



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)

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 Mass and by appointment

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TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 22, 2017

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From Father William: I am so happy to have heard good reports of last weekend's Oktoberfest. Our objectives were certainly achieved: (1) we have maintained our beer license, making future activities possible, (2) we have revived the Parish nature of the Germantown Oktoberfest along with our Methodist neighbors, distinguishing the traditional and original Oktoberfest from the money-making financial enterprise of private business. In the next week we will see the financial picture emerge, but this is secondary to the enjoyable day which many enjoyed, building a stronger community sense at Assumption. We have been blessed to find visiting priests for Sunday Masses, however weekday coverage is quite problematic. I was troubled to hear that illness prevented another priest who was to have covered weekday Mass from coming. On two occasions people arrived for Mass in the evening and there was no priest. I am so sorry. I would ask you to check our website and/or Facebook pages to see if the weekday Masses are being held. There will certainly be a priest for Wednesday(Including Adoration beginning at 5pm) and Friday 6pm this week but unable to find coverage for the other daily Masses. The Holy Day (All Saints) will be covered next week. On Wednesday 18th, the surgeon Dr. Moore, took new X-rays 2 1/2 weeks after the surgery. He was well pleased with the bone healing but as yet could not allow me to place weight on my right leg. I am getting about here at Richland Place in a wheel chair and on a walker. I have Physical and Occupational Therapy every day, including Sundays. My next assessment will be on November 15th and he anticipates my ability to function fully again soon after that. I cannot wait to get back to the Parish! Visitors are welcome in the afternoons and evenings. I say daily Mass here and have been hearing Confessions when asked. Thanks for all the good wishes and prayers. God bless you and yours. Fr. William.

Priesthood Sunday Weekend; October 28-29 Special Collection to Ensure the Future Availability of Priests

For years now we have heard about the need for vocations in the Catholic Church. Many pastors will be reaching retirement age, so we will need someone to continue their service in our parishes. Thanks to your prayers and a strong vocations program in the Diocese of Nashville, we have ordained many new priests over the past few years. Now we have 25 seminarians who are preparing to be our future diocesan priests. To help support the cost of their education, we are holding a special collection this weekend which coincides with National Priesthood Sunday. Please give generously and pray for vocations to the priesthood

Young Adult Bible Study - "Mysteries of the Kingdom A Bible Study on the Parables."

<https://dioceseofnashville.com/mysteries-of-the-kingdom-a-bible-study> - This series continues this Tuesday October 24th at 7pm in the Buddeke House. Study materials will be provided. No Homework. Bring your own Bible. Contact Mark Gliebe at [804-432-6656](tel:804-432-6656) or mark.gliebe@gmail.com to RSVP.

Did you miss out on our Parish Directory Photos? Only 57 out of 358 registered households participated.

We have the opportunity to submit digital photos(300 dpi minimum) with a \$10 payment for insertion payable to the church office. Father William is quite disturbed there has been no response to his plea for photos. This as an important item in the life of the parish and ask those that did not have photos taken over the week that the company was here to submit a digital photos with family names as soon as possible. You can also use your professional photographs with a copyright approval letter. Digital Images Only. For more information, contact the church office. The deadline has been extended until November 5th.

40 Days for Life Prayer Vigil ONLY 2 WEEKS LEFT...

Have you come out to pray at Planned Parenthood ?Prayerful, peaceful vigil continues from 7 am to 5 pm. Your presence does make a difference! Here's proof: Last Saturday, a couple sat in their car for a long time and talked about going into Planned Parenthood for an abortion. But, instead, driving away, they told the people on the sidewalk that they couldn't go in to get their abortion because they were so moved by the people who were out there praying for them. Help was offered to this couple. Come out to 412 D.B. Todd Blvd. with your prayers of love, mercy, and hope. Hope to see you soon!

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

The diocesan Office of Adult Formation is presenting a fall speaker series on "The Church." Monday, October 23, Dr. Chris Hackett will answer all your burning questions about what it means to say the Pope is infallible (and what it doesn't mean!). Join us at the Catholic Pastoral Center at 7pm (2800 McGavock Pike) Questions? Contact Joan Watson joan.watson@dioceseofnashville.com or 615-783-0263.

Fill Our Hearts: a free informal speaker series pondering the mysteries of the Catholic faith. All sessions are at 8:30 a.m. in the St. Cecilia library, 4210 Harding Pike, Nashville. No reservations required. Coffee and pastries served. Come to one session or come to all. **October 26:** Talking with Jesus—Making our Relationship Real, with Sister Mary Angela, O.P. **November 2:** Reading our Way to Heaven—How to Invigorate our Spiritual Life through Spiritual Reading, with Sister Mary Madeline, O.P. **November 9:** The Immaculate Heart of Mary—The Message of Fatima on the 100th Anniversary, with Sister Maria Ivana, O.P. **November 16:** Entering into the Mystery of the Mass, with Sister Anne Catherine, O.P.

Hike for the Homeless (November 4), 9 a.m., Edwin Warner Park Picnic Shelters 9 & 11. Live music, inflatables, climbing wall, dog & stroller friendly paved trails. Benefit for Safe Haven Family Shelter. Info: <http://safehaven.org/events/hike/>.

Retreat for Women of the Diocese of Nashville (November 17-19), Bethany Retreat House, Dickson. Theme: "Walking with Our Lady." Conferences by Sr. Mary Madeline Todd, O.P. Mass and Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturday and Sunday. Cost: Friday evening-Sunday morning, meals included: \$150. Saturday only, includes three meals: \$50. To register: 615-446-2063 or bethanyretreat@op-tn.org.

ATTENTION All catechists—anyone who teaches the Catholic Faith, parents included—are invited to attend the Catechetical Formation Fall Sessions sponsored by the Diocese. The program is designed to help you grow in your love and knowledge of the Faith while providing practical suggestions for handing it on to others. For more information, brochures are available in all parish/school offices or see the diocese website. Register at: www.dioceseofnashville.com **SATURDAY FALL SESSIONS, Course 1: November 11th @ Aquinas College, November 18th @ Catholic Pastoral Ctr. OR Take the COURSE ONLINE at no cost; Register at: <http://www.aquinascollegecatechetics.com/CFP> Enrollment: NOW- November 22**

Attention all boys interested in Wrestling Nashville Catholic Wrestling "Club" season for boys K-8 (November 19), 4:30 p.m., Father Ryan Wrestling Room, 700 Norwood Dr., Nashville. Information meeting for parents, practice, and pizza party. NCW coaches provide complete instruction and everyone makes the team. Info: www.nashvillecatholicwrestling.com.

Knight for a Night (November 3), 6:45-9 p.m., JP II High School, 117 Caldwell Dr., Hendersonville. 8th graders are invited for dinner, games, bonfire, and s'mores. RSVP: admissions@jp2hs.org.

Father Ryan Placement Testing Dates for 8th graders (Nov. 4 or Dec. 2). Required pre-registration: fatherryan.org/placementtest. Info: 615-383-4200.

SUN 10/22 Twenty-Ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time

- 8:30am Mass-Extraordinary Form (Fr. Clare Hendricks)
+Julie Eckstein
- 9:45am Legion of Mary RECTORY
- 11:00am Mass (Fr. Phillip Halladay)
+Vincent Dronkseiko
- 12:00pm 50th Anniversary Vow Renewal of
Mr. and Mrs. Richard(Doris) Bawcom
- 4:30pm Syro-Malabar Rite (in Malayalam)

MON10/23 Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

No Mass

TUE 10/24 Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

- 6:00pm No Mass
- 7:00pm Bible Study BUDDKE HOUSE

WED 10/25 Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm Adoration
- 6:00pm Mass (Fr. Peter Pompasello)
+Andrew, Dorothy and Darcy Lorsung

THU 10/26 Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

6:00pm No Mass

FRI 10/27 Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

- 8:30am Catholic Schoolhouse FR BERNARD HALL
- 6:00pm Mass (Fr. Andrew Forsythe)
+Shawn Sanders

SAT 10/28 Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles

No Mass or Confessions

- 9-11:00am Baile Ceol Pipe Band BUDDKE HOUSE
- 10:00am Hartman Baptism
- 11:00am Hartman Baptism Celebration FR BERNARD HALL

No Cash? Haven't seen a checkbook in years? Don't want to fuss with online payments? The Church now has VENMO! You may make your contributions @ChurchoftheAssumption through the app now! Don't know how? Please contact the church office for assistance.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Regular Collection \$3937
Online Contributions \$610

Venmo \$72

Set it and forget it! Set your contribution for automatic with either your checking account or credit card at www.assumptionchurchnashville.org