

Church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
The 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time – October 2, 2022



FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS
OF ASSISI OCTOBER 4TH

Blessing of the
Animals at
12pm on the
Church Lawn

Faith

Our parish welcomes
you and your family.

If you have moved to the area,
please register in the parish office.

We would love the opportunity
to introduce ourselves.

YOUR parish welcomes you! ©JPPC

welcome

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
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 1st

5:30pm: Betty Wilson – r/o Ann Marie Bryk
 7:00pm: For the Intentions of the Spanish Community

Sunday, October 2nd

8:00am: For the People of the Parish
 10:00am: Anna Rewiski – r/o Her Daughter

Monday, October 3rd

8:00am: **Kevin O’Neill** – r/o M/M Ed Shellman

Tuesday, October 4th

8:00am: Ioland Zangari – r/o Joe & Teresa Pannia

Wednesday, October 5th

8:00am: Frances La Bonte – r/o Steve & Sue Clark

Thursday, October 6th

8:00am: Anna Cole – r/o Her Estate

Friday, October 7th

8:00am: Mary & Albert Forestiere – r/o The Forestiere Families

7:00pm: For the Intentions of the Spanish Community

Saturday, October 8th

8:00am: Leatrice Zukoski – r/o Kathy Gromlowicz
 8:30am to 12:00pm: Adoration
 5:30pm: For the People of the Parish
 7:00pm: Tomas J. Molina – r/o His Loving Family (Spanish Mass)

Sunday, October 9th

8:00am: Celeste Rossi – r/o The Rossi Family
 10:00am: For the Deceased Members of the Knights Of Columbus, Joyce Kilmer Council



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



“For God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and self-control.”² Timothy 1:7

Many of us compartmentalize our faith, we bring it out only when we attend Mass or when we attend a parish event. Being a good steward requires discipline and striving to put God first in everything - all the time. The next time you are at a neighborhood party or at work or out shopping, would your words and actions signal to others that you are a good and faithful servant of our Lord?

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF 10/2

- Monday: Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c; Lk 10:25-37
- Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15; Lk 10:38-42
- Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
- Thursday: Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 11:5-13
- Friday: Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 11:15-26
- Saturday: Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 11:27-28
- Sunday: 2 Kgs 5:14-17; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19

LECTOR & EM SCHEDULE

	Oct 1 & 2	Oct. 8 & 9
	Lector	
5:30pm	Richard Burke	Lynn Decker
7:00pm	Mercedes Lopez	Irma Cruz
	Marcia Penafiel	Mariana Guaman
8:00am	Yvonne Pulis	Mimi Acuna
10:00am	FF Conf.II	FF Year 6
	Eucharistic Minister	
5:30pm	Dave Tangeman	Lynn Decker
7:00pm	Lisette Fuentes	Carlos Fuentes
8:00am	Charles Macaulay	Jo Forestiere
10:00am	Vita Morales	Al Golluscio
	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
9/4	\$4,777	\$ 971	\$5,748	\$5,877
9/11	\$4,319	\$2,021	\$6,340	\$7,211
9/18	\$5,486	\$1,103	\$6,589	\$5,304
9/25	\$3,818	\$ 876	\$4,694	\$6,253
		Month-to-date	\$23,371	\$24,645
Second	Collection			
9/11	Peter's Pence	\$ 964		
9/25	Repairs & Renovation	\$1,733		

Next weekend there is a special collection for Repairs and Renovations for our church properties. 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 Dryllie-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.

SUPPORT OUR CHURCH

Shop Amazon.com just go to our website and click on the *amazon smile* tab and our church receives a percentage back from Amazon.

Before you go food shopping buy Shoprite and Weis gift cards from us. We get \$5 for every \$100 dollars you buy! On sale after all Masses and in the Rectory from Monday thru Thursday from 9am to 4pm. This also does not cost you any more money than you usually use at the store. **We now have the capability to take credit cards. The charge is \$3. Per \$100.**

Electronic Giving is available to you for your weekly donations to our church. Just go on to our website and click on the **"Electronic Giving"** tab and set up your account. You can edit your account any time you would like.



We would like to thank all the parishioners who volunteer to clean our church. Please call the parish office if you would like to join this important ministry. Many hands make light work!

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.



Is Family Mealtime Important?

By Leah Davies, M.Ed.

Why are Family Mealtimes Important?

- A sense of belonging and mutual trust is fostered when adults and children eat together and enjoy each other's company.
- Family meals provide opportunities for adults to model table manners and nutritious food choices.
- Eating together encourages adult-child communication skills such as listening patiently to each other.
- Mealtimes provide a setting for moral and intellectual discussion where family values are shared.
- Since children thrive on routines, family meals foster a sense of security and stability.
- When children help with meals, they learn skills such as shopping, setting the table, preparing food, serving food, and cleaning up.
- Family meals can foster family traditions and enhance cultural heritages.

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 TUNA.** 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!

DIOCESE OF METUCHEN

Champions for Catholic Charities

Virtual Gala

Thursday, October 27 ~ 7:00 p.m.

Champions for Catholic Charities will again be celebrated through a *Virtual Gala*—a pre-recorded video scheduled to premiere on Thursday, October 27th at 7:00 p.m. 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.



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FILIPINO APOSTOLATE FEAST of SAN
LORENZO RUIZ & COMPANION MARTYRS
MASS HERE AT OUR PARISH ON SEPTEMBER
22ND. THANK YOU FOR ALL WHO ATTENDED!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

As many of you know, the Knights of Columbus Council is currently sponsoring *Randy Gambo Espinoza* on his journey to the priesthood. Recently, we decided to sponsor another Seminarian, *Anthony Ejje*. You may have seen him at the parish with Fr. Leo. Anthony was born and raised in Nigeria. He is the eldest of 4 children in his family. He was educated in Nigeria and **holds two bachelor's degrees**. He is currently in his 3rd year of Theology at Immaculate Conception Seminary in South Orange, NJ. With the grace of God he and Randy, will both be ordained to the Transitional Diaconate in the early/late spring of 2023.

On October 23, 2022 we will be holding a pancake & sausage breakfast to raise money for our seminarian fund. More information will follow.

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



*On the weekend
of October
15/16th
at our church*

IN OUR COMMUNITY



FREE English as a second language classes Oct. 11 – Dec. 6 & Feb. 7 – April 4, 2023

Tuesdays, 6:30 – 8:00pm at Hackettstown High School, 599 Warren St., Hackettstown, NJ 07840. Childcare will be offered. In person registration *only*: Tues., Oct. 4th 6-7pm and Sat., Oct. 8th 9-10am at the High School.

OCTOBER IS RESPECT FOR LIFE MONTH



Life Chain TODAY!
October is Respect Life Month! Life Chain is on *October 2, 2022, 2:00-3:30 pm*, various locations
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to the sanctity of human life Visit: diometuchen.org
The Office of Human Life and Dignity.



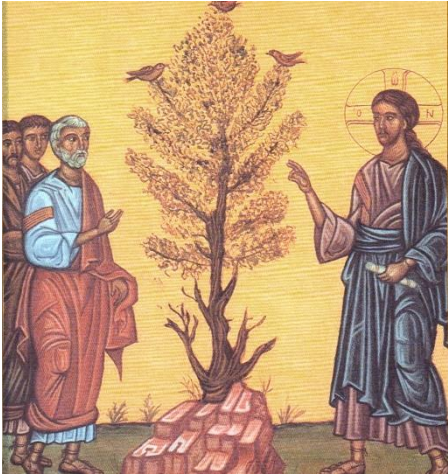
Please join Christians throughout the globe who will be praying September 28th through November 6th during the 40 Days for Life campaign. Offer time to peacefully pray during the 40 day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood, 66 East Washington Ave., Washington. Please pledge to lift the local 40 Days for life campaign up in prayer, as **well as asking for God's protection on all human life** from conception until natural death. For more information visit <https://40daysforlife.com/>

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)

2 de Octubre de 2022 - Domingo
27o del Tiempo Ordinario



“Porque el Espíritu que Dios nos ha dado no nos hace cobardes, sino que él es para nosotros fuente de poder, amor y dominio propio.”

2 Timoteo 1:7

Muchos de nosotros ponemos nuestra Fe en compartimientos, solo la sacamos a relucir cuando atendemos la Misa o cuando atendemos un evento parroquial. Ser un buen administrador requiere disciplina y esforzarnos para poner a Dios primero en todo - todo el tiempo. La próxima vez que esté en una fiesta del vecindario o del trabajo o de compras, ¿podrían sus palabras o acciones señalarle a los demás que usted es un siervo bueno y leal de nuestro Señor?



¡Octubre es el Mes del Respeto a la Vida!
Life Chain es el 2 de octubre de 2022, 2:00-3:30 pm, varios lugares
Testimonio pacífico y orante de la santidad de la

vida humana Visita: diometuchen.org – Oficina de Vida y Dignidad Humana



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

40 Días para la Vida

Por favor, únase a los cristianos de todo el mundo que orarán del 28 de septiembre al 6 de noviembre durante la campaña 40 Días por la Vida. Ofrezca tiempo para orar pacíficamente durante la vigilia de 40 días en el derecho de paso público fuera de Planned Parenthood, 66 East Washington Ave., Washington. Por favor, comprométase a levantar la campaña local de 40 Días por la Vida en oración, así como a pedir la protección de Dios en toda la vida humana desde la concepción hasta la muerte natural.

LECTURAS PARA LA SEMANA DEL 10/2

Lunes: Gal 1:6-12; Sal 110:1, 2, 7-8, 9 y 10c;
Lc 10:25-37

Martes: Gal 1:13-24; Sal 138:1b-3, 13-14ab,
14c-15; Lc 10:38-42

Miércoles: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Sal 116:1, 2; Lc 11:
1-4

Jueves: Gal 3:1-5; Lc 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75;
Lc 11:5-13

Viernes: Gal 3:7-14; Sal 110:1-2, 3-4, 5-6;
Lc 11:15-26

Sábado: Gal 3:21-29; Sal 104:2-3, 4-5, 6-7;
Lc 11:27-28

Domingo: 2 Reyes 5:14-17; Sal 97:1, 2-3ab,
3cd-4; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lc 17:11-19

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.
Enséñanos 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

Mass Antiphon and Responsorial Psalms 27th Week of Ordinary Time (Oct. 2 - 8)

Antiphons (Sunday to Saturday)

Recited before Mass begins:

Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will. For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.

Recited after Communion:

The LORD is good to those who hope in him,
to the soul that seeks him.

Or

Though many, we are one bread, one body,
for we all partake of the one Bread and one Chalice.

Responsorial Psalms

October 2, Sunday: Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

October 3, Monday: Monday of the Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

The Lord will remember his covenant forever.

October 4, Tuesday: Memorial of Saint Francis of Assisi
Guide me, Lord, along the everlasting way.

October 5, Wednesday: Wednesday of the Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

Optional Memorial of Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin
Go out to all the world, and tell the Good News.

October 6, Thursday: Thursday of the Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel; he has come to his people.

October 7, Friday: Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary

The Lord will remember his covenant for ever

October 8, Saturday: Saturday of the Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

	Sunday October 1 & 2	
Entrance Hymn	When in Our Music God is Glorified	No. 612
Offertory Hymn	Her I Am, Lord	No. 777
Communion Hymn	You Satisfy the Hungry Heart	No. 940
Recessional Hymn	Go Make of All Disciples	No. 680

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