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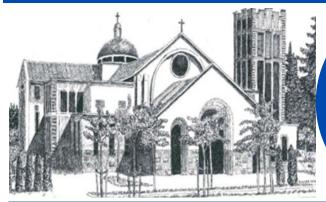
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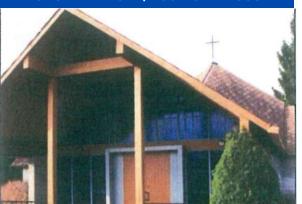
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AUG. 27th - SEPT. 9th 2023 | YEAR A | 21st & 22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

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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

OLOA Elementary School School Office | (604) 942-5522 Email | office@olapoco.ca Principal | Rosaleen Heffernan Office Manager | 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
- Baptism Classes are on the third Saturday of every month @ 10:00am.



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

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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. Pre-Auth Debit (PAD) is a good option for your giving. Regular Sunday contribution is taken on the 1st of each month and 2nd Collection 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.

Archbishop Carney Regional School 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, Aug. 27 | 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00am /11:00am /4:00pm- Parishioners

MONDAY, Aug. 28 | St. Augustine +430

8:30am All Souls

TUESDAY, Aug. 29 | The Passion of St. John the Baptist

4:30pm Karen Plett

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 30 | Ferial

8:30am Gill Maitoza+ THURSDAY, Aug. 31 | Ferial

8:30am Karen Plett

FRIDAY, Sept. 01 | Ferial

8:30am Guard of Honor 7:00pm Emilio Maddara Jr.+

SATURDAY, Sept. 02| Ferial

9:00am Legion of Mary 5:00pm Antonio Di Tomasso+

SUNDAY, Sept. 03 | 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00am /11:00am /4:00pm- Parishioners

MONDAY, Sept. 04 | Ferial

8:30am Edward & Julie Ann Davies

TUESDAY, Sept. 05 | Ferial

4:30pm Vicente Jr. & Bernard Jayme+

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 06 | Ferial

9:00am Gabrielle Unser

THURSDAY, Sept. 07 | Ferial

7:00am | Jan Tchorzewski+ 8:30am Edwin Janolino +

FRIDAY, Sept. 08 | The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00am Stanley Nieradka+

8:30am Monroy-Aragon Deceased Family Members+

SATURDAY, Sept. 09 | Ferial

9:00am Gloria Samuel+ **5:00pm** Luigi Mezzomo

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

***Bulletin for the summer will be every two weeks. **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, Vincent Roma, Lynn Van Der Mark, & Peter Walton

FORTHCOMING WEEK

SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday, Sept.3rd & Sept.17th Parish Building **Fund-** To help reduce the debt owed on our Church building. "Thank you for vour generosity."

Mass Schedule for September:

****7:00am Masses will resume Thurs. Sept.7th. Masses on Wed. will move back to 9:00am on Wed. Sept. 6th.

PARISH NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Walk Bike or Run For Life

Saturday, Sept. 9th at Lions Park, Port Coquitlam (5,10 or 25km) Registration from 9-10am. Sponsor sheets available in Church vestibule or parish office. WALK CYCLE RUN Life compass Society 604-465-7376

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH PICNIC

We, the Parish, will be celebrating our

Parish's Feast day, on Sunday, Sept 10th, from 12:30 - 3:00pm, on the parish grounds. This will be a picnic/barbecue fun day! Tickets \$2.00 available after all Masses this weekend

Aug 26/27 & Sept. 2/3. Tickets are also available in the Office until Friday, Sept .1 (No take-out food, please.)

Welcome Fr. Babu Mathew, Sr. John Peter and Congratulation to Fr. Medard Kamanzi on his ordination to the priesthood.

PREP CLASSESS: Will start on Wed., Sept.13, at your appointed time: 4pm, 6:00pm, or 7:15pm. Registration is ongoing. New Prep students must register with their payment a Baptismal and Holy Communion Certificates, (if applicable) at the parish office during office hours.

Dear Parishioners, thank you for all of your prayers and support these past nine months leading up to our World Youth Day pilgrimage in Lisbon, Portugal this summer. With our return home, we take with us the words of Pope Francis: "Obrigado ['thank you'] to our 'roots', our grandparents, who passed on the faith to us, who

passed on the horizon of a lifetime. hey are our roots." And the same goes to our parish community, the roots from which we've come from. Thank you for showering us with your thoughts and prayers throughout our journey. Muito Obrigado, Your Assumption WYD

Pilgrims 2023.



"Save the Date"

FR. CHRIS ALAR

We are pleased to welcome renowned speaker Fr. Chris Alar, MIC

who will come to our parish to give a talk on the **Divine Mercy at 7:00pm**

on Sunday, September 17th.

Please invite your friends to this faith formation event.

PARISH ONGOING

PROJECT ADVANCE

Thank you to all parishioners who have already donated to this year's Project Advance appeal. If you received a pledge form in the mail, please return your donation forms to the Sunday collection or the parish office. Online donations at projectadvance.ca are encouraged, when possible, as this minimizes processing and costs for the Parish Advance office. OLA Grief & Loss Support Group will not meet Tuesdays Your support helps many community programs and once we have August 29, September 5. The Grief & Loss Support Group will reached our archdiocesan goal of \$52,800 all additional donations resume Tuesday, September 12 at 7pm. will help our own parish special projects including the church You are not alone. For grief support over the summer break email: mortgage, and a new project plan which will be supported by the parish phase in **September 2023 campaign**. Thank you for continued support of Project Advance in 2023. God Bless!

BAND OF BROTHERS

Band of Brothers will be cancelled for the summer months, will resume in September.

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 quide each other to living our Catholic Faith. The Band of Brothers meet at Our Lady of Assumption Church every Sunday 7:00am-8:30am. We focus on praying the rosary, watch a faith enrichment video, share, have an open dialogue 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

FATHERS AND SONS CLUB

Once a month (normally the 3rd Sunday of the month), Fathers and our boys, ages 7-13 (grades 2-8), gather for a couple hours playing sports and games, having fun enjoying each other. The purpose of the Father Son. Club is to not only as Fathers, bond with our sons, but to connect with other dads who desire their boys to become men of integrity... men of good and strong character.

Part of our program gives older boys and young men to provide some mentoring to the boys.

If you're interested in getting involved or joining the club, please register at www.fatherson.club.

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OLA Bereavement Ministry

SUMMER BREAK ALERT

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Faith sharing in Chinese-anyone interested, please contact Helen Tam: helentam2472@gmail.com

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