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Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church

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Fr. Michael Ume

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Rose Navarro

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30AM
9:00AM*
11:00AM*

Sunday: 5:00PM

Monday-Friday
Mass
In the church
8:15AM*

*** Livestream**

Confession:

Saturdays
3:30-4:30PM
Church

Office Hours:

Sunday
8AM-Noon

Monday-Thursday
9:00AM-Noon &
1:00-4:00PM

Closed
Friday & Saturday

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The blind man said, "Master, I want to see."
Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you."
MARK 10:51–52

Attr. Master of the Antiphonary of San Giovanni Fuorcivitas,
Initial A: Christ Wiping the Tears from the Eyes of the Saved, Florence or Pisa, Italy, c. 1330-1340

THIRTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 24, 2021

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Mission Statement:

ABVM is a Catholic Community. Our mission is to welcome all in the name of Jesus, and to live out our faith as His disciples. We worship, proclaim the Gospel to all, and help those in need.

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Join Us In Worship

Devotions:

Morning Prayer: Monday-Friday 7:45
In Church & Livestreamed

Rosary & Divine Mercy after the 8:15AM daily Mass

First Friday Adoration
First Friday of the Month at 7:00PM

Meditation Chant Service
Temporarily suspended

Prepare for the Sacraments

Baptisms:
Baptisms take place on the third Saturday of each month at 10:00AM. Baptismal Class is the first Sunday of each month at 10:00AM via Zoom. Please contact the office to schedule an appointment to meet with the pastor. Please go to our website for important preparatory information: abvmpasadena.org/sacraments

Marriages:
Engaged couples: Six months of preparation is required by the Catholic Church. Please phone the office to schedule an appointment 6 months *prior* to the proposed wedding date. Available wedding times are on Saturdays: 10AM, 12-Noon, and 2:00PM.

Welcome to Our Parish

Registering in a parish is a declaration of your desire to be a part of a Catholic community and a commitment to the life of the parish family. Being a **registered** parishioner makes things easier when it is time for *infant baptism, school registration, weddings, funerals, affidavits and* when asked to be a baptismal or confirmation *sponsor*. We can only do this if you are a *registered*, *active* and *contributing* member in the parish. Please call, visit the office or go online to our website to register.

FRONTLINE WORKERS—THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

St. Ambrose said; *"No duty is more urgent than that of returning thanks."*

Meet Dr. Brad Cotton, 66, a doctor at Immediate Health Associate in the Columbus, Ohio, who enjoyed working on the frontlines as an emergency room doctor. Yet in March 2020, as the Corona Virus pandemic burst through the doors at hospitals across the world, Cotton left that more dangerous work behind.

What would you do if your job suddenly became much more dangerous? That's the situation millions of healthcare workers who provide medical care to patients, including nurses, doctors, respiratory therapists, EMTs, and many others found themselves. They have a markedly higher risk of becoming infected with the Corona Virus that causes COVID-19, especially if they are exposed to a high volume of sick patients (such as in the Emergency Room) or respiratory secretions (such as intensive care unit healthcare providers). The consequences could be fatal. Meet Dr, Sanjeey Sharma, 66, a consultant obstetrician at Formby who is legally blind after suffering a stroke when he was being treated for Covid-19.This is sometimes the fate of our frontline workers.

Outside of work, people who have healthcare jobs have the same pandemic-related stressors as everyone else. On top of these worries, come added challenges, including; worry that they may carry the COVID-19 coronavirus home and infect loved one, and unusually high and increasing demands to work longer hours as their colleagues become sick or are quarantined. When ICU beds, ventilators, or staffing prove inadequate to meet demand, some healthcare workers will have to make enormously distressing and difficult ethical decisions about which patients get lifesaving care and which do not.

Meet Dr. Timmy Cheng, an Irvine pulmonary and critical care specialist who treated several COVID-19 patients. He moved into his family's garage, camping out in a tent to protect his family from the novel coronavirus. Our healthcare workers responded exceedingly well to this pandemic. They showed up. They put in long hours. There are remarkable stories of the lengths to which they will go in order to protect themselves and their families: doctors staying in the garage, hotels, or rental apartments rather than returning home to risk unwittingly infecting a family member; healthcare workers avoiding their small children when they come home until they can change out of their work clothes. There was a nurse who had given birth and decided to self-quarantine out of concern she might infect her newborn; she pumped breast milk and left it outside her door for her husband to feed to their baby.

These acts of bravery, commitment, and yes, heroism of our frontline responders throughout this crisis are the reason we are having these Masses of Thanksgiving for them. We are entering the Thanksgiving season and we want to be the first in line. The Masses of gratitude for our frontline workers are on the weekend of **October 30th and 31st**. We will bless them at all of the Masses on that weekend. In addition, we will have a special Pancake breakfast at 8 am and 10 am in Msgr. Crean Hall on Sunday, October 31st.

All are welcomed, Catholics and non-Catholics,
Fr. Mike Ume

Thank You
Young Adult Ministry

Many thanks to the Young Adult Ministry for hosting coffee & donuts this weekend. Your service to the parish is appreciated.

LOOKING FOR A WAY TO HELP THE HOMELESS?

Assumption parish will be collecting food for the Friends In Deed Pantry.

<u>October Request:</u>
Canned Meats

Please leave your donation in the box behind the church. by the Pieta. The St. Vincent de Paul volunteers will do the rest!

Knights of Columbus
New Year's Brunch

Knights of Columbus New Year's Brunch and Rose Parade Viewing is back! Get your reservations in now!!! $60 per person (children under 7 free) - includes brunch and parking.

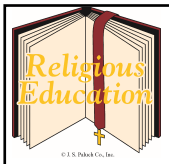
Seating is limited so contact:
John Irwin at 1943gpw.ji@gmail.com
or Bob Gregg at greggtr@yahoo.com or (626) 825-3974 to reserve your spot today.

Welcome First Responders and Health Care Workers!

Knights of Columbus Famous Pancake and Fabulous Egg Breakfast – Sunday, October 31, after 7:30 and 9:00 am Masses

World Mission Sunday Collection
October 23-24

In 1926 Pope Pius XI instituted Mission Sunday for the whole Church with the first worldwide Mission Sunday collection taking place in October 1927. The Mission Sunday collection is always taken on the next to last Sunday during the month of October. That day is celebrated in all the local Churches as the feast of catholicity and universal solidarity so Christians the world over will recognize their common responsibility with regard to the evangelization of the world.



Religious Education
October 24-9:00AM
October 31-9:00AM

Teen Confirmation
October 25-7:00PM-Year II
November 1-7:00PM-Year I

Please contact Ms. Cheli Valdez at (626)792-6844 or at: cvaldez@abvmpasadena.org for information.

Our Religious Education program serves Pre-K through 8th Grade students, classes are held on Sunday mornings. First Communion preparation is a two year process, starting in First Grade. Our two year Confirmation program serves high school students and meets on Monday

All Saints Day
Monday, November 1
IS NOT a
Holy Day of Obligation
this year

Let us remember all the saints who have gone before us in faith, they are examples to us of living out the Gospel message.

All Souls Day

Envelopes for All Souls Day remembrances are in the church. Please fill out the names of your deceased loved ones, and include your donation. You may return the envelope in the collection basket, or to the rectory. These envelopes will be placed on the altar for the month of November.

You may also leave a small photograph of your loved one in the St. Thomas More niche on the west side of the church during November.

Save the Date
Mass Honoring Those Who Died During Covid
Saturday, October 30 ~ 10:00AM

On Saturday, October 30, we will have a special Mass honoring those who died during Covid. You may bring a photo of your loved one.

October ~ The Rosary
The Mysteries

Meditating on Mysteries

Another line of development in monastic prayer eventually led to the practice of contemplating Christ's life while reciting the Hail Marys. Some monasteries began associating the psalms with an aspect of Jesus's life. At the end of each psalm, the monks would recite a phrase relating that psalm to the life of Jesus or Mary. Taken together, these phrases formed a brief life of Christ and his mother.

A devotion that joined fifty of these phrases with the praying of fifty Hail Marys began in the early fifteenth century. However, since fifty points of reflection generally could not be recalled without a book, the devotion was simplified by reducing the meditation points to fifteen, with one for every decade. Thus, by the end of the fifteenth century, the basic structure of the rosary was in place: Our Fathers dividing decades of Hail Marys, with meditations on the life of Christ and Mary.

In the sixteenth century, the sets of five Joyful, five Sorrowful, and five Glorious Mysteries as we know them today began to emerge. Also, the vocal prayers of the rosary were finalized. The Glory Be was added to the end of every decade, and the second half of the Hail Mary was formalized: "Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen."

In 1569, Pope Saint Pius V officially approved the rosary in this form: fifteen decades of Hail Marys introduced by the Our Father and concluded with the Glory Be.

The Church has used three sets of mysteries for many centuries. In 2002 Pope John Paul II proposed a fourth set of mysteries—the Mysteries of Light, or Luminous Mysteries.

According to his suggestion, the four sets of mysteries might be prayed on the following days: the Joyful Mysteries on Monday and Saturday, the Sorrowful Mysteries on Tuesday and Friday, the Glorious Mysteries on Wednesday and Sunday, and the Luminous Mysteries on Thursday.

Honoring Our Medical Personnel and First Responders
October 30-31

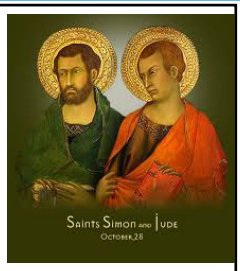
We will be honoring all of our Medical Personnel and First Responders that weekend with a special blessing at all Masses and a Free Pancake Breakfast (after the 7:30 & 9:00AM Masses).

Fatima Statue

Our beautiful Fatima Statue will be in the church after the weekday morning Masses in October for the recitation of the Rosary.

Due to Covid, the statue will not be traveling to private homes this year.

Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles
Feast Day ~ October 28



Jude is so named by Luke and Acts. Matthew and Mark call him Thaddeus. He was the brother of James, and most likely a fisherman by trade. He is not mentioned elsewhere in the Gospels, except of course where all the apostles are mentioned. Scholars hold that he is not the author of the Letter of Jude. Actually, Jude had the same name as Judas Iscariot. Evidently because of the disgrace of that name, it was shortened to "Jude" in English.

Simon is mentioned on all four lists of the apostles. On two of them he is called "the Zealot," to distinguish him from Simon/Peter. The Zealots were a Jewish sect that represented an extreme of Jewish nationalism. For them, the messianic promise of the Old Testament meant that the Jews were to be a free and independent nation. God alone was their king, and any payment of taxes to the Romans—the very domination of the Romans—was a blasphemy against God. Many were the counterparts of modern terrorists. They raided and killed, attacking both foreigners and "collaborating" Jews. They were chiefly responsible for the rebellion against Rome which ended in the destruction of Jerusalem in A.D. 70.

Reflection

As in the case of all the apostles except for Peter, James and John, we are faced with men who are really unknown, and we are struck by the fact that their holiness is simply taken to be a gift of Christ. He chose some unlikely people: a former Zealot, a former (crooked) tax collector, an impetuous fisherman, two "sons of thunder," and a man named Judas Iscariot.

It is a reminder that we cannot receive too often. Holiness does not depend on human merit, culture, personality, effort, or achievement. It is entirely God's creation and gift. God needs no Zealots to bring about the kingdom by force. Jude, like all the saints, is the saint of the impossible: Only God can create his divine life in human beings. And God wills to do so, for all of us.

Saint Jude is the Patron Saint of: Desperate Situations

~ Franciscanmedia

DID YOU KNOW?

<u>Have a spooky and safe Halloween</u>

With Halloween right around the corner, here are a few tips to keep your holiday safe and fun! Before they go trick-or-treating, talk with your children about safety and set the ground rules. Young children should always trick or treat with an adult. Join up with friends or family and stick to neighborhoods you know, with houses that are lit and ready for trick or treaters. Stay on sidewalks when possible, and if children have a hard time walking between houses, make a game of it — take big steps, or march from house to house. For more information, please visit https://www.catholiccharitiesaz.org/item/140-tips-for-a-treat-filled-halloween.content/ncmec/en/blog/2020/love-of-likes.html.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Assumption Conference

We Completed Our 5th Fiscal Year

As we now move into our 6th year as a Conference, I wish to thank our Conference members for their unwavering service and compassion to the needy and the poor. I believe St. Vincent and Frederic Ozanam would be truly proud.

To our wonderful supporters who may be asking, how has it been going? What about Covid? Can you still serve the poor? Have you been busy? For any of our parishioners who may be thinking of these questions, allow me to answer them here by thanking our Conference with a brief recap:

Thank you, Assumption Conference over these past 6 years… ...

…for having driven around the world more than once…

…for reaching 30,000+ service hours…

…for twinning and supporting poor Conferences without resources throughout the LA Council…

…for keeping 5 children in our school…

…for sending 12 underprivileged children to summer camp…

…for supplying 6,000lbs. of food to Friends In Deed…

…for supporting our Gators, My Tribe Rise, St. Andrew's, St. Philip's, Sacred Heart, the West San Gabriel Valley District, the Cardinal Manning Center, Our Lady of Guadeloupe, Our Lady of Victory, Holy Family, St. Bede's, the Bad Weather Shelter, the Bad Weather Service, Friends In Deed, the Altadena Community Church Pantry, and the Los Angeles Council along with Disaster Relief at SSVdP USA…

…for caring for over 100 Friends In Need in our parish and beyond...

…for delivering over 1200 Christmas gifts and books…

…for creating along with our wonderful Gators, 2,500 Mercy Bags and delivering them to the homeless throughout Pasadena, El Monte, East LA, South LA, Long Beach...

…for creating and delivering @500 Bad Weather Rescue Kits, portable shelter for the homeless…

...for your adherence to further training and education…

...for your countless prayers...

And for cultivating your Vincentian hearts: to put God first, to be prudent, compassionate and selfless.

For all that you have done, and all that you are about to do… God Bless You!

Many, many thanks to our beautiful parish, to Father Mike, to our rectory staff, our Knights, our many ministries, and our Gators… to all of you, please know that we Vincentians are immeasurably grateful for your love and support.

Eternally, and without compromise…
Robert Wyatt, President

Weddings at Assumption

Sacred Scripture begins with the creation and union of man and woman and ends with "the wedding feast of the Lamb" (Rev 19:7, 9). Scripture often refers to marriage, its origin and purpose, the meaning God gave to it, and its renewal in the covenant made by Jesus with his Church. Man and woman were created for each other.

By their marriage, the couple witnesses Christ's spousal love for the Church. One of the Nuptial Blessings in the liturgical celebration of marriage refers to this in saying, "Father, you have made the union of man and wife so holy a mystery that it symbolizes the marriage of Christ and his Church."

The Sacrament of Marriage is a covenant, which is more than a contract. Covenant always expresses a relationship between persons. The marriage covenant refers to the relationship between the husband and wife, a permanent union of persons capable of knowing and loving each other and God. The celebration of marriage is also a liturgical act, appropriately held in a public liturgy at church. Catholics are urged to celebrate their marriage within the Eucharistic Liturgy. ~USCCB

We welcome couples to plan their wedding celebration at Assumption. The Catholic Church requires a preparation period of at least 6 months. Marriage preparation address such topics as: the Sacrament of Matrimony, communication, and decision-making.

Please phone the office to schedule an appointment 6 months *prior* to the proposed wedding date. **Available wedding times are on Saturdays: 10AM, 12-Noon, and 2:00PM.**

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OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY SCHOOL
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Did You Know?

Assumption School is accredited by WASC (Western Association of Schools & Colleges) and WCEA (Western Catholic Education Association). They foster excellence in education by encouraging school improvement and recognizing schools that meet their level of quality. Our accreditation was given the full 6 year term before renewal is required in 2024.

FOR ENROLLMENT INQUIRIES OR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL (626) 793-2089 OFFICE HOURS: M-F 8:00am – 3:30pm OR EMAIL US AT admissions@abvmpasadena.org or principal@abvmpasadena.org

Service as a Way of Life

Students making lunches for the Homeless is just one way in which our students help our greater community.

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Ayris Azia
Susan Rodriguez Albers
Leslie Beltran
Lisa Beltran
Lori Berberian
Jim Billups
Michael Boore, Jr.
Paulin Bowd
Matilde Candenosa
David Carvajal
Rhia Chung
Allie Clark
Dolores Diott
Louise Dockey
Gloria Elio
Aurora Fletes
Christopher Gatti
Barbara Gera
Jack Golden
Monica Gonzales
The Grimm Family
Msgr. Jim Gehl
Pearl Haggins
Christie Ford
Marina Henderson
Daniela Janin
William Jennings
Jim Joy
Carol Kealey
Krystal Kim
Courtney Leonis
Mari Jo Lewis
Elaine Lieber
Dom Llamas
Joseph (Joe) Lopez
Clare Liu-Tam
George Mekhaial
Ariel Moguel
Hermenegildo Moguel, Jr.
Ma. Luisa Moguel
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Dorothy Montgomery
Sgt. Andrew Noonan
Vanessa Ojeda
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Chandra & Howard Persad
Diane Price
Giovanna Price
Michael Rufo
Marie Ryan
Raji Saadi
Sbrocca Family
Anthony Santillan Smith
James Smith
Katie Sorrentino
Mary Tracy
Ana Tromba
Morgan Underwood
Dolores Velling
Lupe Wynia

...Those Who Have Died

Calendar of Events

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For virtual meetings, please contact the group leader for connection information.

Sunday, October 24
World Mission Sunday
Coffee & Donuts-After 7:30 & 9:00AM Masses-MCH
9:00AM Religious Education Classes-Various

Monday, October 25
10:00PM Society of St. Vincent de Paul Admin.-CC/2nd
7:00PM Confirmation Class-Year II-MCH
7:00PM Intercessory Prayer Group-Church

Tuesday, October 26
9:00AM Senior Group-CC-Long Room
6:00PM Cub Scouts-MMA
7:00PM Society of St. Vincent de Paul Meeting-CC/2nd

Wednesday, October 27
7:00PM Young Adult Ministry-Church & Zoom
7:00PM Knights of Columbus Meeting-Virtual
7:00PM Bible Study-Zoom
7:30PM Boy Scouts Troop 31

Thursday, October 28
9:00AM Senior Group-CC/LR
10:00AM Bible Study-Zoom

Friday, October 29

Saturday, October 30
3:30PM Confessions-Church

Sunday, October 31 Halloween
Pancake Breakfast-MCH
9:00AM Religious Education Classes-Various

"Take courage; get up, Jesus is calling you." (Mark 10:49)

Help us to answer the call of Jesus, and fulfill our mission to "welcome, all in the name of Jesus, and live out our faith as His disciples." Please consider remembering Assumption parish and school in your estate plan.

For further information, please contact Kimberly Jetton at (213) 637-7512 / PlannedGiving@LA-Archdiocese.org www.ADLALegacy.org.

Flower Donations

Honor a family member or friend by donating flowers in their name for the altar. Families making flower donations, and the names of those to be remembered, will be placed in our weekly bulletin. What a great gift!

Please call the Rectory Office to purchase flowers to be placed on the Altar for a weekend of Masses. All bouquets must be paid for at the time of the order.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for October

Missionary Disciples
We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.

Weekly Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, October 23
5:00PM Mr. & Mrs. Wally Johnson, RIP
Marina & Alfredo Merino, RIP

Sunday, October 24
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30AM Benedict & Emily Pavia, RIP
9:00AM Mary Aguilar, RIP
Ron Ross, RIP
Msgr. Moretti, RIP
Marisa Sabin, RIP
11:00AM For the People
5:00PM For Families

Monday, October 25
8:15AM Crisanta Aquino, RIP

Tuesday, October 26
8:15AM For the Homeless & Hungry

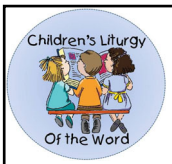
Wednesday, October 27
8:15AM Maria Sancho, RIP
Jose Jonathan Magnaye, RIP
Vicky Joseph - Comfort and Healing

Thursday, October 28
Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles
8:15AM For those in Desperate Situaltions

Friday, October 29
8:15AM For the Sick and Their Caregivers

Today's Readings	Next Sunday's Readings
Jeremiah 31:7-9	Deuteronomy 6:2-6
Hebrews 5:1-6	Hebrews 7:23-28
Mark 10:46-52	Mark 12:28-34

Priest & Musician Mass Schedule for Next Week
Saturday, October 30
5:00PM...Fr. Mike (Victoria Mohutsky)
Sunday, October 31
7:30AM…Fr. Mike (Gabriel Reyes)
9:00AM...Fr. Mike (Ralph Mohutsky)
11:00AM...Fr. Mike (Victoria Mohutsky)
5:00PM…Fr. Donal (Victoria Mohutsky)



Volunteers Needed
Children's Liturgy of the Word

Fr. Mike is looking for volunteers to help with the Children's Liturgy of the Word at the Sunday, 9:00AM Mass.

- Volunteers would proclaim God's Word with Children appropriate to their understanding.
- It is liturgy, and is not Sunday School.
- It is time to hear God's Word at an appropriate level.
- It is an opportunity to hear the Gospel message and consider how to practice it in life.

Please call the rectory to volunteer.

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PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Holy Spirit Thou Who makes me see everything and show me the way to reach the ideal, fill my heart with Thy holy gifts. Let my weakness be filled with Thy strength this very day that I may fulfill the duties of my state conscientiously. That I may do what is right and just. Assist me Holy Spirit in all the trials of life. Enlighten me in my ignorance, advise me in my doubts, strengthen me in my weakness, help me in all need and embarrassment, protect me in temptation and console me in affliction. Let my charity be such as to offend no one, and hurt no one's feelings; so generous as to pardon sincerely any wrong done to me. Graciously hear me Holy Spirit and pour Thy light into my heart, my soul and my mind. Assist me to live a holy life and to grow in goodness and grace. Amen. Thou Who give me the divine gift to forgive and forget the wrong that is done to me and Who is in all instances with me, I want to thank Thee for everything and confirm once more that I never want to be separated from Thee no matter how great the material needs may be. I want to be with Thee and my loved ones in Thy perpetual glory. Amen. Come Holy Spirit with Thy light, with Thy grace, with Thy strength, with Thy consolation, with Thy charity that I may be worthy to live a holy life. Amen.

Thank you to Nice, Jon & John

WHY IS IT
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