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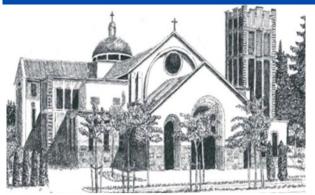
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#### FEBRUARY 26th- 2023 | YEAR A | 1st SUNDAY OF LENT

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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

#### **Pastor**

**Rev. James Hughes** (604) 942-7808 ext. 2002 ihughes@rcav.org

**Assistant Pastor** 

Seminarian-intern **Ierome Robles** (604) 942-7808 ext. 2006 irobles@rcav.org

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**Felicity Sim** (604) 942-7808 ext. 2008

#### **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

# **OLOA Elementary School**

School Office | (604) 942-5522 Email | info@assumptionschool.com Principal | Rosaleen Heffernan Reception | Sharon Kazun Website | assumptionschool.com

#### 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
- 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

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**Assumption Elementary School** 

604-942-7808 **PEC Chair:** Jenn Lazar Archbishop Carney Secondary

**REC:** Maureen Currie 604-942-7808 Ken D'Sena 604-468-2515

#### **ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH?**

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

**Archbishop Carney Regional Secondary** School Office | (604) 942-7465 Email | office@acrss.org Principal | Len De Julius Office Manager | Angela D' Elia Website | acrss.org

#### **WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

SUNDAY, Feb. 26 | (1st Sunday of Lent)

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

MONDAY, Feb. 27 | Lenten Ferial

7:00am Abdon Ubunger+ 8:30am | Jacques Bruyere+

TUESDAY, Feb. 28 | Lenten Ferial

4:30 pm CWL

WEDNESDAY, Mar. 01 | Lenten Ferial 9:00 am Barbara Lim+

THURSDAY, Mar. 02 | Lenten Ferial

**7:00am** Ross Kinloch 8:30am Kalina Currie

FRIDAY, Mar. 03 | Lenten Ferial

**8:30am** Guard of Honour of the sacred Heart of Jesus 7:00pm Emilio Maddala Ir.+

SATURDAY, Mar. 04 | Lenten Ferial

**9:00am** Legion of Mary **5:00pm** Antonio DiTomasso+

(2nd 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

#### **NEXT WEEK**

Lenten Devotions: Tuesday's @ 7:00pm Stations of the Cross led by a Priest will begin Tuesday, February,28th until Tuesday April, 4th. \*\*\*Tuesday, March 7th, Stations of the Cross will be 7:00pm in the Assumption centre. at 6:30pm.

#### **FORTHCOMING WEEK**

SECOND COLLECTION: Next Sunday, March **5th, Parish Building Fund.**- To help reduce the debt owed on our Church building. Thank you for your support!

SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday, March 12th, **Emergency Relief** collection for the **surviving** victims of Syria & Turkey. Envelopes will be available in the vestibule.

#### **PARISH ONGOING**

**EUCHARISTIC 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.

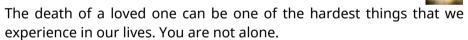
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Men helping men walk together in their Faith journey. We invite you to attend our Band of Brothers gatherings. The Band of



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?



Join OLA Bereavement Grief & Loss Support Group Tuesday at 604-868-3538 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, 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

#### **CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE NEWS**

CWL General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 28th, 2023 @

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 member and 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).

### 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!

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS**

**Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast** after 9:00am & 11:00am Masses, Sunday Mar. 5th, Location: School Gym.



K of C General Meeting will be held on

Wed. Mar. 1st, @ 7:00pm in the Assumption centre.

#### **ASSUMPTION PICKLEBALL**

We are excited to begin a gym night for pickleball, for all adults (19 &up) and skill levels.

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 @

# **40 DAYS FOR LIFE LENTEN CAMPAIGN**

#### Wednesday. Feb.22nd to Sunday April, 2nd

We encourage each of our parishioners to take part in this Campaign by committing to prayer either at home, public peaceful prayer on site at John Paul II Center or at Eucharistic adoration. The Archdiocese is hosting an 8pm zoom recitation of the rosary. You can sign up on the Archdiocese website under **Behold**.

Our Lady of the Assumption parish is assigned for Adoration in the chapel from Thursday, March 30th, 9am to Friday, March 31st, 9am.

### Onsite at John Paul II Center from 9am to 7pm.

Please consider offering up an hour or more for our parish's 24 hour Adoration in the Chapel and joining in the zoom recitation of the rosary.

To sign up for Assumption Parish's Adoration please contact Maureen @ 604-417-3077.

There will be a signup form, more information to follow.

# **LENTEN PARISH MISSION** Monday - Wednesday March 6,7, & 8, 2023.

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Wednesday, March 8th Mass each evening at 7 PM

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#### **ASSUMPTION YOUTH (Grades 8 - 12)**

**Assumption Family Feud Sunday, Mar. 5th**, from 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Assumption Gym

Come join us for a fun game of Family Feud!

# **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



#### **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 Coguitlam. Tickets are \$17 at acrss.org

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