



OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH OFFICE is open from 8:30am 1:00pm







Monday to Friday



Parish Mission Statement

We the Assumption Parish are a Community of Faith with a Vision to Build Our Parish into a Vibrant "Community of Communities" Serving Humanity and in doing so, enable each Parishioner to enrich his or her Spiritual Life in Communion with Christ.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

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| Saturday 01st April |  | 5pm | PALM/ PASSION SUNDAY. Palms will be blessed at all weekend Masses. Please bring your own palms – some will be provided. |
| Sunday 02nd April |  | 7:45am and 10am | PALM/ PASSION SUNDAY. Palms will be blessed at all weekend Masses. Please bring your own palms – some will be provided. |
| Thursday 06th April |  | 7pm | HOLY THURSDAY of the LORD'S SUPPER. |
| Good Friday 07th April |  | 9am and 3pm | STATIONS OF THE CROSS in the church. (9am walk in the vicinity). FRIDAY of the PASSION of the LORD . Main Service. |
| Holy Saturday 08th April |  | 6:30pm | MASS of the RESURRECTION – EASTER VIGIL will commence with the blessing of the fire outside the church. Sacraments of Initiation for RCIA. Easter Offering Collection for the Formation of Young Oblate Priests. Please bring your own candles. |
| Easter Sunday 09th April |  | 8am ONLY | MASS of the RESURRECTION There will only be ONE MASS . Kids are allowed to bring Easter eggs from Easter Sunday to 2 nd Sunday of Easter. |
| Easter Monday 10th April | | 8am | Family Day – Public Holiday |

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE CHANGE OF TIMES FOR HOLY THURSDAY AND HOLY SATURDAY.

SUNDAY 26TH MARCH 2023 – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT - YEAR A

Readings: Sunday Missal Page: 113 // Weekday Missal: 296

THEME OF THIS SUNDAY: JESUS, THE LORD OF LIFE.

MASS INTENTIONS AND HOME MASSES

* Requests for Mass intentions and **Home Masses** can be arranged with the parish secretary* Mass Intentions cut-off time for submission is 11am on Wednesdays (provided there is space)

THOSE WISHING TO HAVE A HOME MASS TO CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE.

CONFESSIONS FRIDAYS @ 5:00PM AND BY APPOINTMENT

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| Sat 25 Mar | 5:00pm | Deceased Oblates |
| Sun 26 Mar | 8:00am | 50th Birthday Blessing for Bradley Paul – Cathy and Quan. Jacinta Agu and Simon Aroh RIP – Immaculata Aroh. Vaughn Charles RIP – Loretta and Tariq. |
| | 10:00am | Intentions of the Parish |
| Weekday Masses – 5th Sunday of Lent | | |
| Mon 27 Mar | 5:30pm | Jenna Chadwick RIP – Dave and Joan. Theresa, Manuel, Eugene and Earle Correa RIP. |
| Tues 28 Mar | 5:30pm | |
| Wed 29 Mar | 9:00am | Special Intentions – Alsina. Guy Fraser RIP – Dawn and Max. |
| Thurs 30 Mar | 9:00am | |
| Fri 31 Mar | 5:30pm | |
| Sat 01 April | 5:00pm | Immaculate Heart of Mary – Yvonne Savy. Intentions of the Parish. |
| Sun 02 April | 7:45am | Birthday Blessing for Craig Lambert. Jacinta Agu and Simon Aroh RIP – Immaculata Aroh. |
| | 10:00am | 40th Wedding Anniversary Blessing for Michael and Charmaine Lohr. Lephina Khanyema RIP – Hyacinth Miya. |

REQUIESCAT IN PACE

WE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Joan Nicholas RIP

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REGULAR & FOURTHCOMIN EVENTS

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| Tuesdays | 06:30pm | Choir Rehearsal in Church (for 8am Mass) |
| Thursday | 08:00am | Rosary/Prayer for Vocations & Priests in Church |
| | 08:30am | Benediction |
| | 09:00am | Holy Mass |
| | 09:30am | "Getting To Know You" - Community Room |
| Friday | 05:30pm | Station of the Cross (Followed by Holy Mass) |
| Sunday | 8:00am | Catechism – CONFIRMATION GROUP 1 & 2 |
| Sunday | 9:30am | Catechism – GRADE 1 TO 9 |
| Thurs 30 Mar | 5pm to 7pm | Lenten Penitential Service |
| Sat 01 April | 2pm | CWL Meeting |

ALTAR SERVERS: There will be an altar servers meeting on Saturday 1st April at 2pm. Parents are requested to please bring their children.

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS/ PROCLAIMERS: Please fill in your names on the list in the sacristy for HOLY WEEK if you are available. Please arrive 15min early for the services.