Since 1848 The Parish Family of

The Church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Welcomes You

September 26, 2021

As we pray for you, we ask for your prayers.

Mass Schedule

Saturday
8:00 a.m.
5:30 p.m.

Sunday
7:00, 8:00, 10:00 a.m.
12:00 p.m.
5:30 p.m.
(Sept.-May)

Weekdays
7:00 a.m.
12:05 p.m.

Holy Days
5:30 p.m. Vigil
(Day Before)
7:00 a.m. &
12:05, 7:30 p.m.

National Holidays
9:00 a.m.

Church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
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Pastor: Rev. Msgr. John E. Hart
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Lukasz Wnuk
In Residence: Rev. Przemyslaw Gawlik
Deacons: Brian Beyerl, Michael Hanly, John Mihalko, Elliott Stein

Trustees: Kathleen Hyland 973-539-2860 / Bob Rohr 973-539-2693
Parish Coordinator—Linda Macios Secretary—Liz Rotunno Business Manager—Robyn Morris

Parish Office Hours: Monday—Thursday 8:30—4 p.m. Friday 8:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Parish Registration: Call 973-539-2141 or visit the parish website at www.assumptionparish.org.

Assumption School: 973-538-0590; www.assumptionnj.org
Sr. Merris Larkin, S.C. Principal

Faith Formation: 973-267-5638,
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Linda Macios: Director
Sharon Bertram: Coordinator Grades 6, 7, and 8
Clare Ettensohn: Confirmation
Tara Speer: Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
Sue Paradise: Secretary

Faith Formation for 1st through 8th graders follows a family model called *Forming Faithful Families.* Families meet at Assumption School one Sunday morning per month September—April. Resources are provided to use at home on alternate weeks. Catechesis of the Good Shepherd classes will meet September–April on Sundays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Confirmation Prep, for freshmen and sophomores of the parish, meet one Sunday evening per month.

Music Ministry—973-539-2141, extension 19
Claudia Nardi: Director, Dr. Fran Covalesky, Organist
Adult Choir, Youth Ministry Choir, Children's Choir

Holy Rood Cemetery—973-539-7501
Website: www.holyroodcemeterynj.com
Diana Loughman: Cemetery Director
Emerson Brito, Emerson Pavezzi: Caretakers

Church Sexton—Doug Reisch

Deaf Interpreter - Kathleen Skaf

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturdays from 4:15 - 5:00 p.m. or by appointment.

Marriage: Arrangements should be made with a priest or deacon by registered parishioners ***at least one year in advance*** of the marriage date. Marriage arrangements should be made PRIOR to reserving reception facility.

Baptisms: Contact Liz Rotunno in the Parish Office to arrange your child's Baptism. For first-time parents, attendance at a Baptismal Preparation class is required. Prep classes are held on the second Thursday of every month at 7:30 p.m.

Visitation of the Sick and Elderly: Please keep us informed so that we may be attentive to those who are ill at home or in the hospital. Eucharistic Ministers are available to bring Communion on Sundays.

Parish Ministries

Africa Surgery	Tom Johnson	973-234-6383
Altar Linens	Mike Cherello	973-267-6825
Altar Servers	Fr. John Hart	973-539-2141
Bereavement	Marybeth Wooters	201-602-8723
Bethany Ministry	Linda Macios	973-539-2141
Boy Scouts	Kevin Kelly	973-727-7082
Cub Scouts	Cassandra Nielsen	973-452-3857
Centering Prayer	Fr. Ken Lasch	973-538-2653
Children's Worship	Linda Cannilla	973-540-1683
CYO Basketball	Kevin Bopp	917-861-2876
Endowment for Poor	Claudia Nardi	973-539-2141
Eucharistic Min.	Marybeth Wooters	201-602-8723
Family Promise	Brian Doherty	973-714-7674
Finance Committee	Greg Kurlander	973- 984-9516
Food Pantry	Claudia Nardi	973-539-2141
Gardening	Fr. Lukasz Wnuk	973-539-2141
Giving Tree	Brian Morgan	973-462-6972
Good Samaritan	Carole Hires	973-538-8651
Home School Assoc.	Jean Jabbour	973-809-8630
Holistic Health	Carole Hires	973-538-8651
Homeless Solutions	Ralph Ferrara	973-769-6418
Knights of Columbus	William C. Duggan, Jr.	973-960-6417
Lectors	Andrea Bozzi	973-656-9864
Men's Group	Peter Zaremba	215-518-4973
Nursing Homes	Mary Dibble	973- 998-0838
Pre-Cana	Ken and Rosa Rose	973-539-9845
RCIA	Fr. John Hart	973-539-2141
Respect Life	Sue and Dave O'Dougherty	973-993-3068
Safe Environment	Linda Macios	973-539-2141
Separation / Divorce	Deacon Elliott Stein	973-539-2141
Soup Kitchen	Annaliese Rush	973-455-0391
Spiritual Direction	Karen Florance	973-476-5542
Ushers	Anthony Romano	973-267-5433
Village Angels/Tanzania	Johanna Burani	973-610-4856
Welcome /Hospitality	Moira Clarkin	973-539-4390
Vocations	Fr. John Brandi	973-539-2141
Young Professionals	Fr. Lukasz Wnuk	973-539-2141
Youth Ministry	Clare Ettensohn	973-267-8519

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	**September 25**
8:00 a.m.	Lillian Kurek
5:30 p.m.	Lisbeth Hernandez
	Kimberly Wesner
SUNDAY	**September 26**
7:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
8:00 a.m.	Irene Phelan
	Kathleen Carr
10:00 a.m.	Michael Costello
	Lynn Curry
12:00 p.m.	Louis Tremallo Sr.
	Brian McNally
5:30 p.m.	Kristine Staudt
	Ranjini Michael
MONDAY	**September 27**
7:00 a.m.	Angela DiGiano
12:05 p.m.	Daniel J. Crowe
	Stephen Galante
TUESDAY	**September 28**
7:00 a.m.	Edward Sokolowski
12:05 p.m.	Richard Anderson
WEDNESDAY	**September 29**
7:00 a.m.	Joseph Murphy
12:05 p.m.	Vincent Keyes
THURSDAY	**September 30**
7:00 p.m.	Richard Mazanec
12:05 p.m.	Susan Lanterman
FRIDAY	**October 1**
7:00 a.m.	Bozidar Maricic
12:05 p.m.	Robert Noonan Kelly
	Adams
SATURDAY	**October 2**
8:00 a.m.	Jack Larkin
5:30 p.m.	Frances Bolte
	Sally McNally
SUNDAY	**October 3**
7:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
8:00 a.m.	Eve Shea
	Kathleen
10:00 a.m.	McCormack Dorothy
	T. Bailey James
12:00 p.m.	O'Donnell Robert
	Noonan James
5:30 p.m.	O'Donnell John
	Patterson Kevin
	Cassidy Sr.

GATHER IN PRAYER

- Pray the Rosary weekdays 20 minutes before the 12:05 p.m. Mass.
- Pray the Perpetual Novena in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal every Monday immediately following the 12:05 p.m. Mass.
- Eucharistic Adoration the first Saturday of each month 8:30 - 9:00 a.m. and the first Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

First Reading: Numbers 11:25-29

All of this weekend's Bible readings discuss aspects of the life of a faith community. The Hebrew Scripture reading reminds us that God bestows gifts within the community as God wills. God's spirit is not restricted by our petty preferences or wishes.

Second Reading: James 5:1-6

This reading from the Letter of James is a prophetic indictment against those who are unjust and greedy. The community of Jesus must constantly examine its own behavior in terms of justice and care for the weak.

Gospel: MK 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

The need for constant, personal self-assessment is a major feature of this passage from the Gospel of Mark.

We invite you to prayerfully reflect on the Readings for the week of September 26

Monday	Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23; Lk 9:46-50
Tuesday	Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 9:51-56
Wednesday	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; Jn 1:47-51
Thursday	Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Lk 10:1-12
Friday	Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9; Lk 10:13-16
Saturday	Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-35, 36-37; Mt 18:1-5, 10
Sunday	**Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time** Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

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PLEASE REMEMBER AND PRAY FOR THE RECOVERY OF:

Charles Arteglier, Greg and John Baxter, Paula Rose Carducci, Jim Cavanaugh, John Hyland, Nancy Arteglier, Jim Mongey, Sister Marie Graziano, Jack Guerriero, Francesca Kobylarz-Bongiorno, Saletha Corbin, Stephanie Trincanello, Rob Loia, Terri Abrams, Louis Cicitta, John Jennings, Janet Friedman, Janet Stiles, Audrey Roast, Vivian Hart, Capt. Roseanne Hartley, Gloria Dabal, Sylvia Walsh, Philip Barret, Rowland Lucid, Francis Romance, Dale Potter, Sr. Joan Daniel Healy, Jean McHugh, Lonnie Ridley, Mary Anne Gotch, Sal Enea, Patty Gallagher, Mark Enea, Charolette Spires, David Smith, Leonard Pergentile, Marie Dooner, Jill Kandel, Noreen Rogers, Rita Roache-Buncum, Mark Anderl, Esther Salas, Mary Louise Smith, Kenneth Krause, Lauren Baksa, Tom Jaworski, Alan George, Erin Harten, F. Michael Giles, Della Corbin, Thomas Walker Duane Judge, Atkins Preston, Alice McGreevy, Mindy Spears, Angela Caracchia, Thurston Briscoe, Claire Miller, Dave Miller, Ann Waller, Len Solimene, Richard Giacobone, Msgr. Michael Manion, Joseph and Elizabeth Tomaszewski, Rick Kuchera, Diane Quade, Joanne Spadavecchia, Dorothy Bauer, Moses Scott, Charles Bommer, Bishop David O'Connell, Owen Hefferon, Charlotte Castellanos, Ralph Greer, Sherry Hutchins-Henderson, Tracy Tademy, Baby Eleanor Deretti, Francoise Marie Therese Quick, Charles McGovern, Karen Macios, Sangita Rossano, Carl Matthew, Sara Tejada, Kim and Bob Seaman and Mary Corona, Barbara Doran, David Renzo, Valerie Hendon, Lonnie Ridley, Kerry McCann, Eleanor Fritz, Concetta Prochilo, Fr. John Connolly, Mary Ellen Campbell, Sr. Patricia Dunham, Noelle Albanito, Tom Dougher, Eileen Byrne, Sister Patricia Dunham, Barrett Leonard, Suzanne Comerford, James Gianotti Ed Gabel, Eileen Byrne, Nikki Vadis, Susan Vogtman, Sean Baxter, Fr. Chris Barkhausen.

Please call the Parish Office at 973-539-2141 with the names of who you would like included in the prayers for the good health of the sick and homebound.

GOOD SAMARITAN MINISTRY

Do you need help? Our Good Samaritan Ministry can assist registered parishioners with various errands and services. If you, or anyone you know, is unable to get groceries, prescriptions or other necessities, due to the Coronavirus restrictions or for any other reason, please have them contact Carol Hires our Good Samaritan coordinator for the month of September at 973-538-8651.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - MORRISTOWN

The Knights of Columbus, George Washington Council 359, at 13 South Street in Morristown, NJ welcomes all Catholic Men age 18 and older to come join our growing council. We are an active council that will foster your relationship with our Church and our community. Contact: Grand Knight William C. Duggan, Jr. at 973-960-6417, wcdugganjr@hotmail.com.

PLEASE PRAY FOR MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY AND THEIR LOVED ONES WHO HAVE SERVED, OR ARE SERVING, IN THE ARMED FORCES

CW3 Michael Benkosky Green Beret, Special Forces, Airborne Joint Forces; *Captain William H. Shipp,* Military Professor, Naval War College, Newport, RI; *Andrew Vasquez* US Army; *Andy Soucy US Army; Dan Lessnau Former Marine and Veteran of the Viet Nam War; Kevin Felix* US Military Colonel; *Lt. Tim Fleury, US Navy; Staff Sergeant William J. McSweeney* Retired Marine Served Around the World; *Matthew Gonabe, Lt. US Navy* Pilot Serving in the Persian Gulf; *David Ribardo, 1st Lt. US Army* Serving in Afghanistan; *Capt. Brendan Griswold* 82nd Air Borne in Afghanistan; *Capt. Patrick Flynn, US Army* 1st Infantry, Afghanistan; *Sergeant Richard Galluzzo* Serving in Afghanistan, *Lt. Thomas Keyes Jr.*; *Capts. Scott and Meghan Harra,* US Army in Afghanistan; Captain *Timothy Newcomb,* US Army Special Forces; *Col. Jason M. Barrett,* USMC in Iraq and Afghanistan; SM*Sgt. John Bartow,* Stratton ANGB NY, *Douglas Reisch*, 1/325 Infantry, 82nd Airborne Division, *Daniel Baron*, US Navy, Hawaii, CPT *Schuyler Orecchio*, US Army, Special Operator 2nd Class *Patrick Gaven*, USN, Staff Sargent Brent M. Betit, ARNG, *First Sgt. Jeramiah Dempsey*, USAF, *1st Lt. J.D. Poling*, US Army, Gitmo, Cuba, *PFC Peter Mitchell,* USMC, *Dale G. Potter*, Retired Lt. Commander US Navy, and Major US Marine Corps, *Lt. Michael Herbert Jr*. 3-66 Armored Brigade 1st Infantry Division Fort Riley Kansas deployed to Germany, *Seaman Connor Fitzpatrick*, US Navy, Great Lakes, IL., *Sergeant Brendan Rochelle*, 1/127 82nd Airborne, Fort Bragg.

SILVER AND GOLD WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Couples, were you married in 1971 or 1996? The Diocese of Paterson invites you to celebrate your 25th or 50th wedding anniversary during a special Mass to be offered at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson, NJ. Bishop Sweeney will serve as main celebrant on this joyful occasion to be held: **Sunday, November 7th, 2021 at 3:00pm.**

Arrangements can be made by contacting the parish office. **The deadline to submit your registration to your parish office is Thursday, October 7th, 2021**. You will receive additional information from the Office of Family Life once your registration has been processed. *Congratulations on this joyous occasion!*

THE GRACE OF COMPASSION: THE VALUE OF A CUP OF WATER

"There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can at the same time speak ill of me [. . .]"Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward . . . " *(Mark 9: 38-43, 45, 47-48)*

Here is a reflection I hope you will enjoy.

In the June [2021] issue of **America** Magazine, Frank DiFulvio writes a touching essay about his father's last days.

Frank's dad had been suffering from Stage 4 kidney failure, made progressively worse by complications from open-heart surgery. Dad was taken to the hospital for the last-time in mid-August of 2017. After some bloods tests, doctors confirmed that he had a heart attack and he was admitted for more tests. The next morning, the doctor called Frank aside. "Your dad is dying, Mr. DiFulvio. His kidneys are failing, which is causing fluid to build up in his body." All they could do was make him as comfortable as possible.

Before falling asleep, his father whispered, "Did you say August 16 is Isabella's birthday, Frankie?" Isabella is Frank's eldest daughter. He was puzzled by his dad's sudden interest in his daughter's birthday, several days away, but confirmed the date for his dad before he drifted off to sleep.

Hospice care was suggested but, to Frank's surprise, his dad rejected it. "I decided to give dialysis a try, which might give me an extra few weeks of life, Frankie," his dad said. "It probably won't work in my current condition, but I wanted to give it a try. I have nothing to lose."

Neither Frank nor the doctors could dissuade Dad, so he went through five hours of dialysis the next day, August 13. Two days later, August 15, Dad went through a second dialysis treatment. Around midnight, the doctor told Frank that his dad had received his last dialysis treatment and would transition to hospice. "I still don't understand why he decided to take this path. I just hope that we can make him as comfortable as possible. He is a good man," the doctor concluded, with tears in his eyes.

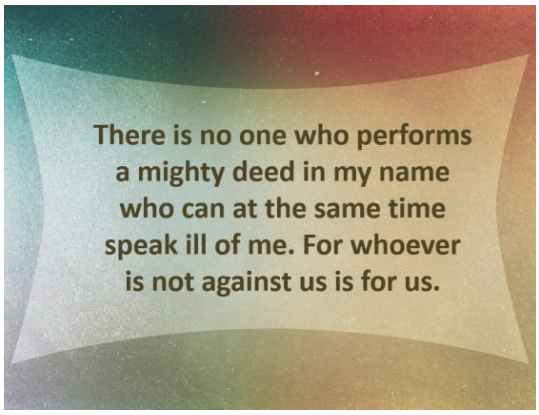
The senior DiFulvio died early in the morning of August 21, 2017. His son had spent the night with him and held him in his arms "until God called him home."

Frank said some final prayers and hugged his dad for the last time. As he was about to leave, the nurse came in and asked Frank to see her outside.

"I have to tell you something, Mr. DiFulvio," she blurted out. "Your dad told me that there was only one reason he decided to try dialysis rather than go immediately into hospice care. He told me never to tell you, but I just have to do it. You need to know," she insisted. She then explained that his dad would not die on his granddaughter's birthday, which would have been a possibility if he entered hospice care.

The nurse confided to Frank, "He told us that he wanted you and your younger daughter Sofia to celebrate Isabella's birthday with her without having to think about his death."

A dying grandfather's selfless generosity of heart for his family in his last moments is the "cup of water" that Jesus speaks of in today's Gospel: a selfless, heart-felt sign of the compassion that Christ asks of all who would be his followers. Jesus promises us that even the simplest act of love and kindness will be honored by God. Anyone and everyone in need or in trouble have a claim on our care and charity because they belong to Christ. In whatever opportunities we have, with whomever we meet and are able to help, may we not hesitate to act in Jesus' name.



In Christ's Peace,
Father John

AVOID SCANDALIZING OTHERS

The issue of scandal is very serious. Sadly, we have become accustomed to hearing or reading about scandals every day in the news. For most of us they have become an inevitable part of living. Jesus took scandals very seriously.

Adults: Have I ever scandalized anyone with my behavior at home, workplace or parish?

Children: Does it bother me when another child takes the glory for something I did? How do I react in those situations?

A Family Perspective: The second part of today's Gospel contains a strong message for those who share the responsibility of fostering faith. It is indeed an awesome responsibility. Today's Gospel reminds us that faith is a lifelong journey toward God. We don't always get it all or even get it right. But we pray for the grace to acknowledge and build upon even the smallest signs of faith, in ourselves and in others. There are plenty of obstacles that might prevent the growth of faith. Let us pray that we are not contributing to the obstacles that might hinder another person's faith in Jesus. As you gather as a family, observe that there are things in our lives that nurture our faith and things that can hinder it. Talk about some of the things that nurture our faith—healthy family relationships, healthy friendships, good literature, and so on. Name some of the things that might be an obstacle to faith—unhealthy relationships, scandals, and so on. Observe that Jesus teaches us in today's Gospel that we are to do everything we can to help one another have faith in Jesus and do all that we can to avoid creating obstacles that might hinder another person's faith.

FIVE FIRST SATURDAYS DEVOTION BEGINNING OCTOBER 2

On the 13th May 1917, Our Lady first mentioned devotion to her Immaculate Heart to the children of Fatima saying "You have seen hell, where souls of poor sinners go. To save them God wishes to establish in the world devotion to my Immaculate Heart. If what I say to you is done, many souls will be saved and there will be peace."

Please join us for 5 consecutive Saturdays at 7:30 A.M. to pray the Rosary to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. A 15 minute meditation will follow and then the 8 A.M. Mass will be offered. This devotion will begin on Saturday, October 2, and will continue on November 6, December 4, 2021 and January 1 and February 5, 2022.

2021 BUY A BIBLE CAMPAIGN THANK YOU!

We have met our goal once again because of your generous support. All of our 6th and 7th graders will be given a Bible and Bible tabs at the start of our program in September. During a special prayer service, our youth and our families will pray for the donor of their Bible, and if the Bible was given in memory of or in honor of someone, then they pray for that person also. Thank you again and God Bless

MASS ATTENDANCE SEPTEMBER 18/19

5:30 p.m.	150
7:00 a.m.	68
8:00 a.m.	81
10:00 a.m.	228
12:00 p.m.	136
5:30 p.m.	180
Total	843

FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

Assumption is a Tithing Parish

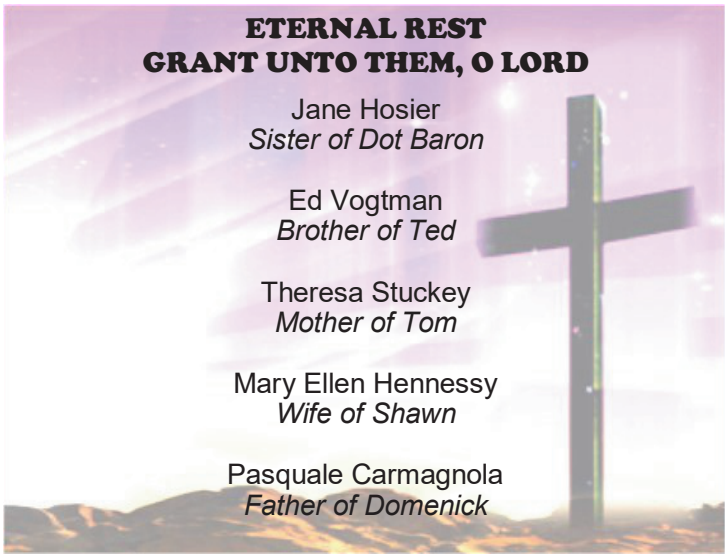
The collection for the weekend of September 18/19 was $20,613. The collection for that weekend last year was $18,229.

Pastor's Note: Thank you for your most generous sacrificial donations to our parish in our weekly offertory. Because of your magnanimous support of Assumption we are able to fulfill the Lord's command to preach the Gospel and bring good news to the poor and needy. Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

2021 DIOCESAN MINISTRIES APPEAL "LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE"

The 2021 Diocesan Ministries Appeal (formerly called the 'Bishop's Annual Appeal') will be kicking off soon. The theme of this year's Appeal is "Let Your Light Shine". After so much hardship experienced by many because of the pandemic, it appears that there is light at the end of the tunnel. Our 2021 Appeal theme reminds us that we all have a role to play in diminishing the darkness by being beacons of hope for all in need. Please support our Diocesan Ministries Appeal that helps so many of our brothers and sisters in our Diocese.

For your convenience, you can support the Diocesan Ministries Appeal by making an on-line gift. Simply go to www.202lappea1.org and follow the user-friendly instructions.



REGISTER FOR FAITH FORMATION

Registration for the 2021-22 Faith Formation school year is now open. Visit assumptionparish.org/sign-up-for-rel-ed then select from the following choices:

- • First through Eighth Grade: Forming Faithful Families
- • Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- • Confirmation: 9th and 10th Grade

For more information or if you have any questions please email our Faith Formation Director Linda.Macios@assumptionparish.org.

BE A LEADER FOR SERVICE OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN. *IT BRINGS JOY!*

Maybe you're not ready to commit to becoming a catechist but would consider volunteering as a leader for Service of the Word for Children just once a month at either the Saturday 5:30 p.m. Mass or Sunday 10:00 a.m. Mass. Reflections on the readings are provided well in advance. Ask your spouse or a friend to join you. You won't regret the time you give to sharing the light of Christ with our youngest parishioners. For more information email RelEd@assumptionparish.org or call the Faith Formation office at 973-267-5638.

3K ROSARY FOR LIFE OCTOBER 13

Live Via Computer Link and Conference Call

Wednesday, October 13, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. EST. Our goal is to have 3,000 people praying for the protection of babies in the womb and in reparation for the sins of abortion. The rosary will be lead by Bishop Arthur J. Serratelli, Bioshop Emeritus of Paterson and priests from all over New Jersey. For information call 973-497-4500, email info@lifeneteducation.org or visit www.lifeneteducation.org/3krosaryforlife/

ASSUMPTION SCHOOL OKTOBERFEST OCTOBER 23

Assumption School's Oktoberfest featuring Gift and Silent Auction, will be Saturday, October 23rd. The Gift and Silent Auction are free and open from 3:00-6:00pm -the only cost involved is the purchase of the Gift Auction tickets. Purchase a wrist band at www.assumptionparish.org and enter the all inclusive Biergarten from 4:00-9:00 p.m. for unlimited food/drinks (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) and dance with the band.

This event is the main fundraiser for the Home and School Association. All proceeds directly benefit our children. Contact Lisa Lukas or Kate Ball Hsafundraising@assumptionnj.org

EVENING RN NEEDED

The Sisters of Christian Charity are looking for an RN for our night shift to coordinate and oversee the care plan of our Sisters. We are looking for a compassionate person with a strong work ethic. BSN required with a minimum of three years in long-term care. Please contact Eileen Davis, Business Manager at bus.manager@scceast.org or 973-230-5368.

OBERAMMERGAU WITH MSGR JOHN HART JULY 18 - 30, 2022

Next year Father John will be leading a pilgrimage to Oberammergau to see the 42nd production of the Passion Play, in the beautifully renovated and modern Passion Play Theater. The dates of the trip are from July 18 - 30, 2022 Other cities we will be visiting include Prague, Budapest, Vienna, Salzburg, and Munich. The cost of the trip is $5,699 per person double occupancy. This includes round trip airfare, airport fees and taxes and first-class accommodations, breakfast and dinner daily. For the full itinerary visit www.pilgrimages.com/msgrhart/, or our website at www.assumptionparish.org, or email msgrjohnhart@assumptionparish.org

29TH ANNUAL LOYOLA JESUIT CENTER GOLF OUTING OCTOBER 11, 2021 SPRING BROOK COUNTRY CLUB,

This year's co-honorees will be Desmond V. Lloyd, Sr., Owner of the Grand Café, Morristown & Frank P. Diassi, Chairman of the Board & CEO of Unicorn HRO, Florham Park.

Your support of this event enables Loyola to provide a refuge, a place of rest and prayer, a place to find guidance and help, healing and direction for thousands upon thousands of people in need. In addition, your support will help Loyola provide retreats for those combating homelessness and addiction and those in recovery and allow Loyola to continue its free will offering policy where no one is ever turned away regardless of financial status. Register at https://www.loyola.org/events/2021-10/

WINDING THRU WORSHIP

PRESENTED BY THE OFFICE OF WORSHIP

All presentations are at St. Paul Inside the Walls beginning at 7:30 PM. Each week varied topics related to worship and liturgy will be presented.

Tuesday, October 5- "Post" – COVID Liturgy: What's new? What's the same? What's the difference? Fr. Jared Brogan The Covid-19 pandemic has prompted changes in how we worship. Specifically, what we have become accustomed to in the liturgy was altered. Although some rubrics and rituals remained the same, others changed. The exchange of peace, the distribution of the Precious Blood, holy fonts were among the changes. This presentation will explore those changes and explore what has returned, what has not, and the significance of it all. This presentation is for all people.

Tuesday, October 12 - *Praying the Antiphons* Mr. Preston Dibble
The Church has given us Proper texts for prayer in the liturgy. Several composers from a variety of musical genres have set these texts in English, Latin, and Spanish to approachable melodies for congregations, cantors, and choirs alike. We are given several options where we customarily only think of a hymn or song. This presentation will give a broad overview of these Antiphons and include several musical examples that could be used in a parish. Pastoral Musicians, Clergy, and anyone interested in learning about sacred music in the liturgy are invited to this session

Tuesday, October 26 - *A Fulfilling Choir Rehearsal* Mr. Preston Dibble
Parish choir directors oftentimes find themselves wearing many more hats than just musicians. This session will explore how to structure a rehearsal for success in such a way that your singers feel engaged musically and spiritually in their ministry. Choir Directors and all those involved in music ministry are invited to this session.

Tuesday, November 2 - *Liturgical Movement v. Liturgical Reform* Fr. Jared Brogan
The terms Liturgical Movement and Liturgical Reform are often used interchangeably, misunderstood, or limited to a certain time in history. This presentation will explore the meaning and effects of both these important aspects in the Church. This presentation is for all people.

Tuesday, November 9 - *Baptism: Called by Name to Discipleship Confirmation: Sent Out as Missionary Disciples*
Fr. Jared Brogan Two Sacraments of Initiation, Baptism and Confirmation, have been understood and celebrated differently throughout the history of the Church. Why is that? Where are we now? This presentation will explore these Sacraments of Initiation in terms of the call to discipleship. This presentation is for all people, especially those involved in Religious Education and sacramental preparation, including the RCIA.

Visit insidethewalls.org/worship-workshops to register.

THE YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH

PATRIS CORDE - WITH A FATHER'S HEART

What a gift to the universal Catholic Church to have a year dedicated to the fatherhood of St. Joseph! In honor of St. Joseph, the children of Assumption have written prayers and poems about St. Joseph. Each weekend we will share these simple, heartfelt homages to St. Joseph.

St. Joseph

Brave, Strong
Willing, Loving, Forgiving
Working hard every day

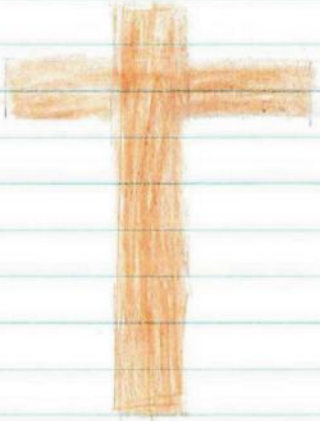
Father

St. Joseph was merciful
He was also thoughtful
St. Joseph worked hard
He was the best Card
And he was Faithful

Sergio

Selfless
Active
Independent
Noble
Teacher

Just
Obident
Smart
Engaged
Poor
Honorable



Claire

Haiku:

Saint Joseph is Kind
Loving, caring, hard working
A great Role-Model

We praise Saint Joseph
Carpenter, Father, Leader
Rest well in Heaven

Parker

Dear St. Joseph,
Patron saint of families look at the poor, broken, unfaithful, intellgent and just heart give them the love thay need to be faithful and together once more.

Amen

Halia

St. Joseph is wise,
which is no suprise,
he is very quiett,
many people buy it,
his prayers are the perfect size.

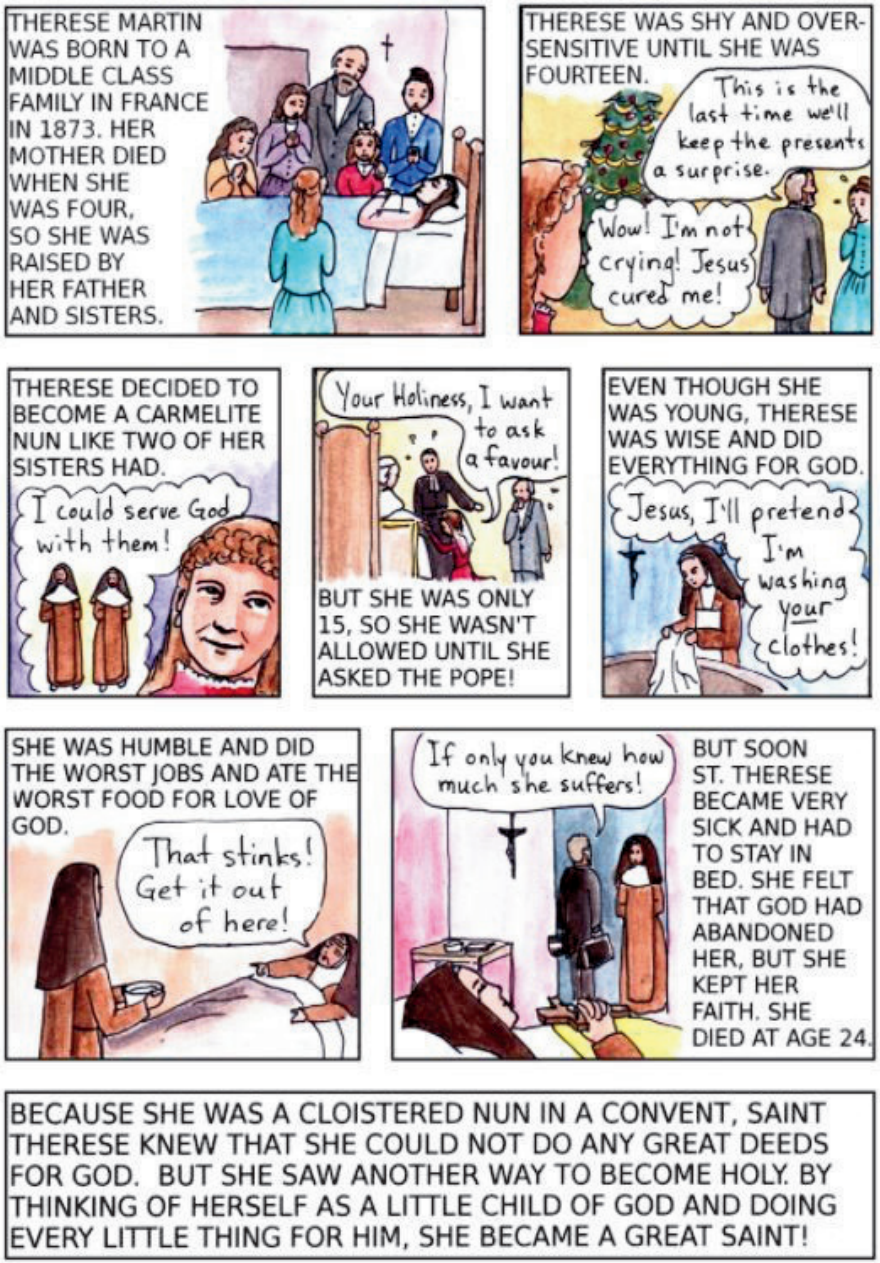
The main ingredient,
is to be obedient,
I think I must,
say that he is just,
St. Joseph's love is radiant.

Brendan

Saint Therese of Lisieux

"The Little Flower"

October 1



"If it causes you to sin" Word-Find

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G K I N G D O M T
O O R S L A M E I
D I E N T E R D N

See if you can find all the words from this part of today's Gospel passage that are in CAPITALS.

Use the left-over letters to fill in the blanks at the end.

Mark 9:42-48

...if your HAND causes you to SIN, cut it off; it is BETTER for you to enter life MAIMED than with two hands go INTO hell, to the unquenchable FIRE.

And if your FOOT causes you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life LAME than with two FEET to be THROWN into HELL.

And if your EYE CAUSES you to sin, pluck it out; it is better for you to ENTER the KINGDOM of GOD with one eye than with TWO eyes to be thrown into hell, where the WORM does not DIE and the fire is NOT QUENCHED.

It is better

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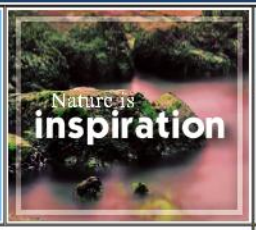

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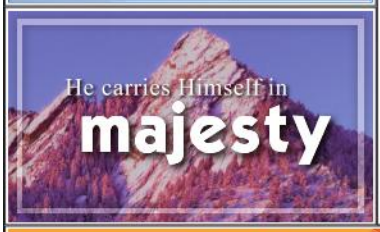

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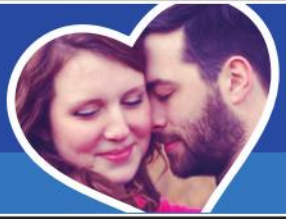

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