

July 2, 2017

Church of the Assumption/Iglesia de la Asunción

Founded in 1889/Fundada en 1889

Welcome! ¡Bienvenidos!

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HOPE HOUSE/Financial Assistance
207 Kentucky St. / 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)

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.

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

Wednesday/Miércoles 6:00 PM

Thursday/Jueves 10:30 AM

Friday/Viernes 10:30 AM

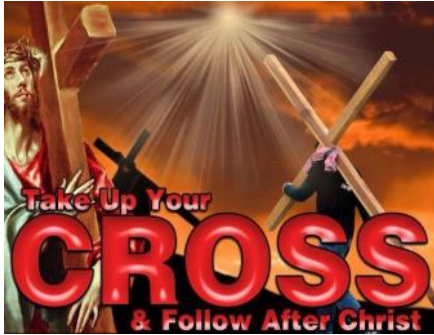
Reconciliation/Confesiones

Saturday/Sábado 3:30 PM



July 2, 2017
**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN
 ORDINARY TIME**

If we have died with Christ, we believe we shall also live with him. He invites us to take up our cross and follow him, and to respond to those who are in need, as did the woman who extended hospitality to Elisha the prophet. Blessed is she who walked in the countenance of the Lord.



**WORSHIP AND SPIRITUAL
 LIFE**

July 5	6:00 PM	
Ken Gorshkow		RIP
July 6	10:30 AM	
Wilma Sawdey		RIP
July 7	10:30 AM	
Pedro Moralde		RIP
July 8	5:00 PM	
Victoria Nombres		RIP
July 9	8:30 AM	
Mrs. Tang		RIP
	10:30 AM	
Pro Populo		
	12:30 PM	
Emma Thjesi		SI

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



This week the
 Sanctuary Lamp burns in
 honor of:
 Harriet Spanel

**Daily Worship
 Week of July 2, 2017**

Monday, July 3 St. Thomas, apostle	Ephesians 2:19-22 Psalm 117:1b-2 John 20:24-29
Tuesday, July 4	Genesis 19:15-29 Psalm 26:2-3, 9-12 Matthew 8:23-27
Wednesday, July 5 Saint Anthony	Genesis 21:5, 8-20a Psalm 34:7-8, 10-13 Matthew 8:28-34
Thursday, July 6 Saint Maria Goretti	Genesis 22:1b-19 Psalm 115:1-6, 8-9 Mathew 9:1-8
Friday, July 7	Genesis 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67 Psalm 106:1-5 Matthew 9:9-13
Saturday, July 8 BVM	Genesis 27:1-5, 15-29 Psalm 135:1b-6 Matthew 9:14-17
Sunday, July 9 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Zechariah 9:9-10 Psalm 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14 Romans 8:9, 11-13 Matthew 11:25-30



HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY

Wednesdays after evening Mass. Come and bring your concerns. We have a prayer team ready to serve you. Sign in and wait in the gathering space. *Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, and he saved them from their distress. Ps 107:19*

COME PRAY FOR WORLD PEACE

Come join us in praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet and the Rosary for World Peace and peace in America. We will pray on Saturday, July 15, in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, from 2:45 until 4 p.m. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will begin at 3 p.m. The rosary will start afterwards.

Hope to see you there as the world needs our prayers and God hears them. If you have any questions call: Kathy Kelso 671-1722

**EVENING PRAYER
 and
 EXPOSITION OF THE
 BLESSED SACRAMENT**



Please note that there will be no adoration on July 4th and 5th due to the holiday. We will resume next week.

Are you being called to spend an hour with the Lord? We especially need someone on **Tuesdays at 6:30, 9:30 & 11:30 PM, and on Wednesdays at 2:30 AM & 2:30 & 3:30 PM.** If you are able to help, call Linda at 595-4366.

**SERVANTS OF THE LORD
 PRAYER GROUP**

**Mondays, 6-8 PM
 St. Cecilia Room**

"The Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as ransom for many." Matt. 2:25.

These words of our Lord Jesus fill us with awe at the humility of our Savior and awakens in us a desire to know him better. Come and join us if you have the same desire. All are welcome. Info: Nancy fudge, 734-9563.

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP
 Fridays, 1:30-3:30 PM in the
 Stafford Room**

"When I call, answer me, O my just God, you who relieve me when I am in distress; Have pity on me, and hear my prayer." Ps. 4: 2.

As Christians, when sorrow enters our life through the death of a loved one, we turn to God for help and understanding. All are welcome.

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

**PASTORAL
COUNCIL
MEMBERS**

Chris Craven
Blancy Granados de Cruz
Dick Etter
John Getchell
Colleen Jeffrey
Edwin Ordóñez
Dan Parsons
Bonnie Trenouth
Jean Wilford
Nancy Wopperer

**COMMISSION &
COMMITTEE
CHAIRS**

Faith Formation Commission
John Getchell
Parish Life & Social
Dan Parsons
Spiritual Life & Worship
Chris Attebery
School Commission
Lynette Machinski
Life, Justice & Peace
Nick Mele
Pastoral Care
Tashie Zang &
Belen Saturay
Building & Grounds
Andrew Krzysiek
Stewardship/Engaged
Church
Anne & Bill Turnbull
Finance Council
Bill Zang
Pastoral Council Exec.
Comm.
Chris Craven
Dick Etter
John Getchell
Liturgy Planning Committee
Kathy Ernst
Frederick Mabalot

Coming in the Fall!

**PRAYER FOR HEALING MINISTRY COURSE
Starting Sep. 14, 6:30-8:30 PM, Stafford Room**

Become better at praying for others and closer to the Lord. Classes include teachings by Judith and Francis MacNutt on DVD, prayer, and practice praying for others.

“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of Compassion and God of all, who encourages us in our every affliction, so that we may be able to encourage those who are in any affliction with the encouragement with which we ourselves are encouraged by God.”

2 Corinthians 1:3, 4

Questions? Call Lynn Ann Bouker at 360-543-0900.

lynnann.bouker@gmail.com

ROSARY MAKERS

We meet on Saturdays at 1:00 PM in the Stafford Room.

Come join us and we will teach you how to make cord Mission Rosaries that are sent to missionaries all over the world. We repair and accept broken rosaries. We also have rosaries for sale. Contact Marilee at 360-671-3211.

OUR SCHOOL

Assumption Catholic School is hiring for a part-time custodian to help during the school year with cleaning classrooms, the office, bathrooms, and hallways. The position will require three hours per afternoon/evening between the months of August and June. The rate of pay is \$11 per hour. If you are interested in being considered, interviews will be taking place the week of July 31, 2017. Please email your work

experience, cover letter, and contact information for three references to theoffice@school.assumption.org or mail these items to the school at 2116 Cornwall Ave., Bellingham, WA, 98225, attention: Part-time Custodian. You may also view the application at <https://goo.gl/1hZMbr>.

NUESTRA ESCUELA

La Escuela Católica de la Asunción está contratando a un custodio a tiempo parcial para ayudar durante el año escolar con la limpieza de aulas, la oficina, sanitarios, y los pasillos. La posición requerirá tres horas por la tarde entre los meses de agosto y junio. La tarifa de pago es de \$11 por hora. Si está interesado en ser considerado, las entrevistas se llevarán a cabo la semana del 31 de julio de 2017. Envíe por correo electrónico su experiencia de trabajo, carta de presentación e información de contacto para tres referencias a theoffice@school.assumption.org o envíe estos artículos por correo a la Escuela en 2116 Cornwall Ave., Bellingham, WA, 98225, atención: Medio tiempo Custodio. También puede ver la aplicación en <https://goo.gl/1hZMbr>.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

Thank you for your generous support in last week's Peter's Pence Collection! As a parish, we collected \$ 3,848. Our contributions will be combined with those from our brothers and sisters around the world to help Pope Francis provide essential relief to people in need. If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give, visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections, and click on the "how to Give" link on the left.

COLECTA DE PETER'S PENCE

¡Muchas gracias por su generoso apoyo la semana pasada en la colecta para Peter's Pence! Como parroquia, hemos recaudado \$ 3,848. Nuestras contribuciones serán combinadas con aquellas de nuestros hermanos y hermanas alrededor del mundo para que el papa Francisco proporcione asistencia básica a las personas que la necesitan. Si usted no pudo contribuir a la colecta, aun lo puede hacer.

SUPPORT OUR YOUNG TEENS

This summer, 10 teens from Assumption and Sacred Heart will be attending the Steubenville Northwest Conference in Spokane. This is an incredible opportunity for our teens to grow in their faith and become stronger evangelists. This trip costs \$215 per person, and we would like to raise \$2,150 to be able to send all of our teens on this incredible trip at no cost to them. Follow the link to donate: www.gofundme.com/bellingham-teens-steubenville-trip.

'WHOEVER LOSES ONE'S LIFE FOR ANOTHER'

In today's gospel, Jesus promises true eternal life for those who lose their earthly lives for Christ. Similarly, giving one's life for your spouse also will contribute to your eternal reward in heaven. Experience that promise at a WorldWide Marriage Encounter Weekend at the Sheraton Bellevue Hotel on August 11-13, 2017. Apply at www.wvme.org. More information at 206-772-2344, or call Joe & Kathy St.Hilaire, 671-4836.

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Monday, July 3rd

10:30 AM Word & Communion Service
6:00 PM Servants of the Lord Prayer Group

Church
St. Cecilia

Tuesday, July 4th



Wednesday, July 5th

6:30 PM Men's Prayer Group
6:00 PM Mass

Stafford
Church

Thursday, July 6th

10:30 AM Mass
11:00 AM Edge Park/Sports

Church
Bldv Park

Friday, July 7th

10:30 AM Funeral Mass ~ Mary Johnson
1:30 PM Grief Support Group

Church
Stafford

Saturday, July 8th ~ Fr. Francis Collection

11:00 AM Vietnamese Mass
1:00 PM Rosary Makers
3:30 PM Reconciliation
5:00 PM Mass

Church
PCLR
Church
Church

Sunday, July 9th ~ Fr. Francis Collection

8:30 AM Mass
10:30 AM Mass
11:30 AM Ensayo de Mariachi
12:30 PM Misa
7:30 PM Visiting Choir Concert

Church
Church
St. Cecilia
Iglesia
Church



The Parish Office is on Summer hours.
We are open from 8:30 am to 12:00 pm,
Monday through Friday.

SECOND COLLECTION JULY 8-9

We will be taking up a second collection on the weekend of July 8-9 to benefit the school at Fr. Francis' parish in Uganda. The school is in need of paint for the rooms, desks, playground clean up and other upkeep. Fr. Francis will give us more information at Mass that weekend.

SEGUNDA COLECCIÓN 8-9 DE JULIO

Vamos a tomar una segunda colecta en el fin de semana del 8-9 de julio para beneficiar a la escuela de la Parroquia del Padre Francisco en Uganda. La escuela está en necesidad de pintura para las habitaciones, escritorios, limpieza del patio de recreo y otros mantenimientos. Padre Francis nos dará más información en la Misa ese fin de semana.

THE CHOIR OF CHRIST'S

COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE, UK is coming to Bellingham and will be giving a concert at our church on Sunday, July 9, at 7:30PM. Tickets are \$20 and will be available after all Masses starting this weekend. Tickets will also be available at the door on the day of the concert. Our music ministry will receive 20% of the proceeds. Please join us in welcoming and supporting this wonderful British choir. Want to know more about this choir?

Visit: <https://www.christs.cam.ac.uk/college-life/choir-christs-college-cambridge>

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

More than 4.5 million people have gone through FPU and learned God's way of handling money. The average American household wastes 24% of their take-home pay on consumer debt and 76% of people live paycheck to paycheck. Learn how to create a budget you will actually stick to, pay off debt, give generously, and plan for your future. FPU members save an average of \$2700 and pay an average of \$5300 in debt during the first 90 days. Join us on Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:00 pm starting July 12th in the Assumption Catholic School Library. To register, please go to: <http://www.daveramsey.com/fpu/classes/1040479> or contact Lacey Young at lacey_al@hotmail.com with any questions. Hope to see you there!

ALL PARISH RETREAT COMING THIS FALL

Save the Date: Church of the Assumption's All-Parish Spiritual Retreat, Saturday, October 28, 2017, at Semiahmoo Resort. Mark your calendar and plan to attend this inspirational gathering! Registration information and retreat details will be available later this summer.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Stewardship	2 Wks(06/18+25/2017)	Fiscal YTD
Contributions Received:	\$ 27,938	\$ 907,321
Contributions Budget:	\$ 30,773`	\$ 925,000
Over/under	-\$ 2,835	-\$ 17,679

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

Debt Reduction	2 Wks(06/18+25/2017)	Fiscal YTD
Contributions Received:	\$ 2,082	\$ 44,235
Contributions Budget:	\$ 2,116	\$ 55,000
Over/Under	-\$ 34	-\$ 10,765

GIFTS FROM THE OTHER HALF OF OUR STEWARDSHIP GIVING

Hope House	\$	361
Peter's Pence	\$	3,848

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



Hope House will be closed the entire week of the 4th of July holiday, giving our hardworking volunteer staff a break! Please do not leave donations at Hope House or in the box in the Gathering space while we are closed. Have a great 4th of July!!

We will be having a wonderful Applebee's fundraiser on Saturday morning, August 5. Tickets are \$15 and we will start selling them the weekend of July 8-9. You can also get them at Hope House. Please come, have breakfast and socialize with Hope House staff—the food is also great!

God bless America!

Cheri



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL at St. Joseph, Ferndale

Jesus Day Camp theme this year will be Mighty Fortress. JDC will be July 17 thru 21st from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, for children 3 years old to 5th grade. There is a Mighty Adventure awaiting students who attend. There will be bible stories, games, songs, snacks, fun and crafts. The registration form can be found online at <http://stjosephferndale.org/v2/>. Registration can be mailed in to St. Joseph Church 5781 Hendrickson Ave. Ferndale, WA 98248 or you can e-mail the completed form to faith.formation@stjosephferndale.org. Questions? Call Neileen Dashiell at 384-3651.

A Stewardship Moment

Both the first reading and the Gospel today speak of hospitality and welcome. Our ministers of hospitality are a most visible example of using one's time and talents to welcome the people of God. But the Gospel assures us that all who give even just "a cup of cold water" to one of His lowliest ones will be rewarded.

Un Momento De Corresponsabilidad

Tanto la primera lectura como el Evangelio de hoy hablan de la hospitalidad y de la bienvenida. Nuestros ministros de hospitalidad son un ejemplo muy visible del uso del tiempo y el talento de uno para dar la bienvenida al pueblo de Dios. Pero el Evangelio nos asegura que serán recompensados todos aquellos que den, aunque sea no más "un vaso de agua fresca" a uno de Sus siervos más humildes.



Jesus calls us, as his disciples, to a new way of life, the Christian way of life – of which stewardship is a part. **Speak Lord, your servant is listening.**

But Jesus does not call us as nameless people in a faceless crowd. He calls us individually, by name. Each one of us – clergy, religious, lay person, married, Single, adult, child – has a personal vocation. God intends each one of us to play a unique role in carrying out the divine plan. **Speak Lord, your servant is listening.**

This mission – proclaiming and teaching, serving and sanctifying – is our task. It is the personal responsibility of each one of us as stewards of the Church. **Speak Lord, your servant is listening.**

The challenge, then, is to understand our role – our vocation – and to respond generously to this call from God. Christ calls each of us to be stewards of our personal vocations, which we receive from God. **Speak Lord, your servant is listening.**

God made us the stewards of creation to praise Him every day for His wisdom and power. God called us to imitate Jesus in His life of service.

God called us to be faithful stewards of all the gifts we have been given.

God, through baptism you invite me to share the gift of my life in service to others. Be with me as I choose each day to show Your presence to the world. Give the courage and generosity to respond to Your love and to Your call. Amen