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## Welcomes You

The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 27, 2025



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, 7:00 p.m.



### Church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 91 Maple Avenue, Morristown, New Jersey 07960

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Visit our Website: www.assumptionparish.org

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Pastor: Rev. Msgr. John E. Hart Parochial Vicar: Rev. Krzysztof Tyszko

Weekend Assistants: Rev. Msgr. Kenneth E. Lasch, Rev. John Brandi Deacons: Brian Beyerl, Michael Hanly, John Mihalko, Elliott Stein

Trustees: Kathleen Hyland 973-539-2860 / Bob Rohr 973-539-2693

Parish Coordinator—Linda Macios Business Manager—Robyn Morris Secretary—Liz Rotunno Summer Office Hours: Monday - Thursday - 8:30 a.m. - 3 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, Email: RelEd@assumptionparish.org

Linda Macios: Director

Christine Capo: Coordinator Grades 6, 7, and 8 Colette Geraghty: Confirmation & Youth Ministry Tara Speer: Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Sue Paradise: Secretary

Faith Formation for 1st through 8th graders is called Forming Faithful Families. We will provide 12 dates for Mass & Class. Families are strongly encouraged to attend 10 a.m. Mass followed by grade level class. 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. Register on the Faith Formation tab of the parish website.

Music Ministry -- 973-539-2141, extension 19 Paul Kusler, Music Director

Adult Choir, Youth Ministry Choir, Children's Choir

Parish Outreach - 973-539-2141 extension 27 Claudia Nardi

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

Church Sexton—Mark Cassidy; Logan Lenahan

**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. Krzysztof Tyszko	973-539-2141
Bereavement	Marybeth Wooters	201-602-8723
	Andrea Beyerl	973-476-9406
Bethany Ministry	Linda Macios	973-539-2141
Building/Grounds Cmte	Patrick Burke	908-510-6677
Cub Scouts	Cassandra Nielsen	973-452-3857
CYO Basketball	Mike Keown	862-432-9071
Endowment for Poor	Claudia Nardi	973-539-2141
Eucharistic Min.	Marybeth Wooters	201-602-8723
Faith Comm. Nursing	Mary Kennedy	917 860-1337.
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Safe Environment	Linda Macios	973-539-2141
Scouts	Kevin Kelly	973-727-7082
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Ushers	Anthony Romano	973-267-5433
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Vocations	Christine Myers Gorski	973-539-2141
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Youth Ministry	Colette Geraghty	973-539-2141
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#### July 27, 2025

#### **Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**SATURDAY** July 26

Celeste Gennaro 8:00 a.m.

The Sexton and Tedeschi Families 5:30 p.m.

Anne Louise Demertzis

SUNDAY July 27

7:00 a.m. The People of the Parish

Francis E. Nolan 8:00 a.m.

Carmine Principato

10:00 a.m. Madalyn Castelucci

Lorenzo Castaldo

Joseph Scarpino 12:00 p.m.

Joseph Junas

MONDAY July 28

7:00 a.m. Les Armour

12:05 p.m. Adam Rogala Zawadzki and

The Zawadzki Family

**TUESDAY** July 29

7:00 a.m. Judith Behan 12:05 p.m. James Ryan

**WEDNESDAY** 

July 30 **Bob Maxwell** 7:00 a.m. 12:05 p.m. Anna Grasso

**THURSDAY** July 31

7:00 a.m. Carmel Talbot Nicholas Pilas 12:05 p.m.

**FRIDAY** August 1

Kathleen M. McCormack 7:00 a.m. 12:05 p.m. Joseph E. Coddington

SATURDAY August 2

Brian Prendergast 8:00 a.m.

Vincent and Phyllis Marella 5:30 p.m.

Panfelia Schiela

SUNDAY August 3

The People of the Parish 7:00 a.m.

8:00 a.m. Eugene Russo

Carlo Catillo

10:00 a.m. Louise Fichot Marian Melchiorre

Carmine Grosso

12:00 p.m.

Josephine Tonzola

#### **GATHER IN PRAYER**

- Pray the Rosary weekdays 20 minutes before the 12:05 p.m. Mass. On Thursdays, the Rosary before 12:05 Mass is offered for priests and for vocations to the priesthood.
- 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.

This Habran Conesis 18:20-32

This Hebrew Scripture reading is a wonderful example of the intimacy that is possible for those in covenant with God. Abraham negotiates with God about an issue of justice and their conversation flows back and forth between them. Abraham's confidence in the strength of his relationship with God is a model for all God's people.

econd Reading: Colossians 2:12-14

Our second reading continues to present the reflections of the writer of the Letter to the Colossians. He stresses how Gentile Christians have died to their pagan way of life by their baptisms into the death of Christ. They have been raised to new life through the resurrection.

ospel: Luke 11:1-13
In this selection from the Gospel of Luke, the evangelist has collected together a number of different sayings of Jesus about prayer. Luke's version of the Lord's Prayer stresses that the coming of the Kingdom involves forgiveness. The other sayings encourage prayer to the One who shares the spirit with us.



#### We invite you to prayerfully reflect on the Readings for the week of July 27

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-20, Monday

21-22, 23; Mt 13:31-35

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-7, Tuesday

8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Jn 11:19-27

Wednesday Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9;

Mt 13:44-46

**Thursday** Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a

and 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81: **Friday** 

3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58

Lv 25: 1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Saturday

Mt 14:1-12

Sunday **Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

> Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

### PLEASE REMEMBER AND PRAY FOR THE RECOVERY OF:

Charles Arteglier, Greg and John Baxter, Paula Rose Carducci, Jim Cavanaugh, John Hyland, Nancy Arteglier, Jack Guerriero, Francesca Kobylarz-Bondiorno, Louis Cicitta, Audrey Roast, Vivian Hart, Mark Anderl, Esther Salas, Kenneth Krause, Sangita Rossano, Sharon Mistretta, Janet Cicarello Cook, Gloria Dabal, Dr. Tom Emmer, Msgr. Herbert Tillyer, Barbara Syvarth, Joseph Chopiak, Barbara Ryan, Jennifer Dudley, Suzann Tedeschi, Henry Tanski, Joe Longo Sr., Donald Baron, J.P. Avione, Baby Ronan Jordan. Cheryle Cacace, Sherry Corbin Hayes, Deborah Higginbotham, Brady Sannito, Maryann Gallo, Peggy Kusler, Arthur D'Onofrio, Roy Williams, Sister Jeanne Jordan, Brenda Quagliato, Peter Donnelly, Barbara Leydon, Kevin Lauter, Jamie Pritzlaff, Fr. Mark Olenowski, Susan Martin, Connie Williams, Peter Donchak, John Branco, Julie Koepff, Karen Wagner, James Matthew Zenker, Lisa Molinari, Denny Morrison, Bruce Dedrick, Larry Trapp, Annette Solimini, Margaret Schleifer, Saul Wolfe, Deborah DeMarzo, Noelle Albanito, Charles Bommer, Carmen Harten, Peter Thomas, Dr. William Sullivan, Ryan Ball, John Gao, Nigel Loeppky, Nicole Bias, Joseph DeFrank, Hank Bedlivy, Jr, Donald Benally, Richard Doran, Elia Ortiz Fraguso, Tom Hudak, Talia and her family, Margarita Pabalan, Lucille Joel, Suzanne Martin, Judy Ort, William Porcell, James Kaminovich, Patricia Nelson, Frank Leanza, Tom Barbara Collins, Donald White, Teresa Gallo, Raffaele Puoti Fr. Joseph Buffardi, Marcus Narcisse, Joan Russell, Abby Levitt, Ron Steffes, Doris Costello, Walter Majowicz, Huguette Porte, Betty Scuman, Joseph Takaruza, George H. Becker, Jr, Susan Rohr, Shelley Maher, Anna Arnold, Ralph Schmitt, Santa Scarangelli, Patricia Miltner, Mary McGlew, Pat Cavanaugh, Amy Stuono, Ann Cahill, Peter Gianusso, Greg Smith, Emily Calderone, Dan Martin, Rose-Marie Harkin, Nancy Farrell, Ann Rose, Ellen O'Connell, David Madalema, Andrew Cortina, Bonnie Gerechoff, Beto Desimone, Ruth Necco.

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.



#### 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; 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, Scott and Meghan Harra, US Army in Afghanistan; Captain Timothy Newcomb, US Army Special Forces; Col. Jason M. Barrett, USMC in Iraq and Afghanistan; SMSgt. John Bartow, Stratton ANGB NY, Douglas Reisch, 1/325 Infantry, 82nd Airborne Division, Daniel Baron, US Navy, Hawaii, CPT Schuyler Orecchio, US Army, USN, Staff Sargent Brent M. Betit, ARNG, 1st Lt. J.D. Poling, US Army, Gitmo, Cuba, PFC Second Lt. Andrew 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, Navy EOD Connor Fitzpatrick, Guam, Sergeant Brendan Rochelle, 1/127 82nd Airborne, Fort Bragg, CH (CPT) Przemysław J. Nowak, US Army, CH (CPT) John Edisson Madrid, US Army, CH (CPT) Adam Muda, US Army, Kelsey Bergh, US Navy LCDR, Japan, Fr. Michal Falgowski, USAF PVT. Nicholas Rapa, Army Sargent Combat Medic. CPT, Mathew Ryan Lombardi, US Army, Dermot Grennan - US NAVY Nuclear -Indiana Submarine, US Army, Capt. Mike Wisniewski -Army Intelligence.

#### PLEASE CONSIDER BECOMING AN USHER

The ministry of ushers is the oldest lay ministry in the Catholic Church. During the time of Christ, the Doorkeepers of the temple numbered in the hundreds and were the forerunners of todays ushers. Today the usher's responsibilities include greeting and welcoming parishioners as they enter the church, helping them to find seats, taking up the collection and wishing everyone a good day at the conclusion of the Mass. Please consider joining our team of ushers. Contact Anthony Romano at 973-267-5433.



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#### **PERSIST IN PRAYER**

"... ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened...

"If you then, who are wicked, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more with the Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?" (Luke 11: 1-13)

Jesus teaches us how to pray. He gives us "The Lord's Prayer" and tells us that God knows all our needs and wants to provide for us. Here is a reflection I hope you will enjoy.

A woman asks: "Please, God, cure me of my cancer." In dealing with her illness, she has accepted her mortality. She comes to cherish each moment she has. Her relationship with her husband becomes stronger; she grows closer to her children, especially to one daughter who had become increasingly distant. The disease runs its course — but she learns to live her life to the full and she spends every moment to the end in the embrace of her loving family. And it is that love that she will leave behind. She **asks** — and she receives insight, understanding and peace.

A teenager seeks the answer to the question we all ask: What am I supposed to do with my life? As he makes that difficult transition from child to teenager, he comes to realize that he's not the center of the world; he learns how to be responsible and how to care about people other than himself and about things bigger than his own wants. He volunteers to work at a summer camp for kids at risk — it proves to be a life-changing experience for him. He decides to major in social work in college. Not much money, but it's work that makes a difference. He seeks — and finds fulfillment in helping families keep it together.

She nervously knocks on the door. When that door opens, her life will change: A new career, perhaps. The beginning of a life of prayer and service in a religious community, maybe. The responsibility to care for a desperately ill parent. Meeting her future in-laws for the first time. But she's ready. She's confident in her commitment and her skills and abilities; she trusts in the love that has embraced her and that enables her to embrace others. She **knocks** — and whatever is on the other side of the door, she is confident God's grace will enable her to walk through.

Those who ask *will* receive, Jesus says; those who seek *will* find; those who knock *will* find their way through — but to those of us who have offered countless prayers that we feel have gone unanswered, Jesus' promise seems disingenuous. But often our prayer results in something we do not expect; what we receive is quite different from what we ask for. We often approach prayer as trying to wring gifts from an unwilling God; in fact, we come before a God who knows our needs better than we do

ASK, AND IT WILL BE CIVEN TO YOU:
SEEK, AND YOU WILL FIND:
KNOCK, AND IT WILL BE OPENED TO YOU.
FOR EVERYONE WHO ASKS RECEIVES,
AND HE WHO SEEKS FINDS,
AND TO HIM WHO KNOCKS
IT WILL BE OPENED.

ourselves. That's the disciple's faith: to trust enough to continue to act in the spirit of Jesus' servanthood, to continue to seek God in hidden places with the assurance that, in someone or something, we will find him. (Connections)

In Christ's Peace, Father John



#### **PERSISTENCE**

Today's Gospel encourages us to approach God with confidence, to address God affectionately as "Father," and to be persistent with prayer until those prayers are answered.

Adults: What are my deepest needs? What keeps me from bringing these needs to God and asking God for help in meeting these needs?

*Children:* What can I do each day to improve the frequency and the quality of my prayer?

A Family Perspective: When someone in our family is going through a hard time, we can't just sit by and watch. We try to do everything we can to let him or her know that he or she is not alone. Like a good father, God saw that his children needed help. He decided to offer his beloved children a special gift to reveal his love. What did God give us? Not a thing, but a person—the Father's beloved Son, Jesus. Jesus, in turn, taught us to approach God as we would approach a loving father. He gave us the words of a prayer that we call the "Our Father." Talk about how Jesus teaches us to be persistent in prayer. Think of times when family members were persistent about something until they were able to achieve a goal or receive what they sought. Help your children understand that prayer is not like sitting on Santa Claus' lap, asking for what we want until we get it. Emphasize that prayer is a way of striving to recognize how God is reaching out to us in love and responding by presenting him with our needs.

### ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Are you, or someone you know, a person who wonders why Catholics do the things they do? Do you know a non-Catholic who is perhaps pondering the faith and considering joining the Church? Is the Holy Spirit leading anyone you know to pursue full initiation? Were you baptized Catholic as a child, but have not made the Sacraments of Communion and/or Confirmation? OCIA could be the answer.

No commitment is necessary to learn more about the process. The process is individualized to meet anyone where they are on the journey. Contact Fr. John at <a href="mailto:msgrjohnhart@assumptionparish.org">msgrjohnhart@assumptionparish.org</a> or call 973-539-2141 for more information about our OCIA program.

#### **BECOME A CATECHIST—FALL 2025**

With more than 500 children of the parish to serve, we encourage you to prayerfully consider becoming a catechist—someone who echoes the faith—for one of our many Faith Formation programs.

Volunteer catechists are needed for all age levels. This includes The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, grades one through eight, and Confirmation prep for grades nine and ten.

Please contact Linda Macios at 973-539-2141 ext. 12. or email <a href="mailto:linda.macios@assumptionparish.org">linda.macios@assumptionparish.org</a>.

#### MASS ATTENDANCE July 19/20

5:30 p.m.	167
7:00 a.m.	102
8:00 a.m.	108
10:00 a.m.	274
12:00 p.m.	206
Total	857

### FINANCIAL BLESSINGS Assumption is a Tithing Parish

The collection for July 19/20 was \$36,858. The collection at this time last year was \$18,128.

Pastor's Note: Thank you for your most generous support of our parish by tithing. Serving the Lord here with you is a great joy!

#### **CONGRATULATIONS TO DEACON ELLIOTT**



Deacon Elliott Stein is celebrating the ten year anniversary of his ordination to the Diaconate this year. We are so grateful to have Deacon Elliott here at Assumption. We also recognize his wife, Alicia, and their three children Alexander, Elizabeth and Andrew and the entire Stein family, for their support of Deacon Elliott's vocation.

We pray in gratitude for the presence of Deacon Elliott in our parish, and thank him for his years of service to God and to our parish.

Happy Anniversary, Deacon Elliott and may God bless you!

#### **Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

### EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AUGUST 2 AND 4

Join us for exposition and benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament on the first Saturday of each month after the 8:00 a.m. Mass, and on the first Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

The liturgies begin with solemn exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament and adoration for one hour. During this hour, the Miraculous Medal Novena will be prayed and the service will conclude with benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

#### AFRICA SURGERY INC.

Africa Surgery is again raising funds to send a 40-foot shipping container of supplies to Sierra Leone this October or November; the estimated cost is \$7,000. To help with this, please send your check to ASI, 70 Macculloch Ave. Morristown, NJ 07960. Please write "container" in the memo box. We also need: old casteiron sewing machines, fabric, towels, bed sheets, nonwinter clothing, shoes, suitcases and luggage bags, umbrellas, wheelchairs, crutches, bicycles, soccer balls, computers (windows 10 or newer), printers, sunscreen, hand sanitizer, adult diapers, reading and eye glasses, tools, lumber, tool boxes, empty spackle buckets, folding chairs, and medical and dental supplies such as denture adhesive, gauze and bandaging and pain medications, tooth brushes and paste. The items will be used to help very needy persons in Sierra Leone. Also, if you know a retiring dentist willing to donate a dental chair and any other dental equipment and for drop off info, you can call or text me at 973-234-6383, or email me at johnsontomn@aol.com. Thanks, Tom

### SISTERS OF CHARITY GOLF AND PICKLEBALL OUTING

Come join the Sisters of Christian Charity for their 12th Annual Golf Outing and Pickleball Round Robin at Fiddler's Elbow Country Club, Bedminster, NJ, on Tuesday, September 30.

Golf Package is \$450 per person, which includes lunch, 18 holes of golf and a cocktail reception and dinner. Hole in one prize is a new car! The Pickleball Package is \$200 per person, and includes a clinic and round robin play, and cocktail reception and dinner. For more information go to <a href="https://www.sccus.org/golf">https://www.sccus.org/golf</a>.



#### CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD REGISTRATION IS OPEN

Would you like to help your child enjoy a deeper relationship with God?

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori-based approach to the religious formation of children, rooted in Sacred Scripture, Liturgy (Mass), and a respect for the child's rich relationship with God. Registration for the 2025-2026, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program id open. Good Shepherd Sessions begin Sunday, September 7, 2025!

We will have an Orientation for children and families new to the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program on Saturday, September 6, 2025.

We would love to welcome you and your child to the Good Shepherd Community in our Assumption Family! Email <u>Tara.speer@assumptionparish.org.</u> coordinator of Good Shepherd, to arrange for a tour of the atrium or for more information on this beautiful faith formation for children ages 3-12 which we are blessed to offer the children of our Assumption Parish Family.

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES A RESOURCE FOR THOSE IN NEED

Catholic Charities, helps thousands of people each day. We are always only a phone call, text, or email away if a friend, parishioner, or neighbor is struggling to make ends meet. We are also here to help people faced with addiction, individuals with special needs, at-risk youth, and more. Call (973) 933-6587 Email info@ccpaterson.org.



#### **OUR MINISTRY CENTER GETS A FACELIFT!**



Our ministry center is where faith is put into action. This vital hub of parish life is getting necessary improvements through your generous support of our Faith, Family, Future capital campaign.

One recently completed project has been the repair of the building's front porch. This work has not only enhanced the beauty of this historic building, but also has added to it's structural integrity.

Now that this phase of the project is complete, the next phase of replacing the windows begins. Once that is finished, the building will be painted.

None of this would be possible without your support, both financially, and through your continued prayers for our parish's faith, family, and future.







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Pray for our seminarians as they prepare for their upcoming year in seminary and for an increase in vocations.





With a catastrophic storm on its way, Noah is given a monumental task: build a boat big enough to save his family from a flood that will cover the entire earth. As Noah endeavors to live faithfully in the midst of an increasingly chaotic world, can he trust that God's promises run deeper than the rising waters around him?

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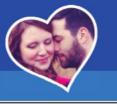














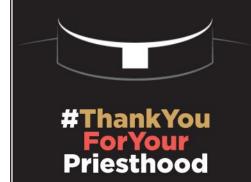
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