - Deacon
Jean Beneteau - Pastoral Minister
Melissa Pacitti-Fallone - Youth Ministry
Marilyn Morrison - Bereavement Ministry
Fr. Mark Gazin CSB - In Residence

PARISH STAFF

Sally McQuaid - *Secretary*
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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

To Be Announced - *Chair*

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE

Dan Hallett - *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 - 8:00am
Tuesday - 8:00am & 12:10pm
Wednesday - 8:00am
Thursday - 8:00am & 12:10pm
Friday - 8:00am

MORNING PRAYER - ROSARY CHAPEL

Monday to Friday - 7:40am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - ROSARY CHAPEL

Monday to Friday - 8:30am to 8pm

BAPTISMS

Contact Dcn. Paul Bezaire at the Parish Office for details of the program.

MARRIAGES

Couples should be registered and active in the parish.
Contact the Parish Office.

RCIA

Program for those interested in the Catholic Faith.
Contact the Parish Office.

YOUTH MINISTRY:

Guardians of the Gospel for students in JK to Grade 8 and those preparing for First Reconciliation, First Communion, Confirmation on Monday evenings.
Li'l Saints Program - 11am mass.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Contact Dcn. Paul Bezaire for arrangements.

FUNERALS

Please have the Funeral Director contact the office for arrangements.

DIVORCED AND SEPARATED SUPPORT

Contact Rose Marie Ruston at
cdsg.assumption@gmail.com

CAMPUS MINISTRY (519-973-7033)

Fr. Paul McGill, C.S.B. - *Chaplain*
Jessica Lemmon - *Campus Ministers*

CATHOLIC ORGANIZATIONS

Assumption Parish Community Association:

Bridget Russo - Chairperson

Knights of Columbus:

Michael Scott - Grand Knight

St. Vincent de Paul:

Holy Name of Mary Chair - Tim McKinley

Blessed Sacrament Chair - Gabe Colucci

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: BE A BEACON OF MERCY, SERVICE AND DISCIPLESHIP.

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.



The Fifth Sunday of Lent—April 7th, 2019



From the Pastor's Desk...

During this Lent we have been looking at "Attitude Adjustment", about the virtue of humility. We've seen how humility is, in essence, an honest appraisal of ourselves. We are complex creatures, made in God's image and likeness, yet at the same time flawed, weak, and sinful. Listening helps us grow in humility. We recognize our littleness when we turn to God in prayer. We are humble when we refrain from comparing ourselves to others, but rather measure our own growth. We are humble when we own up to our sins, and when we forgive those who have wronged us. And this weekend we are reminded that sometimes we are humbled because we're caught—yet Jesus is always there to forgive.

Since my arrival here at Assumption I have been in awe at this amazing parish. I've learned that when I listen to you and get out of your way incredible things happen. Despite our lack of parking and other amenities, we continue to grow in an age when the Church is losing members. We have many announcements at each Mass because there are so many things going on. The pastoral team is without parallel. All of you make me look good; yet I am humbled, because I know it is *you* who are the ones who are responsible for that.

And now it looks like more is in store for each of us. When Paul Mullins introduced himself to me at the outdoor Mass for the Solemnity of the Assumption in 2017, I could never have imagined we would reach the point where we are now. Because of his indefatigable work, we have learned so much about our recent history, and what transpired during the failed fundraising campaigns. And in our humble admission of our errors, new life is being born. The diocesan building commission was enthusiastic in their support for us proceeding with restoration work as funds become available. Much remains to be decided; we are embarking on an adventure. I encourage you to read my letter to the parishioners enclosed with this bulletin, and to pray for Our Lady's intercession and the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

J. Maurice

Reflection for the Week

Jesus forgave the condemned woman.
Like Jesus, we are called to be agents of mercy.
God help us to forgive.

Rosary Chapel Mass Time Changes



The Tuesday and Thursday 12:10pm masses
will be discontinued as of April 16th, 2019.

Our regular daily masses at 8:00am will continue
Monday thru Friday.

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Listen to the homilies online
www.assumption.dol.ca

Please join us for Soup and Stations on Friday evening.

Soup is served at 6:00pm in Rosary Hall, followed by
Stations in Rosary Chapel at 7:00pm.

Let us pray the stations as a
community during our Lenten
journey.

SOUP & STATIONS
OF THE CROSS



WORLD YOUTH DAY WALKING PILGRIMAGE

World Youth Day 2019 took place in Panama in the month of January. Few people could attend at that time of year, however this is your chance to celebrate World Youth Day locally!

The Diocese of London is offering a World Youth Day Walking Pilgrimage on Saturday April 27th, right here in Windsor!

The pilgrimage will begin at 11:30 am at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, will continue with stops at Sts. Cyril and Methodius and St. Theresa Parish, and conclude with mass, dinner and an evening of Praise at Most Precious Blood Parish.

This walking pilgrimage is for young people between 16-35 years old.

For more information or to register contact Fr. Patrick Beneteau at vocations@dol.ca.

This year's diocesan Day of Confessions will take place on Wednesday, April 10th, 2019.

The season of Lent is a time to be renewed and to be reconciled with our merciful and loving God. An important part of our Lenten call to personal holiness is the Sacrament of Reconciliation. As Pope Francis reminds us, "Confession is where we encounter Jesus."

In an effort to highlight this important part of our Lenten journey, every year on the fifth Wednesday of Lent, parishes all across the Diocese of London have priests available to hear confessions throughout the day and/or evening.

CONFESSION TIMES IN OUR PARISH START FROM
8:45AM UNTIL 8:00PM IN ROSARY CHAPEL

Visit our parish website, www.assumption.dol.ca
for more information

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING SHARE LENT

On this Solidarity Sunday we extend a warm thank you for your generosity to the Development and Peace Share Lent Campaign. Your donation will help our sisters and brothers across the world, from Colombia all the way to Lebanon, Nigeria and elsewhere!

Thank you for helping to build a world of peace and justice,
where no one will be forced to flee their home!



CANADIAN CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR
**Development
and Peace**

Week at a Glance

Monday, April 8th

6:00pm JK-Grade 8 Youth Ministry (McEwan Campus-Basement)

Tuesday, April 9th

12:30pm Sisters in Sobriety Meeting (McEwan Campus-Rooney Lounge)
7:00pm Cenacle of Our Lady of Guadalupe (Rosary Chapel)
7:00pm Bereavement Support Group (Rosary Hall)
7:00pm Latin Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)

Wednesday, April 10th-ALL DAY CONFESSIONS 8:45AM-8:00PM

1:30pm Called & Gifted Program (McEwan Campus-Rooney Lounge)

Thursday, April 11th

10:00am Card Games (McEwan Campus-Rooney Lounge)
5:00pm Two Hearts Prayer Hour (Rosary Chapel)
6:30pm Choir Practice (McEwan Campus-Church)
7:30pm Nar-Anon Meeting (Rosary Hall)

Friday, April 12th

9:00am SVDP Forgotten Harvest Produce (McEwan Campus)
3:00pm Divine Mercy Hour (Rosary Chapel)
6:00pm Soup before Stations (Rosary Hall)
7:00pm Stations of the Cross (Rosary Chapel)
7:30pm Sisters in Sobriety Meeting (McEwan Campus-Rooney Lounge)

Saturday, April 13th

9:00am SVDP-Meeting/Home Visits (McEwan Campus-Basement)
3:45pm Confession (McEwan Campus-Church)
5:00pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
7:00pm All Are Welcome-AA Meeting (Rosary Hall)

Sunday, April 14th

9:00am Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
11:00am Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
11:00am L'il Saints & God's Mighty Minions Sunday School (McEwan Campus-Classrooms)
7:30pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
8:30pm Young Adult Cafe (McEwan Campus-Rooney Lounge)

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 8th

8:00am †Jeannette Van Wiermeers by Vita DiMaria
†Felisa & Sotero Lopez & Isabel Goico by the Muana Family
†Eufonio & Leoncia Sico by the Muana Family

Tuesday, April 9th

8:00am †Fran Georgeff by Cathy Cada
†Keith Wilbur by Denis Malette

12:10pm †Achille & Costanza Marsella by Amasio Nardone & Family
†Vincenzo & Anna Maria Nardone by Amasio Nardone & Family
†Angela & Tommaso Pittiglio by Amasio Nardone & Family

PLEASE NOTE THE 3 INTENTIONS BELOW HAVE BEEN RESCHEDULED DUE TO MASS CANCELLATION LAST TUESDAY

†Camillo Nicholas Laberi by his Wife & Family
†Valentino Buzzeo by Valentino & Anna DiLuca
For the Living & Deceased Members of the Laberi, Buzzeo & Socci Families by Toni Laberi & Family

Wednesday, April 10th

8:00am †Annunziata Ruffolo by Sandro DeLuca

Thursday, April 11th

8:00am †

12:10pm †Sister Doris D'Cruz by Bob & Charlotte Carr
†For All the Souls in Purgatory by Janice
For the Intentions of the Dagenais, Rozeck & Grant Families by Janice

Friday, April 12th

8:00am †Antonio Perrotta by the Family
†Fran Georgeff by Denis Malette
For the Intentions of Berny Lesperance by daughter Cecilia

Saturday, April 13th-McEwan Campus

5:00pm For the Intentions of the Assumption Parish Parishioners

Sunday, April 14th-McEwan Campus

9:00am For the intentions of the Assumption Parish Parishioners
11:00am For the intentions of the Assumption Parish Parishioners
7:30pm For the intentions of the Assumption Parish Parishioners

Sanctuary Light Memorial

For the week of April 7th Rosary Chapel

For the Intentions of the Rankin Family by the Prayer Group

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62];
Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:12-20
Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42
Thursday: Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-9; Jn 8:51-59
Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42
Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56
Sunday: Lk 19:28-40 (procession);
Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24;
Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:14 — 23:56 [23:1-49]

Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

RCIA



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Are you baptized, but in need of Confirmation and Eucharist to be received into full communion with the Church? Perhaps this is the time to inquire, as a group is now being formed to explore the faith together in the process known as the RCIA (The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Please contact Jean Beneteau at jbeneteau@dol.ca for more detailed information. Feel free to spread the word!

Bereavement Support Group



Will be held every 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month at
7:00pm in Rosary Hall.
Next meeting is Tuesday, April 9th, 2019

Marilyn Morrison Bereavement Minister — 519-253-2761



Parishioners are invited to take a walk with Jesus and the students of St. James school as they pray the stations of the cross on holy Thursday, April 18th. You are invited to join us at 9:15am or 12:30pm for this prayerful walk.

It will take place on the school grounds. If you are not able to walk, you are invited to stay in the gym in the prayerful space we have to offer.



Pre-authorized Payments are available on our website.
Go to www.assumption.dol.ca and click on
Donate Here and follow the instructions!

Whether you choose to give with an envelope or by pre-authorized payment we THANK YOU!

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March 31st, 2019

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