

*Church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
The 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time – October 16, 2022*



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Prayer

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Rosary Altar Society Invitation for New Members

As the month of October is dedicated to the Rosary, we are doing a membership drive. We are looking for women and young ladies ages 18 and older. We come together to honor Our Blessed Mother by saying the Rosary and taking care of the altar. Father Leo has graciously offered to have a mass for us and then we will have our meetings (once a month). We also help in the care of the Altar by changing out the different linens to coordinate with the color of the season or the Feast day being celebrated. We will be discussing when to have our meetings – in the morning or an evening with what works best for everyone. Please consider joining us by calling the parish office to let us know that you are interested.

Please see "The Fifteen Promises of Mary Granted to those who
Recite the Rosary" on the back page of this bulletin.

Rev. Leo Salvania, Administrator

Deacon Walter H. Pidgeon - Deacon Daniel Gallagher - Deacon Paul Flor

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday – Saturday 8:00am - Friday 7:00pm (Spanish)

Saturday Vigils: 5:30pm (English) & 7:00pm Spanish - Sunday: 8am & 10am (Both English)

Confession: Saturday 4:30pm or by appointment - Adoration: Sat. from 8:30am till Noon

PARISH OFFICE

302 High St. (BACK DOOR), Hackettstown, NJ 07840

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00am to 4:00pm

And Spanish by appointment

Email: secretary@assumptionbvnmnj.org - Phone: (908) 852-3320 - Website: OLofA.org

Facebook: Church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, October 15th

5:30pm: Henry & Sophie Bryk – r/o Their Family
 7:00pm: For the Intentions of the Spanish Community

Sunday, October 16th

8:00am: For the People of the Parish
 10:00am: Patricia Linn – r/o Her Family

Monday, October 17th

8:00am: Kevin O'Neill – r/o The Gibson Ragusky Family

Tuesday, October 18th

8:00am: Barbara Sullivan – r/o M/M Roy Heymer

Wednesday, October 19th

8:00am: Kenneth Gross – r/o Linda & Don Keady

Thursday, October 20th

8:00am: Kenneth Gross – r/o L. Ivins & Joanne Smith

Friday, October 21st

8:00am: Anna Cole – r/o Her Estate
 7:00pm: For the Intentions of the Spanish Community

Saturday, October 22nd

8:00am: John Ort – r/o Carol Hollar
 8:30am to 12:00pm: Adoration
 5:30pm: For the People of the Parish
 7:00pm: Betty Roberts – r/o Her Family (Spanish Mass)

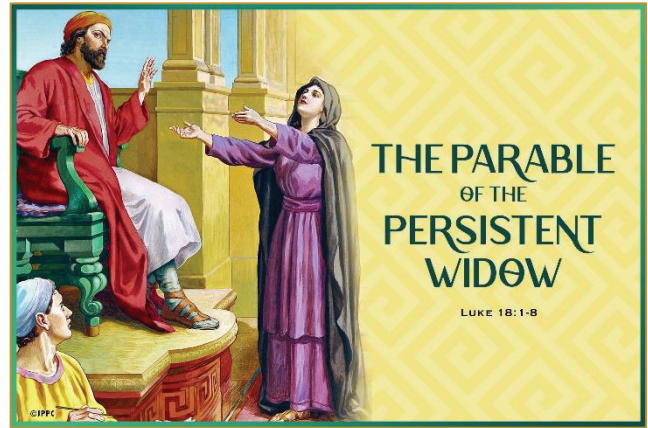
Sunday, October 23rd

8:00am: Frances Piacitelli – r/o Carol Hollar
 10:00am: Concetta Fantano – r/o Steve & Sue Clark



Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament – Every Saturday from 8:30am till 12noon. Please come and spend some time with our Lord.

GAME SHOW NIGHT
 St. Mary's Youth Ministry
 Friday, Oct. 21 @ 5pm
 Pizza will be served
 (In School Building)
 RSVP – Aimee Rine 862-266-6264



“...proclaim the word, be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient...” 2 Timothy 4:2

It is not always convenient to be a good steward, especially when all the temptations of our busy and materialistic world get in the way. Now add our own pride and ego into the equation and living a stewardship lifestyle may be downright uncomfortable! Remember, God didn't call us to be comfortable. He never said that we would have an easy life. Rather, He called us to be faithful!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF 10/16

- Monday:** Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5; Lk 12:13-21
- Tuesday:** 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
- Wednesday:** Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 12:39-48
- Thursday:** Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
- Friday:** Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
- Saturday:** Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Lk 13:1-9
- Sunday:** Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14



The Blessed Mother Flowers in the Annex this week are in loving memory of **Joe Paz** – r/o His Family.

LECTOR & EM SCHEDULE

	Oct. 15 & 16	Oct. 22 & 23
	Lector	
5:30pm	Rob Souders	Richard Burke
7:00pm	Nancy Marroquin	Lisette Fuentes
	Mercedes Lopez	Gloria Naranjo
8:00am	Armando Serrado	Armando Serrado
10:00am	FF Year 5	FF Year 4
	Eucharistic Minister	
5:30pm	Lee Souders	Lee Souders
7:00pm	Gloria Naranjo	Carlos Fuentes
8:00am	Aimee Rine	Jo Forestiere
10:00am	Tim Segada	Christina Wilson
	Sacristan	
5:30pm	Tom Hoffman	Tom Hoffman
7:00pm	Nicolas Salinas	Nicolas Salinas
8:00am	George Denny	George Denny
10:00am	Aaron Wilson	Aaron Wilson

Weekly Collection

	Regular	On-Line	Weekly Total	Last Year
10/2	\$4,757	\$ 851	\$5,608	\$6,554
10/9	\$4,403	\$2,050	\$6,453	\$9,711
		Month-to-date	\$12,061	\$16,265
Second	Collection			
10/9	Repairs & Renovation	\$2,472		
10/23	World Mission Sunday			

Next weekend there is a special diocesan collection for **World Mission Sunday**. This collection benefits the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, the American Board for Catholic Mission and The Catholic Near East Welfare Association. Please be as generous as your means allow. Thank you!



PRAY THE ROSARY

Monday – Friday - 7:30pm
on Zoom - with Deacon Walter
 Meeting ID: 358634252
 Password: 008173



PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Anthony Appleby-US Army, Nicholas Appleby, US Air Force, Jon Barrett-Marines, Shaun Collins-Navy, Nolan Drylie-U.S.M.C., Jason Fischer-US Army, Cabriella Gongala-E4 Airforce Reserve, Robert Hess, Brial Holl, General Dixon Taylor-PFC, Alex Urankar-1st Lieutenant U.S.M.C., Ronald James Vizcarra, Bret Wade-CSM, Ryan Oakley, U.S. Army Reserve



Mary Lou Blasiole, Jodi Bremner, Lucille Caldara, Joe Chiarello, Danny Decker, Lili Decker, Edward Dimiceli, Donald J. Keady, Stacey Lennon, Tiffany Pulis and Elaina Rewiski. For all those sick with COVID-19 & their caregivers.
Please call the parish if you are a parishioner who would like to be added onto our prayer list.

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FAITH FORMATION

Rose Strohmaier, Director (908) 303-9692

The Faith Formation Office
is located in the School Building
faithformation@assumptionbvmnj.org



On Sundays at 10AM Mass, our Pilgrimage Statue of Mary will be sent home with a Faith Formation Family to venerate for the week. She will be returned the following Sunday to be gifted to another family for the week. There is a sign-up sheet outside the Faith

Formation Office in the school for all who wish to participate in the opportunity to have this beautiful and blessed statue of Mary in their home.

Calendar

October

Sunday 16—Year 5 Hosts 10:00AM Mass—arrive no later than 9:45AM dressed and prepared for hosting; be sure to sign-in

Communicants Rite of Enrollment with Families—10AM

Wednesday 19—Faith Formation—**Oral Saint Reports Given by Confirmandi—Second Session**

Sunday 23—Year 4 Hosts 10:00AM Mass—arrive no later than 9:45AM dressed and prepared for hosting; be sure to sign-in

Wednesday 26— Faith Formation—**Father Leo Parent Session discussing an article on the teaching of the faith**

Sunday 30—Confirmation I Hosts 10:00AM Mass—arrive no later than 9:45AM dressed and prepared for hosting; be sure to sign-in



Please hold up in prayer First Communicants and as they commit to the reception of Eucharist during the Rite of Enrollment Masses today.



Please also keep in your prayers the Confirmandi who had their

Rite of Enrollment Mass last Sunday.

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION=SUNDAY MASS

- Solemnity of Mary, January 1
- Ascension of Jesus, May 26 — Celebrated on the sixth Thursday after Easter Sunday
- Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, August 15
- Solemnity of All Saints, November 1
- Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, December 8
- Christmas Day, December 25

Your child's faith development ultimately depends on the sharing of your faith with them by going to Mass on Sundays, Holy Days of Obligation and living Christian values at home. It is through your efforts, example and personal relationship with God, more than anything else, that your children will come to know Jesus and grow in love and faith. We thank you for allowing us to support you in this process. We look forward to working with you and your children.

SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY

ST. MARY'S CUPBOARD

Pantry Hours in School Building:

**Tuesday 6pm to 7pm and
Saturday 10am till 12noon**

*We continue to serve many families and need all basic foods but we are starting a "featured food item" which will change weekly. This week's featured item is **CANNED SOUP**. Food donations can be left in the vestibule of the church or dropped off at the school when the food pantry is open. Gift cards and monetary donations should be dropped off/sent to the parish office.*

For more information please call/text/email Kathy Segada at 908-337-2118
Kathleen.d.segada@gmail.com
May God bless you abundantly for your generosity!

FUNDRAISING MINISTRY

Last April we formed a fundraising Committee and our first event was our response to the Bishop's Appeal. A positive outcome was achieved. This ministry will focus on the various needs of our Church. Our next fundraising event will be a raffle.

They will be sold both on and off site.

We are looking for additional members to help implement and execute this raffle successfully by preparing a mailing of raffle tickets as well as selling before and after Sunday Masses.

Please see the sign-up sheets in the vestibule of the Main Church and the back of the Annex. For more information please call Doroth Cusack 908-752-9926

Or email: Cusackd89@gmail.com

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY

COME AND JOIN US TODAY!

AFTER 10AM - SUNDAY, OCT. 16TH

FOR KIDS CRAFTS IN CAFETERIA

WILL BE SERVING JUICE, COOKIES AND MUFFINS.

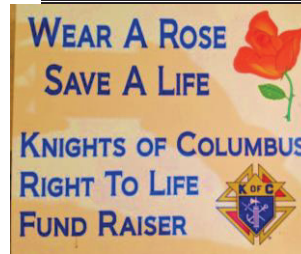
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**Champions for Catholic Charities
Virtual Gala Thur., Oct. 27 ~ 7:00 p.m.
Champions for Catholic**

There is no fee to join the celebration and viewers will have the opportunity to hear testimonials from a few of the people whose lives have been transformed by Catholic Charities. We rely upon the generosity of our faithful supporters so that we can together fulfill the mission of Catholic Charities.

For donations, sponsorship opportunities and links to the October 27th Virtual Gala premiere, go to www.diometuchen.org/champions. Questions may be directed by email to champions@diometuchen.org or by phone to 732-562-2432.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



*This weekend of
October 15/16th
At our Church*



On October 23, 2022 we will be holding a pancake & sausage breakfast (\$7 pay at door) to raise money for our seminarian fund (*Randy Gambo & Anthony Ejie*). Please

keep all the Seminarians in your prayers. For additional information on this program, contact Ed Shellman at eshellman@comcast.net (973)945-3947



RESPECT FOR LIFE MONTH



The New Jersey Right to Life organization will be selling their annual raffle tickets at our parish next weekend, October 22 & 23 before and after all Masses. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

HISPANIC MINISTRY

Bautizos: Todos los Bautizos se celebraran el segundo domingo del mes a la 1:30pm en español. Minimo un mes de anticipacion. Contactar a Nicolas Salinas para las clases de preparacion.

Bodas: Contactar la rectoria
(Minimo un año de anticipacion)

16 de Octubre de 2022 - Domingo
29o del Tiempo Ordinario



“...Proclama la palabra, persiste sea oportuno o no...”

2 Timoteo 4:2
No siempre es conveniente ser un buen corresponsable, especialmente con todas las

tentaciones que nuestro mundo ocupado y materialista nos pone en el camino. Si sumamos ahora nuestro orgullo y ego a la ecuación, vivir un estilo de vida de corresponsabilidad puede ser francamente incómodo. Recuerde, Dios no nos llamó para que estuviéramos cómodos. Él nunca dijo que tendríamos una vida fácil. Mas bien, ¡nos llamó a ser fieles!

LECTURAS PARA LA SEMANA DEL 10/16

Lunes: Ef 2:1-10; Sal 99:2, 3, 4, 5; Lc 12:13-21

Martes: 2 Tm 4:9-17; Sal 144:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Lc 10:1-9

Miércoles: Ef 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lc 12:39-48

Jueves: Ef 3:14-21; Sal 32:1-2, 4-5, 10ab, 11; Lc 12:49-53

Viernes: Ef 4:1-6; Sal 23:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lc 12:54-59

Sábado: Ef 4:7-16; Sal 121:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Lc 13:1-9

Domingo: Sir 35:12-17, 20-22; Sal 33:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lc 18:9-14



CLASES DE INGLES GRATIS

Del 11 de Octubre al 6 de Diciembre, 2022

Del 7 de Febrero al 4 de Abril, 2023

Martes de 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.. At Hackettstown High School 599 Warren St, Hackettstown, NJ 07840

Se ofrecerán servicios de guardería

INSCRIPCION EN PERSONA

Martes, 4 de Octubre de 6-7pm

Sábado, 8 de Octubre de 9-10am

@ Hackettstown High School

Gala Virtual Campeones de Caridades Católicas Jueves, 27 de Octubre ~ 7:00 p.m.

Marque en su calendario el jueves 27 de octubre a las 7:00 p.m. y asegúrese de acompañarnos en la Gala Virtual de Campeones de Caridades Católicas 2022. Este evento pregrabado promete ser una alegre celebración de las vidas que han sido transformadas por el trabajo de Caridades Católicas. Su generosidad y sacrificio ayudarán a garantizar que nadie se quede sin hogar, hambriento o sin apoyo emocional; en estos tiempos extremadamente difíciles. Por favor, ayúdenos a correr la voz sobre Caridades Católicas y las Obras de Misericordia que sirven a miles de hombres, mujeres y niños todos los días.

Por favor, en oración considere convertirse en un Campeón de Caridades Católicas haciendo una donación de cualquier cantidad y de esta forma apoyar los servicios y programas para los más vulnerables. Los enlaces para la Gala Virtual y las donaciones se pueden encontrar en www.diometuchen.org/champions. Para preguntas o donaciones puede comunicarse también al número 732-562-2432.

PRAYER FOR THE SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,
as we gather together in Your name.
With You alone to guide us,
make Yourself at home in our hearts;
Teach us the way we must go
and how we are to pursue it.
We are weak and sinful;
do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.
Let us find in You our unity
so that we may journey together to eternal life
and not stray from the way of truth
and what is right.
All this we ask of You,
who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son,
forever and ever. Amen.

ORACIÓN POR EL SÍNODO SOBRE LA SINODALIDAD

Estamos ante ti, Espíritu Santo, reunidos en tu nombre. Tú que eres nuestro verdadero consejero: ven a nosotros, apóyanos, entra en nuestros corazones.
Enseñanos el camino, muéstranos cómo alcanzar la meta.
Impide que perdamos el rumbo como personas débiles y pecadoras.
No permitas que la ignorancia nos lleve por falsos caminos.
Concédenos el don del discernimiento, para que no dejemos que nuestras acciones se guíen por prejuicios y falsas consideraciones.
Condúcenos a la unidad en ti, para que no nos desviemos del camino de la verdad y la justicia, sino que en nuestro peregrinaje terrenal nos esforcemos por alcanzar la vida eterna.
Esto te lo pedimos a ti, que obras en todo tiempo y lugar, en comunión con el Padre y el Hijo por los siglos de los siglos. Amén



The Blessed Virgin Mary promised to Saint Dominic and to all who follow that "Whatever you ask in the Rosary will be granted." She left for all Christians

Fifteen Promises to those who recite the Holy Rosary. Imparted to Saint Dominic and Blessed Alan.

1. Whoever shall faithfully serve me by the recitation of the Rosary, shall receive **signal graces**.
2. I promise my **special protection** and the **greatest graces** to all those who shall recite the Rosary.
3. The Rosary shall be a **powerful armor against hell**, it will **destroy vice, decrease sin, and defeat heresies**.
4. The Rosary will **cause virtue** and good works to flourish; it will obtain for souls the **abundant mercy of God**; it will **withdraw the hearts of men from the love of the world and its vanities**, and will **lift them to the desire for eternal things**. Oh, that souls would sanctify themselves by this means.
5. The soul which recommends itself to me by the recitation of the Rosary, **shall not perish**.
6. Whoever shall recite the Rosary devoutly, applying himself to the consideration of its sacred mysteries shall **never be conquered by misfortune**. God will not chastise him in His justice, he shall not perish by an unprovided death; if he be just, **he shall remain in the grace of God**, and become **worthy of eternal life**.
7. Whoever shall have a true devotion for the Rosary **shall not die without the sacraments** of the Church.
8. Those who are faithful to recite the Rosary shall have **during their life and at their death the light of God** and the **plenitude of His graces**; at the moment of death, they **shall participate in the merits of the saints** in paradise.
9. I shall **deliver from Purgatory** those who have been **devoted to the Rosary**.
10. The faithful children of the Rosary shall **merit a high degree of glory in Heaven**.
11. You shall **obtain all you ask of me by the recitation of the Rosary**.
12. All those who **propagate the Holy Rosary** shall be **aided by me in their necessities**.
13. I have obtained from my Divine Son that all the **advocates of the Rosary shall have for intercessors the entire celestial court during their life and at the hour of death**.
14. All **who recite the Rosary** are my sons and daughters, and brothers and sisters of my only Son Jesus Christ.
15. Devotion of my Rosary is a **great sign of predestination**.

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