



THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE  
**ASSUMPTION**  
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

**Holy Mass**

**SUNDAY**

8:30 am Extraordinary Form (Latin)  
11:00 am Novus Ordo (English)  
4:30 pm Syro-Malabar Rite (Malayalam)

**MONDAY**

12:00 pm Extraordinary Form (Latin)

**TUESDAY-FRIDAY**

6:00 pm Novus Ordo (English)

**SATURDAY**

9:00 am Extraordinary Form (Latin)

**HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION**

6:00pm Novus Ordo (English)

**CONFESSIONS**

Saturdays 10:00am-11am

before Masses and by appointment

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**EF: FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER**

**May 26, 2019**

**OF: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**Father William's last Sunday at the Church of the Assumption is June 9th, which is also his 65th birthday. Assumption Parish will be providing light refreshments after 8:30 EF Mass and have a meal following 11:00 OF Mass. Please email or call the church office for details and to RSVP (adults and children attending) so that we have an accurate headcount and enough food. Please see a member of Parish Council if you wish to contribute to a gift for Fr. William.**

**Fr. William Writes,**

This weekend marks a great celebration of the Priesthood of Our Lord as 5 men of our Diocese were ordained yesterday. They join a number of young priests who began their Seminary training under Bishop Choby who turned the vocations scene around in this Diocese. We are privileged to have Fr. Mark Simpson our Parishioner as the celebrant of the 11 am Mass today, and then on Monday at 11.45 am Fr. Rhodes Bolster will celebrate Solemn High Mass in the Extraordinary Form. I pray that they all will have as much joy in the priesthood of Our Lord which they have received, as much as I have. This December 9th will be my 40th Anniversary of Ordination.

The blessing of a new priest carries many graces. Those at Fr. Simpson's First Mass today receive the Plenary Indulgence, so happy is our Holy Mother the Church that she showers this remission of all temporal punishment due to sin, to all attending a First Holy Mass of a priest. The usual conditions of prayer for the Holy Father, and Confession and worthy reception of Holy Communion within the week apply.

Thank you for the wonderful messages of gratitude and support which I have received. I'm grateful that calls to members of the Priests' Personnel Board and the Bishop's Office have calmed down. I accept this return to the Abbey with peace and calm, though leaving will be sad for me.

Eastertide is moving forward with the **Feast of Our Lord's Ascension this Thursday in the Extraordinary Form; it will be observed in the Ordinary Form and repeated in the Extraordinary Form next Sunday.** I am grateful that my last Sunday here will be Pentecost, and I will pray that the Holy Ghost will descend mightily on the Parish of the Assumption, and the priest who will be appointed Pastor beginning June 11th.

**Safety and Security:** Anyone interested in being trained in the basics of safety and security as it applies to Assumption, please contact the church office. Once enough interest is shown, there will be a formal presentation to the group.

**Catechism Study Group** will meet Wednesday, at 7:00 pm in Buddeke House Dining Room. Plan to join Fr. William & the group as they complete Part 2 of the Catechism.

**TotuTuus** This year Totus Tuus is Sunday July 7 to Friday July 12. Please see Freddy Quiteno or Kay Bulzacchelli (on the sidewalk) after Mass for registration or visit the Assumption website for online registration.

**Nashville Catholic Radio, WBOU 100.5 FM**, spring schedule for **Parenting Matters**. Hosted by Dr Parnell Donahue of Holy Family every Tues. and Thurs. at 11:30 AM and streaming live on WBOU.org. It is also available for streaming any time [www.parenting-matters.com](http://www.parenting-matters.com). **(May 28, 30) How to make religion something your kids will talk about all week long.** Guests: Catherine Birdwell, Director of Religious Education at Holy Family and Tod Fetherling and Megan Proctor.

**Tamburitzens, Folk Ensemble**, will hold two benefit shows, 6/1 @ 7:30 PM & 6/2 @ 3:00PM. The proceeds will benefit 2 schools & another parish besides Assumption in the diocese of Nashville and the Fathers of Mercy in KY. For information or tickets go to: [www.talentshadows.events](http://www.talentshadows.events) or call 412-224-2071

**Marriage Matters (June 22)**, 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m., St. Philip, 113 Second Ave. S., Franklin. Free retreats to help couples make good marriages better and struggling marriages stronger. Info: [StPhilipFranklin.com](http://StPhilipFranklin.com). RSVP: SSKinner@StPhilipFranklin.com or 615-642-4545.

**Nashville Catholic Business League Meeting (June 13)**, 7 a.m., Cathedral, 2015 West End Ave., Nashville. Mass, breakfast, and program. Deacon Bill Hill speaks about his upbringing in Nashville and his path to becoming a Deacon at St. Vincent de Paul Church. Info: [www.catholicbusinessleague.org](http://www.catholicbusinessleague.org).

Last Week's Contributions

Sunday : \$5,613.57

Electronic Giving: \$3,625.10

Don't fret about the envelope you left on the table at home! Set up online contributions today

**SUN 5/26 EF: FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER**

**May 26, 2019**

**OF: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

8:30am Mass –Extraordinary Form *Pro Populo*  
 9:45am Legion of Mary RECTORY  
 11:00am Mass—1st Mass of Fr. Mark Simpson  
 - Reception to follow in FBH *Souls in Purgatory*  
 4:30pm Syro Malabar ( in Malayalam)  
 6:00pm Syro Malabar Supper

**MON 5/27 St. Bede the Venerable,  
 Confessor & Doctor**

11:45am Mass– Extraordinary Form - 1st EF Mass of Fr. Rhodes Bolster *Poor Souls in Purgatory*

**TUES 5/28 Feria of Paschaltide**

6:00pm Mass + Richard Washell  
 7:00pm Summitt Nashville

**WED 5/29 Feria of Paschaltide**

5:00pm Adoration  
 6:00 pm Mass *Holy & Forgotten Souls in Purgatory*  
 7:00pm Catechism BUDDEKE HOUSE

**THU 5/30 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD**

9:00am Mass – Extraordinary Form  
*Fr. William Fitzgerald*  
 6:00 pm Mass *Pro Populo*

**FRI 5/31 THE VISITATION OF  
 THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

4:30pm Urtz/Miskiewicz Rehearsal  
 6:00pm Mass + Kevin Rowse

**SAT 6/1 Immaculate Heart of Mary**

9:00am Mass–Extraordinary Form  
 10:00am Confessions  
 10:00am Juventutem BUDDEKE HOUSE  
 2:00pm Urtz/Miskiewicz Wedding

**Nashville Right to Life** Peaceful prayerful witness for life continues outside Planned Parenthood Facility each day. **Assumption members will be there on Thurs. 9 - 11am & Sat. after Latin Mass, 10 - 11am.** See what you can do!

**Mulier Care Baby Bottle Drive:** Baby bottles are to be returned on Father's Day, June 16. You can also donate online. <http://www.muliercare.org/> God bless you for your