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**SEPTEMBER 8TH 2024 | YEAR B | 23RD 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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**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 may also be picked up at the parish office.
- Baptism Classes are on the **third Saturday** of every month @ 10:00am.

**PARISH MINISTRY & ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS**

|                               |               |                        |
|-------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| Altar Servers:                | Christina     | 604-942-5522           |
| Bereavement min.:             | Julia         | 604-942-7808 ext. 2013 |
| CWL:                          | Cheryl        | 604-942-7808           |
| Ground Maintenance            |               | 604-942-7808           |
| K of C:                       | Tom           | 778-903-1661           |
| Lectors:                      | Remi          | 604-942-7808           |
| Legion of Mary:               | Nette         | 604-837-3184           |
| Prep:                         | Julie         | 604-813-3310           |
| Pro-Life:                     | Maureen       | 604-942-7808           |
| RCIA:                         | Min           | 604-942-7808           |
| Youth (Gr.8-12)               | Jay           | 604-942-7808           |
| Sacristan:                    | Denisa        | 604-942-2513           |
| Ushers:                       | Rick          | 604-828-9607           |
| Assumption Elementary School  |               |                        |
| PEC Chair:                    | Gabe Kojima   | 604-942-7808           |
| Archbishop Carney High School |               |                        |
| REC:                          | Ken D'Sena    | 604-468-2515           |
|                               | Karlie Gibson | 604-942-7808           |

**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 Mondays.

**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 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 @ 604-942-7808 ext. 2002

**SACRAMENTALS**

**Blessing of cars and religious articles:**  
See the Priest after Sat. pm & Sun. Masses.

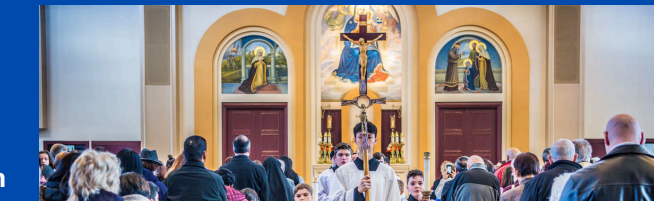
**House blessings:** please contact the Pastor at 604 942-7808 ext. 2002

**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.

**OLOA Elementary School**  
School Office | (604) 942-5522  
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Principal | Rosaleen Heffernan  
Office Manager | Sharon Kazun  
Website | [assumptionofmary.ca](http://assumptionofmary.ca)



**Archbishop Carney High School**  
School Office | (604) 942-7465  
Email | [office@acrss.org](mailto:office@acrss.org)  
Principal | Len De Julius  
Office Manager | Angela D'Elia  
Website | [acrss.org](http://acrss.org)

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## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

**SUNDAY, Sept. 8 | 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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

**MONDAY, Sept. 9 | Ferial**

7:00am Anthony+  
8:30am Nette Aragon

**TUESDAY, Sept. 10 | Ferial**

4:30pm Maria & Alcides Silva+

**WEDNESDAY, Sept. 11 | Ferial**

9:00am Catherine Bowen

**THURSDAY, Sept. 12 | Ferial**

7:00am Josefa+  
8:30am Necifora Agravante+

**FRIDAY, Sept. 13 | St. John Chrysostom+407**

7:00am Youngsuk Kim  
8:30am Anna Manning+

**SATURDAY, Sept. 14 | The Exaltation of the Cross**

9:00am Margaret Lambert+  
5:00pm Zella Rieu+

(24th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

## THIS WEEK

**SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday, Sept.15th- Parish Building Fund- To help reduce the debt owed on our Church. Thank you for your generosity!**

If you are interested in a hardcopy of **Catechesis on the Human Person and Gender Ideology** you may pick up a copy in the Church Vestibule or download a copy from [www.arlingtondiocese.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org)

## NEXT WEEK

**Children's Liturgy of the Word**

Ages 3- Grade 1) Will resume on **Sunday Sept. 15th @11:00am Masses only.** No registration required.



## PREP CLASSES

Will start on **Wednesday, Sept.18th, at your appointed time: 4pm, 6:00pm, or 7:15pm. Opening Mass, Wednesday, Sept.25th @ 6:00pm.**

New Prep students must register with their payment a Baptismal and Holy Communion Certificates, (if applicable) at the parish office during office hours. Registration is ongoing.

## Pray-A-Latte

**Monday Sept.16th** all parishioners are welcome to come for fellowship & discussion of our Catholic faith in the Parish Centre s Mondays from 9:30am to 10:30am (not holiday Mondays).

Come & have coffee with some faith talk!



## FORTHCOMING WEEK

### RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)

As we are about to begin RCIA, we are asking parishioners to consider inviting family, friends, neighbours, or colleagues who are Catholic adults who are missing some of the sacraments of initiation or are Christian curious about the Catholic Church & its teachings or have no religious background and want to learn more about the Church. This program allows adults to learn more as they are curious without the commitment to be initiated into the faith if they are not ready! We will accompany each person according to where they are at. **RCIA classes will begin in October, on Thursday evenings starting @6:30pm** in the Parish Centre. More information to follow.

Please contact the parish office if you are interested or have questions at 604-942-7808 or [assumptionofmary@shaw.ca](mailto:assumptionofmary@shaw.ca)

## CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE NEWS

**CWL Welcome Back General Meeting Tuesday Sept 24th @ 7pm in Parish Center.**

All Women 16+ are Invited Fellowship, New Members Acknowledgement and Walk for a Purpose Totals. Any Inquiries, email [cherylloa.cwl@gmail.com](mailto:cherylloa.cwl@gmail.com). Want to donate to our CWL Parish Council, eTransfer to [cwlloa@gmail.com](mailto:cwlloa@gmail.com).

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

**K of C General Meeting** on Wed., Oct.2nd 7:00pm parish Centre.

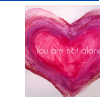


**K of C Pancake Breakfast:** Sunday, Oct.3rd after the 9:00 & 11:00am Masses, in the School Gym.



## ONGOING

### Bereavement Ministry



Has someone you loved died? The death of a loved one can be one of the hardest things that we experience in our lives. The OLA Loss & Grief Support Group provides a safe, supportive, confidential place to talk, cry, and express your feelings. You are not alone. Tuesdays at 7:00pm. Space is limited. Register today email: [olasupport@shaw](mailto:olasupport@shaw)

"Walking Together" monthly bereavement walks for all who are grieving the death of a loved one recently or years ago. Join us get fresh air, exercise, support and companionship. Following the walk, enjoy coffee/tea with fellow walkers at a local coffee shop. Monthly Sunday walk dates: Sept 22nd, Oct 27th. Time: 1:30pm OLA parking lot by Parish Centre.

### Volunteers needed for the Prison Ministry

For many years, the Knight of Columbus has been visiting the inmates of the North Fraser Pretrial Center in Port Coquitlam. The Cross-Cultural Visits include Sunday readings, the Gospel, sharing and prayers. In sharing and praying, in listening, with patience, we learn to forgive and to restore us. Visiting hours are every Saturdays, 1:30 to 2:30 pm. If you are interested in being part of the Prison Ministry, for further details, please Contact: Mario: 604 727-2769 or Helen: [helentam2472@gmail.com](mailto:helentam2472@gmail.com)

## BAND OF BROTHERS



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 Assumption Church every Sunday starting Sept.15th from 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](mailto:unserfamily@gmail.com)

## FATHERS AND SONS CLUB

Once a month (normally the 3rd Sunday of the month), **will begin on Sunday, Sept.22nd.** 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](http://www.fatherson.club).

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION DAYS AND TIMES

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

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

Tuesdays & Saturdays from 9:30am to 6:00pm. The Eucharist will not be exposed on Tuesday & Saturday. 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.



## COMMENDING THE SICK

Please pray for the sick in our parish: Shirley Armillotta, Larry Bowen, Gerard & Lou Choquette, Pat Conn, Ernestine Craig, Jacinta Howard, Margaret Johnston, Alicia Kerssens, Venessa Miller, Michael Morgan, Vincent Roma, Jean Standish, Lynn Van Der Mark, & Peter Walton.

