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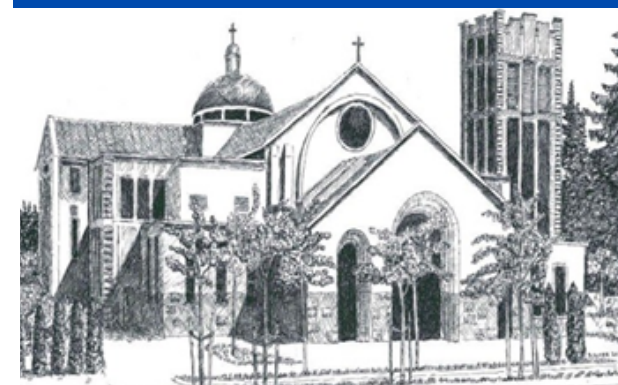
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FEBRUARY 19th- 2023 | YEAR A | 7th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tues. to Fri. | 9:00 am - 3:00 pm  
Closed on Statutory Holidays

**Pastor**  
**Rev. James Hughes**  
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### SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 4:00 pm.

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Mon, Thurs, & Fri: 7:00 am, & 8:30 am  
Tues: 4:30pm, Wed: 9:00am  
\*\*\*First Friday of the month : 7:00pm  
Mass, therefore there will be No 7:00am Mass. (1st Friday 7:00 pm is a Latin Mass Novus Ordo with readings in English)  
Sat: 9:00 am  
\*\* 7:00am Mass on Mon, Thur, & Fri. will not be celebrated in the Christmas Season, Summer months, & Holiday Monday.

### CONFESSION TIMES

Tues: 4:00pm, Wed: 8:30am  
Thurs: & Fri: 8:00am\* 1st Fri, 6:30pm  
Saturday: 9:30-10:30am & 4:00-4:30pm

### THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

- Baptisms are every **Sunday@12:30pm**. Parents and Godparents are to be married in the Catholic Church, and parents need to be registered parishioners for at least two months. Baptism Class attendance is mandatory for parents if you have not previously taken the class. You will need to register for a Baptism Class by calling the parish office during office hours. Before attending the Baptism Class you must fill out the Baptism information form.
- Website: [assumptionofmary.ca/baptism](http://assumptionofmary.ca/baptism)
- Forms also maybe picked up at the parish office.



### THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples planning marriage (here or elsewhere) must contact the Parish Priest at least 6 months before the wedding. Must attend the Marriage Preparation Course and the Catholic is to be registered here, at least 6 months and regularly attending Mass here.

### FUNERALS

Contact Parish Priest.

### SACRAMENTALS

**Blessing of cars and religious articles:** See the Priest after Sat. pm & Sun. Masses.  
**House blessings:** please contact the Pastor at 604 942-7808 ext. 2002

### PARISH MINISTRY & ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS

**Altar Servers:** Christina 604-942-7808  
**Bereavment min.:** Julia 604-942-7808 ext. 2013  
**CWL:** Maryann 604-942-7808  
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**Legion of Mary:** Nette 604-837-3184  
**Prep:** Julie L. 604-813-3310  
**Pro-Life:** Maureen 604-942-7808  
**RCIA:** Min Kim 604-942-7808  
**Young Adults:** Conrad 604-942-7808  
**Youth: (Gr.8-12)** Jay J 604-942-7808  
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**Ushers:** Rick 604-828-9607

**Assumption Elementary School**  
**PEC Chair:** Jenn Lazar 604-942-7808  
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### ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH?

If you are new to the Parish please fill out a Registration Form available on line. If you would like a box of Donation Envelopes and/or the BC Catholic, please remember to check the boxes on the registration form. For those already registered, any changes such as your address, tel. #, etc., please contact the Parish Office at 604 942-7808.

Direct Deposit is a good option for your giving. The BLUE form for regular Sunday contribution is taken on the 1st of each month and the pink form for the Building Fund is taken on the 15th of each month.\*\*\*Anyone who would like to receive an emailed copy of the Sunday bulletin, please email the office. The office will NOT share your email. Thank you.

**OLOA Elementary School**  
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Principal | Rosaleen Heffernan  
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**Archbishop Carney Regional Secondary**  
School Office | (604) 942-7465  
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Principal | Len De Julius  
Office Manager | Angela D'Elia  
Website | [acrss.org](http://acrss.org)

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, Feb. 19 | (7th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

9:00am /11:00am /4:00pm- Parishioners

MONDAY, Feb. 20 | Ferial (Family Day)

8:30am Stephen Unser

TUESDAY, Feb. 21 | Ferial

4:30 pm Robert Rowe+

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 22| Ash Wednesday

9:00 am Mass of Thanksgiving.

7:00pm Steve Humar & Family

THURSDAY, Feb. 23| Ferial

7:00am Myles Acton+

8:30am Cecile Rivard+

FRIDAY, Feb. 24 | Ferial

7:00am Anna Stempkowska+


8:30am Denisa Cook

SATURDAY, Feb. 25| Ferial

9:00am Yin Lim Lisa Ingot

5:00pm Santagiuliana Family+

(1st Sunday of Lent)



PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

St. Michael the Archangel,  
defend us in battle.  
Be our defence against the  
wickedness and snares of the Devil.  
May God rebuke him,  
we humbly pray,  
and do thou,  
O Prince of the heavenly hosts,  
by the power of God,  
thrust into hell, Satan,  
and all the evil spirits,  
who prowl about the world  
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

THIS WEEK

ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES: (Blessing and distribution of Ashes) This Wednesday, Feb. 22nd, 9:00am & 7:00pm.

Ash Wednesday is a day of prayer, fast and abstinence. Ash Wednesday & Good Friday are days of Fast & Abstinence from meat. The fast (one main meal & 2 small meals with no snacks throughout the day). Fasting binds all those from 18 years of age to 59 years of age. Abstinence binds those 14 years of age & above. Fridays are days of penance & the first form is abstinence from meat, but if that is not possible, an act of increase of prayer or charity is to be its substitute.

NEXT WEEK

SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday, Feb. 26th, St. Joseph's Society- To support priests in their retirement years. Thank you for your support!

SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday Mar. 12th

Emergency Relief collection for the surviving victims of Syria & Turkey. Envelopes will be available on Sunday February 25th in the vestibule.

PARISH ONGOING

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION DAYS AND TIMES:

Wednesday; 9:30am- 3:00pm.

Thursday & Friday; 9:00am -3:00pm.

The Adoration Chapel hours has been extended to Tuesdays & Saturdays from 9:30am to 6:00pm.

The Eucharist will not be exposed. The Adoration Chapel will only be open for personal prayer. You will need a code to get into the Chapel. Please come to the parish office for the code.

We encourage our Parishioners to visit the great Catholic online resource: FORMED. Our Parish code to access Formed.org is F7DPJB. Important: Do not sign up as an individual. Our Parish access code provides more content than an individual subscription.

Men helping men walk together in their Faith journey. We invite you to attend our Band of Brothers gatherings. The Band of Brothers is a group of men that come together to help and guide each other to living our Catholic Faith. The Band of Brothers meet at Our Lady of the Assumption centre every Sunday at 7am to 8:30am. We focus on praying the rosary, watch a faith enrichment video, share, have an opendialogue and support each other in all areas of our Catholic life. Our door is open to all men of all ages. If you are interested, please contact Stephen at: 604-868-3538 or unserfamily@gmail.com

Has someone you loved died?  
Are you struggling with grief? Feeling lost, overwhelmed?

The death of a loved one can be one of the hardest things that we experience in our lives. You are not alone. Join OLA Bereavement Grief & Loss Support Group Tuesday at 7:00pm. To register email: olasupport@shaw.ca Space is limited. Register today.

COMMENDING OF THE SICK

We commend to your prayers the sick of the parish who are not able to attend Mass, including: Shirley Armillotta, Larry Bowen, Lou Choquette, Nora Criss, Ernestine Craig, Alicia Kerssens, Venessa Miller, Lynn Van Der Mark, Suzanna Verkerk, Gail Wald, Quirin Walz.

PARISH NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

World Youth Day 2023 Bottle Drive Fundraising

Recyclables are to be dropped off at any express Return-It Depot and no longer at the Parish Centre.

Simply collect your containers in clear plastic bags, and at the depot, enter the following number (604-942-7808) at the kiosk and apply the printed sticker on the bag and scan. Please note, one label per bag. Thank you for your support!

ASSUMPTION PICKLEBALL

Pickle ball will be cancelled Monday, Feb 20th, will resume Monday, Feb 27th.

We are excited to begin a gym night for pickleball, for all adults (19 & up) and skill levels. This will begin on Monday, February 6th and will continue taking place every Monday night from 7pm till 9pm at Our Lady of the Assumption School gym. This is a great opportunity to meet new players, improve your skills, and have fun playing pickleball. Whether you are a beginner or an experienced player, everyone is welcome to join. Don't forget to bring your own paddle and water bottle but if you are new to the sport we do have a few extra paddles for you to use. There is a drop-in fee of \$2 per person. We look forward to seeing you on the court! For further information please contact Stephen Unser @ 604-868-3538

ASSUMPTION YOUNG ADULTS (AGES 19-35)

The AYA will be hosting a group to follow along with the Ascension press Catechism in a Year with Fr. Mike Schmitz and will have monthly discussions and possibly a guest speakers periodically throughout the year.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

K of C General Meeting will be held on Wed. Mar. 1st, @ 7:00pm in the Assumption centre.

CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE NEWS

CWL General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 28th, 2023 @ 7:00pm in the Assumption centre.

CWL 2023 Membership renewal is now open. Thank you to all the members who have already renewed their membership for 2023.

OLOA CWL bursary of \$500 is now available for a Gr. 12 student who will attend Post-Secondary school. The applicant must be a child/grandchild/dependent of CWL members or a member in OLA Parish. Application forms and eligibility requirements will be available at the Parish Office. Deadline to apply is Mar. 31st. For more information, please contact Rosa Kim (email: yjyj1979@hotmail.com).


LENTEN PARISH MISSION

Monday - Wednesday March 6, 7, & 8, 2023.

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OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

READY SET LEARN: Children born in 2018 to 2019

Our Lady of Assumption School, in conjunction with the Ministry of Education, will be hosting a complimentary Early Literacy Workshop. Tuesday, Mar. 7th from 12:30- 2:30pm. To register Contact OLOA School @604-942-5522 space is limited. Registration deadline is Mar. 3rd.

Archbishop Carney Regional Secondary School

Is now accepting Grade 8 Applications and all new students for other grade levels for the 2023-2024 School Year. Download our application forms directly from our website@ www.acrss.org/apply

Archbishop Carney Theatre is proud to present Arsenic and Old Lace, a classic dark comedy. Drama critic Mortimer Brewsters. The show runs March 2-4, 2023. 7:00pm at the Terry Fox Theatre in Port Coquitlam. Tickets are \$17 at acrss.org

ARCHDIOCESAN & OTHER NEWS & EVENTS

The Hour Has Come - Lenten Retreat

Enter into the Lenten season, accompanying Jesus as he approaches the Passion in this scripture-based morning retreat. Retreat Director Catherine M. Kelly, M.Div. will offer inspiring inputs on these pivotal moments in Jesus' life and how they speak to us in our own faith journeys. Retreat engages scripture, poetry, art, and music, plus quiet time for personal prayer; and small group spiritual conversation. All are welcome. On March 4th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at St. Mark's Parish. Learn more and register at beholdvancouver.org/events.