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Our Lady of the Assumption CATHOLIC PARISH

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1767 — SESTERCENTENNIAL — 2017

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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, 12:10pm
Wednesday – 8:00am, 5:00pm
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 and Confirmation.

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*
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CATHOLIC ORGANIZATIONS

Assumption Parish Community Association:

Bridget Russo - Chairperson
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St. Vincent de Paul:

Holy Name of Mary Chair - Tim McKinley
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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.

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time November 12th, 2017

From The Pastors Desk...

Once when I was driving to visit an uncle of mine in Belgium, I stopped at a WWI cemetery. It was a small graveyard, in the southern part of Flanders; even though it seemed a bit neglected, the poppies were in bloom, and the famous poem was inscribed at the entrance gate:

*In Flanders fields the poppies blow,
Between the crosses, row on row....*

Canadian John McCrae, from Guelph, wrote the poem in the fields at Ypres the day after his best friend died. It was early in the war, and the romanticism that many—soldiers and civilians alike—felt was still strong. We remember the dead, who sacrificed for us and who pass their mission on to us:

*Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high...*

For me, November is a month of remembrance. In the Church, we begin the month by commemorating all of those holy people who have gone before us, those who will probably never be officially canonized, yet who are with God as part of the communion of saints in heaven, the “cloud of witnesses,” as the Letter to the Hebrews says. And then as a nation, we commemorate those who have died in the service of country. Although November 11 was chosen because it was the day the Armistice was signed, ending World War I (the “Great War”—the “War to end all wars”), we remember all those who have died in service of country. I think that we also honour their memory when we work for peace, so that nobody else need fight in war.

There are some tasks, though, that cannot be passed to another. Scripture commentators mention that this weekend’s gospel passage is not one about generosity; rather, it points out that each of us have tasks that God requires of us; they cannot be loaned or given by another. This week begins a three-week series when our gospel points us toward the end times. And Jesus is quite clear: we each have a role to play, and we are either ready for him or not; there is no in-between. Unlike McCrae’s dead in the poem, when the end comes, Jesus will not ask us if we’ve given our tasks to others to complete. He will ask us what we ourselves have done. May we all be ready to receive him at any moment.

J. Maurice

Reflection for the Week

Today’s Gospel (Matt. 25:1-3)

This parable tells us that anyone can be welcomed by Jesus.
Let us listen to Him this week.



CHRISTMAS BOOK MEMORIAL OFFERING

During the Advent season, a Christmas Memorial book will be placed on the altar. If you would like to have the names of the deceased members of your family inscribed into this book please use the special envelope found in your offertory box or a plain envelope. Please mark the envelope In Memory of and **PRINT THE NAMES CLEARLY** and place in the Sunday Collection.

Your generous contribution will be used for Church decorating during Christmas and throughout the year.



On behalf of Fr. Maurice Restivo, Pastor, Fr. Jim Stenberg, Parochial Vicar, Deacon Paul Bezaire and the staff of Our Lady of Assumption Parish, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous response to participate in our sixth annual Memorial Mass held on November 2, 2017.

A very special thank you to Doug Krystia, Managing Funeral Director of Janisse Funeral Home and his staff, who for the past six years has so generously provided the flowers for the bereaved to present in honour of their loved ones who have passed away, and also for preparing the Worship Aid Programs and Prayer Cards for this event. Appreciation is extended to all who accepted the invitation to be part of the Order of Service; Sr. Lise and members of the Choir, Readers, Altar Servers and all who participated in any way; Kevin McQuaid Jr. and Tim McKinley for ensuring sure that everything needed for the Mass was on hand and for arranging the tables and seating; Carmen Archibald and the hospitality committee for providing the delicious baked goods and desserts for the reception following the Mass for a time of refreshments and friendship. We are so grateful to all of you for generously sharing your gifts of time and talent. And finally, to all who attended this beautiful celebration to remember and pray for our loved ones who have died and gone before us, we extend sincere appreciation and sympathy.

Marilyn Morrison, Bereavement Ministry

Feedback Sessions with Paul Mullins – November 18th/19th

Next weekend immediately following the **5:00pm mass on Saturday, November 18th**, and after the **11:00am mass on Sunday, November 19th**, Paul Mullins will meet with parishioners to get input from them for the purpose of the study. Taking place at the McEwan Campus, this will be your chance to offer your insights and comments. This will also be an opportunity to hear what others are thinking regarding what is needed for the spiritual wellbeing of the community. Please come and contribute to the conversation.

THE MESSAGE OF THE GOSPEL OF MARK A LIVE, DRAMATIC, CONTINUOUS READING

Our Lady of the Assumption is pleased to present local illustrator, author, public speaker and parishioner **Owen Swain** who will give a live, dramatic reading of the complete Gospel of Mark directly from the text of **The MESSAGE Catholic/Ecumenical Bible**. The Message is particularly well suited to a dramatic oral reading as it is well known for its “fresh, compelling, insightful, challenging, faith-filled” rendering of the original languages. It is said that “faith comes by hearing” or as The Message Bible put’s it, “The point is: Before you trust, you have to listen.” [Romans 10:17a MSG.]

Come listen to the Gospel of Mark as you’ve likely never heard it before, in Rosary Chapel, on **Monday, November 27th, from 10:00am to 12:00pm, OR 6:30pm to 8:30pm.**

Refreshments to follow both presentations.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in January 2018 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.

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Week at a Glance

Monday, November 13th

6:00pm Youth Program (McEwan Campus-Basement)

Tuesday, November 14th

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

Wednesday, November 15th

7:00pm Divorced Catholic (Rosary Hall)
7:00pm RCIA (Rectory)

Thursday, November 16th

10:00am Card Games (McEwan Campus-Basement)
5:00pm Two Hearts Prayer Group (Rosary Chapel)
6:30pm Choir Practice with Sr. Lise (McEwan Campus-Church)
7:30pm Nar Anon (Rosary Hall)

Friday, November 17th

9:00am SVDP Forgotten Harvest Produce (McEwan Campus)
3:00pm Divine Mercy Hour (Rosary Chapel)
6:30pm Confessions (Rosary Chapel)
7:00pm Apostolate of Fatima Mass & Rosary (Rosary Chapel)

Saturday, November 18th

9:00am SVDP-Meeting/Home Visits (McEwan Campus-Basement)
2:00pm Constante/Sassine Wedding (McEwan Campus-Church)
3:45pm Confessions (McEwan Campus-Church)
5:00pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
6:00pm Paul Mullins after mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
7:00pm New AA Meeting-All Are Welcome (Rosary Hall)

Sunday, November 19th

9:00am Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
11:00am Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
12:00pm Paul Mullins after mass (McEwan Campus-Church)
12:00pm Coffee Sunday (McEwan Campus-Church)
7:30 pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)

The Advent Season Begins on December 3rd, 2017

“*The Little Blue Book*” for the Advent/Christmas Season are available to purchase starting this weekend after all the Masses for **\$2.00** each
The new **Sunday Missals** will also be available at this time for **\$5.00** each
Both will be sold at the Welcome Desk.



The Christmas Giving Tree will be placed near the front entrance of the church for the weekends of November 19th/20th and November 26th/27th. Please take an envelope and fill it with a gift card, cheque (payable to Assumption Parish) or cash so that we can provide gifts for families in need.

Please return your donation by December 3rd, 2017 by simply putting it in the collection basket.

St. Vincent de Paul Collection

For the Month of October

October 1st	\$ 400.00
October 8th	\$ 825.00
October 15th	\$ 284.00
October 22nd	\$ 420.00
October 29th	\$ 597.50
Total	\$2,526.50



Sunday Collection

November 5, 2017

Regular	\$6,520.86
Miscellaneous	\$2,341.25
Building Maintenance	\$ 829.00
Total	\$9,691.11



Mass Intentions

Monday, November 13th

8:00am †Dan Barron by his wife Dorene
†Mario & Bianca Venditti by the Venditti Family
†Betty Gilles by Mary Ha

Tuesday, November 14th

8:00am †Leo Quimby by wife Daisy Quimby
†Lucy DiLuca by Anna Cianfarani
For the Intentions of Kim Hennin by Michelle Hennin

12:10pm †Cesidio & Antonia Acchione by Antonia Laberi
†For all Souls in Purgatory by Antonia Laberi
†Loreto & Gina Malizia by Maria Catalano

Wednesday, November 15th

8:00am †Elezovic Mark by the Family
†Richie Allen by Mario Spada
For the Intentions of Todd Hennin by Michelle Hennin

5:00pm †Jennifer Ann Deroy by John & Karen Dollar

Thursday, November 16th

8:00am †Linda Cameron by Tom & Janet Menard
†Dan Gilles by Mary Ha
For the Intentions of Berny Lesperance by Jim Rock

12:10pm †Antonio Pallisco by the Torti Family
†Theresa Lemay by Dora Doig
†For the deceased members of the Raymond Nadeau, Clifford Mayea Families & Doug White by Blaise & Theresa Mayea

Friday, November 17th

8:00am †Janet (Nella) & Vincent Lazarus by daughter Patricia
†Pasquale & Domenica Nardone by Amasio Nardone & Family
†Pino & Robin Nardone by Amasio Nardone & Family

Saturday, November 18th—McEwan Campus

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

Sunday, November 19th—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 November 12th

Rosary Chapel

†Domenica Nardone by Maria Casani



BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

For the past few years, our Bereavement Support group has been meeting bi-weekly on Tuesday evenings in Rosary Hall.

We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to attend this Christ centered faith sharing group either now or whenever you feel the need. At times, the need isn't apparent for several months, so feel free to join us even if the loss was some time ago. Please do not hesitate to contact me for the dates and time to meet.

Marilyn Morrison, Bereavement Ministry (519) 253-2761

Marie Rose Place

318-320 Randolph Street

Phone: (519) 253-1383 e-mail: marierose@mnsi.net

www.marieroseplace.com

Monday, November 20th from 10am to 3:30pm

Lion: The Gift of Adoption

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