



# OUR LADY of the ASSUMPTION PARISH

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2020

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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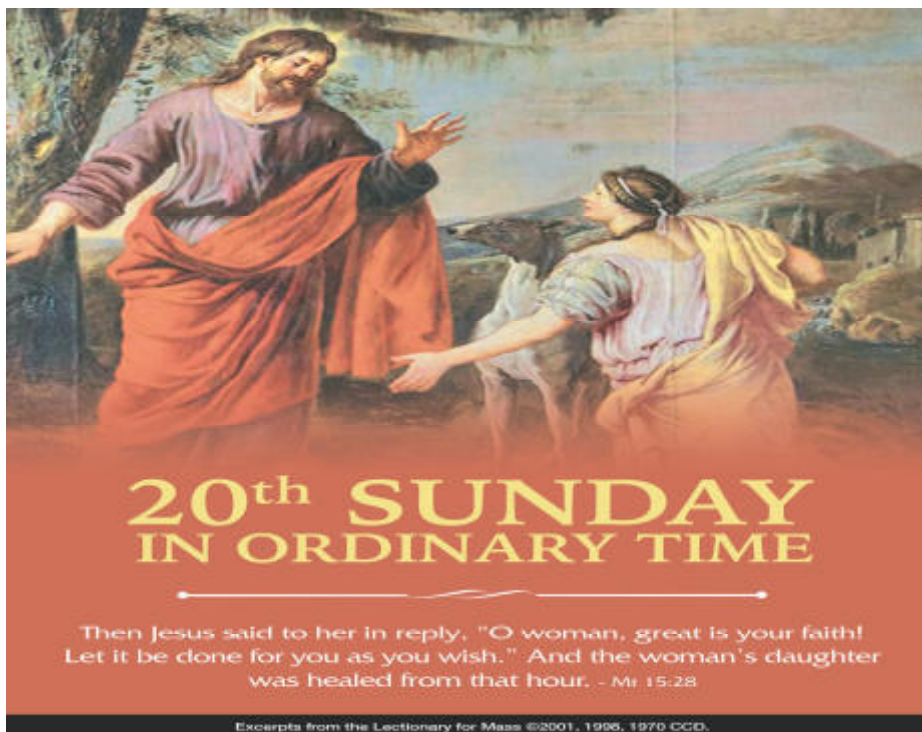
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## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

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 wider Diocesan community, and with

## NEW MASS SCHEDULE

### Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm

This Mass will be Livestreamed and closed to public.

### Monday - Friday & First Saturday Daily Mass

8:00am - Outdoor Mass in the courtyard in front of the rectory

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00am & 7:30pm

Outdoor Mass in the courtyard area between the classroom wings of the school.

Note: No 11am Mass

### RECONCILIATION

By appointment. Call 916-481-5115

# 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.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

#### *The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

5:00PM Lizz Baca  
by Baca Family

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

8:00AM †† Ed & Martha Wilson  
(Anniversary)  
by Wilson Family

10:00AM † Sean & Casey Oliver  
by Lemieux Family  
Barbara Brincka (Sp. Intention)  
by Don Brincka

7:30PM OLA Parishioners

### MONDAY, AUGUST 17

8:00AM † Anselmo Garcia  
by Christina

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

8:00AM † Wilma Bower  
by Bower Family

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

8:00AM † Marion Moorsee  
by Donald Moorsee

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

*St. John Eudes, Priest*  
8:00AM Living & Deceased  
Elijah (Complete healing)

Elijah & Bella (Birthday)  
by Morales & Jimenez Family

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 21

#### *St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church*

8:00AM † Ernie DeGraaf (Anniversary)  
by Mary DeGraaf

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 22

#### *St. Pius X, Pope*

8:00AM † Eleonora Adams  
† Samuel Adams Jr.  
by Ines G. Adams



## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### MONDAY, AUGUST 17

Ez 24:15-24/Dt 32:18-19, 20,  
21 [cf. 18a]/Mt 19:16-22

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-27ab,  
27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab [39c]/  
Mt 19:23-30

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5,  
6 [1]/Mt 20:1-16

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15,  
18-19 [Ez 36:25]/Mt 22:1-14

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 21

Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7,

8-9 [1]/Mt 22:34-40

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 22

Ez 43:1-7ab/Ps 85:9ab and 10,  
11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b]/Mt 23:1-12

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6,  
8 [8bc]/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13  
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## GOSPEL REFLECTION

### God Fixes what is Broken

We are hardwired for wholeness and crave it. When something is broken, we want it fixed. If a part of our body is not working properly, we want it healed. How often do we find ourselves saying, "I'm tired of struggling with this cold, I can't wait for my surgery to heal, or I want my treatments to make me better." Wholeness and healing restore our relationships and make us free to love as we desire. We know very well how our limitations, imperfections, and brokenness really limit us. They can easily prevent us from being and doing what we want to do.

Our physical and emotional wounds and maladies are easier to identify. If my back hurts, I feel it and know what part of my body needs attention. If I am feeling intense anger, I can identify the emotion and take necessary steps to uncover its cause. Being persistent often brings greater and quicker results. But will pursuing and even achieving our physical and emotional healings really be enough? We forget that there is a deeper healing that we seek and desperately need. As we look around at humanity, there are some physical and emotional wounds and scars that cannot be made whole. They are limitations that must remain and, for one reason or another, cannot be rectified. Does this mean that the wholeness and healing that my being longs for is not possible for me? Must I settle with less than what God promises?

The answer is no. Ultimately, there is a desire that goes deeper than the physical and emotional. It is a desire that resides in our soul. What we really seek and thirst for is healing and wholeness for our soul. Inner strength, conviction, focus, grounding, love, hope, faith, courage, determination, peace, and connectedness are all words that center us on eternity. They direct us to a presence we discover in our core, which is none other than the presence of God. In God, we are healed. When we are persistent in reaching out to and establishing our relationship with God, real healing and wholeness begin to happen.

There are some limitations and some of our brokenness with which we may simply have to live. This does not mean that we have to abandon our journey to wholeness and healing. If we have done our inner soul work, we have worked toward and acquired what and who we ultimately need and desire.


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# GOD FIXES WHAT IS BROKEN





# STEWARDSHIP



OFFERING

FOR THESE GIFTS WE ARE GRATEFUL!

Offertory 08/09/20	\$8,851.00
E-Giving from 08/03/20 to 08/09/20	\$ 5,748.08
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$14,599.08</b>
<b>Average Weekly Budget Amount</b>	<b>\$12,000.00</b>

Prayerfully consider Online Giving through **WeShare**, by mail or dropping in the mail box by the office.

Our parish is grateful for your continued support. Thank you!

## GIVING

### WESHARE

We want to encourage our parishioners to enroll in our automated donation program called **WeShare**. This program provides a convenient way to make your donations to our church in the comfort of your home.

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## THANK YOU FROM FR. EDUINO

### THANK YOU OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION FAMILIES!

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

## STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

AUGUST 16, 2020

STEWARDSHIP GIFTS

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable." – Romans 11:29*

*God has a special mission in mind for each of us. He has given us the gifts we need to accomplish that mission. We are called to be good Stewards by using those gifts to do the work that He has planned for each of us. If we deny our gifts or fail to use them as God calls us to use them, then some part of His work will be left undone.*

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

### RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

#### The Challenge of Stewardship

Every day we are called by Christ to respond in some way. The more practice we have at giving of ourselves freely and living in His presence, the easier it is to discern that call. Once we hear the call, the choice is ours: will we respond with yes or no? We could say that we are not required to say yes because God has given us free will. However, our response speaks much to where we are in our maturity of faith. When we were children, the word "no" used to be one of our favorites. If we continue to say that as we get older, well, that says something about where we are in our walk with the Lord. If we truly are disciples of Jesus Christ and are serious about growing in our faith, we will say "yes." We are not required to say yes, but we say yes because that is who we have become.

This is the challenge of a stewardship way of life. Have we matured enough to say yes when God calls, regardless of how much our answer may cost us? What matters more to us: what it will cost us or our relationship with Jesus? Some days we will easily be able to say yes. The grace and love he gives us will be plenty to see us through whatever situation in which we find ourselves. However, we are imperfect beings and there will be days when we are more into ourselves than him. It is on those days that we find ourselves at a true crossroads of a challenge. The choice is always ours. Hopefully, our faith will be strong enough. His call is never for his own sake. He calls us because the world he created and the Church he instituted need us. They wait just as he does for our response.

– Tracy Earl Welliver



## BIRTHDAY

Birthday Blessings to:

- \* **Mrs. Inez G. Adams** on her 93rd birthday.

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Happy Anniversary to:

- \* **Don & Barbara Brincka**
- \* Our dear Music Director **Casey**, and her husband **Sean Oliver**.



## Outdoor Mass Guidelines

### WEAR MASKS

We will provide one for you if you need it.

### PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING

At least 6 feet in choosing where to sit.  
Families may sit together.

### CONTACT INFO WILL BE COLLECTED

We will continue to collect information for contact tracing purposes.

BE SUPPORTIVE

BE CAREFUL

BE KIND

# OUR PARISH

## What's HAPPENING?

### LIVE STREAMED MASS

The Saturday 5:00 pm Vigil Mass will be live streamed and closed to the public.

### OUTDOOR MASSES

DAILY MASS AND FIRST SATURDAY MASS: 8:00 AM

In the courtyard in front of the Rectory.

SUNDAY MASSES AND FIRST SATURDAY MASS: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM & 7:30 PM

- The outdoor Masses will take place in the courtyard area between the classroom wings of the school.
- We will open the blacktop area near the St. Vincent de Paul Food Locker (blacktop playground) for parking. If you park in the regular parking lot on Walnut Ave, you may enter through the gate between the Parish Hall and school building.
- Folding chairs on racks will be placed at the entrance to the courtyard, Please feel free to bring your own chairs.

**Note: No 11:00 am Mass.**

## STAY CONNECTED



### WEBSITE

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# SCHOOL & YOUTH MINISTRY



## DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO NEWS OFFICE OF YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

### Parent Support

Our next Parent Support will be on August 17th at 8pm on YouTube. The topic for August will be an introduction to Theology of the Body by our guest speaker Andrey Arévalo from St. Mary Catholic Church in Vacaville, CA. If you have ever been asked to send your child to a Theology of the Body retreat or talk, and want to be able to talk to your child after they attend, then this is the evening for you. For more information go to <https://www.scd.org/parentsupport>



### POPE TALKS TO YOUTH

#### TO YOUNG PEOPLE GATHERED IN MEDJUGORJE FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING

Beloved young people, have you encountered this gaze of Jesus who asks you: "What do you seek"? Have you heard his voice which tells you: "Come and see"? Have you felt that impulse to set out on a journey? Take time to be with Jesus, to be filled with his Spirit and to be ready for the fascinating adventure of life. Go to encounter him; stay with him in prayer; entrust yourselves to him who is the expert on the human heart.

The Church's great model, of a youthful heart, ready to follow Christ with freshness and docility, is always the Virgin Mary. The power of her 'yes' and of that "let it be to me" that she said to the angel always strikes us. Her 'yes' means being involved and taking risks, with no other guarantee but the certainty of being the bearer of a promise. Her "Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord" (Lk 1:38) is the most beautiful example that tells us what happens when a person, in her freedom, abandons herself into God's hands. May this example fascinate you and guide you! Mary is the Mother who "watches over us, her children, on our journey through life, often weary and in need, anxious that the light of hope not fail. For that is our desire: that the light of hope never fail. May our Mother look to this pilgrim people: a youthful people whom she loves, and who seek her in the silence of their hearts amid all the noise, the chatter and the distractions of the journey" (Christus Vivit, 48).



### SHARING THE GOSPEL

A woman begged Jesus to cure her daughter who was possessed by demons. This lady believed that Jesus could cure her daughter. He cured her daughter because of her faith. Ask God to help someone you know who is very sick. Ask God to help the homeless find jobs so they can pay for a place to live. Ask God to help you and your sisters and brothers play without fighting. He will help because of your faith.

### PRAYER

Jesus, I believe you can help.

### SOMETHING TO DRAW

Draw yourself and your sister playing an indoor game together without fighting.

### MISSION FOR THE WEEK

When I hear a siren, I will pray for the people inside the ambulance.

### FUN FACTS!

The cities of Tyre and Sidon are in present day Lebanon.

ASSUMPTION  
of the blessed virgin Mary

# SPIRITUAL GROWTH



## THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY

Poem by Saint Alphonsus of Liguori

Fly, my soul, with Mary fly,  
Soar beyond the golden sky,  
Mount to Mary's throne on high.

Bright the queenly crown she won,  
Sweet the reign she has begun,  
As she stands beside her Son.  
Fly, my soul, with Mary fly.

How endure this long delay?  
Living here how can I stay  
From such beauty far away?  
Fly, my soul, with Mary fly.

Sad my lot is here below;  
Who can hope or life bestow?  
Who will help or pity show?  
Fly, my soul, with Mary fly.

But though far away from me,  
Still our sovereign Queen will be  
Full of love and clemency.  
Fly, my soul, with Mary fly.

With a mother's loving care  
She will lift those hands so fair,  
And will save us by her prayer.  
Fly, my soul, with Mary fly.

Mother's heart can ne'er forget  
That we are her children yet,  
By such dangers fierce beset.  
Fly, my soul, with Mary fly.

Gently, still, she bends her eyes  
On the soul that longs and sighs  
For her love, the heavenly prize.  
Fly, my soul, with Mary fly.

Blest the soul who, like the dove  
Borne upon the wings of love,  
Follows her to heaven above.  
Fly, my soul, with Mary fly.

– Grimm, Eugene, editor. The Glories of Mary. New York: Redemptoris Fathers, 1931.



**REMEMBER**  
*in your prayers*

## OUR SICK BROTHERS & SISTERS

Larry Nelson	Gloria Plog
Jennifer Burk	J. Richard Heintz
Julie Nelson	Molly Garcia
Nancy Carlson	Craig & Jane Holmquist
Jonathan Rassmussen	Daniel McNerney
Stacie Higginbotham	Richard McClintock
Sandi Lanz	Ben Koerber
Tom Bogetich	Margaret Parker
Joe and Sue Simon	Rosemary Kunz
Shirley Ward	Alphonso Baladez
Mary Silva	Gutierrez Family
Cathy Quesinberry	

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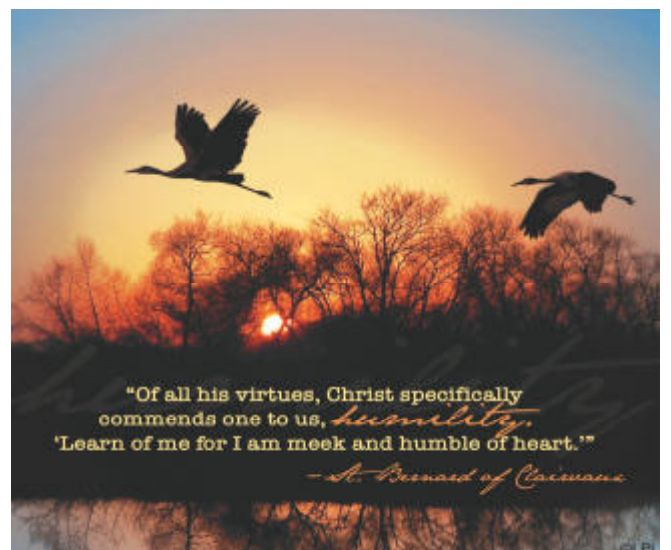


## QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

**Question for Children:** What is your favorite way to talk with Jesus? What words do you use?

**Question for Youth:** Do you trust that God hears your prayers? Do you believe that your prayer makes a difference?

**Question for Adults:** When you pray, how do you know that Jesus will really respond?



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

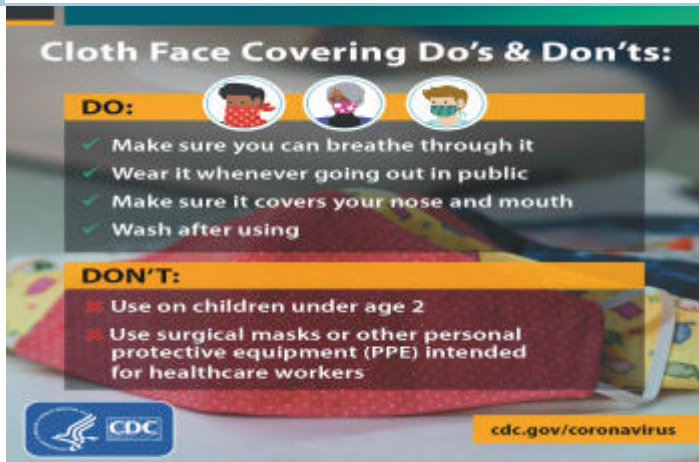
— St. Bernard of Clairvaux







Wearing a cloth face covering CORRECTLY can help prevent the spread of COVID-19 to others. When you go out follow these "do's". If you have a child, remember those under age 2 should not wear a face covering. For information on COVID19 and face coverings, visit [cdc.gov/coronavirus](https://cdc.gov/coronavirus)



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Bulletin Weekend Dates	Article DUE
August 29 - August 30	August 21
Sept. 5 - Sept. 6	August 28
Sept.12 - Sept. 13	September 4

## WORD OF LIFE

"Abortion affects countless marriages more than many people recognize. But there is no doubt that God will bring great healing to those who trust in his infinite mercy. If a past abortion can be acknowledged and addressed, a married couple can make great strides in experiencing even more fully God's design that 'the two shall become one' (Mt 19:5)."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

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open wide our hearts

## PRAYER TO OVERCOME RACISM

Mary, friend and mother to all, through your Son, God has found a way to unite himself to every human being, called to be one people, sisters and brothers to each other.

We ask for your help in calling on your Son, seeking forgiveness for the times when we have failed to love and respect one another.

We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism and to build a just society.

We ask for your help in following your Son, so that prejudice and animosity will no longer infect our minds or hearts but will be replaced with a love that respects the dignity of each person.

Mother of the Church, the Spirit of your Son Jesus warms our hearts: pray for us. Amen.

20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME





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