

THE PARISH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION & ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY

53 Winter Hill Road, Tuckahoe, New York 10707

www.assumption-immaculate.org

Rectory & Cemetery: 961-3643 • Immaculate Conception School: 961-3785 • Religious Education Office: 961-1076

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Anthony Sorgie, Pastor
Rev. Paul Waddell, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Seán Connolly
Deacon Anthony Viola
Deacon Carl Degenhardt

Parish Staff

Sr. Cora Lombardo, Director - Adult Faith Formation
Miss Katy Feeney, Director - Religious Ed
Ms. Maureen Harten, Principal - ICS Regional School

Offices Hours:

Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM
Saturday-Sunday: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Weekend Masses:

Saturday Evening

4:00 PM at Assumption
5:00 PM at Immaculate Conception

Sunday at Immaculate Conception:

8:00 AM • 10:00 AM • 12:00 PM • 5:00 PM

Sunday at Assumption:

9:00 AM

Spanish Mass/Misa en Español:

12:00 PM at Assumption
todos los Domingos

Bilingual Italian/English Mass/Messa in Italiano:

9:00 AM at Assumption
on the first Sunday of the month

Weekday Masses:

(recitation of the Rosary before Mass)

Monday - Friday:

7:30 AM at Assumption
8:30 AM • 12:00 PM at Immaculate Conception

Saturday:

8:30 AM at Immaculate Conception

Holy Day Masses:

Vigil: 7:30 PM at Immaculate Conception
Solemnity: 8:30 AM, 12:00 Noon, 4:30 and 7:30 PM
at Immaculate Conception
7:30 AM at Assumption (Monday-Friday only)

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Assumption on Saturday: 3:30 - 3:55 PM
Immaculate Conception on Saturday: 4:00 - 5:00 PM
or by appointment with priest on duty

Miraculous Medal Novena:

Mondays after 12:00 PM Mass
with 7:00 PM Benediction

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Mondays and First Fridays after the 12:00 PM Mass
at Immaculate Conception
Reposition and Benediction is at 7:00 PM



*Madonna of the Magnificat
Sandro Botticelli - 1480-81
Galleria degli Uffizi
Florence*

January 1, 2017

Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God

MISSION STATEMENT

With the Eucharist as our source, Mary as our patroness and the Holy Spirit as our guide, we the Roman Catholic Parish of Immaculate Conception and Assumption of Our Lady, Tuckahoe, seek to give meaning to our faith by following Christ's command to care for His people, by fostering actions that nourish both the spiritual and social needs of our people and build community within and without our parish.



From the Desk of the Pastor

January 1, 2017

The Precepts of the Church

If the New Evangelization is successful, we will have lots of people returning to the practice of our Catholic Faith and so we better be both good examples and teachers. I am often surprised to learn how many Catholics define themselves as a 'Practicing Catholic,' but technically, they are not. What makes someone a practicing Roman Catholic is more than just being baptized and maybe attending Mass during the holidays. In the Catholic religion, being a practicing Catholic takes action, courage, and faith.

A practicing Catholic is not a perfect person. Practicing Catholics are people who seek the truth and believe in the teachings of Catholicism.

They follow the precepts of the Catholic Church which are:

1. You shall attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.
2. You shall confess your sins at least once a year.
3. You shall humbly receive your Creator in Holy Communion at least during the Easter season.
4. You shall keep holy the Holy Days of Obligation.
5. You shall observe the prescribed days of fasting and abstinence.

The faithful also have the duty of providing for the material needs of the Church, each according to his or her abilities. These are the top five ways to know if you are a practicing Catholic. There are many other ways, such as respecting others, loving others, being charitable, and more.

As a matter of fact, I had to laugh when one of our CCD teachers asked her class about the Precepts of the Church and one child answered: "The first precept of the church is that Fr. Sorgie says you don't go to the bathroom during Mass." Another piped up "and park in a real parking spot." Ah, the innocence of children – but at least they listen. I would add one more – "never leave the church when you have just received Holy Communion but wait until the end of Mass." Let us be both good teachers and good examples to our children and those returning to the practice of our faith.

Father Anthony Sorgie

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

FIRST READING: NUMBERS 6:22-27

In this reading, God told Aaron how to bless the people. His final blessing bestows peace. The Hebrew word for peace, *Shalom*, encompasses more than our general understanding of peace. It includes happiness, health, prosperity, friendship, well-being. As we begin the new year, we wish each other Shalom!

SECOND READING: GALATIANS 4:4-7

The Galatians had converted to Christianity from paganism. So it was not a natural progression for them from Judaism to Christianity. St. Paul reminded the Galatians that they were adopted as sons and are therefore rightful heirs of God.

GOSPEL: LUKE 2:16-21

This Gospel passage covers a very familiar part of the nativity scenario. Having already heard from an angel about the birth of the Savior, and where he was to be found, the shepherds set out to find the Holy Family. They disclosed the message the angel had given them, which amazed Mary and Joseph in a way they would always remember.

But after the amazing news and the departure of the shepherds, the Holy Family resumed a normal existence and, as prescribed for all male infants, they had Jesus circumcised and named.

NEXT WEEK: EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6 • Second Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6 • Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Immaculate Conception Church

Saturday, December 31 *Vigil: Solemnity of Mary*

5:00 PM Parishioners and Their Families

Sunday, January 1 *Solemnity of Mary*

8:00 AM Concetta Di Gioia Mem.

10:00 AM Nicholas Puglisi Mem.

12:00 PM Armando Fruscianta Mem.

There is no 5:00 PM Mass on January 1

Monday, January 2 *St. Basil the Great and St. Gregory Nazianzen*

8:30 AM Richard Gugliotta Mem.

12:00 PM Susan & William Cunningham Mem.

Tuesday, January 3 *Most Holy Name of Jesus*

8:30 AM Iola Murano Mem.

12:00 PM Rosa Corigliano Mem.

Wednesday, January 4 *St. Elizabeth Ann Seton*

8:30 AM Elpidio & Sixta Laiz Mem.

12:00 PM Nicholas Ferrante Mem.

Thursday, January 5 *St. John Neumann*

8:30 AM Stella Piechota Mem.

12:00 PM Giovanni Russo, Michele Russo & Aurora Russo Mem.

Friday, January 6 *St. André Bessette*

8:30 AM Philip Fusco & David Lange II Mem.

9:30 AM ICS Epiphany Mass Mem.

12:00 PM Vincenzo Monteleone Mem.

Saturday, January 7 *St. Raymond of Penyafort*

8:30 AM Intentions of the Gonzalez Parish Family Living

Saturday, January 7 *Vigil: Epiphany of the Lord*

5:00 PM Thomas R. Leto, Sr. Mem.

Sunday, January 8 *Epiphany of the Lord*

8:00 AM Frank Veltri Mem.

10:00 AM Gertrude Rathjen Mem.

12:00 PM Theresa & Pasquale Izzo Mem.

5:00 PM Robert Simonetti Mem.

Assumption Church

Sat 12/31 4:00 PM Amerigo Cavuoto Mem.

Sun 1/1 9:00 AM Gladys Humphries Mem.

12:00 PM Parishioners and Their Families Mem.

Mon 1/2 7:30 AM Antonino Lamberti Mem.

Tues 1/3 7:30 AM Peter Devitt Mem.

Wed 1/4 7:30 AM Esperanza Vulpis Mem.

Thurs 1/5 7:30 AM Patricia Volpe Mem.

Fri 1/6 7:30 AM Gino Perini Mem.

Sat 1/7 4:00 PM Agostino, Concetta and Mem.

William Celestino

Sun 1/8 9:00 AM Giuseppe & Maria Maccoccia Mem.

12:00 PM Loreto Cristini Mem.

NEXT WEEKEND'S

CELEBRANTS:

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION:

Vigil: Epiphany of the Lord - Saturday January 7:

5:00 PM: Fr. Sorgie

Epiphany of the Lord - Sunday January 8

8:00 AM: Fr. Sorgie

10:00 AM: Fr. Paul

12:00 PM: Fr. Tierney

5:00 PM: Fr. Paul

ASSUMPTION

Vigil: Epiphany of the Lord - Saturday January 7:

4:00 PM: Fr. Collins

Epiphany of the Lord - Sunday January 8

9:00 AM: Fr. Connolly

12:00 PM: Fr. Connolly (Spanish)

“Every babe ever born for this life, except One, was born to live. The only exception was the Babe who gave Christmas its name. The name given to Him at His birth was Jesus because, as the angels said, He shall save His people from their sins. He took not the name of Teacher, for then He would have been only an ethical reformer; nor did He take the name of Judge for that would be to announce judgment before announcing mercy and forgiveness. Later on, when He begins His public life, John salutes Him as the Lamb who takes away the sins of the world.”

Archbishop Fulton Sheen
(Thoughts for Daily Living)

The Sacrament of Baptism: Baptisms are scheduled at 1:30 PM on select Sundays at Immaculate Conception or Assumption. Call the rectory as soon as possible to make arrangements. Baptismal catechesis (instruction) is offered on one Thursday of each month.

The Sacrament of Matrimony: Please call Fr. Sorgie, our pastor, to arrange for the date and church of your wedding at least six months in advance, prior to any other plans for your expected wedding date. Wedding arrangements will be handled by our Wedding Coordinator, Mrs. Marge Russo: (914) 629-1691.

Note: there are no weddings on Sundays.

Communion Calls for the Home Bound: Weekly or monthly. Please call the rectory to arrange visitations.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: Anytime day or night. Call 961-3643.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Anytime - call the priest on duty: 961-3643. Also on Saturdays: 3:30-3:55 PM at Assumption, 4:00-5:00 at Immaculate Conception.

Registration: New Parishioners may register by visiting one of the priests or by calling the rectory: 961-3643.

Please Remember to Pray for the Sick:

Joseph Bracchitta • Norma Canal • Maria Rose D’Onofrio
Rose De Benedictis • Pamela Sacchinelli DeMaio
Angie DiGioia • Elena DiLeo • Maria Faber
Donna Fleming • Maddy Gordon • Marge Gotsch
Ana Herrera • Joseph Lagana • Michele Laverdi
Lucy Lo Murno • Ian Manzares • James McGarry
William McQuade • Barbara Mechling
Richard Natoli, Sr. • Angelo Nurzia • William Ranieri
John Risi • John Ruggiero • Margaret Scott
Lawrence Smith • Mary Patricia Spruck
Monika Sybitzky • Patricia Tavalilla

Please Remember to Pray for the Departed:

Alfred Basso • Regina Kerrigan
and for those in the military who have died
in the service of our country

DEVOTION OF FIRST FRIDAY - JANUARY 6

This coming Friday is the first Friday of the month.

“I promise you in the excessive mercy of My Heart that My all-powerful love will grant to all those who communicate on the First Friday in nine consecutive months the grace of final penitence; they shall not die in My disgrace nor without receiving their sacraments; My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.”



Our Lord to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque



Please join us for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the Noon Mass at Immaculate Conception until 7 PM.

Adoration is also scheduled each Monday (except major holidays) at Immaculate Conception after the Noon Mass and Miraculous Medal Novena with Benediction at 7:00 PM.

SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 31

Parish New Year’s Party 7:00 PM Fr. Fata Hal

Monday, January 2

Rectory Offices Closed for New Year’s Holiday

Exposition & Benediction 12:30 - 7:00 PM Immaculate Conception

Tuesday, January 3

RCIA 7:00 PM Lower Rectory

Legion of Mary 7:30 PM Teachers’ Room

Wednesday, January 4

Cenacles of Life 6:00 PM Immaculate Conception

Bible Study 7:30 PM Lower Rectory

Friday, January 6

Exposition & Benediction 12:30 - 7:00 PM Immaculate Conception

Saturday, January 7

Devotion to Our Lady after 8:30 AM Mass Immaculate Conception

Monday, January 9

Exposition & Benediction 12:30 - 7:00 PM Immaculate Conception

Tuesday, January 10

Touring Tuesday 9:00 - 11:00 AM IC School

RCIA 7:00 PM Lower Rectory

Legion of Mary 7:30 PM Teachers’ Room

Wednesday, January 11

Dinner Served to the HOPE Community

Cenacles of Life 6:00 PM Immaculate Conception

Bible Study 7:30 PM Lower Rectory

Monday, January 16

Rectory Offices Closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday

Exposition & Benediction 12:30 - 7:00 PM Immaculate Conception

Knights of Columbus 7:45 PM Fr. Fata Hall

JESSE TREE THANK YOU

Once again, our parish families responded generously to the needs of those less fortunate. With the collection of over three thousand gifts, we were able to serve thirteen groups and parishes. The people who received the gifts responded with both gratitude and amazement.

A thank you is extended to those volunteers who helped wrap and organize the gifts for pick-up. We also wish to thank a local donor who gifted forty-nine fully equipped bicycles!

A very special thank you goes out to one of our young parishioners, Olivia Sprinkle, working on her Silver Award for Girl Scouts. With her perseverance, she managed to make up over two hundred gifts and organized her co-Scouts into wrapping and bagging presents for delivery.

Our parish family should very proud of all their generosity to this Ministry!

**USING THE PARISH’S
FLOCKNOTE ONLINE
COMMUNICATIONS TOOL**

You may have heard the Archdiocese has subscribed all parishes to a web based communications tool called *Flocknote*. This tool has replaced the way we used to send our e-Blasts. To sign up, visit

archny.flocknote.com/Our_Parish/

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

A BRIEF VIDEO ABOUT THE BLESSED MOTHER

As we celebrate the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God, check out this 2-minute video that overviews all the reasons we love and honor Our Blessed Mother:

<https://youtu.be/j7AQGyqtoK0>

COMING THIS MONTH

- January 3: Regular classes resume and continue through January on our regular schedule: Tuesday through Thursday.
- January 6: Family Catechesis Event (for those who have already registered): Epiphany/Christmas Pageant
- January 28: First Penance sessions for second graders

ICS NEWS

Classes resume on Tuesday, January 3. We wish everyone a happy and healthy New Year!

FAITH BASED, VALUES ORIENTED, ACADEMICALLY EXCELLENT EDUCATION

Searching for a faith based, values oriented, academically excellent education for your child? Consider Catholic School; visit ApplyCatholicSchoolsNY.org - Financial Assistance Scholarships are available for qualifying families of new applicants.

To apply for Immaculate Conception School, Tuckahoe, select school number 8549. Call to schedule a tour of our school: 961-3785 ext. 122.

TOURING TUESDAY - JANUARY 10

Immaculate Conception School participates in Archdiocesan *Touring Tuesdays*. This is an opportunity for prospective families to see our school in action and gain a personal snapshot from an "insider," one of our dedicated parents. We encourage you to visit ICS on Tuesday, January 10 from 9:00 AM until 11:00 AM to see what amazing things are happening at our school. RSVP to Mrs. Ranallo in our Admissions Office: 961-3785 x122.

NEW TO THE PARISH? REGISTER ONLINE:

www.assumption-immaculate.org/icc/icc_regform.php

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

AFTERNOON OF PRAYERFUL REMEMBRANCE AND INTERCESSION - SATURDAY, JANUARY 21

Pray with us on Saturday, January 21: 1:00 - 3:00 PM, at Immaculate Conception Church for the conversion of our culture and society.

The hidden wounds of abortion affect each of us; whether it's one's neighbor, co-worker, friend, relative, maybe oneself. As a community we have all been touched. Join us as we observe the 44th Anniversary of Roe v. Wade, the Supreme Court Decision legalizing abortion. We will gather to pray and intercede on behalf of our entire nation, seeking forgiveness and healing.

The afternoon will include a Prayer Service, Eucharistic Adoration and the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Sponsored by Immaculate Conception and Assumption of Our Lady Parish. Questions? Contact Sr. Cora at 961-3643 or send her a message at iccaff.org

HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE

MONDAY, JANUARY 23

Pray with us for the protection and sanctity of all life on Monday, January 23: 6:00-7:00 PM as we prepare for the March for the Life on Friday, January 27.

PARENTS CONNECT MEETING

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24

Join us on Tuesday, January 24th at 10:00 AM in the Lower Level of Father Fata Hall. The *Parents Connect* mission is to provide an opportunity for parents to connect and learn from each other in a welcoming, open and faith filled environment.

We will discuss *Divine Mercy for Moms - Sharing the Lessons of St. Faustina* by Michele Faehnle and Emily Jaminet. If you don't have time to read the chapters, please join us anyway; we use the book to initiate conversation. Child care is provided. Please contact Michelle at chorvers@optonline.net or 787-0005 to RSVP and let us know how many children will be joining you.

MORNING OUT! - TUESDAY, JANUARY 31ST

Please join us for the winter session of *Morning Out!* beginning on Tuesday January 31st from 9:45 AM to 11:15 AM in the Lower Level of Father Fata Hall. This program is for parents or grandparents of infant, toddler and preschool children. Every week a new topic, focused on behavior, social and discipline topics, is discussed and facilitated by archdiocesan-trained facilitators. All sessions are on Tuesday mornings - January 31st, February 7th, February 28th, March 7th, March 14th and March 21st. Space is available; to register contact Michelle at chorvers@optonline.net or 787-0005.

MAINTENANCE & CUSTODIAL CARE OF OUR BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

Ongoing projects are Stewardship in Action. We would like to keep you informed and will use space in the bulletin to do that. (For a complete list, including older completed projects, visit: www.assumption-immaculate.org/info/stewardship.php)

- Refurbished Assumption Rectory 3rd Floor Bedrooms and Bathroomcompleted 5.09.2016
- Converted to Energy-Saving LED Lights at Assumption completed 5.13.2016
- Chimney Repaired and Painted at Fr. Fata Hall completed 7.23.2016
- Repair and paint Statue of Our Lady at Entrance to Assumption completed 8.20.2016
- Renovation of Fr. Fata Hall (upstairs) completed 9.14.2016
- Two New Signs at Entrances to Assumption, Repair Garden Sign completed 10.12.2016
- Replace Outdoor Bulletin Board at Assumption completed 10.12.2016
- New Tile Floor at Entrance into Immaculate Conception Church completed 11.21.2016
- Designed and Installed Real Votive Candles for our People to Light completed 11.23.2016
- Upgraded and Painted Bathroom at Immaculate Conception Church completed 11.25.2016
- Replace Windows in the Rectory Garage completed 12.09.2016
- Upgrade Sound System at Assumption Church completed 12.21.2016
- Replace Windows in the Meeting House almost completed



If you have questions about any aspect of our Catholic Church and Faith, just drop us a note or call and we will answer them to the best of our ability.

70. What does Epiphany mean?

The term epiphany could refer to a number of things depending on the context. It could mean a divine manifestation; or it could refer to the twelve days following Christmas, which in Christianity celebrates the three wise men's visit to see the infant Jesus. Synonyms for the term epiphany in this case include Epiphany, Twelfth Day, Epiphany of Our Lord, Three Kings' Day as well as January 6 (the feast day).



The Parish Nurse

Depression: When to Get Emergency Help

If you think you may hurt yourself or attempt suicide, **call 911 or your local emergency room** immediately.

If you have a loved one who is in danger of committing suicide or has made a suicide attempt, **stay with that person.** Call 911 or your local emergency room immediately, or take them to the nearest emergency room.

www.mayoclinic.org/diseasesconditions/depression/basics/definition/con-20032977?p=1

Information compiled by: Susan Anello MS RN

If you have any questions or suggestions for topics that you would like to see covered, leave your name and number at the parish office for Susan to contact you, or you may e-mail her at saa38@aol.com. Place "Parish Nurse" in subject area.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHOIR INVITATION

We are currently looking for
new members in all sections:
Sopranos, Altos, Tenors and Basses.

The choir leads the liturgical singing at the 10:00 AM Mass each Sunday, plus occasional services such as Evening Prayer, Lessons and Carols, Christmas and Holy Week. The music is drawn from choral anthems, motets, hymns and chant appropriate for the Liturgy.

Tuesday Rehearsals: 7:30 - 9:00 PM
Sunday Mass: 10:00 AM
with warm-up at 9:30 AM

For more details regarding the Choir, please come up to the choir loft and speak to Robert Harvey after Mass.

BONANZA 2017 TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE

Our 2017 Bonanza tickets have been mailed to parishioners. Please consider them for Christmas and birthday presents.

We begin drawing our weekly prize winners on January 9.

As with the 2016 Bonanza Lottery, winning tickets will be re-entered for subsequent drawings - so it is possible to win multiple prizes with the same ticket.

Thank you, as always, for your generosity and stewardship during Bonanza 2016.

Please continue to pray for our Parish, our clergy, and the staff members who serve you.

COLLECTION NUMBERS

Due to the Christmas and Solemnity of Mary holy days, the bulletin was due at the printer's early. The Solemnity of Mary collection numbers will be in the January 8 bulletin. Collection information for Christmas will be in late January

CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER FOR CURRENT PARISHIONERS

If you have changed your phone number and/or moved, please let us know your new information and whether you will continue to be parishioners here. You can call the rectory or complete the information below and drop it in the collection basket. It is important to note apartment numbers. Thank you for keeping us informed!

PARISHIONER CHANGE OF INFORMATION FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Phone: _____

- Moving within parish
 Moving to another parish

Stewardship for Sunday, December 18

Sunday Collection:

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| Church | \$15,118 |
| ParishPay | <u>\$2,325</u> |
| Total: | \$17,443 |

Christmas Flowers:

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| Total: | \$3,014 |
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Gold Envelope Donations for Gym Debt:

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| Church | \$926 |
| ParishPay | <u>\$78</u> |
| Total: | \$1,004 |

A CHRISTMAS GIFT

Those who went to Christmas Mass at Assumption Church probably noticed the new sound system: new microphones, mixer, wireless for the celebrant, and new speakers from the sacristy to the choir loft. The old system, dating back to Monsignor Maltese, was installed in 1986 - more than 30 years ago!

There is also a new mixer in the front for the benefit of Masses and celebrations that include a special group in the front of the church and for the choir at the Spanish Masses.

This project is part of the 2017 *Archdiocesan Renew + Rebuild Project*, but Fr. Sorgie decided to complete it early for the immediate benefit of those attending Mass at Assumption Church.

TREE OF LIFE MEMORIALS AVAILABLE FOR EACH CHURCH

There are many opportunities to remember, honor, or memorialize an occasion or a person on the *Tree of Life*. If you have a special love for our churches, consider having a leaf engraved and placed on the *Tree of Life*. The cost for each of the remaining leaves is \$1,500 per leaf.



Pregnant? Need Help? 914-235-0505 or 1-800-640-0767.
 Absolutely Confidential - Total Services Free.



AN INVITATION TO JOIN US IN PRAYER

The members of the Assumption Altar Rosary Society will meet at Assumption Church on the 2nd Sunday of each month to recite the Rosary prior to the 9 o'clock Mass (except during the summer months). All are welcome to join us in prayer.

HOPE SOUP KITCHEN - JANUARY 11 & 17

Due to the increased number of people in need of meals at the HOPE soup kitchen, we are reaching beyond our dedicated group of "Volunteer Angels" who cook and donate food once a month to anyone able to help whenever possible.

The next scheduled days for our Parish are **Wednesday, January 11** and **Tuesday, January 17**. The menu consists of Fried Chicken (legs and thighs), 2 large bags of frozen cut green beans, 2 large bags of mixed salad greens and a bottle of Italian dressing (donations of *any* of the above are appreciated).

Aluminum pans or plastic bags will be available on the back porch of the rectory for the cooked entree (enough for 10-15 people). Food should be brought to the Immaculate Conception rectory back porch by 2:30 PM on the designated days. For information, call Kathy Doscher: 337-3356 or visit:

www.assumption-immaculate.org/ministries/hope.php

CYO BASKETBALL FUNDAMENTALS FOR CHILDREN IN GRADES 1-2

The CYO Basketball program is offering a clinic on the fundamental skills of basketball. Children in grades 1 and 2 will be taught how to pass, dribble and shoot. Sessions are Sunday mornings: 9:00 - 9:45 for 1st graders and 10:00 - 10:45 for 2nd graders starting January 15 and ending February 12. The registration fee is \$100. To register, visit

<http://www.icscrusaders.org>

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - JANUARY 16



The Reverend John Keogh Council meets on the third Monday of every month at 7:45 PM at the Chambers on the lower floor of Father Fata Hall. All members are urged to attend. For more information on the Keogh Council, visit the web site at:

www.assumption-immaculate.org/ministries/koc.php

BUS TO WASHINGTON DC FOR THE 44TH ANNIVERSARY MARCH FOR LIFE

If you would like to participate in the March for Life on **Friday, January 27**, there will be a bus leaving from the Immaculate Conception parking lot at 6:00 AM sharp (please arrive at 5:30) and returning at about 10:30 PM. The cost is \$45 per person (\$20 for students). For more information or to make a reservation, please call Ralph Guida: 779-0806. We suggest you bring lunch and wear comfortable shoes and layered clothing.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed at Cabrini of Westchester in Dobbs Ferry. If you have a few hours to give to this rewarding experience, please contact Simone Smith (Director of Human Resources and Volunteers) at 693-6800 extension 571 or Yvonne at extension 592.

DONATIONS OF CLOTHING

The Salvation Army Clothing Drop Containers are located to the right of the large maintenance garage in the upper parking lot. If you find both of the containers filled, please do not leave clothing outside where the elements and animals can get to them. Please bring them to another container in town or bring them back when there is room. You could also try the new Goodwill storefront at 19 Mill Road in Eastchester. Call 337-3749 to see when it is open. To find Salvation Army Drop boxes and/or stores, visit their web site:

satruck.org/DropOff/

TRAVELLING?

If you will be travelling in the United States and want to find the nearest Roman Catholic Church and its Mass schedule, you can visit the Mass Times site on the Internet: <http://www.masstimes.org> (you may want to sort the results by distances) or call Mass Times at 1-858-207-6277. Many foreign cities are also included.



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LOS SACRAMENTOS

Sacramento de Reconciliación o Confesión: A cualquier hora. Llame al sacerdote del turno al 961-3643. Además, los días sábados de 3:30 a 3:55 PM en la Iglesia de la Asunción, y de 4:00 a 5:00 PM en la Iglesia de la Inmaculada Concepción.

El Sacramento del Bautismo: Los Bautismos deberán ser programados para efectuarse durante domingos seleccionados, en la iglesia de la Inmaculada Concepción. Por favor llamar a la rectoría a la brevedad posible para hacer los arreglos pertinentes. La Catequesis o Instrucción Bautismal se ofrece durante, un jueves seleccionado una vez al mes.

Primera Comunión y Confirmación: La Catequesis para prepararse a recibir estos Sacramentos se ofrece en las Clases de Religión de la Escuela Parroquial de la Inmaculada Concepción y deben registrarse en la oficina de la Escuela Parroquial de Formación Religiosa (*Parish School of Religion*): 961-1076.

El Sacramento del Matrimonio: Por favor llamar al Padre Sorgie, para acordar la fecha y la iglesia en la que se quiera efectuar el matrimonio. Se debe acordar fecha e iglesia con seis (6) meses de anticipación, previo a cualquier otro plan del matrimonial. Es importante saber que no se efectúan matrimonios durante los días domingos.

Sacramento de Extremaunción (Unción) de los enfermos: A cualquier hora del día o de la noche. Por favor llame al (914) 961-3643

Llamadas para la Comunión a los enfermos y confinados en casa: Semanal o mensualmente. Por favor llame a la rectoría para acordar las fechas de visita.

Registro de nuevos parroquianos: Se pueden registrar visitando uno de los sacerdotes de las iglesias o llamando al (914) 961-3643

Requisitos: Para poder recibir todos los Sacramentos en nuestra parroquia, los interesados deben registrarse en la oficina parroquial de la Inmaculada Concepción para certificar que son católicos practicantes en nuestra Parroquia, y que asisten a Misa todos los domingos. Una vez registrados en la parroquia se les enviarán a su dirección postal unos sobres para poner la ofrenda dominical.

Si alguna persona desea celebrar alguno de los sacramentos en nuestra comunidad pero pertenecen a otra Parroquia, deberán presentar un permiso del párroco de la parroquia donde estén registrados. De igual modo, si están registrados en la Inmaculada Concepción y desean celebrar alguno de los sacramentos en otra parroquia, nuestro Párroco extenderá la constancia necesaria.

LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Misa en Español: La Misa se celebra *todos* los domingos a las 12:00 del mediodía en la Iglesia de la Asunción:
125 Wallace St • Tuckahoe, NY 10707
100 Pleasant Ave • Tuckahoe, NY 10707

Hospitalidad: Compartimos en una Convivencia el primer domingo de cada mes después de la Misa del mediodía en el Salón Parroquial de Father Fata Hall, ubicado al lado de la Iglesia de la Asunción.

HORA SANTA POR EL DERECHO A LA VIDA LUNES, 23 DE ENERO DE 6:00 A 7:00 PM

Rece con nosotros por la protección y santificación de la vida, el día lunes 23 de enero de 6:00 a 7:00 PM, como preparación para La Marcha por la Vida el día viernes, 27 de enero

AUTOBÚS A WASHINGTON DC PARA CELEBRAR EL 44 ANIVERSARIO DE LA MARCHA POR LA VIDA

Si a usted le gustaría participar en La Marcha por la Vida, el día viernes 27 de enero, un autobús partirá desde el estacionamiento de La Iglesia de la Inmaculada Concepción a las 6:00 en punto de la mañana (por favor llegue a las 5:30AM) y retornará aproximadamente a las 10:30 PM. El costo es de \$45.00 por persona (\$20.00 para estudiantes). Para más información o para efectuar una reservación, por favor llame a María Teresa Rueda al 258-4772. Si asiste, le sugerimos traer su almuerzo y vestir en capas y con zapatos cómodos.

REGALO DE NAVIDAD

Para todos los que asistan a la Misa de Navidad en la Iglesia de La Asunción, probablemente tomarán en cuenta el nuevo sistema de sonido: nuevos micrófonos inalámbricos para el celebrante, el nuevo mezclador musical, los nuevos parlantes en la sacristía y en el desván del coro. El viejo sistema de sonido cuyo tiempo se data del tiempo de Monseñor Maltese, fue instalado en 1986, hacen ya treinta años.

También. Se ha instalado un nuevo mezclador en el frente de la Iglesia para beneficiar la celebración de las misas y al grupo que se ubica en el frente, como es el Coro Hispano, durante la misa en idioma español.

Este proyecto era uno de los incluidos para el año 2017 dentro de los Proyectos de Renovación Arquidiocesana El Proyecto Reconstruir de Nuevo, pero el Padre Sorgie ha decidido completarlo más tempranamente para el beneficio de todos los que asisten a los servicios religiosos en la Iglesia de La Asunción.