

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church

Catholic Diocese of Victoria in Texas

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (anticipation) ----- 5:00 p.m.
Sunday ----- 7:30 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.
Monday ----- 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday ----- 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday ----- 6:00 p.m.
Thursday ----- 8:00 a.m.
Friday ----- 8:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday ----- 4:00-4:45 p.m.
Sunday ----- 8:15-8:45 a.m.

Youth Minister ----- Joey Sablatura
ymabvmchurch@ykc.com Youth Office: 771-3200
Parish Secretary ----- Karen Klaus
abvmchurch@ykc.com Parish Office: 771-3425

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday: ----- 8:00 a.m.–Noon & 1:00-5:00 p.m.

New Members

Welcome to Assumption Parish!
Please call or stop by the Parish Office to register.

Holy Communion to the Home-Bound

Each Wednesday and Friday. If you are unable to attend Mass due to illness or disability, please call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents and Godparents are required to attend a baptismal class. Call the Parish Office to ask about requirements for Godparents, and to register for a class. The schedule for 2020 Baptism class is: **June 23, September 15, and December 7**. All classes begin at 7:00 p.m. at the St. John Paul II Family Center

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please make an appointment with the Pastor at least six months prior to the intended date. No wedding date will be firm until after the initial meeting with the Pastor.

May 31, 2020

Pentecost Sunday

TODAY'S READINGS

Acts 2:1-11. *As on Sinai, the Lord descends in fire and wind.*

Psalm 104. *"Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth."*

1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 2-13. *The Spirit calls the baptized to ministry for the common good.*

John 20:19-23. *On the first day of the week the risen Christ imparts the Holy Spirit.*

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Do I rely on the Holy Spirit for guidance? When I search my heart, what stubbornness do I find that could use honest examination?

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Mon: Genesis 3:9-15, 20
John 19:25-34
Tues: 2 Peter 3:12-15, 17-18
Mark 12:13-17
Wed: 2 Timothy 1:1-3, 6-12
Mark 12:18-27
Thurs: 2 Timothy 2:8-15
Mark 12:28-34
Fri: 2 Timothy 3:10-17
Mark 12:35-37
Sat: 2 Timothy 4:1-8
Mark 12:38-44
Sun: Exodus 34:46—6:8-9
2 Corinthians 13:11-13
John 3:16-18

FROM THE PASTOR’S DESK . . .

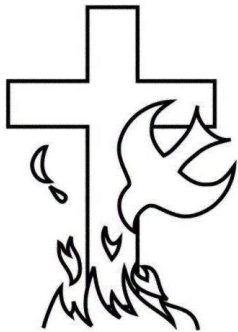
This past week I received this notification from Bishop Cahill:

“Bishop Cahill has extended dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass for Catholics in the Diocese of Victoria through the end of June. This is to protect the physical health of the vulnerable and the emotional needs of those who are uncomfortable with being physically present at this time.”

I remind people that we are still maintaining social distancing for all Church services including daily Masses. Face coverings are still recommended by the Bishop. The Diocese reminds us that this helps combat the spread of the COVID-19 virus. We all have a Gospel responsibility to look out for our brothers and sisters.

On Saturday the Diocese ordained three men to the Priesthood. I want to send my congratulations to Father James Dvorak, Father Dalton Irvin, and Father Chase Goodman. Please continue to pray for them as they begin their ministry in the Diocese.

Now a few thoughts about today’s liturgy.



Today is the Feast of Pentecost, and as the name implies, it is fifty days since the celebration of Easter. Pentecost is the day in which the Holy Spirit was given to the apostles. The third person of the Most Holy Trinity empowers Jesus’ disciples to preach, teach, and sanctify in the name of God. In essence, Pentecost is the birthday of the Church. As we have been reading in the Acts of the Apostles, the early followers of Jesus were empowered by the enduring peace of the Holy Spirit.

This same Holy Spirit is given to us on the day of our baptism, which incorporates us into the Church. Like the apostles, you must use the gifts of the Spirit to build up and sustain the kingdom of God. Each of us has been given a responsibility, and each of us must see it to completion. The world will only be made holy when we make visible the works of the Spirit.

Christ has put us in charge, the Holy Spirit has empowered us, and now it’s time to get to work!

Father Kirby Hlavaty

SANCTUARY CANDLE

In thanksgiving for Msgr. John Bily on his 87th birthday by friends

Open Dates:

June 14	July 19 & 26	Aug. 9, 23, 30
Sept. 27	Oct. 18 & 25	Nov. 22 & 29
Dec. 6, 13, 27		

ALTAR FLOWERS

Open Dates:

June 14	July 12 & 26	Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
Sept. 27	Oct. 18 & 25	Nov. 1, 8, 22, 29
Dec. 6 & 13		

*Calendars are located by the Confessional and each back entrance into the Church. Please choose your special Sunday and sign up today.

BULLETIN SPONSOR

In memory of Michael Bures by Joey & Michele Bures



PARISH RAFFLE

Now’s the time to decide what to donate for our parish raffle.

Drawing will be Sunday, August 9. If you’re interested in donating a prize, call Karen at the office (771-3425) or Georgie Kruse (771-6179). If you wish to donate a prize or make a donation to combine into a larger prize, please let us know soon. Deadline to donate a prize is **Friday, June 19**

Pentecost Sunday

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, May 30

5:00 p.m. Parishioners & Benefactors

Sunday, May 31

7:30 a.m. Emil & Annie Mae Bures

9:00 a.m. †Vlasta Kaspar

Monday, June 1

8:00 a.m. †Michael Bures

9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday, June 2

8:00 a.m. In thanksgiving for Msgr. John Bily

Wednesday, May 27

6:00 p.m. †Edmund & Sophie Dybala

Thursday, May 28

8:00 a.m. †B.F., Louise, & Frank Kubena

Friday, May 29

8:00 a.m. †Edwin Wesselski

Saturday, May 30

5:00 p.m. Parishioners & Benefactors

Sunday, May 31

9:00 a.m. †Bob French

PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

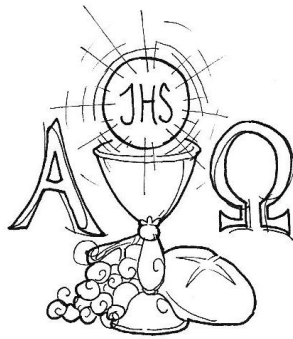
My Jesus, I believe that
You are present in the Most
Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all
things, and I desire to receive
You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this
moment receive You
sacramentally, come at least
spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You
were already there and unite
myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be
separated from You. Amen.



FATHER'S DAY

A Triduum of Masses will be offered in our parish beginning Father's Day, June 21. If you would like to have a loved one, living or deceased, remembered in these Masses, please fill out and return the special envelope found in your quarterly set or on the cabinets of the church.



JOEY SABLATURA, Youth Minister

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FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Sunday June 14, Mass at 11:00 a.m.
(only for First communicants and family)

Due to Social Distancing and to keep with our Diocesan regulations, the First Communion student will only be allowed to invite six people to come with them to this special Mass.

We will have a **rehearsal practice** on Thursday June 11, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. **It is mandatory that the student and at least one parent attend this rehearsal date.**

At this rehearsal you will learn of your assigned seating and how to proceed for communion. If you cannot attend rehearsal practice, please call Joey at the youth office 361-771-3200 to make other arrangements for your child to receive First Holy Communion.

There will be a photographer to take a picture of your child as they receive communion, no group picture and no pictures will be allowed in Church after Mass.

REGISTRATION FOR 2020-2021 CCD

IMPORTANT! Please read the following carefully and pass on to family and friends:

Forms are located on the cabinet in Church in front of the Ushers' closet/Confessional. Please return the forms with fees to Joey Sablatura at the JP11 Family Center. Registration closes **August 5, 2020.**

Early Registration: NOW-June 30, 2020

\$25 – Registered family

\$50 – Non-Registered family

Late Registration: July – August 5, 2020

(based on availability)

\$50 – Registered family

\$75 – Non-Registered family

OUR PARISH STEWARDSHIP

May 24

Envelopes – \$4,200.00 Loose - \$177.67
Maintenance – \$740.00 Youth Ministry - \$50.00
Priests with Medical Needs - \$80.00



Sincere thanks to all our parishioners who have made contributions during this difficult time.

The Diocese of Victoria has set up a donation page to receive donations for each parish. Go to:

www.victoriadiocese.org/donate-assumption-ganado

Online giving: April 25-May 17 - \$1,120.00

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS DUES:

Reminder: Please pay your 2020-2021 dues (\$25.00) as soon as possible. Please mail to:
Jan Wooldridge 902 Buttercup Edna, TX 77957

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Jim Davies, Erin Wharton, Ray Cerantes, Jon Henry, Joyce Bundick, Albert Bures, ❖ Georgia Gabrysch Parker, Margaret Marek, Nansi Moore, Kevin Quinn, Gary Skalicky, ❖ Maddox Green, Lewis Chanek, Gaynell Tristan, Patricia Grell, Allen Friedrich, Debbie Fowler, Larry Kaspar, Sr., Doug Hlavaty, Alice Saucedo Sanchez ❖ Evelyn Bures, Corrian Bock, Evelyn Janssen, Steve Rosalez, Gary Staff, ❖ All the Unborn and their parents, People serving in the military, Holy Souls in Purgatory

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

Please renew your Safe Environment training by going online to:
https://www.eappsdb.com/Login.asp?ORGZ_KEY=11

Those who are expired:

Kari Bures Robert Landry
Lou Ann Tupa Terri Sulak

Those who are about to expire:

Jeff Carroll Diane Koop
Destini Sablatura

Those who need to attend a class:

Ana Martinez Meredith Reed

Readings for JUNE 7: THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



1st Reading: Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9

Early in the morning Moses went up Mount Sinai as the LORD had commanded him, taking along the two stone tablets. Having come down in a cloud, the LORD stood with Moses there and proclaimed

his name, "LORD." Thus the LORD passed before him and cried out, "The LORD, the LORD, a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity." Moses at once bowed down to the ground in worship. Then he said, "If I find favor with you, O Lord, do come along in our company. This is indeed a stiff-necked people; yet pardon our wickedness and sins, and receive us as your own."

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Brothers and sisters, rejoice. Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the holy ones greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Gospel: John 3:16-18

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him. Whoever believes in him will not be condemned, but whoever does not believe has already been condemned, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.

IN TIMES OF TRIAL

Jesus brought me here. By His will I am in this straight place; in that will I "rejoice" (1 Peter 4:12, 13)

Even here He will keep me "in His love" (Isaiah 63:9) and give me "grace and glory" (Psalm 84:11; Romans 5:3,5).

Surely He will make the trial "a blessing" (Deuteronomy 23:5), teaching me lessons He wants me to learn (Hebrews 5:8).

Under the trial I will be quiet (Psalm 37:1), for in His good time He will bring me out again – just how and when, He knows best (Zephaniah 3:19-20).

So then, I am here – by God's appointment (1 Peter 4:12,13), in His keeping (1 Peter 1:5). under His training (Revelation 3:19). for His time (Ecclesiastes 3:11). That I may glorify Him (1 Peter 4:16), and comfort others (2 Corinthians 1:4-6).

