



THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE
ASSUMPTION
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

1227 7th Avenue North

- SCHEDULE -

MONDAY - FRIDAY

8:00 am LOW MASS (Extraordinary Form) FBH

THURSDAY

6:00 pm HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION
with CONFESSIONS FBH

FIRST FRIDAY

6:00 pm HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION with CON-
FESSIONS, FOLLOWED BY HOLY COMMUNION
FBH

SATURDAY

6:00 pm LOW MASS (Extraordinary Form) FBH
This Mass Fulfills the Sunday Obligation

SUNDAY

7:00 am LOW MASS (Extraordinary Form) BH
8:30 am HIGH MASS (Extraordinary Form) BH
11:00 am LOW MASS (Ordinary Form) BH
4:00 pm SYRO-MALABAR MASS FBH
6:00 pm HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION WITH CON-
FESSIONS, OR VESPERS & BENEDICTION (ON
THIRD SUNDAYS) Extraordinary Form) BH

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

As announced— 6:00 pm

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**SUNDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF THE
SACRED HEART
Com. of St. Anthony of Padua
JUNE 13, 2021**

The ceremony of the Churching of Women, is a blessing given by the Church to mothers after recovery from childbirth, dating from the early Christian ages to render thanks to God for her happy delivery, and to obtain by means of the priestly blessing the graces necessary to bring up her child in a Christian manner. The prayers indicate that this blessing is intended solely for the benefit of the mother, and hence it is not necessary that she should bring the child with her; nevertheless, in many places the pious and edifying custom prevails of specially dedicating the child to God. For, as the Mother of Christ carried her Child to the Temple to offer Him to the Eternal Father, so a Christian mother is anxious to present her offspring to God and obtain for it the blessing of the Church.

It must be imparted in a church or in a place in which Mass is celebrated, as the very name “churching” is intended to suggest a pilgrimage of thanksgiving to the church. In the early Church, mothers who would be recovering from their baby’s delivery would usually not have been present at the baby’s baptism, which typically took place immediately after birth, hence the important role of the godmother in the traditional christening ceremonies. Women typically would not return to church until a month after the birth of their children.

The mother, kneeling at the door of the church, and carrying a lighted candle, awaits the priest, who, vested in surplice and white stole, sprinkles her with holy water in the form of a cross. Having recited Ps. xxiii, “The earth is the Lord’s and the fulness thereof”, he offers her the left extremity of the stole and leads her into the church, saying: “Enter into the temple of God, adore the Son of the Blessed Virgin Mary who has given you fruitfulness of offspring.” She advances to the altar and kneels before it, while the priest, turned towards her, recites a prayer which expresses the object of the blessing, and then, having sprinkled her again with holy water in the form of a cross, dismisses her, saying: “The peace and blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, descend upon you, and remain forever. Amen.”

Churching at Assumption will occur after the 8:30 AM Mass on Sunday, June 27. Women who have had their babies in this past quarter should contact the Church Office to let us know if they wish to receive this blessing on that day. We will plan to schedule churching quarterly going forward.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES: Adoration & Benediction will be held today, in FBH Chapel at 6:00 pm. Vespers will be sung next on Sunday June 20th, in the BH Chapel at 6:00 pm.

Legion of Mary: The Legion of Mary will meet via ZOOM, Sundays at 10:15 am until further notice. To join us, send your email address to Carmel Slattery at slattery.carmel@gmail.com

Are you interested in sharing your faith as a volunteer? The children of Assumption need you! As we rebuild our church, we are also rebuilding our religious education program for fall 2021. There are many ways to serve: small group discussion leaders, teacher assistants, and catechists for the Montessori-style Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. If you might be interested in any capacity, please contact DRE Meredith Pelham for more information meredithpelham@gmail.com or 615-997-6436.

Confessions on Sunday mornings with Fr. Kirk
Sunday morning confessions have been suspended until Fr. Kirk is able to get new hearing aids. Once that happens we will again have confessions between the 8:30 and 11 am Masses on Sunday morning.

IMPORTANT SCHOOL SUBSIDY INFORMATION

Please contact the church office if you will be applying for school subsidies for the 2021 - 22 school year. Assumption only accepts our internal subsidy form which can be requested from the church office. These forms must be reviewed by the pastor as well as the Finance Council. These forms outline our Subsidy policy, if you are unable to meet the requirements you may schedule a meeting with Fr. Price to discuss this. All Subsidy forms must be submitted by **July 4th**.

Assumption's My Parish App: Assumption will now be using the My Parish App to communicate with all parishioners to notify you regarding changes in our schedule, it will also eventually handle offertory donations. Please scan the QR code with your camera on your phone. This will take you to Assumption's page on My Parish App.



**BULLETIN DEADLINE IS
WEDNESDAY 12:00 NOON!**



Recent Contributions

Last Weeks Collection: \$4,128.00

Online Donations: \$1,854.99

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

The church office will be **CLOSED** June 11—25th. Laura will have some access to email during this time but not phone calls or messages.

SUN 6/13 Sunday in the Octave of the Sacred Heart Com. of St. Anthony of Padua

7:00 am **Low Mass (EF)** BH Sarah Cassman
 8:30 am **High Mass (EF)** BH Jamie S. Cassman
 10:00 am Confessions FBH - **temporarily suspended**
Low Mass with Hymns (OF) BH Pro Populo
 4:00 pm Syro-Malabar Mass FBH
 6:00 pm Holy Hour & Confessions FBH

MON 6/14 St. Basil the Great, Bishop, Confessor & Doctor Church Office CLOSED!

8:00 am **Low Mass (EF)** FBH + Celine Michlitsch

TUES 6/15 5th Day in the Octave Comm. Of St. Vitus, Modestus & Crescentia Church Office CLOSED!

8:00 am **Low Mass (EF)** FBH Holy Souls in Purgatory

WED 6/16 6th Day in the Octave Church Office CLOSED!

8:00 am **Low Mass (EF)** Special Intention

THU 6/17 7th Day in the Octave Church Office CLOSED!

8:00 am **Low Mass (EF)** BH Ben Larson

FRI 6/18 Octave Day of the Sacred Heart Comm. Of Ephraem Syrus & Ss. Mark & Marcellian Church Office CLOSED!

6:00 pm **High Mass (EF) FBH** Special Intention
PLEASE note the change in location from BH to FBH

SAT 6/19 St. Juliana Falconieri, Virgin, Com. of Ss. Gervase & Protase

6:00 pm **Low Mass (EF)** FBH Beau Keeler
 BH—Buddeke House FBH—Fr. Bernard Hall

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE! FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

Please help us to keep our chapels safe. Someone is moving the little plastic candles and placing them on top of candles that have already been burned. Please help us to stop this practice. Father and I walked into a chapel and smelled something burning, this was the issue. Please help us prevent a fire on top of the damage we already have incurred. We have already lost four glass candleholders because of this. Please **DO NOT** drop used matches into the candles. This is **EXTREMELY DANGEROUS**.

