



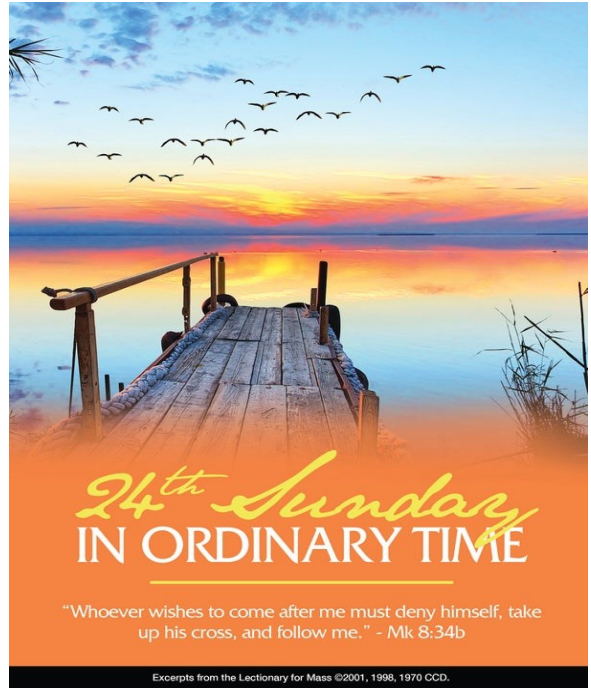
ASSUMPTION PARISH

www.assumptionbuffalo.org

435 Amherst Street, Buffalo, NY 14207

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

~ September 12, 2021 ~



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Catholic Academy of

West Buffalo School
"Stronger Together" with
Our Lady of Black Rock School
1069 Delaware Ave
Buffalo, NY 14209

Principal

Tim McDowell
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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning: 10:00 a.m.

Holy Days and Weekdays:

Please consult the next page.

CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. before 6:30 p.m. Mass
Saturday at 3:30 p.m.
Other times by appointment.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday:

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon & 12:30-3:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated on Sunday's at 11:15 a.m. Parents are asked to call for an appointment to make arrangements for the baptism and pre-baptismal class.

MARRIAGES

Arrangements should be made by the couple with the parish priest at least six months prior to the anticipated date of the wedding.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Vigil Mass:

4:00 P.M. Bill and Barbara Zimmermann (Family)

Sunday, September 12, 2021—Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 A.M. Kevin M. Forczek (Mom and Family)

Monday, September 13, 2021—St. John Chrysostom

8:00 A.M. Deceased Members of Kobierecki and Majerkowski Families (Ed Kobierecki)

Tuesday, September 14, 2021—The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8:00 A.M. Laura Dory—Birthday Remembrance (Family)

Wednesday, September 15, 2021—Our Lady of Sorrows

8:00 A.M. Irene Lysarz (Goddaughter, Luci Buell)

Thursday, September 16, 2021—Ss. Cornelius and Cyprian

8:00 A.M. Margaret Wiczorek (Arthur Oleszkowski)

Friday, September 17, 2021—St. Robert Ballarmino

8:00 A.M. George Niemiec (Lisa Czajkowski)

Saturday, September 18, 2021—Weekday

8:00 A.M. Rev. Charles Meister, Deceased Members of Meister Family (Estate)

Vigil Mass:

4:00 P.M. Chester Olchawski—Anniversary (Children)

Sunday, September 19, 2021—Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 A.M. Gary Pinzel (Wife, Karen)

PLEASE PRAY FOR the sick and for the souls of our recently deceased fellow parishioners and friends.

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE is lit in memory of:
Michele and Barbara Mazga
 By Jim and Linda Wojcik

OFFERTORY

Continued gratitude is expressed to all who are sending in their contributions to the Church. May God continue to bless you and our Church.

September 5, 2021\$ 4,729.00
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Healing Mass at Assumption Church...

We will continue to have a Healing Mass the first Wednesday of every month. The next Healing Mass will be **Wednesday, October 6th.**



6:00 p.m. There will be *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions* as well.

6:30 p.m. Every **first** Wednesday of the month *Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick.*

PRESERVATION MEMORIAL FUND

We extend our gratitude to the parishioners and friends of Assumption who remember our Church through donations to the Preservation Memorial Fund throughout the year.

This week we are grateful for the following donations:

\$20.00 in memory of Peter and Catherine Petko.

MARK THIS DATE ON YOUR CALENDAR...

**OKTOBERFEST
 AT ASSUMPTION CHURCH
 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2021
 7:00 P.M.—11:00 P.M.
 (details in next week's Bulletin)**



GOSPEL REFLECTION...

Nearly halfway through Mark's gospel, we come to Jesus' first prediction of his passion. After Peter confesses Jesus to be "the Christ," Jesus immediately reveals an important truth about who "the Christ" is -- one who will undergo suffering and even death in following the will of God. And this is not all: those who would follow Jesus will also find this path in front of them, one of sacrifice and even suffering on the way to eternal life. Jesus seems to place this revelation in front of the disciples as a challenge. They know Jesus the wonder-worker and the wise teacher. Now they are introduced to Jesus the suffering servant who will undergo rejection, and death. Do they dare to continue following in his footsteps, knowing where this path will lead them?

THIS WEEKEND —

A special Bake Sale will be held the weekend of **September 11-12** following the Masses. Proceeds go for the rental of the bus for the pilgrimage to Divine Mercy Shrine in Stockbridge, MA in October. Anyone wishing to join the group is more than welcome to join. Call Donna Marie at 627-4187 or talk with her at the Bake Sale.

Reminder...

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15
7:00 P.M.
CHURCH HALL**

Members: please plan on attending.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND
FOR HAITI**

Bishop Michael W. Fisher has asked parishes to take up a special collection in September for the recent devastating earthquake in Haiti. The funds collected will be used to support the efforts of Catholic Charities USA and/or Catholic Relief Services, the official relief agencies of the U.S. Catholic church, as they and their local agencies respond to the immediate emergency needs as well as aid in long-term recovery. Next week's second collection will be designated for Haiti. Please make out checks to Assumption Church and memo "Haiti Earthquake". God bless you for your constant generosity.

OCTOBER EVENING DRAW TICKETS

October tickets are available. Stop by the sacristy or the church office. Tickets are 2/\$5.00 or \$3.00 each. Feel free to mail in a check and we'll send you tickets. Any questions, call the office at 875-7626.

VOCATIONS

Jesus challenges us to take up our cross and follow Him. Is he leading you to the sacrificial life of a religious sister or brother, or the priesthood? Contact Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 to start the conversation or visit buffalovocations.org

Black Rock Charismatic Prayer Meeting

The Prayer Group meets every Thursday evening at their new time of 7:00 P.M. in Bogacki Hall. All are invited to come and pray, sing and meditate. Come and refresh your spirit!

BINGO AT ASSUMPTION:

Tuesday
Sept. 14 7:30 p.m.
Friday
Sept. 17 7:30 p.m.



2021 Assumption Football Pool

Game 1 is this weekend! Pick up tickets in the sacristy or stop at the Church office. Sell tickets to your family and friends and you could be a winner too. If you have any questions, call Tom Wasiuta at 668-4531. All proceeds benefit our Preservation Fund which helps to keep our Church building beautiful. Thank you to our sellers and of course, all of you who purchased tickets. Good luck to all!



BRICK MEMORIAL REMEMBRANCES

Remember loved ones by purchasing a plaque which will be attached to a brick in the front vestibule of the Church. Plaques are gold with black lettering for a donation of \$100.00 each. Forms are at the entrances of the Church. Finished plaques are displayed in the Amherst Street vestibule. For questions contact Debbie Baker 868-1942 or Karen Pinzel 864-2135. These plaques can be ordered anytime. Proceeds go directly to our Preservation Fund.

Help For You Marriage —

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times. For more information call (716)474-9371 or visit <https://www.HelpOurMarriage.org>. The next weekend is September 17-19, 2021.

You Are Invited...

September 14 Grief Support Session (St. John the Baptist church, 1085 Englewood Ave., Tonawanda, NY) "*Hope After Heartache - Tools for Living with Loss.*" This program is presented as part of the Grief Support Program of the Buffalo Catholic Cemeteries, Diocese of Buffalo. Open to the community; no charge. Call Marianne Hubert, Director of Grief Support, 873-6500, to register, for a brochure of grief support, times and locations, as well as other activities, or request information by email: mhubert@buffalocatholiccemeteries.org.

September 27 Cardinal O'Hara High School Open House (39 O'Hara Dr., Tonawanda, NY) 4:00—8:00 P.M. enjoy a student-guided tour of the school, meet faculty and explore the curriculum which includes fine arts, music, engineering, and languages, sports, clubs and a Culinary Institute. All are welcome.