

August 21, 2016

Church of the Assumption/Iglesia de la Asunción

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Welcome! Bienvenidos!

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Prayer Line #4240 (prayerline@assumption.org)
HOPE HOUSE/Emergency Assistance
671-8702 Info only
Hours of Operation
Monday: 9:00-11:30 (incl financial assistance)
Tuesday: 9:00-11:30
Thursday: 9:00-11:30 (incl financial assistance)
Friday: 12:00-3:30 (incl financial assistance)

Masses/Misas

(Unless otherwise noted in Calendar)

Weekend

Saturday/Sábado 5:00 PM.
Sunday/Domingo 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM
12:30 PM Spanish/Español

Weekdays

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

Reconciliation/Confesiones

Saturday/Sábado 3:30 PM

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.





August 21, 2016
Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary time

No one is to be excluded from the kingdom for all peoples are called to proclaim the praises of the Lord and confess his holy name. No ethnic or religious group possesses exclusive right to the kingdom. Suffering and pain are part of the human condition.

Strive to Enter the Narrow Gate
WORSHIP AND SPIRITUAL LIFE

August 22	10:30 AM	
Walter Bieber		RIP
August 24	6:00 PM	
Michael Humphrey		RIP
August 25	10:30 AM	
Dario Sotelo		RIP
August 26	10:30 AM	
Lori Benjamin		RIP
August 27	5:00 PM	
Tran & Nguyen Family		SI
August 28	8:30 AM	
Pro Populo		
	10:30 AM	
William Curry		RIP
	12:30 PM	
Camerina Anaya Quiroga		RIP

SI = Special Intention
RIP = Rest in Peace
Pro Populo = For the people of the parish

Daily Worship
Week of August 21, 2016

Monday, August 22 Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary	2 Thessalonians 1:1-5, 11-12 Psalm 96:1:5 Matthew 23:13-22
Tuesday, August 23 Saint Rose of Lima	2 Thessalonians 2:1-3a, 14-17 Psalm 96:10-13 Matthew 23:23-26
Wednesday, August 24 Saint Bartholomew	Revelation 21:9b-14 Psalm 145:10-13, 17-18 John 1:45-51
Thursday, August 25	1 Corinthians 1:1-9 Psalm 145:2-7 Matthew 24:42-51
Friday, August 26	1 Corinthians 1:17-25 Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11 Matthew 25:1-13
Saturday, August 27 Saint Monica	1 Corinthians 1:26-31 Psalm 33:12-13, 18-21 Matthew 25:14-30
Sunday, August 28 Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 Psalm 68:4-7, 10-11 Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a Luke 14:1, 7-14



Year of Mercy
Weekly Reflection

Theme: Corporal Works of Mercy

Tell the rich in the present age not to be proud and not to rely on so uncertain a thing as wealth but rather on God, who richly provides us with all things for our enjoyment. Tell them to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous, ready to share, thus accumulating as treasure a good foundation for the future, so as to win the life that is true life. (1 Timothy 6:17-19)

Reflection: Think of a time when you volunteered your time and talents to help others. How did this make you feel? Who or what do you treasure above all material things?

If you would like to share a reflection or make a comment, please visit our Year of Mercy blog at <http://ams1516blog.blogspot.com>. This is a moderated blog site, so it may take upwards of 24 hours for comments to appear.

EVENING PRAYER
and
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



Tuesday evenings beginning at 6:30 PM.
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament continues until Wednesday evening and ends with Benediction at 5:45 PM, and Mass at 6 PM.
 Are you being called to spend an hour with the Lord? We especially need someone on **Wednesdays at 12:30 PM**. If you are able to help, call Linda at 595-4366.

MONDAY NIGHT PRAYER GROUP
Mondays, 6:00-8:00 PM, St. Cecilia
 "Praise you servants of the Lord. Praise the name of the Lord both now and forever. From the rising to the setting of the sun is the name of the Lord to be praised." Ps. 13: 1-3.
 All are welcome.

HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY
 Wednesdays in the church after Mass from 6:45 - 8:00 pm.
 All are welcome.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP
Fridays, 1:30-3:30 PM in the Stafford Room
 "Gracious is the Lord and just. Yes, our Lord is merciful. The Lord keeps the little ones; I was low and he saved me. Return, my soul; to your tranquility for the Lord has been good to you." Ps. 116: 5-7.
 All are welcome.

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**COMMUNITY
INVOLVEMENT
&
LIFE, JUSTICE &
PEACE
MINISTRY**



The Sacred Heart Social Justice Committee is excited to announce a special speaker for the **August 22 Monday Nights for Life, Peace, and Justice**. Our featured guest will be retired

Colonel **DEACON ROY HARRINGTON** on Advocacy for Veterans, Spiritual Healing for Wounded Warriors (a divine encounter with Jesus and inner healing from spiritual trauma). The meeting is from **6:30 PM to 8:00 PM in the Sacred Heart Parish Center**.

Due to Deacon Roy's deep concern to bring spiritual healing to wounded warriors, he began the Warriors Healing Retreats program in 2015. He served as Pastoral Coordinator and deacon at St Benedict Parish since July 2014. He has previously served as the Director of Deacons for the Archdiocese of Seattle from 2011 to 2015. He also served as the deacon at Our Lady of the Lake Parish after his ordination in November 2007.

In his secular career, Deacon Roy has 32 years of experience in operations and emergency management in public transit services and served our nation for 30 years as a human resources officer in the Army Reserve, retiring at the rank of colonel in 2009

**PASTORAL
COUNCIL
MEMBERS**

Chris Craven
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Dick Etter
John Getchell
Colleen Jeffrey
Edwin Ordóñez
Dan Parsons
Doris Torres
Bonnie Trenouth
Jean Wilford
Nancy Wopperer

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STRENGTHEN YOUR MARRIAGE

Do you long for a more loving and caring relationship? Do you have feelings of disillusionment in your marriage? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) can help by providing the relationship-healing skills needed to build a stronger marriage. For confidential information about, or to register for our upcoming program beginning **Sept 23-25, 2016**. Call **360-671-6479** or visit our website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

FAITHFUL STEWARDS

For the sharing of their time and talent with Assumption Parish, we acknowledge and thank

All Funeral Volunteers

A few weeks ago, our parish had five funerals in a period of seven days. Of the five funerals, three also had receptions in our gym. This is a very high number of funerals in such a short period of time, yet everyone pulled together again and again to create beautiful liturgies for the grieving families. We want to acknowledge all the volunteers involved in funerals at Assumption: Sacristans, Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Musicians, and the Funeral Reception Committee. Thank you for going above and beyond during a particularly difficult time.



Today, a couple of huge thanks and a BIG reminder! First, a great big thanks to the Prepares program for preparing lovely gift bags for our young mothers with babies—complete with toys, blankets, clothing. They are all gone and were much appreciated. The moms received them with absolute delight! Next, I can't tell you how much it means to our clients to be on the receiving end of someone going out of their way to provide comfort and "normalness" in their lives. Pete and Vicki Pilch brought donuts and bottles of water to our clients last Tuesday and they haven't stopped talking about it! This kind of treat makes their day—thanks so much! A reminder that our Treasure Sale is going on in the gym this weekend: Saturday 9-4 and a (kind of) private clearance sale for parishioners on Sunday morning after the masses. Come on by—you won't be disappointed! Also, a thanks to all who have brought us school supplies—we still need backpacks for all ages of children. God bless,
Cheri Woolsey
Find us on Facebook!

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

For information and instruction, contact Kathy St.Hilaire, certified teacher of Natural Family Planning, 671-4836.

SAVE THE DATE

On September 24, Pax Christi International co-president Marie Dennis will be the keynote speaker at a half day event in Burien sponsored by JustFaith, Pax Christi, Maryknoll, the Mission Office of the Archdiocese and the Intercommunity Peace and Justice Center. Please contact Nick Mele at nicmele@gmail.com if you want more information.

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Monday, August 22nd

10:30 AM Mass
11:30 AM Centering Prayer
6:00 PM Monday Night Prayer Group
6:30 PM God's Food Group

Church
Stafford
St. Cecilia
PCLR

Tuesday, August 23rd

8:30 AM School Staff & Faculty Retreat
6:00 PM Knights of Columbus First Degree
6:00 PM Eagle Scout Board of Review
6:30 PM Adoration

LMC
St. Cecilia
Stafford
Church

Wednesday, August 24th

12:00 AM Adoration
5:30 PM Prepares Fatherhood Group
5:45 PM Benediction
6:00 PM Mass
6:45 PM Healing Prayer Ministry
7:00 PM Parish Life and Socials

Church
St. Cecilia
Church
Church
Church
Stafford

Thursday, August 25th

8:30 AM Parish & School Staff Retreat
10:30 AM Mass
11:00 AM Hope House Staff Mtg.
5:30 PM K-5 FF Catechist meeting
6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal
7:00 PM Finance Council

LMC
Church
Stafford
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Church
PC 2nd floor

Friday, August 26th

10:30 AM Mass
11:00 AM Auction Committee
1:30 PM Grief Support Group
6:00 PM Rosary Makers

Church
LMC
Stafford
Stafford

Saturday, August 27th
Baptismal Weekend

1:00 AM Community Meal
3:30 PM Reconciliation
5:00 PM Mass

Gym
Church
Church

Sunday, August 28th ~ Baptism Weekend

7:45 AM Choir Rehearsal
8:30 AM Mass
8:30 AM MFCC
9:30 AM Choir Rehearsal
10:30 AM Mass
11:00 AM Ensayo de Coro
12:30 PM Misa

Church
Church
Teacher's Lounge
Church
Church
St. Cecilia
Iglesia

CATHOLIC MOMS!

Our Summer playdates are coming to an end. We have been meeting at local parks. Our last playdate is **August 25 at Cornwall Park**. We gather around 11 am, with children, blankets, lunches, snacks, and each other! This is a great way to meet other moms and share in this adventure of Catholic Motherhood! Please contact Bev Williams if you have any questions at (360)920-7592 or bevjohnson_13@hotmail.com.

BLESSING OF EXPECTANT PARENTS

On Saturday, Sep. 3, at the 5:00 PM Mass, we will have a special blessing of all children in the womb. If you are expecting, please come to this special Mass and we'll have a blessing at the end of the Liturgy.

**ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL
CROSS COUNTRY COACH NEEDED**

Assumption Catholic School has an opening for a Middle School Cross Country Coach for the 2016 season (8/29–10/21). The applicant should be experienced in running and working with early teenage children, and have a current CPR/First Aid card. If you're interested or know of anyone please contact Mrs. Campbell at rcampbel@school.assumption.org or Mrs. Vanderboom at pvanderboom@school.assumption.org.

THE FALL BIBLE STUDY

Begins September 6 with a 7-week study of PEOPLE WHO MET JESUS. Sessions are held in the Stafford Room on Tuesdays at 1 p.m., repeated at 7 p.m., your choice. These are people you've heard about in scripture but will get to know them, and Jesus, better. To pre-register, or for further information, call Christine at 671-9712. A fee of \$5 covers materials.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

The Archdiocese of Seattle provides a live training for new volunteers and employees called *Protecting God's Children*. This class is a 3-hour training designed to teach participants how to keep our ministries, programs, and schools safe. Any volunteers who have previously taken the *Called To Protect for Ministries* training DO NOT need to take this new class. Anyone with an interest in the safety of children and vulnerable adults is encouraged to attend *Protecting God's Children*, however, it is required for new employees and volunteers with ongoing unsupervised contact with minors or vulnerable adults. To be in compliance with the Archdiocese, **all new volunteers must take this training**. Choose one of the following upcoming classes:

Sept 10, Saturday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Sept. 13, Tuesday 6:00 – 9:00 pm
All classes are in the Assumption School Library Media Center

You must register online to enroll in one of these classes by visiting www.virtusonline.org. Click on the "Registration" link and follow the instructions.

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PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

	Wk(08/14/2016)	Month	YTD
Contributions needed:	\$ 17,788	\$ 35,577	\$ 124,516
Contributions received:	\$ 14,026	\$ 33,048	\$ 111,623
Over/under for wk/mo/yr	-\$ 3,762	-\$ 2,529	-\$ 12,893

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

	Wk(08/14/2016)	Month	YTD
Debt Reduction			
Contributions needed:	\$ 1,058	\$ 2,116	\$ 7,406
Contributions received:	\$ 352	\$ 1,080	\$ 4,239
Over/Under for wk/mo/yr	-\$ 706	-\$ 1,036	-\$ 3,167

GIFTS FROM THE OTHER HALF OF OUR STEWARDSHIP GIVING

Hope House \$ 275

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

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Margaret Duffy



Margaret Duffy was named Volunteer of the Year at our Feast Day celebration on Sunday, August 14th. She has set the bar pretty high for all of us who hope to be a true servant as Christ was. She regularly brings the presence of Christ to so many people who are unable to attend mass. She helps keep our Pastoral Care Committee on the front line of ministry through her care of the sick and home-bound. She is well-known at virtually all the nursing homes in town. She has helped organize the Eucharistic Ministers to the Homebound, and ministers to the ministers as well.

Not only does she help with the ministry to the homebound, but she has served as a sacristan as well as serving on the Pastoral Care Committee. She is celebrating her tenth year in her ministry to the sick and homebound this month. She is so grateful to be involved in this important ministry, and says that she has gained so much more than she has ever given. Please congratulate Margaret when you see her for her well-deserved recognition.



Loving Lord, our God, giver of life and everything good,

You sent Jesus into our world to teach us of Your love and mercy.

Send Your Spirit upon us Lord, to teach us to be generous — with praise, with kindness, with charity.

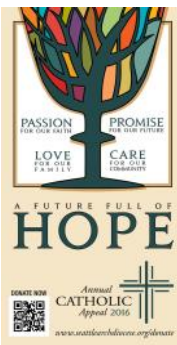
You have blessed us in so many ways; our lives, our abilities, and our resources.

Help us to return those gifts to You in gratitude for all we have received.

We ask this in Jesus' name.
Amen

**COMING SOON
SAVE THE DATE
HARVEST FESTIVAL
SEPTEMBER 17-18, 2016**

WE REACHED OUR ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL GOAL!



Our parish has reached its goal of \$100,000 in pledges. Thank you to everyone who has helped us reach our pledge goal. Many of you have also fulfilled your pledge. **THANK YOU!** You can help maximize our Annual Catholic Appeal Rebate this year for our parish project! Please check if your employer has a **Matching Gift** program. Once your pledge has been paid in full, you can apply for the match per your employer's instructions.

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A Stewardship Moment

Today's reading from Isaiah describes the Israelites bringing their offering to the Lord "in clean vessels." The gift of myself—my patient endurance and fidelity to the will of God—is as important as the monetary gift I offer.

Un Momento De Corresponsabilidad

La lectura de hoy de Isaías describe a los Israelitas trayendo sus ofrendas al Señor "en vasos puros." El regalo de mi mismo — mi perseverancia paciente y mi fidelidad a la voluntad de Dios — es tan importante como la ofrenda monetaria que ofrezco.

Please remember Assumption Church and/or Assumption Catholic School in your Will.