

**JUNE 4, 2017  
PENTECOST SUNDAY**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday (June 4) Pentecost Sunday**

- 8:00 Pro-populo  
10:00 Margaret Kiley  
*Requested by:* The Legion of Mary  
12:00 Loretta Donohue  
*Requested by:* Family  
7:00 Spanish Mass

**Monday (June 5) Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr**

- 7:00 Victoria Juarez  
*Requested by:* Juliet Juarez  
9:00 Paul DeRico  
*Requested by:* Tino DeRico Family

**Tuesday (June 6)**

- 7:00 John Croake  
*Requested by:* Connie and Family  
9:00 Adele Guilio Vignini  
*Requested by:* Kathryn Vignini

**Wednesday (June 7)**

- 7:00 Allan Holdsworth  
*Requested by:* Chris Polao  
9:00 Ralph and Antoinette Santulli  
*Requested by:* Family

**Thursday (June 8)**

- 7:00 Mrs. Gilbert Gonzalez  
*Requested by:* Joseph Rowan  
9:00 Gemma Romano and Maria Possenti  
*Requested by:* Pietro and Concetta DiPaterio and Family

**Friday (June 9)**

- 7:00 Dalton Tompkins  
*Requested by:* The DeChristopher Family  
9:00 Rosario A. Fernandes and Rosa Piedade D'Costa  
*Requested by:* Ramiro & Family

**Saturday (June 10)**

- 9:00 Rozaira Lopes  
*Requested by:* Filomena Rodrigues  
5:00 Grace LoSasso  
*Requested by:* Judy and Frank LoSasso  
7:00 Spanish Mass

**Sunday (June 11) Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity**

- 8:00 Jose Manuel Rodrigues  
*Requested by:* Filomena Rodrigues  
10:00 Pro-populo  
12:00 Thomas G. Christmas  
*Requested by:* Richard and Betsy Knizeski  
7:00 Spanish Mass

*Please notify an usher if you would like to bring up the gifts during a Mass for your loved one.*

**MEMORIALIZATIONS**

**ALTAR CANDLES**

- In Memory of the Carey & Eible Families  
*Requested by:* Family  
Ema Fonseca  
*Requested by:* The Fonseca's  
Jenny DeLuca  
*Requested by:* Elena and Raymond Matheson

**NOTES FROM THE LOFT**

The Most Holy Trinity  
June 11, 2017

Next Sunday, Roman Catholicism celebrates the greatest dogma of its Faith: the Most Holy Trinity. We baptize and we bless ourselves "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." We profess the Trinitarian formulas of the Apostles' and the Nicene Creeds when we pray the Rosary and weekly at Mass: "I believe in (one) God the Father...and in Jesus Christ, His only Son...I believe in the Holy Spirit..." We recite the Doxology: "Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit..." The 6<sup>th</sup> century Trinitarian "Preface" for next Sunday's Mass dates back to Pope St. Gregory the Great! So, why a special feast?

The Church clearly teaches there are three distinct, divine Persons in one God. Each is equal to the others – in essence (i.e. divine), in existence (i.e. eternal), and in their attributes (e.g. holiness, mercy, knowledge and power). Trinitarian doctrine, however, was vehemently challenged in the early centuries of Christianity. The errors included Arianism with its denial of the divinity of Christ, His eternal equality with the Father and their consubstantiality. Other errors challenged the divinity and the eternal, mutual procession "from the Father and the Son" of the Holy Spirit, the personalization of their love.

In 1334, assessing the already widespread devotion to the Three-in-One, Pope John XXII established the Feast of the Holy Trinity to be observed universally on the Sunday after Pentecost.

The icons of early Christianity depicted the Trinity as three young men; however, by the sixth century AD, only the Father and Son were imaged in human form- with the Holy Spirit as a dove. Not only the shamrock, but also the PANSY, has been dubbed the "Trinity flower"! Holy Trinity Church of Stadi-Paura, Austria, built in 1772 has 3 doors, 3 aisles, 3 windows on each side, 3 sets of pews – and 3 bells!

Our missalette includes numerous hymns to the Trinity: "Holy, Holy, Holy" #204 with its Nicea melody; "All Praise and Glad Thanksgiving" # 705; "All Hail, Adored Trinity" # 706; "O God, Almighty Father" # 707; "On This Day, The First Of Days" # 708; and "Come Now, Almighty King" # 709. Perhaps the most well-known is "Holy God, We Praise Thy Name" # 190, especially its often omitted third verse! Hard to choose for next Sunday!!!

### TITHING REPORT

Seventh Sunday of Easter 2017.....	\$9,898.75
(includes Parish Pay amount of \$678.75)	
Seventh Sunday of Easter 2016 .....	\$10,444.40
(includes Parish Pay amount of \$531.40)	
Ascension Thursday 2017 .....	\$2,986.00
Ascension Thursday 2016 .....	\$3,637.00
Catholic Education 2017 .....	\$2,042.00
Catholic Education 2016 .....	\$2,488.00

If you would like to enroll in Parish Pay, please go to [www.parishpay.com](http://www.parishpay.com) OR call the Rectory.

### RESPECT LIFE

#### Pentecost Voice

The Holy Spirit, who came on Pentecost, gave voice to the apostles to proclaim the truth of the Gospel. The Spirit, the Soul of the Church, continues to enable the Church to speak, and enables us to speak in our individual capacity. As Cardinal Elio Sgreccia,

President Emeritus of the Vatican's Pontifical Academy for Life has said, *"The Church must speak out in today's context on fundamental rights, the right to justice, the right to peace, but above all and in the first place, the right to life. If the Church did not speak, did not proclaim the truth, it would be abandoning its duty; it would be unfaithful to society, to the good of society. Therefore, its precise duty is the very liberty to intervene with word, and also with example -- the example of promoting human life, of intervening for the salvation of mankind."* **The next Respect Life Holy Hour, Thursday, June 22 at 7:00 p.m. during which we will honor Fathers in a special way.**

### RIGHT TO LIFE HOLY HOUR

The primary role of every father is to guard and protect the life that he uniquely generates. To honor our Heavenly Father and our earthly Dads, the Pro-Life Ministry invites everyone to the Right to Life Holy Hour on **June 22, Saturday at 7PM**. There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Recitation of the Holy Rosary.

### HEALING MASS

**THURSDAY, JUNE 8<sup>TH</sup>, 2017**



Encounter His love, mercy and healing! On Thursday, June 8, 2017, we proudly welcome back Father Claudio Barbut from Romania who will celebrate a healing mass here at Assumption Church. Recitation of the rosary commences at 6:30pm, followed by

the Holy sacrifice of the Mass at 7:00pm, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, and laying on of hands. Confession will be available all evening. Jesus said, "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest" (Mt 11:28). Come and rest in Him on June 8<sup>th</sup>, and let the Divine Physician fill your hearts and heal your wounds!

### PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Catherine Chesser, Janet Fortier, Linda McGarr, Andrew Muller, George Strumke, Mario Garziona, Tony DeMilio, James Brian Dolman, Suzi Jo Bondra, Carli Hermina, and Maria Luz Abanto



### PRAY ALSO FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

William Bernard, James Garcia & Zoila Zhingri

*"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace."*

### SWEET ANOINTING FROM ABOVE



An ancient hymn for Pentecost describes the Holy Spirit as Sweet Guest of the Soul (*Dulcis Hospes Animae*) and as Sweet Refreshment (*Dulce Refrigerium*). This is one of the things that the Holy Spirit wants to do for us: He wants to be the Guest of our soul, and in so being, He wants to bring us true refreshment. This Pentecost, let us invite this guest to be with us and never leave us. He gives us the rest we need and restores our physical and spiritual energy. As you leave church today, please accept the gift of a red Lollipop from your parish as a sign of the sweetness the Holy Spirit brings to us.

### SUMMER GARDEN TEA FOR WIDOWS



All widows of the parish are invited to attend a "Summer Garden Tea" on Friday, June 30 from 2:00pm to 5:00pm. The afternoon will begin at 2:00 pm in the Church with the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Afterwards all will gather in the Annex Hall where there will be teas and light refreshments prepared by our Events Committee. Special guest to be announced. Please join us for this very special afternoon. To reserve your space, please call the Rectory at 914-737-2071.

### BIBLE STUDY COMING TO ASSUMPTION



We often hear that Catholics do not know their Bible like Protestants do. It is time to do something about it! We are introducing Bible Study here at Assumption. We will begin with an overview introduction to the Bible, a DVD series called "Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible" by two excellent guides: Catholic Biblical scholar, Jeff Cavins, and Catholic author and Bible teacher, Sarah Christmyer. The Bible Study will take place on Mondays at 7:00-9:00PM from June 19-August 7. Limited space available. Cost \$25. To sign up and for more information, contact Claire Mathey at 914.329.3462 or email at [cmathey914@icloud.com](mailto:cmathey914@icloud.com)

### Wedding Banns

Third Time: Julio Suncin & Ana Suncin (nee Garciaguirre)  
 Third Time: Milton Suscal & Neli Guallpa  
 Second Time: Diego Duchitanga & Cynthia Rivadeneira  
 First Time: Hugh O'Gorman & Loryn Ginley

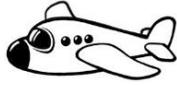


### DIVINE MERCY

June 4	3 pm	Assumption Church
June 11	3 pm	Assumption Church
June 18	3 pm	No Holy Hour
June 25	3 pm	No Holy Hour

### VISITING ANOTHER PARISH?

With summertime quickly approaching, travel arrangements are in full gear. In addition to other vacation activities you may be planning, we encourage everyone to attend Mass while away from home. It can be an enlightening and cross-cultural experience to worship in a different church in an unfamiliar location. When attending Mass elsewhere, please do remember to pick up a copy or two of that parish's bulletin and pack it along with your other souvenirs to bring back home. Then, drop it off with one of our priests or at the Rectory – we love to see what's happening at our fellow Catholic churches around the world! For our part, please know we wholeheartedly welcome travelers journeying our way and any family and friends who may be visiting from out of town to worship with us. Have a safe and happy summer!



## CAMP VERITAS 2017

Camp Veritas is a one-week, play-and-pray, sleep-away summer camp for youth entering grades 8 – 12. Held on the grounds of Mount Saint Mary College in Newburgh, this year's session is **Sunday, July 16 through Saturday, July 22**. Among the activities planned are swimming, dodgeball, soccer, a talent show, and much more! We have been blessed to receive scholarships which cover the majority of the cost for each camper attending from Assumption Church; thus, the cost per person for this powerful, unforgettable six-day experience is only \$250. To register, visit [www.campveritas.com](http://www.campveritas.com) or call Pedro Apolinar at (914) 737-0080 to sign up in person.

### CCD REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN

Registration for CCD classes starting in September has begun. Parents of all new students must bring a copy of the child's baptismal certificate and birth certificate when registering. Tuition for the 2017-2018 school year is \$125 for a single student, and \$175 in total for two or more children from the same family. Registration takes place in the CCD Office during regular office hours. You may call (914) 737-2231 for more detail. [Please note that all back tuition must be paid before a child can be registered for this upcoming year.]

### GREAT SUMMER READING, WATCHING AND LISTENING

In planning summer reading and recreation, why not take advantage of the free offering (films, audio programs or e-books) by simply go to [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org) – which gives users free access to hundreds of hours of online content – and enter GNBWCR (our parish's access code) to complete your registration, then – presto! – a world of Catholic entertainment is at your fingertips. Watch a movie about Padre Pio, or Joan of Arc, or Joseph of Nazareth. Read about St. Augustine in *The Restless Flame*. Listen to St. Teresa of Calcutta share her insights into the Blessed Mother. Make summer vacation time truly enriching!

### EVERY MEMBER IS A MINISTER:

#### THE GROUPS OF ASSUMPTION SERIES

*For the last many weeks, our bulletin has featured a "Behind the Scenes" series so parishioner can know a little more about the many people who work, seen and unseen, to make our parish run smoothly. Starting this week, we begin a new series in which we will focus on a different parish group each week. If it's true that at a successful parish, every member is a minister, it is well that parishioners get to know groups in which they can belong and serve. Assumption is blessed by many groups, devotions and ministries. This week we focus on the Altar Boys:*

The Altar Boys of Assumption Parish are a dedicated ministry in serving our Lord at his Holy Altar. The Altar Boys not only serve on the weekend, Saturday and Sunday Masses, but also special Masses as well. Young people have been serving Mass from the earliest centuries. For example, to prepare for the Last Supper, Jesus instructed his disciples to go forth and set up a place for himself and the twelve apostles. In a like manner, Altar Servers prepare to give their services to God in the celebration of Holy Mass. Aside from maintaining in the most respectful of attention during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, their duties include but are not limited to, such things as how to stand and kneel with hands folded, holding the cruets of water and wine for the priest to pour into the chalice, and bowing properly to the priest after performing various tasks. However, of most significance is not really the things that they do, but the reverence that they present while serving Mass. This is demonstrated during prayers at Mass and listening to God's word in Scripture.



The Altar Boys have many responsibilities before, during, and even after Mass. They are responsible to be on time before the Mass begins. The priest counts on them to be on time and prepared. They are to make sure that their cassocks and surpluses are organized in the closet. Most importantly, they are to work as a team as brothers of Christ to insure that the Mass moves smoothly. Unquestionably, it was God who made the call to each of these young boys to serve at his Holy Altar.

Currently we have 60 Altar Boys on the roster. The Altar Boys have meetings on the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th Fridays of each month from 6:30 pm - 8 pm. The Altar Boys meet in the former Guardian school building in the first floor classroom. During these meetings, this is a chance to pray with one another, practice and learn how to serve the Mass, receive announcements for various activities that might be coming up, help out rectory staff with various projects, and have free time in the gym. The Altar Boys are most grateful to the adults that dedicate and sacrifice their time on Fridays to come and teach them.

We are always looking for new members to become Altar Boys and also we are looking for adults who would be able to assist as a chaperone. If you would like to become an Altar Boy, there are applications in the sacristy of the Assumption Church and also in the front office of the rectory. All we ask is that the potential server must be in at least the 4th grade and to please come to the Friday evening meetings. If anyone is interested in joining this ministry, please contact Joe Pascetta for more information: (914) 438-0986.

## ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL

### V ENCUENTRO

USTED ESTA INVITADO A LA TERCERA  
CONFERENCIA PARROQUIAL  
"CAMINANDO JUNTOS CON JESUS"



Fecha: LUNES 5 DE JUNIO DEL 2017  
Hora: 7:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Local: Auditorio Padre Wilson  
Exponen: Hna. Elizabeth Recinos  
Hna. Ana Hidalgo  
Equipo: Hna. Miriam Cabrera  
Refrigerios: Apostolado de la Divina Misericordia  
Música: Coro Parroquial San Juan Bautista  
Cuidado de niños - este evento es gratuito.  
Todos son bienvenidos!!!!

En Camino  
HACIA EL V ENCUENTRO



### RESERVE ESTAS FECHAS POR FAVOR!

Para continuar con nuestro Encuentro Parroquial  
CUARTA SEMANA

Lunes 12 de Junio / 7:00 pm-9:00pm / F.W.H.

TEMA: DANDO FRUTOS DE VIDA NUEVA  
QUINTA SEMANA

Lunes 19 de Junio / 7:00 pm-9:00pm / F.W.H.

TEMA: FESTEJANDO LA ALEGRÍA DE SER  
DISCIPULOS Y MISIONEROS

PROCESIÓN - SANTA EUCARISTÍA - CLAUSURA DEL  
ENCUENTRO PARROQUIAL

Viernes 23 de Junio / 7:00pm

SOLEMNIDAD DEL SAGRADO CORAZÓN DE JESÚS

Eventos gratuitos, servicio de cafetería. Auspiciado por:  
Los Grupos Apostólicos y Devociones de nuestra  
Parroquia.

### GRUPO DE ORACIÓN CARISMÁTICO "NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA ASUNCIÓN"

Invita a la Misa de Sanación por los enfermos y afligidos  
en el cuerpo y en alma!



QUIERES VER MILAGROS, VEN Y VERAS.....!

Viernes 9 de Junio del 2017- 7:30pm

Oficiada: P. Claudio Barbut (Rumania)  
Concelebrada: P. Vincent Druding  
Díacono Carlos Campoverde  
Ministerio Musical: Hnos. Ávida y Gonzalo  
LOCAL: TEMPLO PARROQUIAL

### HORA SANTA DE ADORACION



El Grupo matrimonial "Jesús, María y José",  
invitan a toda la comunidad a compartir la hora  
santa con el Rezo del Rosario Eucarístico el  
próximo día **Jueves 15 de Junio, desde las 7  
de la noche**, aquí en nuestro templo  
parroquial, tendremos como invitados para el  
Rezo a la Devoción de la Purísima de Macas, ofreceremos  
servicio de confesiones.

### SACRAMENTO DEL BAUTISMO (Niños menores de 6 años)

Se celebran regularmente todos los días  
sábados a partir de la 1:00 PM. También  
ofrecemos el Sacramento del Bautismo el  
último sábado de cada mes dentro de  
nuestra Misa (7:00 PM). Se requiere llenar  
el formulario; asistir padres y padrinos a la catequesis pre-  
bautismal. Nota: deben traer al momento de la inscripción  
el certificado de nacimiento del niño (a). Los padres deben  
estar participando en nuestras Misas regulares.



### SACRAMENTO DE LA RECONCILIACION

Los días sábados desde las 4:00 PM hasta las 5:00PM. Los  
días domingos desde las 6:00 PM. en la Iglesia; y, todo el  
tiempo en la Casa Parroquial, previa cita.

### MINISTERIO DE CUIDADO PASTORAL A LOS ENFERMOS-ANCIANOS Y PRISIONES

Llame a la Casa Parroquial para los arreglos, nosotros le  
asignaremos a un Ministro de la Santa Eucaristía para que  
lo visite ya sea en el Hospital o en la casa. En casos  
particulares de ancianos, enfermedad o de condición seria,  
por favor ponerse en contacto con uno de los Sacerdotes  
para que reciba el Sacramento de la Unción.

### SACRAMENTO DEL MATRIMONIO

Hacer los arreglos para la planificación seis  
meses antes de fijar la fecha de la boda. Llame a  
la Rectoría y haga cita con los Sacerdotes: P.  
Higgins, P. Vincent, o el Diacono Carlos Campoverde



### CATEQUESIS PRE-MATRIMONIALES (PRECANA) 2017

DIA 1 Sábado: 24 de Junio 9:00am a 3:00pm Anexo

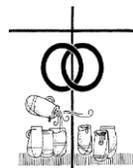
DIA 2 Sábado: 29 de Julio 9:00am a 3:00pm Anexo

### CATEQUESIS PLANIFICACION NATURAL FAMILIAS 2017

SESION 1 Domingo 4 de Junio 9:00am - 1:00pm S/Música

SESION 2 Viernes 7 de Julio 7:00am - 9:00pm Casa 911

### BODAS COMUNITARIAS XI EDICIÓN



Invitamos a todas las parejas hombres y  
mujeres interesadas en participar del  
programa comunitario de bodas gratuitas, las  
mismas que han sido programadas para el  
día **Sábado 21 de Octubre del 2017** en la Misa regular de  
las 7pm, la preparación comienza en los próximos meses,  
por favor si ustedes están interesados comuníquese con el  
Díacono Carlos Campoverde en la Casa Parroquial.