

October 28, 2018

Church of the Assumption/Iglesia de la Asunción

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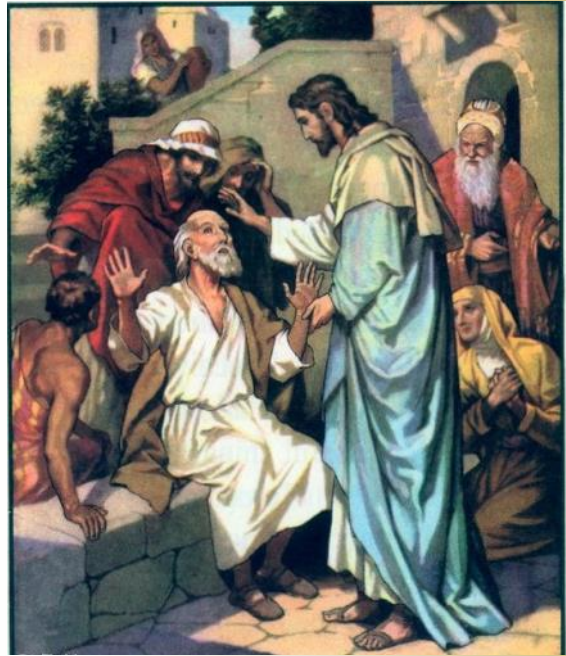
Welcome! ¡Bienvenidos!

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Jesus saw his faith and cured him

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Hope House

Hours of Operation:

Monday 9-11:30 am
Tuesday 9-11:30 am
Wednesday: closed
Thursday 9-11:30 am
Friday 12-3:30 pm

Financial assistance will be Monday, Thursday, and Friday.

Masses/Misas

(Unless otherwise noted in Calendar)

Weekend

Saturday/Sábado 5:00 PM.
Sunday/Domingo **8:00 AM, 9:30 AM,**
12:30 PM Spanish/Español

Weekdays

Wednesday/Miércoles 6:00 PM
Thursday/Jueves 10:30 AM
Friday/Viernes 10:30 AM

Reconciliation/Confesiones

Saturday/Sábado 3:30 PM

Adoration

Are you being called to spend an hour with the Lord? Call Linda Morrell 360-595-4366

Mission

Mary's Assumption into Heaven is our hope. We, the Church of the Assumption, are called to follow Jesus according to Mary's example as a beacon of hope and light for all.

Vision

By engaging in formation, sacraments, outreach and stewardship, we will glorify the Lord with our lives.

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THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

An "oracle of consolation" regarding the restoration of Israel finds its fulfillment in the person of Jesus, our merciful high priest. His healing of the blind man witnesses to the inauguration of the kingdom.

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Monday, October 29th

10:30 AM Word & Communion Service Church
11:30 AM Centering Prayer Church
2:00 PM Servants of the Lord Prayer Stafford

Tuesday, October 30th

1:00 PM Adult Bible Study Stafford
6:30 PM Adoration Church
7:00 PM Boy Scout Open House Gym
7:00 PM Adult Bible Study Teacher's Lounge

Please note: Mass is an hour earlier on this Wednesday

Wednesday, October 31st

12:00 AM Adoration Church
10:00 AM Women's Scripture Study Stafford
4:00 PM Benediction Church
5:00 PM All Saints Day Vigil Mass Church
6:00 PM Trunk or Treat Grounds
6:00 PM Healing Prayer Ministry Church

Thursday, November 1st

8:00 AM School Foundation Board LMC
10:30 AM All Saints Day Mass/School Church
6:00 PM Cub Scout Webelos 1 Room 1
6:30 PM Cub Scout Tiger Den Stafford
6:30 PM Healing Prayer Class St. Cecilia
6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal Church
7:00 PM All Saints Day Mass (Bilingual) Church

Please note: No morning Mass on this Friday

Friday, November 2nd

1:30 PM Grief Support Stafford
6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal Church
7:00 PM All Souls Day Mass (Bilingual) Church
7:00 PM Grupo de Oración LMC

Saturday, November 3rd

9:30 AM Baptism Class Stafford
1:00 PM Art & Environment Comm. PCLR
1:00 PM Rosary Makers Stafford
3:00 PM Rosary Prayer Group St. Cecilia
3:00 PM Clase de Bautismo Stafford
3:30 PM Reconciliation Church
5:00 PM Mass Church

Sunday, November 4th

12:01 AM Daylight Savings ends
8:00 AM Mass Church
9:00 AM Choir Rehearsal Church
9:30 AM Mass Church
10:30 AM Junta de Confirmación (Adultos) PC 2nd floor
11:00 AM RCIA/C Session Stafford
11:00 AM RCIA/C Parents Meeting Teacher's Lounge
11:00 AM Whole Family Catechesis Gym/LMC
11:00 AM Ensayo de mariachi Church
12:30 PM Misa Iglesia
12:30 PM Liturgia de la Palabra para niños LMC
2:00 PM Edge Sacred Heart
5:00 PM Lifeteen Gym



Weekly Mass Intentions

October 31, 5:00 PM Mary Brandstatter RIP
November 1, 10:30 AM Pro Populo
November 1, 7:00 PM Suel Family SI
November 2, 7:00 PM Melissa Ortiz RIP
November 3, 5:00 PM Edward Hildebrand RIP
November 4, 8:00 AM Fr. Jack Jennings RIP
November 4, 9:30 AM Fr. Richard Basso RIP
November 4, 12:30 PM Pro Populo

SI = Special Intention

RIP = Rest in Peace

Pro Populo = For the people of the parish

CONNECTING WITH GOD is the topic of an 8-week Bible study on prayer, beginning Tuesday, Nov. 6. at 1 p.m. in the Stafford Room, repeated at 7 p.m. in the school Teachers Lounge, your choice. Book cost is \$7.00. For further information and to pre-register call Christine at 360-671-9712.

You're invited to a Celebration of Our Saints | St. James Cathedral | Nov 3 | 10 am Adoration | 11am Mass



Saturday, Nov. 3, at St. James Cathedral. Join fellow Catholics for a time of prayer, celebration, and learning about a vast array of saints representing many of the cultures in Western Washington! The morning begins with Adoration at 10:00 a.m. and Mass at 11:00 a.m., followed by a reception and the opportunity to browse "Saint" tables to learn more about these wonderful people in our Church's history.

Please consider supporting the vendors listed on the back of the bulletin. Their advertising allows us to have the cover page of the bulletin printed free.

ENGAGED CHURCH—IN MY PARISH MY SPIRITUAL NEEDS ARE MET.



Mark your calendars that school masses (celebrated at Church of the Assumption) will be different for the following two weeks. Instead of celebrating mass on Friday as they normally do, the students will have a special *All Saints Day Mass* on Thursday, Nov. 1st at 10:30 am. Then, on Thursday, Nov. 8th, please join the students for a Mass to honor all veterans at 10:30 am. Please attend in uniform for a special blessing. The school children always appreciate welcoming community members. Call or email the school for details. You can also visit the school's new website at school.assumption.org

CONFIRMATION PREPARATION FOR BAPTIZED CATHOLIC ADULTS

Next month we will start our preparation classes for adults baptized in the Catholic Church who are seeking to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Classes in English will be held on Tuesday nights; classes in Spanish will be held on Sunday mornings. The information meeting for the Spanish classes will be on Sunday, Nov. 4, at 10:30 a.m. in the Pastoral Center 2nd floor conference room. The information meeting for the English classes will be on Tuesday, Nov. 13, at 7:00 p.m. in the Assumption School Library. If you have any questions about these classes please contact Gina DePalma at ginad@assumption.org or (360) 733-1380 x4222.

PREPARACIÓN DE CONFIRMACIÓN PARA LOS ADULTOS CATÓLICOS BAUTIZADOS

El próximo mes comenzaremos nuestras clases de preparación para adultos bautizados en la Iglesia Católica que buscan recibir el sacramento de la Confirmación. Las clases de inglés se llevarán a cabo los martes por la noche; Las clases de español se llevarán a cabo los domingos por la mañana. La reunión informativa de las clases de español será en Domingo, 4 de noviembre, a las 10:30 a.m. en la sala de conferencias del 2do piso del Centro Pastoral. La reunión informativa para las clases de inglés será el martes 13 de noviembre a las 7:00 p.m. en la biblioteca de la escuela de la Asunción. Si tiene alguna pregunta sobre estas clases, comuníquese con Gina DePalma en ginad@assumption.org o al (360) 733-1380 x4222.

WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK!

The Archdiocese is reviewing Fr. Scott's ministry in our parish by using a survey and asking for your feedback as a parishioner. This is part of the normal review process by the Archdiocese. The survey is available on our website, www.assumption.org, and must be completed by **November 7**. We really value your feedback! There are only a few days left to fill out the survey, so please take the time to do it ASAP!



ROSARY SALE

We will be selling rosaries on the fourth weekend of October in the gathering space before and after the Masses. If you would like to purchase a rosary before this weekend, please call Marilee at 360-671-3211. We also fix rosaries and take broken ones or beads.

SAVE THE DATES

Concerts here at Church of the Assumption!
***Bellingham Chamber Chorale, conducted by our very own music director Frederick Bayani Mabalot**
Saturday, November 10 at 7:30PM
Sunday, November 11 at 4:00PM
***WWU Concert Choir**
Saturday, November 17 at 7:00PM
***Home for Christmas with Wendy Donaghy, A Charity Concert**
Sunday, December 02 at 5:00PM
***Whatcom Chorale**
Sunday, December 09 at 3:00PM

EMANGELIZATION

An informal men's group meeting twice a month on Monday evenings to discuss prayer, struggles, closeness with God, and occasionally goof off. Meetings typically alternate between Ferndale, Lynden, and Everson locations. If you are interested please contact Clint Richmond clint4356@msn.com

TRUNK OR TREAT

We NEED you! We are looking for parishioners who are willing to come to Assumption on Halloween night with candy to pass out of their trunks. You may get creative, search Pinterest or Google for ideas, and decorate your car/trunk or simply show up! There will be families and children dressed up and ready to "Trunk or Treat" at 6pm (after Mass). Cars please show up in the loop either before mass or at 5:50 to line up. Sign up is in the gathering space or please email bevjohnson_13@hotmail.com if you are able to help us out and join the fun!

YOUR FAITH AND YOUR GOOD MARRIAGE

"Go your way; your faith has saved you." Take time for your marriage by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend at the Sheraton Hotel in Bellevue on Nov. 16 – 18. Or at the LaQuinta Hotel in Tacoma on Nov. 2 – 4. Apply at wwme.org. For more information leave a message at 206-772-2344. Sign up today.

SCRIP News!








We will be selling SCRIP on Sunday, Nov. 4, from 9-9:30 (between both Sunday morning masses). This is a great, easy way to support your parish school.

PRAY FOR OUR ★★★★★ MILITARY

Floyd Carpenter
Chris Formichella
Don Veltum
Capt. Trevor Corrigan
Adam Honda
Jason Woolsey
Steve Ploog
Corey McDaniel
Patrick Kelley
Patrick L. Blake
Capt. Paul Cleary
Michael Condit
Gabriel Feely
John Hutson
Steven Faecke
Lt Col Gregory DeMarco
Keanu Franco
Matt Edge
Kurt DeVries
1st Lt. Garrett Burnham
Bob Iverson
Lt. Michael Bertschinger
Capt. Eric Stein
Caleb Trotter
Lt. Col. Richard Weyker
Jim Heisler III
Garret Groth
Nicole Groth
Jeremy King
Jesse Estrada



November 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>Please remove this calendar from the bulletin and post. Check the weekly bulletin for location of November events and all the other activities taking place at Assumption.</p>						
<p>4 <i>Dawnlight Savings Ends</i> Información de Confirmación para Adultos 10:30AM Whole Family Catechesis 11AM</p>	5	6	<p>7 Mass at St. Joseph Hospital 2PM Faith Formation Commission 7PM</p>	<p>8 Veterans' Day Mass w/School 10:30AM Pastoral Council 7PM</p>	<p>9 <i>Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</i></p>	<p>10 Emcee Training 9AM Baptism Class 9:30AM Bellingham Chamber Chorale Concert 7:30PM</p>
<p>11 Bellingham Chamber Chorale Concert 4PM</p> 	12	13	<p>14 Scholastic Book Fair Knights of Columbus/ Catholic Daughters Memorial Mass 6PM Spiritual Life & Worship 7PM</p>	<p>15 Pastoral Care 7PM</p>	<p>16 <i>Grandparents' Day</i> Mass w/School 10:30AM</p> 	<p>17 WWU Concert Choir</p> 
<p>18 Rite of Acceptance 9:30AM First Reconciliation Class 11AM</p>	<p>19 Scholastic Book Fair Human Food Chain Prayer Service 8:30AM</p> 	20	<p>21 Thanksgiving Mass 6PM Bring food for the hungry</p> 	<p>22 Office Closed No Mass or Word & Communion Service</p> 	<p>23 Office Closed No Mass or Word & Communion Service</p>	<p>24</p>
<p>25 <i>Christ the King</i></p> 	26	27	<p>28 Life Justice & Peace 7PM School Commission 7PM</p>	29	<p>30 <i>St. Andrew</i> Mass w/School 10:30AM</p>	

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Stewardship	Wk (10/21/2018)	Fiscal YTD
Contributions Received:	\$ 20,010	\$ 294,408
Contributions Budget:	\$ 18,561	\$ 289,419
Over/under	\$ 1,449	\$ 4,989

Thank you for sharing God's blessings with our parish community.

Debt Reduction	Wk (10/21/2018)	Fiscal YTD
Contributions Received:	\$ 1,500	\$ 14,965
Contributions Budget:	\$ 1,038	\$ 17,646
Over/Under	\$ 462	\$ -2,681

GIFTS FROM THE OTHER HALF OF OUR STEWARDSHIP GIVING

Hope House	\$ 129
World Mission Sunday	\$ 1,554

Thank you for sharing God's blessings with the larger community.



ALL SAINTS DAY IS A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Vigil Mass: Wednesday, Oct. 31, 5:00 PM

Mass: Thursday, Nov. 1 at 10:30 AM & 7:00 PM (Bilingual)

We invite kids to come dressed up as their favorite saint to the 10:30 AM Mass.

Sacred Heart Church will celebrate All Saints Mass at 7:00 AM



All Souls Mass: Friday, Nov. 2, 7:00 PM (Bilingual)

ANNUAL CRS EQUITABLE TRADE SALE, NOVEMBER 3 & 4 IN THE GATHERING SPACE

Featuring handicrafts and chocolates from cooperatives around the world. We'll have lots of Divine chocolate. The beans are grown with no child or slave labor and the farmers receive fair trade prices for their cocoa beans. The chocolate is made in Germany. Since the farmers receive good prices for their crops, they have been able to build schools, put in wells, and improve transportation in their area. For more information, contact Nancy Wopperer (nancywopperer@gmail.com) or Mary Mele (marymele@gmail.com).



COME FOLLOW ME Catholic Men's Retreat – November 2-4

This 3-day event (Friday evening through early Sunday afternoon) will explore the challenge men face of authentically living their faith in the world today. Our Retreat Master, Fr. James Northrop and Pastor Fr. Ed White, will guide us through a rich encounter with Christ. These along with engaging worship and fellowship will make this a weekend to remember!

Join us at Black Diamond Camps!

Register at

<https://ststephenslife.com/mens-retreat-2018>.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

During this coming week as we focus on Stewardship of Treasure, please reflect on how we are called to continue to sustain our parish church and its ministries by returning to the Lord a proper portion of what He has given us. By returning your pledge card, you are helping our parish plan for the coming year. If you are not able to pledge at this time, please keep our community in your prayers and write "Prayers" on your pledge card. Stay tuned for next week's witness presentation!



A Stewardship Moment

Today's psalm says, "The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy." Good stewards demonstrate by their living and giving that they understand God is the Source of all they are and have.

Un Momento De Corresponsabilidad

El Salmo de hoy dice, "El Señor ha hecho grandes cosas por nosotros; estamos llenos de júbilo." Los buenos administradores demuestran por medio de sus vidas y sus donaciones que comprenden que Dios es la Fuente de todo lo que ellos son y de todo lo que poseen.



Lord God,

You alone are the source of every good gift, of the vast array of our universe, and the mystery of each human life.

We praise and thank You for Your great power and tender, faithful love. Everything we are and everything we have are Your gifts, and after having created us You have given us into the keeping of Your Son, Jesus Christ.

Fill our minds with His truth and our hearts with His love, and in His Spirit may we be bonded together into a community of faith, a parish family, and a caring people.

In the name and spirit of Jesus, we the people of Assumption church, commit ourselves to be good stewards of the gifts entrusted to us, to share our time, our talent, and our material and spiritual gifts as an outward sign of the treasure we hold in Jesus.

Amen.