



## OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**WELCOME TO THIS CHURCH, THE HOUSE OF THE LORD, A HOUSE OF PRAYER**

Please help us to keep this spirit of prayer via dress, behaviour and gesture

### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We the Assumption Parish, are a Community of Faith with Vision to build Our Parish into a Vibrant "Community of Communities" Serving Humanity And in doing so, enable each parishioner to enrich his or her Spiritual Life In Communion with Christ.

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### THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Sunday 10 Sept.	09.30am	Junior Catechism (1 <sup>st</sup> Steps & Faith group 1-4)
Monday 11 Sept.	06.30pm	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
Tuesday 12 Sept.	07:00pm	Senior Catechism (Gr 8&9 & Confirmation 2018)
Thursday 14 Sept	07.00pm	RCIA 2018 – People Of God
Sunday 17 Sept	09.30am	Junior Catechism (1 <sup>st</sup> Steps & Faith group 1-4)

### FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 19 Sept.	07:00pm	Senior Catechism (Gr 8&9 & Confirmation 2018)
Wednesday 20 Sept	05:30pm	St Vincent De Paul Society Meeting – Hurley Room
Thursday 21 Sept	07.00pm	RCIA 2018 – The Early Church
Sunday 24 Sept	09.30am	Junior Catechism (1 <sup>st</sup> Steps & Faith group 1-4)

### REGULAR EVENTS

Mon/Tue/Thurs/ Fri	08:00am	Morning Prayer in Blessed Sacrament Chapel
Mon – Saturday	06:00am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 5:00pm
Tuesdays	06:30pm	Choir Rehearsal in Church
Wednesdays	07:00pm	Parish Priest's day off Assumption Men's Group Meeting
Thursdays	08:30am 09:30am	Rosary/Prayer for Vocations & Priests in Church Getting-to-know-you in Community Room
Fridays	10:30am	Rosary Group (in Church)
Sundays	09:30am	Legion of Mary in the Cry Room

### Times of Masses and Intentions

Requests for Mass Intentions and donations are arranged with the parish secretary. Parishioners are encouraged to attend the Mass of their requested intention.

Saturday 09 September	05.30pm	Dolly Fayle RIP – CWL Mercy Lushaba's Birthday Blessings
Sunday 10 September	08.00am	Nada Ndlovu RIP – Scelo Ndlovu Victoria & Mbili Family RIP – Mbali Dlamini Thanksgiving – Rosaria Palazzo
	05.30pm	Family & Friends RIP – Stella Poff Intentions of the Parish Jane Foley's Birthday Blessings – Her Family
Monday 11 September	05:30pm	Frank & Shelagh McCarthy RIP - Roanne
Tuesday 12 September	05.30pm	Fr Zibonele's Intentions Thanksgiving – Gary Vella
Wednesday 13 September	06.00am	Communion Service
Thursday 14 September	09.00am	
Friday 15 September	05.30pm	
Saturday 16 September	05.30pm	Intentions of the Parish
Sunday 17 September	08.00am	Eunice Fynn RIP – Cheryllynn Baba Dlamini RIP – Scelo Ndlovu Pumla Mabizela's Birthday Intentions
	05.30pm	Colin Melson RIP – Linda & Family Special Intentions – Caren Khan
PLEASE PRAY for the seriously sick: Rosen Thambiran & Lauren Simpson		

**Confessions :** 4:15pm – 5:15pm Saturdays (& also by appointment)

### NOTICES

**Parish Birthday-22<sup>nd</sup> October- :** We are looking for volunteers to assist with this celebration which will take place after the 10:00am Mass. Please fill in your names on the form which is outside the Repository.

**Meal Contribution for Parish Birthday** – Thank you to those who have already replied to this request but we still are in need of more names. Forms/posters are still available at the back of the Church.

**Parish Youth Ministry** – All youth (young women and young men) of the Assumption Parish, who fall within the ages of 14-35, are cordially invited to be part of the Parish Youth ministry. Forms available at the back of the church for those who are interested to be part of the group..

**Catholic Schools Concert** - choirs from 4 senior schools will join together with the signing choir from Kwa Thintwa School for the Deaf in "A Song for World Peace" on Wednesday 20 September at 6pm at Emmanuel Cathedral. Guest of honour: Mgr Paul Nadal. Free entrance – a collection will be taken for the Denis Hurley Centre. Safe parking behind the Cathedral from 5:30pm.

**MINI WORLD YOUTH DAY 2017 – "Days In the Parishes" - 3-5 Dec.** Are you willing to assist in hosting youth from other countries and centres prior to MWYD (6-10Dec)? , If so please complete a form at the back of the church and return ASAP. Registration for MWYD has been extended. Forms are available at the back of the Church. Youth who wish to be part of this great event in the history of the Archdiocese, please send in your forms as soon as possible. Email to [reg03@confco.co.za](mailto:reg03@confco.co.za)

We acknowledge the few who have responded to host the Youth. We appeal once again for families to host Youth from other centres or countries. (Contact Eugene Lushaba 072 7876886)

**70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Concert** – featuring our own Assumption Choir will take place on Saturday, 21 October 2017 in the Church at 3pm.

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