

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



*“My soul proclaims the greatness
of the Lord; my spirit rejoices
in God my savior.”*

Luke 1:46-47

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Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00pm
Sunday	8:00am & 10:30am
Weekdays	8:00am Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri
Wednesday	School Mass at 8:45am
Rosary	before Daily Mass
Holy Days	announced in bulletin
Confession	Saturday 3:30-4:30pm; Wednesday 4:30-5:30pm (or by appointment)
Adoration	Wednesday 9:30am-5:30pm

Assumption Parish School

Principal—TJ Romano 328-1115

Pre-School—Kindergarten—Grades 1-8

www.assumptioncatholic.org

Sacraments

Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, First Eucharist — Contact the Parish Office

Anointing of the Sick — Contact the Parish Office

Marriage — Contact the Parish Office.

(Diocesan requirements include at least 6 months of marriage preparation)

Parish Council

Christine Anderson Carolyn McCanna
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SUNDAY	AUGUST 26
8:00am	Mass + Coffee & Donuts
10:30am	Mass + Coffee & Donuts
MONDAY	AUGUST 27
8:00am	Mass
TUESDAY	AUGUST 28
8:00am	Mass
WEDNESDAY	AUGUST 29
8:45am	Mass
9:30am	Adoration
4:30pm	Confessions
5:30pm	Benediction
THURSDAY	AUGUST 30
8:00am	Mass
FRIDAY	AUGUST 31
8:00am	Mass
SATURDAY	SEPTEMBER 01
7:00am	Men's Bible Study
3:30pm	Confession
5:00pm	Mass
SUNDAY	SEPTEMBER 02
8:00am	Mass + Coffee & Donuts
10:30am	Mass + Coffee & Donuts

08/26	Sunday	8:00am	Assumption Parish
		10:30am	Regina Campbell +
08/27	Monday		Anita Brennan +
08/28	Tuesday		Jack Baum
08/29	Wednesday		Carol Pfenning +
08/30	Thursday		Fr. Anthony Via, SJ
08/31	Friday		Sr. Betty Broughan, SSJ
09/01	Saturday		Pete Guglielmino +
09/02	Sunday		Sue Borja +
			Michelle Branham

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Would you like to join a prayer shawl ministry group? There will be a group starting Thur, Sept 13, at 6:30pm in the Resource Center. This is a chance to come together and make prayer shawls to offer to parishioners and outside organizations who could use them. Please call Jewel at 879-3048 or email jewel2all@aol.com for more information.



SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday
8:30am-12:00pm



Please pray for: Will Terpening, Darlene Daul, Mike Sherick, Manny Aguilar, Arlan Overbust, Peggy Smet, Laurel Reilly, Joyce, Ben Trudeau, Danielle Basta, Joan Hastings, Jan Erickson, Bob Hansen, Barry Hayes, Marlene Bumbeck, Bailey Cooper, Clara Fischer, Stacey Hastings, Susan, Gerrine Njenga, Peg Walsh, Sean, Dick Henrichs, and all who are sick or recovering from surgery. If you have a prayer request for the bulletin, please call Barbara Rice (327-8124) or Kathryn Overland (328-8523).

August 19, 2018: \$12,206.00 Needy: \$1,107.00



"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace" (1 Pt 4:10)



August 26, 2018
21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Bread of Life discourse has concluded with last week's gospel; however, the gospel this week is a logical continuation —Jesus' question: "Does this shock you?" is a powerful question and is especially poignant during these days. Our conversations with others who look from the outside in —both our friends and neighbors from other denominations and those who identify themselves as former Catholics or "recovering" Catholics, are a constant challenge to us—how do we understand ourselves as people of faith?

Our answer will always be the same as Peter's—"Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that You are the Holy One of God."

While I am preaching on this topic this weekend, it is important to remember that our faith is in Jesus Christ: the Bread of Life, the Word made Flesh, the Incarnate Word of the Father, the Good Shepherd. Our faith is never correctly placed when it's center is not in Christ.

Lord, Give Me Strength

Give us your strength, Lord.

Because sometimes things get tough, and we are ready to quit.

Give us your love, Lord.

Because sometimes people reject us, and we are tempted to hate.

Give us your eyes, Lord.

Because sometimes life gets dark, and we lose our way.

Give us your courage, Lord.

Because often we are put under pressure, and it's hard to do what is right.

Give us yourself, Lord.

Because our hearts were made for you,
and we will not rest until we rest in you.

Fr. Mark Link, SJ



NEW MINISTERS OF THE ALTAR SCHEDULE will begin the weekend of September 15-16 and go into mid-November. If there are any dates you aren't able to serve, you can call the Parish Office, email wendy@assumptionspokane.org or drop a note with these dates. Please have dates in by Friday, Aug 31st.



FALL SCHEDULE

As we transition into fall, there are many activities and meetings that will be starting up again soon. Watch the bulletin for more information.

SENIOR'S CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST— Meets in the gym the first Wednesday of each month following Mass.

ARM (ASSUMPTION RETIRED MEN'S GROUP) meets the first Friday of every month at 10:00am in the Resource Center. Open to all retired men of any age.

WOTO (Women On Their Own) meets the 2nd Sunday of each month at 1:00pm in the Multi-Purpose Room. Open to any woman who may feel on her own for various reasons. This is a great opportunity to gather for a pot-luck lunch, share time and make connections with one another for other events and activities.

TUESDAY LADIES BIBLE STUDY meets weekly at 9:00am in the Resource Center beginning September 25. New members are welcome—contact Kathryn Overland (328-8523) for more information.

ASSUMPTION MEN'S BIBLE STUDY group invites parish men to join them . Come when you can! We meet in the Youth Room at 7am each Saturday. Call Bob Walker (466-4557) or Bob Pringle (326-6138) for more information.

THURSDAY EVENING LADIES BIBLE STUDY—meets the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month, 6:30pm in the Resource Center.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS — meets the 3rd Saturday of each month, 10am-12:00pm in the Multi-Purpose Room.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS POPE ST. JOHN XXIII COUNCIL #15968 General meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of each month, beginning with the rosary at 5:30pm, followed by the meeting at 6:00pm.

JR/SR HIGH YOUTH MINISTRY

Middle School: Tuesdays 6-7:30pm in the Gym

High School: Tuesdays 7-8:30pm in the Youth Room below the Parish office

We are looking forward to an exciting and faith filled year!

CARITAS OUTREACH MINISTRIES

Food items needed: Canned fruit, Chef Boyardee, chili, tomato sauce, crackers, broth, ramen, syrup.

****Summer Meal Kits for Kids** (microwavable soups, fruit cups, granola bars, healthy snacks)

Necessities: Laundry soap, can openers, bandaids.

3rd ANNUAL BISHOP WHITE SEMINARY CENTURY BICYCLE RIDE FUNDRAISER



Our Assumption Knights, along with St. John Vianney Knights and others will be riding 100 miles on Saturday, Sept; 22nd, to raise funds Bishop White Seminary. Proceeds will go for scholarships and reducing the mortgage on the facility. Knights will be collecting for this event after the Masses on



the weekends of Sept 1-2 and Sept 8-9. Your donations will go directly to Bishop White for distribution by Father Daniel Barnett. For more information call Bill Boniface, Grand Knight, (720-3488)

ASSUMPTION PARISH SCHOOL

TJ Romano, Principal

AUGUST OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:00am-12:00pm

We are excited to begin a new school year!

ICE CREAM SOCIAL is Wed, Aug 29, 5:00-6:30pm.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL is Tuesday, Sept 4. Dismissal will be at 2:00pm for the first week.

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT will be Wed, Sept 12, 6:30pm

It's not too late to register, if you are interested in having your child attend, please call the School Office (328-1115) and we would be happy to give you a tour and answer any questions.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE 2019: KICK OFF BBQ with BISHOP DALY—All men of Assumption parish are invited! Monday, August 27, 6:00 pm at St. Peter's Parish, 3520 E. 18 Ave. Enjoy each other's company over brats and beer and hear about the plans for the next Catholic Men's Conference coming in January 2019. Questions? Call Steve Domini, (509) 468-6774 or (509) 590-7079, or Rich Hanson, (509) 217-7945.

THE SERRA CLUB OF SPOKANE invites you to come to their next get together, Sat, September 22, 9:00 am in O'Malley Hall at St. Aloysius Church. (O'Malley Hall can be accessed from outside the church and in the back, as it is in the basement). A continental breakfast will be served.

Our speaker is Jeremy Cassidy who will be discussing FOCUS, a campus outreach that pursues college students with intentionality and love. FOCUS invites them into a growing relationship with Jesus and the Catholic faith at a time when 80% of Catholic students leave the church by the time they graduate.

Also, for those who wish, Mass will be offered at Bishop White Seminary at 8:00 am. Questions? Call Steve and Karen Domini, 468-6774.

IMMACULATE HEART RETREAT CENTER

SUMMERTIME SPIRITUAL MOMENT "The Gospel in a Nutshell—a Kernel of Truth"

Fr. Mike Savelesky

Fri, Sept 14, 8:00am-9:30am

Includes Mass, breakfast and conference. No cost to attend. Please RSVP - www.ihrc.net or call 448-1224 for more information on these and other retreat opportunities.

PARISH LIBRARY

How was Paul perceived in his contemporary world? Bruce Malina and Jerome Neyrey provide a fuller understanding of Paul and his world in *Portraits of Paul: An Archaeology of Ancient Personality*. Shelved with **Paul**. See the parish website under **Faith Formation** for open hours, book lists, etc.



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