



Our Lady of the Assumption CATHOLIC PARISH

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YEAR OF CELEBRATION
1767 — SESQUICENTENNIAL — 2017

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PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Maurice Restivo CSB - Pastor

Fr. Jim Stenberg CSB - Parochial Vicar

Dcn. Paul Bezaire - Deacon

Jean Beneteau-Pastoral Minister

Melissa Pacitti-Fallone-Coordinator of Youth Ministries

Marilyn Morrison - Bereavement Ministry

PARISH STAFF

Sally McQuaid - Secretary

Zeljka Trepanier - Bookkeeper

Kevin McQuaid - Properties

Tim McKinley - Properties

Ammilla Perera - Parking Lot Manager

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Kevin Alexander - 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

Wednesday - 8:00am

Thursday - 8:00am

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 and 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*

Andrea Dula, 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

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.

Two Week Bulletin—July 1st and July 8th, 2018

The Parochial Vicar's Message

A priest was questioning a little boy. "Who does the Sun belong to?" "God," the little boy said.

"And the moon?" "God."

"And the stars?" "God."

"And this Teddy Bear? Who does it belong to?" "Teddy? He's mine!"

It never gets any easier.

As anyone who ever interacted with a toddler knows, the idea of "sharing" can be a hard one to get across. (Not that I have much experience with toddlers, but I asked Sally, our parish secretary, about it!) In this Sunday's second reading St. Paul encourages the Corinthians to be open not just to the idea but the reality of sharing, so that 'the who had much would not have too much, and the one who had little would not have too little.' This reading comes into sharp focus for me, because this weekend is the last I will be celebrating at Assumption Parish, and it is also the first weekend our new deacon, Steven Huber, is here. Now something that was Assumption's will be shared henceforth with Edmonton, and something that was Houston's (Steven) will be shared with Windsor. And from my point of view, something that was mine is now something I am being asked to give over to someone else.

It is an essential part of our faith that a blessing that is shared multiplies. Think of the miracle of the loaves and fishes, where a boy's lunch, freely shared, becomes enough for five thousand people with lots left over. Perhaps the reason for this is because that in sharing we communicate God's love, which is inexhaustible. This is one of the themes of today's Gospel. Christ's grace is so abundant that not only is a little girl raised from the dead, but a woman with chronic illness is healed solely by touching the hem of Jesus' cloak. When we are asked to give up our lunch - or something bigger - may we always remember that this is the way that God's grace works to multiply the good things of this world.

May God bless you all.—Fr. Jim Stenberg C.S.B.

Reflection for the Week

"Do not fear, only believe" (Mark 5:36)
Remember times when your faith saved you.



Deacon Steven Hubert C.S.B.
The Parishioners and Staff of
Our Lady of Assumption Parish
would like to welcome you into our
community!!



As we welcome Deacon Steven we
must bid farewell to Fr. Jim.

Thank you for the many ways you
have impacted our community.

Blessings to you on your new adventures in Edmonton!

If the Church is the "family of God" then the family members ought to know and care for each other. A parish growing in hospitality is intentional about finding ways to build relationships among its members, and to be welcoming and inclusive to new people, so as to deepen everyone's sense of belonging.

Recently a number of parishioners who have leadership roles in various aspects of hospitality ministry met to discuss what we do well and what we could improve in our intentional outreach. One priority area of hospitality is the ministry of greeting people as they come into the church, and saying good-bye as they go. The ministry of greeting may even extend to the parking area or front steps, being available to help anyone who needs assistance. Greeters could also intentionally offer this ministry from their pews, welcoming those who gather around them. Is this a ministry you could offer, with your genuine smile and outgoing personality, and ease with meeting new people?

If so, please prayerfully discern becoming a greeter. Though summer is upon us, you can let Jean Beneteau know of your interest anytime. There will be an opportunity to register for various ministry teams in early Fall, with particular training for each ministry to follow.

Pastoral Plan Revisited

For a series of weeks, the bulletin will contain a brief description of one aspect of the Pastoral Priority Plan that was presented at masses on June 2nd/3rd. This will help explain it, and keep it in the forefront of our minds.

Vision Statement:

"Be a beacon of mercy, service, and discipleship"

The vision statement of a parish answers the questions: "Where is the parish headed now? Where is the parish direction for the future? Where does the Lord expect the parish to take its people?" After reflecting on the vision of Jesus and the early Church as revealed in the Scriptures, the pastoral council members were asked to prayerfully consider their own vision for Assumption Parish, noting what their hopes are for the direction and discipleship of the parish. Each crafted their own vision statement through a prayerful exercise, which were then shared, discussed, and crafted into the vision statement; "Be a beacon of mercy, service and discipleship". Assumption's history as a beacon of faith and community life in the nation, and city, is something we want to continue to be. We want to be the beacon that invites people to seek God here, experience his merciful care and compassion through the members, and join them as instruments of his mercy to others. Service is a high value here, obvious in our ministries of outreach and care for the poor, that we intend to build upon as there is such need around us. As a beacon of discipleship Assumption Parish is the sign of the continuing ministry of Jesus in the world, through the everyday lives of parishioners living the Gospel and intentionally evangelizing the local community through word and action. How we live this vision will be revealed through our response to our pastoral priorities we have named. Please reflect on how you play a part in the vision of Assumption Parish.

Sacrament of Marriage

Jeremy and Alexandra Kedzior
Saturday, June 23rd, 2018
Congratulations!

Week at a Glance

Monday, July 2nd- CHAPEL & OFFICE CLOSED FOR CANADA DAY!

Tuesday, July 3rd

3:00pm YWAR (McEwan Campus-Classroom)
7:00pm Seven Sorrows (Rosary Chapel)
7:00pm Latin Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)

Wednesday, July 4th

Thursday, July 5th

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, July 6th

9:00am SVDP Forgotten Harvest Produce (McEwan Campus)
3:00pm Divine Mercy Hour (Rosary Chapel)
6:30pm Confession (Rosary Chapel)
7:00pm Apostolate of Fatima Mass & Rosary (Rosary Chapel)
8:00pm Alliance of the Two Hearts Vigil (Rosary Chapel)

Saturday, July 7th

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

Sunday, July 8th

9:00am, 11:00am, 7:30pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)

Monday, July 9th

6:30pm Catholic Life Support Group over 35 (Rosary Hall)

Tuesday, July 10th

3:00pm YWAR (McEwan Campus-Classroom)
7:00pm Cenacle of Our Lady of Guadalupe (Rosary Chapel)
7:00pm Latin Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)

Wednesday, July 11th

Thursday, July 12th

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)

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3:00pm Divine Mercy Hour (Rosary Chapel)
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Saturday, July 14th

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

Sunday, July 15th

9:00am, 11:00am, 7:30pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)

CATHOLIC LIFE — The over 35 years Catholic Life group is scheduled to meet on Monday July 9th, in Rosary Hall 6:30-8:00pm. We welcome others to join in our conversation about how our faith impacts our everyday life.

Summer Vacation is here!—Wishing everyone a time of relaxation, rest, quality family time and lots and lots of fun. May everyone be protected by God's grace and return home safely.

Sunday Collection

June 24th, 2018

Regular	\$5,411.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 210.00
Total	\$5,624.00



Mass Intentions

Monday, July 2nd-ROSARY CHAPEL CLOSED-NO MASS/ADORATION

8:00am

Tuesday, July 3rd

8:00am †Gail Harper by Jim Rock
†Nicolo Vitarelli by the Vitarelli Family
†Vincenzo & Eugenia Giannone by F & C Calamita

Wednesday, July 4th

8:00am †Maria & Antonio Perrotta by the Family
†Annunziata Ruffolo by the Aversa Family
†Mike Paré by Colleen Paré

Thursday, July 5th

8:00am †Steven Proulx
†Maria Timperio by Maria Romanello
For the Intentions of Joyce Marancé by Michelle Hennin

Friday, July 6th

8:00am †Francesco Niro by his Wife & Family
†Lucy DiLuca by her Parents, brother Benny & sister Sindia
†Vicky Carino by her husband Avel

Saturday, July 7th-McEwan Campus

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

Sunday, July 8th-McEwan Campus

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

Monday, July 9th

8:00am †Kevin Mallen by the Elliott Family
†Mike Walker by Mark Black & Pam Elliott
†Maria & Alessandro Parisotto by the Family

Tuesday, July 10th

8:00am †Mario Romanello by the Family
†Fr. Ernest Villaroya by the Maravilla Family
†Mercedes Franzoi by Tony & Bridget Russo

Wednesday, July 11th

8:00am †Mary Semperger 13th Anniversary by the Hickey Family
†Edith Jeffrey by Brian Hickey
†John & Margaret Semperger by the Hickey Family

Thursday, July 12th

8:00am †Nancy Ruffolo by Ida Sabatini
For the Intentions of Joyce Marancé by Michelle Hennin

Friday, July 13th

8:00am For the Intentions of Berny Lesperance by Cecilia

Saturday, July 14th-McEwan Campus

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

Sunday, July 15th-McEwan Campus

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

Sanctuary Light Memorial

For the week of July 1st, 2018

Rosary Chapel

For the Intentions of LB&V

Assumption Parish-McEwan Campus

For the Intentions of Laura Gusba

Bereavement Support Group will be taking the summer off, but will reconvene on Tuesday, September 4th 2018 at 7:00pm in Rosary Hall.

Have a Blessed and Safe Summer—Marilyn Morrison



**ROSARY CHAPEL WILL BE CLOSED
ON MONDAY JULY 2ND.
NO MASS—NO ADORATION**

**THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED AS WELL
AND REOPENS ON TUESDAY JULY 3RD.
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