

Church of the Assumption

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September 10, 2017

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Chairperson

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

Effective management of your parish requires that every Catholic family or individual living within the parish must be registered. Any changes should be reported to the rectory.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS: Celebrated monthly. Arrangements should be made as soon as possible. Pre-Registration is required for the Program of Preparation and Baptism. Please call the Rectory to register.

VISITATION/ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please inform the Rectory regarding persons who are hospitalized or confined to home, and arrangements will be made to bring the Sacrament to them. In case of emergency call 201-262-1122, ext. 9 at any hour of the day or night.

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays, 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. noon, or anytime by appointment.

MATRIMONY: Couples contemplating marriage should contact a priest on staff at least one year in advance, prior to making any other arrangements.

VOCATIONS: Anyone contemplating vocation to the Priesthood or Religious Life should contact the Vocations Office at (973) 497-4365.

MASS SCHEDULE

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 8:00 a.m., 12:05 p.m., 5:00 p.m.

Vigil Mass

Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m.

Weekdays: 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 12:05 p.m.

Holy Days: As announced in Bulletin

First Saturday: Mass of the Immaculate Heart of
Mary - 12:05 p.m.

National Holidays: 9:00 a.m.

Novenas after Masses:

Mondays: Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal after
8:00 am & 12:05 pm

Wednesdays: St. Jude & St. Anthony after 8:00 am
& 12:05 pm

Thursdays: St. Michael, the Archangel after 8:00 am
& 12:05 pm

Infant of Prague: 25th of each month after 8:00 am &
12:05 pm

**Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacra-
ment:** Fridays after 12:05 pm Mass to 7:00 pm



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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 201-986-0970

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th

8:30 Carole Kellett R/b Mr. & Mrs. John McKinney
 10:00 Robert Saul R/b Rose Mary & Kathy
 12:15 Maria Meluso R/b Her Loving Husband & Children

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th

6:30 Sr. Dominic Marie R/b Assumption Rosarians
 (Living Birthday Intentions)
 8:00 John Keller R/b The Pavone Family
 12:05 Maria Hroncich R/b Josephine & John Bussanich

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12th

6:30 Joseph Poplees R/b Maria & Dan & Family
 8:00 Ida Tucci R/b Her Loving Niece
 12:05 Theresa Tranor R/b Pat & Moira Enright

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th

6:30 John O'Donnell R/b His Loving Family
 8:00 Special Intentions R/b Maria Micera
 12:05 Frank Capuzzo R/b His Loving Wife

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14th

6:30 Martha Gallo R/b The Mulligan Family
 8:00 John Bianco R/b The Kalivas Family
 12:05 Martino & Antonia Busanic R/b The Busanic Family

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th

6:30 Kelly Paige Barone R/b Her Loving Family, Mom,
 Dad, Charlie, Tracy & Nicky
 8:00 Rose Gurreri, In Honor R/b Her Loving Husband, Robert
 of Our Lady of Sorrows
 12:05 Stephen Sweatlock R/b His Loving Mom, Dad &
 Family

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th

8:00 Charles Smith R/b His Loving Daughter
 12:05 Matteo Scrivanich R/b Nick & Maria Busanic
 5:00 Warrin Minck R/b Louisa Minck

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th

8:30 Theresa Conroy-Neubauer R/b Diana Coren
 10:00 John Guarnieri & Anna LaMia R/b The Guarnieri Family
 12:15 For All Parishioners

IN LOVING MEMORY

Blessed Mother Candle burns in Loving Memory of

Jack Oates (1st Anniversary)

R/b Peggy Oates

St. Joseph Candle burns with Living Birthday Intentions

For Sr. Dominic

R/b Anonymous

Sanctuary Candle burns in Loving Memory for

Loved Ones lost in the Sept. 11th attacks

R/b Anonymous

MASS OFFERTORY

Thank you for your support of our Parish Community

The total collection for Sept. 2nd/3rd was \$ 7,072.00.

\$ 8,225.00 is our current weekly need to operate our parish in an economically sound way.

Thank you for your generosity to your parish!

Fr. Paul and the Parish Staff

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

John Sullivan Jr., Sara D'Elleto, Lucy DeCarolis, Bob Gilbert, Andrea Korner, James E. Hough, Jimmy Muth, Jennifer Gismondi, Jackie Santalla, Joseph Amato, Child Mireya Devaraj, Jeanne Minck, Richard Pavone, Thomas Polenz, George Dfouni, Frank Bello, Nicholas Santiago, Laurel Saluzzi, Constantinos Ballas, Troy Wright, George Green, David Martin, Earl L. Harrison III, Amelia Gallo, William Whelan, Trevor Monroe, June Guarino, Joe and Keith Sweatlock, Julie Cornella, Ned Holtje, Katie Wojcicki, Donna Jean Donaccico, Louise Romagnoli, Rose Ligammari, "Jenny" and "Sandra", Tommy Branchini, Brenden Ayers(child), Maryann Anselmo, Richard Semenock, Debra Kool, Michael Mulvenna, "Child" Declan Bogyo, Lauren Scarola, Samran Dhillon, Donna Woods, Connie Rocanova, Mary Lou Gorab, Rev. William Pape, Anne Stahl, Leonardo Franchino, Rita Puleo, Rose Mulloy, John Bollinger, Thomas Blehl, Connor Hennessey, Marcelle Nelson, Elaine Ferretti, Dorothy Kalivas, Hugh Hennessy, Robert Prevedel, "Bill" Baillargeon, Carly, Angela Barat, Joseph Iskra, Kevin Frank, Marilyn Ferrity, Ed Helm, Zach Spadaccini, Deb Manente, Marianne Sullivan, Joseph Cittadino, Gerry Farrell, Debbie Hoehn, Arcangelo and Theresa Colasuonno, Sr. Dominic, Felice Trotta, Baby Hailey Anna Sipala, Deacon John Hogan, Eileen Gallagher, Ronnie Kazanchy, Frank Tumino, Terri Jansen, Pat Sforza, Chris Nallin, Joey Bulger, Janine Sargent, Kathy Kornhauser, Casey Walter, Fr. Tom Wisniewski, Bill Horn, Shannon Mulvey, Dolores Maggipinto, Mary Smith, Alice Holzel, and a Special Intention.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY:

Lt. Col. Jonathan Varoli, USAF; Maj. David J. Orzech; PFC Justin Mignogna; Lcpl. Capt. Trev Moncure; Brian Cirola, Staff Sgt. David Elliott; Lcpl, Sgt. Damon Baker; Justin Di Niro, US Navy; Major Michael Anthony Franson; PFC. Sgt. Augie Manfre, US Army; PFC Christopher Leone; PFC Mark MacFarlane Jr.; Sgt. Paul Cimino, N.J.N.G.; Corporal Kevin Quigley, USMC; SPC David Fasano, US Army; James Davies; PFC Kyle Ryan; Sgt. Patrick Myers; Corporal Edward J. Korn, USMC; and Sean Flanagan, US Navy.

PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY TO MAKE ANY CHANGES.

Archdiocesan Campaign Update

The "We are Living Stones" campaign to date has raised \$ 193,286.00 in pledges so far from 110 donors, of which \$ 99,193.91 has been received! Thank you!

Sharing Gods Blessings - the Annual Appeal has raised \$17,915. pledged from 74 donors, towards our goal of \$ 28,500. The actual amount received so far is \$ 15,794.00.

If we are able to go over the goal 62% will be returned back to our parish for us to use for our needs. Everyone is invited to give something according to your means.

Have you pledged yet? Help our parish make our goal. To find out more about Sharing Gods Blessings, take a brochure, or go online to <http://www.rcan.org/sharing>.

Thank you

“THOUGHTS FROM THE HEART”

Dear Parishioners,

When two or three of us come together God is present among us. The scripture this week remind us of the importance of being a community of faith and calling each other forth to accountability, to responsibility. We are all co-responsible for one another and for the upbuilding of Christ’s body here on earth, the Church.

We are the church, dear brothers and sisters, we are the eyes and ears and hands and feet of Jesus in the world. God needs all of us to continue the mission of making disciples and being disciples together.

Next Sunday we will be commissioning our Catechists, those who teach the faith, and on September 24th we will be commissioning all the ministries of our parish. We are not called to be islands, but we are called to come together and form Christ’s body here on earth. God needs all our gifts and talents to be shared, right here and right now among us in our wonderful parish family.

We can indeed be a blessing to one another, we indeed can make an eternal impact on one another’s lives for great good. The primary law is the law of love.

May we as church always look out for one another’s greatest good.

At the end of the day our practice of the faith is meant to make us into more loving people, ready to forgive each other, ready to accept each other and encourage and support one another on this journey together towards our heavenly home. “Love is the fulfillment of the law” St. Paul reminds us. In the ordinary events of life, not only in moments of tragedy, are we called to come together to love...

Have a blessed week,

Love,

Fr. Paul

WELCOME BACK COFFEE- We will be hosting a Welcome Back Coffee **TODAY**, Sunday, September 10th after the **10:00 & 12:15** Masses. We welcome back all of our parishioners that have been away for the summer, any new families in town, and anyone who is returning to Church of the Assumption. We look forward to seeing all of our friends and neighbors together, Sunday, September 10th after the Masses for light refreshments.

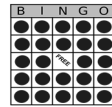


KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

All men 18 years old and older wishing to join the Assumption Council #5819 Knights of Columbus are welcome to call Kevin at 201-669-1304, or check us out on our website www.kofc5819.org to learn about us, and our organization.

WEEKLY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION STARTED ON SEPT. 1st - Every Friday following the 12:05 Mass until 7:00 p.m. we will be hosting the Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction.

“How sweet and full of comfort are the moments spent before the Blessed Sacrament! Are you in trouble? Come and throw yourself at his feet.” (St. John Vianney) Please call the Rectory Office if would you like to commit to **one hour** of adoration on Friday?



BINGO PLAYERS & VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! JOIN US FOR BINGO FRIDAY NIGHTS! Come join us Friday nights for **BINGO** in Assumption Early Childhood

Center, School Gym and Cafeteria located on Locust Avenue in Emerson. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., calling starts at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments are available during the night at a nominal cost. If you have any questions, please contact 201-483-8633, or Rectory Office during regular business hours at 201-262-1122.



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**BINGO WORKERS' SCHEDULE
SEPTEMBER 15, 2017 TEAM 4**



JOY'N THE ADULT CHOIR

The Adult Choir needs **YOU**. Please consider becoming a member. Rehearsals are Thursdays 7:30-9:00. We sing at the 10:00 AM. Mass every Sunday from September to June. All voice types are welcome, NO experience necessary. Call Dr. Richard Sorce, Director, at 201-887-6175, for more information, or just come to the Church (rear entrance) any Thursday evening.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENT!! DATE CHANGE SAVE THE DATE!! Fr. Paul A. Cannariato, will be formally installed as Pastor of Assumption Church on Sunday, **OCTOBER 22, 2017** at the 12:15 p.m. Mass, followed by a Reception in the Assumption Early Childhood Center Auditorium/Café. Please watch the bulletin for more details to follow!

ASSUMPTION EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

Dear Parishioners:

We are doing well over here at the school. The children have adjusted nicely to returning to their "routine." We wish everyone a good start to their 2017-2018 school year! We are also praying for the people in Texas....our families are collecting for the Red Cross.

If you are interested in attending our Pocket-book Bingo...please call the school at 201-262-0300 for ticket information. The admission fee is \$ 30.00 per person. Come and enjoy a fun evening on Friday, September 29th in the school café.

God Bless,
Miss Jurevich
Director

We're Going Back To School



Here are different ways that you can be involved in our school:

- Check one of our biggest fundraisers here at school...**SHOPAROO!!** Just find the app for this company, complete some general information on your SmartPhone, list the name of our school and start helping us earn cash asap! How is that possible? All you do is scan grocery or non-grocery receipts into your SmartPhone...you will be credited with points, and those add up to cash for us. This is an **EASY** fundraiser that I hope you will participate in throughout the rest of the school year. Flyers with further instructions are available at the school, or in the Rectory As of **9/6**, we are at **110!!**
- We collect **BOX TOPS!!** Feel free to bring them over whenever you gather some together. We send them directly to their respective companies throughout the year.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious Education Classes start Monday, September 11th. If you have misplaced your registration form, please stop by the Rectory and pick up another form!! Please fill out your form and return it to Sr. Dominic or the Rectory office **as soon as possible!**

If you know of anyone interested in a **New** Registration, please have them contact our office at 201-986-0970.

Also we are looking for a couple of teachers!! If you are able to volunteer 1 1/2 hours a week, please call Sr. Dominic, she will be happy to work with you for the coming year's teaching.

We welcome **ALL** children; we also welcome anyone who has a desire to help spread God's word by teaching in our CCD Program with our other wonderful and dedicated teachers.

For adults who haven't received any of the sacraments & are seeking instruction, please call Fr. Paul Cannariato at 201-262-**RCIA** 1122.



KEEP THOSE CARTRIDGES COMING!!

We wish to thank ALL of you who have been donating your used ink-jet printer cartridges. This has proven to be very helpful in supplementing our income & also in protecting the environment. Please continue to participate in this program. We receive \$2.00 for each used ink-jet cartridge we submit providing they are **NO LARGER THAN THE PALM OF YOUR HAND** & also if the print-head is not damaged. This can be accomplished by either placing them back into the original box from time of purchase, or covering the head with a small piece of foil.



PRAYER OF REMEMBRANCE FOR SEPTEMBER 11th

May all of us remember with love and compassion this day.

May we grieve with those who still mourn, and share memories with those who cannot forget.

May we draw strength from those who bravely responded, and gave their lives to save others.

May we stand with strangers who became neighbors that day, and remember their generosity and hospitality.

Above all God, may we remember your faithfulness and learn to trust in your unfailing love.

From: National Council of Churches USA

Social Concerns Thanks You!

The *SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY* thanks all who so generously contributed to our FOOD DRIVE in honor of Our Lady of Assumption, held last month.

It was the most successful ever, with a total of 220 bags donated, along with \$ 300.00 in gift cards to Shop Rite!

All was given to the OFFICE OF CONCERN FOOD PANTRY at St. Cecilia's in Englewood. George McKenna, Director of the Pantry writes:

"...thanks to Assumption parishioners for their continued energetic and steadfast support of the Office of Food Concern. May God bless you and your Church in your work ministering to the souls and bodies of all God's children".

Thank you for your continued support!

New Bible Study starting October 3rd!

Experience the transforming power of taking time to apply God's wisdom to your own life. Learn how to have a discerning heart in your decisions. You will experience the peace of knowing God cares for you, and you will see how God - and only God - can show you a path through any circumstance. Come to our Bible Study. No previous Bible Study experience is necessary.

We hope you will join us. We know you will love it. Registration starts on September 5th, for either our Evening Bible Study, starting Tuesday, Oct. 3rd at 6:45 p.m., or our Morning class starting Thursday, Oct. 5th at 10:00 a.m.

The cost is \$ 35.00 per individual, but we gladly accept all donations of any amount. For more information, or to register for the study, you will find registration forms in the front of the Church, or call Susan at 201-290-8756, or e-mail Dave at davemrc@optonline.net.

WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS INVITED

We plan to start here at our Church a solidarity Support Group for widows and widowers. Those of you who are in this category and would like to be a part of this group, please contact Fr. Chris, or call the Rectory Office by **September 30th**. Come and support each other in your lone journeys.

MUSIC MATTERS!



HEY YOUNG PEOPLE - This is **YOUR** Church and therefore, you can participate fully in its growth.

Come be a part of the **YOUTH CHOIR**. Bring your musical instrument, or your voice, and let us together praise God with our talents.

ASSUMPTION ROADRUNNERS YOUTH ASSOCIATION UPCOMING EVENTS -

Venturing Crew #1523 Introduction and Information Night -Please join Stephen P. Munson in a "getting to know us" session on **TONIGHT, Sunday, September 10th**, from 6:00 to 7:00 PM in the Assumption ECC Cafeteria.

TONIGHT!!! -Ad Altare Dei Religious Emblem Class, BSA-Starting **TONIGHT Sunday, September 10th to Sunday, December 10th**, from 7:30 to 9:00 PM, in the Assumption ECC Classrooms.

Assumption Roadrunners Youth Association will be holding a **Golf Demonstration** on Monday, **September 18th**, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in the Assumption Academy Gym. Please contact ARYA at roadrunnersathletics@gmail.com.

Assumption Roadrunners Youth Association will be holding a Volleyball Demonstration on Tuesday, **September 19th** from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. In the Assumption Academy Gym. Please contact ARYA at roadrunnersathletics@gmail.com.

Information and Registration Night for Assumption Roadrunners Youth Association will be held on **September 20th** from 6:00 to 8:00 PM in the Assumption Early Childhood Center Café/ Gym. **Activities include:** Sports, Scouts, Chorus & Music, Family Social Events, Religious Awards, plus much more.

PLEASE WATCH THE BULLETIN FOR CHANGES OF TIMES AND DATES.

For more information, or to register for any of the Assumption Roadrunners Youth Association, e-mail roadrunnersathletics@gmail.com

WELCOME: Newcomers, Visitors and Parishioners

The priests, deacons & ministries of Church of the Assumption welcome you. If you would like more information about entering more fully into our parish life & ministry, we ask that you complete the form below & give it to an usher, or send it into the Rectory. Thank You!

I would like....

- to become a Parishioner
- to change my address
- to receive envelopes
- to speak with a Priest
- to let the Parish know of someone who is ill, or homebound and would like to receive Communion

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Habitat for Humanity has opened an office in Westwood and they have been awarded a small grant to make critical home repairs on one or more homes owned by Senior Citizens in Emerson.

If your income is \$ 50,000. or less you may qualify for a home repair. Habitat for Humanity will select the initial project.

The initial grant will be completed during the week of **September 16th**. It is anticipated that additional grant awards will follow.

If you meet the income criteria and have home repairs that must be done, please contact the Borough Clerk's Office at 201-262-6086, extension 1200 or 1201. Or e-mail: Clerk@emersonnj.org. Please provide your name, address, phone number and the type of repair required. Your information will be forwarded to Habitat for Humanity and the Building Department for evaluation. All work will be completed based on code requirements.

High School Placement Test (CO-OP) Exam -

Attention families of 8th grade students planning to attend Catholic high school in the fall 2018! The High School Placement Test administered as part of the Cooperative Admissions Program (CO-OP Test) for Catholic High Schools will be given on **Friday, November 10th, 2017**. Registration for this exam is online at <http://www.njcoopexam.org> beginning September 1st.

For more information about the COOP Admissions Program, go to www.catholicschoolsnj.org. Additionally, the High Schools are holding their annual HS Expo admission fairs. Parents and students can meet with representatives from many Catholic high schools from 7:00-8:30 PM on the following date at location listed below:

Tuesday, September 26th at Visitation Academy, 222 Farview Ave., Paramus, NJ.

REMEMBER...It is through the generosity of our advertisers that we are able to place this bulletin into your hands without cost to the Parish. Why not get into the habit of looking through the ads and give these neighbors and merchants a chance to serve your needs? Tell them you read about them in the Assumption Parish Bulletin.

Is Your Marriage Valid?

If you were married civilly, that is not in the Catholic Church before a priest or deacon, it might not be a valid marriage.

Some couples believe that a marriage before a Justice of the Peace, or a non-Catholic minister is valid. For a marriage to be valid in the Catholic Church, the marriage must be in a Catholic Church or Chapel and officiated by an authorized Catholic priest or Deacon, along with 2 witnesses.

(There are limited interfaith exceptions with proper permission.)

We invite you to speak with one of our priests if there are any questions, or if you wish to validate your marriage. The process can be very simple and your marriage will now be blessed by the Church.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

"But who do you say that I am?" Simon Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the Living God." What name do you use when speaking of your spouse with others? Let Christ show you through His eyes who your spouse truly is by attending a Marriage Encounter Weekend.

For more information, contact Mike and Janet Turco at 973-427-7016, or 609-335-6880, or e-mail njwwme@peoplepc.com.

Military families, are you getting ready to deploy? Is your family trying to reconnect after deployment? Marriage Encounter offers tools of communication that have kept many military marriages strong and happy through out the ups and downs of military service. Contact your local chaplain, or call 973-427-7016, or 609-335-6880 for more information.

Are you looking for the perfect gift for your aging parents that would guarantee income for life?

Consider opening up a charitable gift annuity with the Archdiocese of Newark. A charitable gift annuity can provide payments with direct deposit to your aging parents now and a gift to their parish later, all while providing you with both the peace of mind, and an income tax deduction.

If you would like more information on this unique gift, please contact Theresa Lynch, Planned Giving Manager, Archdiocese of Newark at 973-497-4042, or by e-mail at lynchthe@rcan.org.

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