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SUNDAY, AUG 08 2021

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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Monday - Friday | 9:00am - 11:00am

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES Ask an usher about them!

Please check our website for current MASS SCHEDULE information

www.olaparish.net



THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

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"From this day all generations will call me blessed: the Almighty has done great things for me and holy is his Name. He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the lowly." - Lk 1:48b-49, 52

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the parish community at Our Lady of the Assumption Church is to proclaim the Word of God more fully, to gain a more intimate knowledge of God through our Catholic traditions, and to serve the people of God, especially in our efforts to meet the needs of the poor in our community, and when possible around the world. We strive to build a sense of community among our parishioners, with the entire family of God.



"Of all his virtues, Christ specifically commends one to us, *factorial by*". "Learn of me for I am meek and humble of heart."



GOSPEL MEDITATION

August 15, 2021 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

They are courageous, wise women who ground us, focus us, and inspire us. They are the good mothers who walk with us and light our way. They teach us life lessons and help us heal and navigate through challenges and difficulties. We need people to point the way. Sometimes, these wise ladies are not our biological mothers but women in our lives, who through their strong and faithful presence, anchor us and remind us that we are loved. We need these women. Human beings do their best when they have cheerleaders in their lives. They show us that even when facing despair there is always a brighter tomorrow. Jesus needed his mother. She had to be that faithful anchor, that guiding presence, in his life. Jesus needed to be affirmed and encouraged just like any other human being and Mary had to be there, right by his side, doing precisely that. Even when her heart was pierced as he was nailed to a tree, she did not give up hope. Most certainly, she continued to wait, watch, hope, and love until he took his final breath. That's what mothers do. Even when their heart breaks, they persevere.



WE WELCOME YOU HOME

Thank you for joining us today! We welcome you to our faith family and look forward to growing in faith and friendship with you. If you are interested in formally joining our parish community and/or the Catholic Faith, you can do so on-line or by coming in to the parish office. If you are returning to an active Catholic life, we are happy to facilitate a smooth and joy filled transition. May you find fellowship, peace and serenity in our community. Sincerely in Christ, Fr. Eduino, Pastor.

Today, our Blessed Mother is our cheerleader once again. Taken up to heaven in body and soul, she points to and directs us toward our final destiny. Life eternal waits! Any disappointment, fear, or anxiety can be set aside as she gently reassures us of God's love and promise. Always a mother filled with grace and hope, she calls us to reaffirm our faith in God and in the gifts we have each been given. We can persevere and do what we need to do to live life well, with faith, hope, and love as our guiding lights. Knowing who we are and who we will one day become helps us to better chart the course and direction of our earthly lives. Looking to the example of our Blessed Mother, we receive the assurance we need.

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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

August 15, 2021

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

"And Mary said, "My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior."

Luke 1:46

After Jesus, we look to Mary as our model of Stewardship. Her entire life was lived in obedience to God's will. Just as the moon reflects the light of the sun, Mary reflects the light of Christ. Like Mary, we too are called to reflect Christ to the world. We do this by living grateful and generous lives. We do this by putting other's needs before our wants.

READING OF THE WEEK

Sunday Aug 15: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14 [8]/ 1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/ Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16 [10bc]/1 Cor 15:20-27/ Lk 1:39-56

Monday Aug 16: Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44 [4a]/Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday Aug 17: Jgs 6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9b]/Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday Aug 18: Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-3, 45, 6-7 [2a]/Mt 20:1-16 **Thursday Aug 19:** Jgs 11:29-39a/Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [8a and 9a]/Mt 22:1-14

Friday Aug 20: Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10 [1b]/Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Aug 21 Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [4]/Mt 23:1-12

Sunday Aug 22: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20 -21, 22-23 [9a]/ Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25 -32/Jn 6:60-69

PRAY FOR OUR SICK BROTHERS & SISTERS

Nancy Carlson Jonathan Rassmussen Stacie Higginbotham Sandi Lanz Shirley Ward J. Richard Heintz Molly Garcia Richard McClintock Charles Kesmodel MD Gutierrez Family Debbie Mckey Steve Yates Sarah Maya Amanda Young Margaret Parker Josefina Morales Pauline Dressler Diva Orsolini Nancy Colleran Dorothy Acalin Loretta Taylor Joanne Kelly

Note: Please call the parish office to add a name or to remove them from this list. Thank you.



SATURDAY, AUG 14

St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

5:00 PM + Mr. and Mrs. Roberto Garcia Treviño &

† Rosa Garcia

by Mrs. Garcia

SUNDAY, AUG 15 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 7:30 AM [†] Gloria Plog by PERT Club 9:00 AM [†] Rosemary Kuhz

(First Anneversary of death) by Fernando & Peggy Vellanoweth

11:00 AM ⁺ Daniel Armstrong

7:30 PM All Parishioners

MONDAY, AUG 16

8:00AM † George Perez by PERT Club

TUESDAY, AUG 17

8:00AM ⁺ Father Eduino Silveira (His Birthday) by Catherine Apkner

WEDNESDAY, AUG 18

8:00AM ⁺ Ed & Martha Wilson (70th Anniversary) by Holy Spirit Family Trust THURSDAY, AUG 19

8:00AM † Sandra Clark by Tateishi Family

FRIDAY, AUG 21

St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

8:00AM † Joe Valim

by Phillip & Judy Mottini SATURDAY, AUG 22

St. Pius X, Pope 5:00 PM † John J. Reilly † Anne Smith † Tony DeCristoforo Jr. † Dick Hill by The Ted Jones Family

OUR PARISH

THANK YOU!

I am always amazed at the great generosity of our families. Even during these difficult times many have continued with their contributions to our parish by WeShare, by mail or by dropping in the mail box by the office. Thank you for your contribution that helps us to pay our bills. May God continue to bless all our families and help all in this time of pandemic with the abundance of His Love.

Fr. Eduino Silveira

FOR THESE GIFTS WE ARE GRATEFUL!

Weekend Offertory08/08/21\$ 14.463.00E-Giving from08/02/21 to08/08/21\$ 3,532.92

Total

\$ 17,995.92

Average Weekly Budget Amount \$12,000.00



What lessons should I learn from the Assumption of Mary?

Growing in holiness is similar to training in a sport. We need someone to show us how we can live our faith well. Mary is a model of sanctity. She shows us how to be faithful to God's will, living each day with confidence in God's mercy and love. At the Nativity, in Jesus' public ministry,

and at the Crucifixion, we see her steadfast trust. She allows the Lord to use her life to accomplish his plan for her and for all of us. In the Preface of the Mass for the Assumption of Mary, we pray: "For today the Virgin Mother of God was assumed into heaven as the beginning and image of your Church's coming to perfection and a sign of sure hope and comfort to your pilgrim people."

It is this image of holiness that we strive to imitate. In the office, at home, or in our community, we look for signs of God's grace that call us to an ever greater love of him and each other. A greater awareness of God is a sign of our conversion of heart that lives the lessons Mary teaches.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm (livestream) First Saturdays: 8:00 am Sunday, 7:30 am Sunday, 9:00 am (livestream) Sunday, 11:00 am Sunday, 7:30 pm Weekday, 8:00 am, Monday to Friday

PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, Aug 15	Monday, Aug 16
7:30am-9:00am-11:00am & 7:30pm Mass 11:00am RCIA Recogni- tion—Church 6:00pm (Spanish) Talleres de Oración y Vida - Retiro Matrimonial - St. John's Hall	8:00am Mass 10:00am HOLA Coffee — Affinito Hall 6:00 pm 2021 Pastoral Council Meeting 7:00pm Boy Scouts Troop 328— St. John's Hall
Tuesday, Aug 17 8:00am Mass	Wednesday, Aug 18 8:00am Mass
11:00am PERT Club—St. John's Hall 6:00pm Finance Council	7:00pm RCIA—Affinito Hall - Meeting Room 3 7:30pm Neocatechists - St.
Meeting	John's Hall
Thursday, Aug 19 8:00am School Mass 6:30pm Lectio Divina/ Taize Prayer—Church	Friday, Aug 20 8:00am Mass
Saturday, Aug 21 8:00am Mass 10:00am Baptism - Church 12:00pm Quiceanera - Church 2:00pm Baptism - Church	Sunday, Aug 22 7:30am-9:00am-11:00am & 7:30pm Mass 12:00am Girl Scouts Troop 103—Affinito Hall Room 3 6:00pm (Spanish) Talleres de Oración y Vida - Retiro Matrimo- nial - St. John's Hall

BULLETIN DEADLINES

BULLETIN WEEKEND DATES	ARTICLE DUE
Aug 21-Aug 22	Aug 13
Aug 28-Aug 29	Aug 20
Sep 04—Sep 05	Aug 27

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NEWS



HOLA COFFEE!

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL COFFEE AND DONUTS ARE BACK!

08.16.21 · 7:30AM

come say hello to other parents courtyard between the gym and church

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PTG

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

OUR FOOD LOCKER IS OPEN!

As you may have noticed from the sign on Walnut Avenue the OLA St. Vincent de Paul Food Locker has reopened on Tuesday/Thursday mornings from 10:00 to 12:00. The going was slow at first but our numbers are picking up



and over 600 people were served last month alone. Your support has been greatly appreciated throughout this most trying of times. Please spread the word that the OLA Food Locker is back! A special thanks goes out to **Dylan Charamuga** who, for his Eagle Scout project, refurbished all 105 food locker shelves and to Boy Scout Troop 328 and Cub Scout Pack 225 for conducting a food drive that collected over 3000 items to replenish our inventory as we reopened.

JOIN US FOR OUR PARISH RETREAT

SATURDAY, AUGUST 28, 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH.

YOU AND YOUR SPOUSE/GUEST ARE INVITED TO JOIN YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS AT

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

"For I know well the plans I have in mind for you, says the Lord, plans to prosper you, not to harm you, plans to give you a future full of hope." (Jer. 29-11)

Each of you is so uniquely gifted by our gracious God. Have you thought about that lately? Take some time to reflect on your gifts and discover how the Lord is calling you to use them at this moment of your life. Whether you are an experienced retreat participant, or if this will be your first experience, do not miss out on this life-changing moment the Lord has prepared for you?

The retreat will begin with Mass in the church, and include inspiring talks by Fr. Brian O'Brian from Stillwater, OK, opportunities for quiet reflection, time for fellowship during the meals, and brief small-group discussion.

For more information or

to RSVP, please visit our

website: olaparish.net or call the Parish Office at

(916) 481-5115.

There is no cost to attend and breakfast and breakfast and breakfast and breakfast and breakfast are

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Sincerely yours in Christ,



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O'Brien in Catholic Social 'Hought and Life and a Master's in Devrig. He then served as Associate Poster of Crive the King Catholic Clouds in Maia ed as Chapters of Bishop Kelley High School. He served as President of Bishop Kelley High School Hour 2009 to 2017.

USHERS

As a result of the pandemic, some of our ushers have not returned for one reason or another. Therefore, it will be appreciated for those who wish to continue, or become an usher, please submit your contact information (name, phone number, e-mail address and time of Mass) to the following:

Casey Oliver at: worship@olaparish.net

Don Thamer at: don.nprz6@gmail.com

Thank you for your participation

Help Wanted! Saint Vincent de Paul is in dire need of new personnel. If you would like to help in the Food Lockers operation on Tuesday from 10:00 to 12:00 or if you would rather answer the phones to assist our clients in need, please call our office phone number at 916- 481-6352 and leave a message. One of our members will return your call. As always, we thank you for your ongoing support.

We have been very blesses!

SPIRITUAL GROWTH

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Eternal Life.

Breaking Open the Word

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel Step One: Listen to the Word

As you hear this reading about Jesus as the living bread, what words or phrases strike you? What part of this promise touches you most deeply?

Step Two: Look into Your Life

Question for Children: How does receiving communion help you grow in your faith? How does it help you love others?

Question for Youth: Jesus promises us eternal life if we follow him and believe. What makes it hard for you to believe? What is easy about faith?

Question for Adults: How does your faith in Jesus nourish your own life? How does the Eucharist nourish you?

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EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

What's Your Hearth Cake?

"Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you." I've been to a lot of meetings in my years of work in the Church, and you can take my word for it: the ones with snacks just seem to go better.

I don't know what it is exactly. Maybe it's just that people are



in a more agreeable mood if you show up with donuts. Or maybe it's about the very real sense of community and camaraderie that is created at a table where people are engaging in that most human of tasks — eating — beside one another.

LIVE THE LITURGY

Good mothers have a way of bringing their children hope. When we fall and hurt ourselves, our mothers can help us walk the path of healing. There is hope that we will get better and the trust that we have in mom's comforting assurance allows us to move forward. Mothers know instinctively what we need and what we are capable of doing. They can be one of our biggest cheerleaders in life, and even when facing despair, can point the way to a brighter tomorrow. Our Blessed Mother does precisely that for us today. As one closest to our Lord, she cheers us on with the hope of what life will be for all of us. Although given the unique distinction of being raised in both body and soul, she nonetheless points to our true eternal destiny. Achieving this inheritance overrides any disappointment and her intercession and example inspires us to pick ourselves up when we fall. Always a mother filled with grace and hope, she calls us to reaffirm our faith in God and in the gifts we have each been given as we persevere even in the midst of life's challenges and failures. **CLPi**

> I think a big part of it comes down to the simple fact that we're all just nicer people when we're fed. This rings true spiritually, too. We simply must remain fed if we, in turn, are to feed others. Think of a time when you have neglected your relationship with God — when you haven't fed yourself with whatever it is that you need to remain committed to the journey of a Christian life.

> Is it Mass attendance? Is it prayer or Scripture reading? Is it time with your small group, or conversation with a trusted friend who knows your soul? What sustains your ability to be a good disciple, a good steward? What inspires you to give more freely, to love more abundantly? Whatever it is, that's your hearth cake. That's your jug of water. Don't neglect it. The Angel of the Lord is nudging you in your sleep: "Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you."

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

COMMUNITY

CAMP PENDOLA SUMMER 2021

FAMILY MARKEND

COST \$125 PER ADULT \$70 PER CHILD (5-17 YEARS OLD) \$0 PER CHILDREN UNDER 4

SAT. 9/4 -MON. 9/6

WHAT IS FAMILY CAMP?

FAMILY CAMPS ARE A MULTI-DAY CAMP EXPERIENCE FOR FAMILIES OF ALL SIZES. WHERE FAMILIES CAN TRY ALL OF THE DIFFERENT ACTIVITIES OFFERED AT CAMP PENDOLA. ACTIVITIES INCLUDE HIKING, ARTS/CRAFTS, SWIMMING, ARCHERY, MASS AND MORE!

THE FAMILY CAMP AT CAMP PENDOLA IN CAMPTONVILLE WILL BE OPEN LABOR DAY WEEKEND THIS YEAR.

GO TO WWW.PENDOLA.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER

FATHER/SON Vocations Talk

PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH | IMMACULATA HALL

FRIDAY, AUGUST 20TH | 6:30-8:30PM

Open to young men ages 6-18. An evening with Fr. Alvaro Perez, Pastor, St. Lawrence Parish and Fr. Avram Brown, Pastor, St. Isidore Parish. Hear their vocation stories with a Q&A session to follow. Light refreshments will be served.

> Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Questions? Contact Miguel at (916) 248-9985

Register at: presentationparish.org/vocationstalk









LIVING WITH Courage:

Lessons for men from St. Joseph

SATURDAY, OCT. 16, 2021 St. Mel Parish, Fair Oaks



- Rosery at 8:00 am

+ Holy Mass 8:30 am

Continental breakfast
Impirational talks

by Fr. Spiencer with Q&A

Opportunities for confession

Event concludes at 3:45 pm

A hearty catered OCTOBERFEST Lunch

With Speaker FR. MATTHEW SPENCER

Fr. Matthew previously hosted Relevant Radio talk show, "St. Joseph's Workshop". He now serves his community as the Provincial of the Oblates of St. Joseph in Santa Cruz CA.

Father will share his wisdom and insights of the many great lessons from St. Joseph. Learn how by his devotion and care for Jesus and Mary, St. Joseph will also help you in all of your needs to be the man God calls you to be.

As shown in the image above, learn how St. Joseph is presenting Jesus to you!

ALSO: SPECIAL EVENT -FRIDAY, OCT. 15 - 7pm Fr. Matthew Spencer-Talk for the entire family, followed by FREE (ce Gream Social)

SIGN UP TODAY! smpcevents.org







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