Welcome!

Daily Mass:

Monday - Saturday: 7:30am

Phases 2 Temporary Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm Sunday: 7:00am

> 9:00am 11:00pm 4:30pm

Holy Days of Obligation:

Vigil Mass: 5:30pm

Holy Day: 7:30am, 12:15pm

and 5:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Monday and Wednesday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 3:30pm - 4:15pm

Sacrament of Baptism:

Sundays at 1:00pm

Pre-Baptismal instruction is required for first time parents. Please call the parish office to schedule the class and Baptism.

Sacrament of Matrimony:

Please contact Michelle Hankey in the parish office at least six months prior to wedding date.

New Parishioners:

We warmly welcome you and your family to our parish community. Please contact the parish office to register.

Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 4:30pm (closed 12:00pm - 1:00pm)

Religious Education Office Hours: Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4:00pm

(Closed for the month of July)

Parish Office Address and Telephone:

98 Riverside Avenue, Westport, CT 06880 Phone: 203-227-5161 Fax: 203-227-1206

WEBSITE: www.assumptionwestport.org

Church of the Assumption

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORGINARY July 19, 2020



CLERGY

Fr. Cyrus Bartolome, Pastor frcyrus@assumptionwestport.org
Deacon Bill Koniers
dnkoniers@assumptionwestport.org

Fr. Augustine Nguyen (Weekend Assistance) Msgr. Richard Shea (Weekend Assistance)

PARISH STAFF

Michelle Hankey, Business Manager mhankey@assumptionwestport.org Nancy Curcio, Assistant Business Manager ncurcio@assumptionwestport.org Dennis Stypinski, Parish Custodian

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE (203-226-5448)

Catherine Romano, Director cromano@assumptionwestport.org
Marie Vandall, Confirmation Coordinator mvandall@assumptionwestport.org

YOUTH MINISTRY (203-222-8486)

Michele Harding, Youth Minister mharding@assumptionwestport.org

SACRED MUSIC MINISTRY (203-227-5161 ext. 105)

Frank Matto, Director and Organist fmatto@assumptionwestport.org
Aidan Andrews, Cantor



Saturday, July 18

7:30am

5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday, July 19

7:30am 9:00am

10:30am

12:00pm 5:00pm

Monday, July 20

7:30am

Tuesday, July 21

7:30am

Wednesday, July 22

7:30am

Thursday, July 23

7:30am

Friday, July 24

7:30am

Saturday, July 25

7:30am

5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday, July 26

7:30am 9:00am 10:30am 12:00pm 5:00pm St. Bruno of Segni

Ira Lacson Frank DeMace

St. Arsenius

Rosemond Romano Joyce A. Stengel

Sarah Mary and Joseph Anthony D'Amico

Garrett Collopy Donna Paoletti

St. Margaret of Antioch

Lowell McFarland

St. Lawrence of Brindisi

Aeneas Carroll

St. Mary Magdalene

Patti Maruscsak (Living)

St. Bridget of Sweden

Mary & Peter Swank

St. John Boste Edward White

St. James, St. Christopher,

St. Olympias

Ross Colletti Dorothy Matto

St. Joachim, St. Anne

Mary Valiante John P. Slevin Bill Durdach Anna Tartarone Donna Paoletti

All scheduled Sunday Mass Intentions will be read at all Sunday masses.

Pray For Our Recently Deceased

Thomas Leyden, Brandon Carner, Danielle Murrugarra, Lily Derwin, Peter Izzo, John Anastasia, Patricia McCarthy

May they rest in peace.

In Loving Memory

The flowers at Mary's statue are in loving memory of **Lily Derwin**

The candles at Mary's statue burn in loving memory of **Brandon Carner**

The Altar candles burn in loving memory of **Thomas Leyden**

The Sanctuary candle burns in loving memory of Carmen Joseph Tornatore

The candles at the Tabernacle burn in loving memory of **Peter Izzo**



Pray for the Sick

Please remember in your daily prayers all the sick of our parish and their caregivers, especially:

Catherine Alter, Meghan Andrews, Mary Ann Andronaco, Noelle Anastasia, Mitza Arena, Brendan Bachon, Joan Bailey, Henry Baker, Bob Barker, Ryan Brewster, Mary Bulakites, Nancy Burke, Maryann Burriesce, Betty Cabral, Elijah Capuano, Bill Chadwell, Michael Cole, Tonino Covatta, Andrea Charboneau, Alder Crocker, Ann Danilak, Connie & Howard Danner, Nicholas DeMatteo, Amanda DeRosa, Matt Dudzik, Colette Dunham, Gail Eichinger, Angela Farricielli, Charlie French, Peter Gakos, Barbara Gentile, Diane & Anthony Gilbertie, Guy Giordano, Elisabeth Grein, Wilfried Grein, Bill Guzewicz, Katarina Hale, Frances Casey Hansen, Jane Hawley, Sean Healy, Malcolm Heckman, Bob Helfenstein, Logan Howard, Marie James, Kathy Jeary, Bernadette Juoan, Jack Kelly, Nancy Kelly, Laura Kesling, Dan Kiely Sr., Frank Kropf, Mary-Ellen Kuhn, Abigail Lamb, Grant Leschin, Eddy & Rita Leyden, Caitlyn Llorens, Owen Llorens, Sean Llorens, Michelle Lombardi, Frank Machi, TerryAnn McDonald, Helen Maggio, Gabriella McCrae, Clarissa Moore, Estelle Murray, Denise Murtha, Lisa O'Connor, Donna Olsen, Lisa Orr, Kevin Palaez, Stephanie Philo, Kim Preston, Alexa Prosnitz, CJ. Rice, Charlie Robins, Deanne Ryan, Frank Ryan, Sandra Ryan, Teresa Sacouto, Adrian Sandiford, Kerry Schroeder, Kazime Seckin , Greg Strauss, Cheri Travis, Carl Viesti, Pat Viesti, Jean Wanat, Lee Watkins, Paula Weltens, Bob Wentworth and Victoria Whalen.

Please help us update our prayers for the sick list. If there is anyone you would like to add/remove, please contact the Parish Office at 203-227-5161 or mhankey@assumptionwestport.org



Parish Prayer Ministry is a network of members who pray for you and your intentions. If you or someone you know is in

need of prayer or a special intention, please contact Liz Lazarou at lizlazarou@optonline.net or Betty Copersino at 203-226-6702. Please leave a message with the first name of the person you would like to pray for and the prayer request (last names are permitted for the deceased only). Your intentions will be forwarded to the network. If you are interested in joining the Prayer Network, please contact Liz or Betty for more details.



Pray for our men and women currently serving our country

SGT Randy Ackerman, US Army L.Cpl. Durry Becker, USMC Matthew Bradstock, US Army James Branson, USN Lt. Griffin Burke, USN 1LT Andrew Chappo, US Army Tony Cuseo, USMC Ryan J. David, USN 2LT Alex Deep, US Army SGT Christopher Dietl, US Army Pvt. Auriane de Sousa, US Army SGT Kimberly Gendreau, US Army SGT Stephanie Gilbertie, US Army SGT Trevor Gilbertie, US Army L. Cpl. William Gilbertie, USMC Sgt. Matthew Harwedel, USMC Sgt. Joseph Kelly, USMC 2LT Karl Kuechenmeister Cpl. Michael Linnen, USMC 1LT Lyle Regalado, US Army Sgt. Andre Mercado-Divoff SPC Jonathan Morris, US Army LT Jonathan R. Nelson, USN LTJG Ryan T. Nelson, USN SGT Colin Santacroce, US Army Lt. Col. Devin A. Smiley, USMC M/Sgt. Zachary B. Taylor, USAF Patrick Tazella, US Army CPT James Tesauro, US Army Cpl. Calvin Robert Wauchope, USMC L.Cpl. Patrick Zingaro, USMC

Please pray for all those who have been wounded or have sacrificed their lives for the cause of peace.

Adoration & Daily Rosary

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed
Monday and Wednesday
8:00am – 5:00pm

Please call Andrea Remlin 203-227-5477 if you would like to take ½ - 1 hour of Adoration. Private daily Rosary for Peace 7:30am - 5:00pm.

NOTICE TO PARISHIONERS

During this time of uncertainty in our society and in our nation, we realize that some of you may want to speak with the clergy. If you would like to speak over the phone or meet in person with Fr. Cyrus or

Deacon Bill, please call the parish office at 203-227-5161 or email directly at:

frcyrus@assumptionwestport.org or dnkoniers@assumptionwestport.org

Phase 2: Mass inside the Church Mass Schedule for Phase 2

Weekday: Monday - Saturday - 7:30am Confessions: Saturdays 3:30pm - 4:15pm

Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm

Sunday: 7:00am (reserved for Seniors), 9:00am, 11:00am and 4:30pm

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Please visit www.assumptionwestport.org to reserve a seat.

A maximum of 100 people (50 upstairs and 50 downstairs in McGrath Hall) at each mass by reservation. Please wear your facemask. If you forget or do not have a one we will provide a disposal facemask in a ziplock together with gloves and hand sanitizing pads for your safety and the safety of others. For reservations and more information regarding the guidelines please visit the website.

PLEASE NOTE: The schedule for Mass times are designed to make sure there is enough time to sanitize and disinfect the building (pews, doors knobs, etc.) after each Mass. We ask you to please be patient as we try to make sure your safety and the safety of others are observed. During the celebration of Masses the church's restrooms will be CLOSED.

All masses will continue to be live-streamed & available for replay through the parish website www.assumptionwestport.org



Weekly Offertory: July 12, 2020

Sunday Offertory \$3,535.00 Online Giving \$3,167.00

\$6,702.00

Thank you to all of the parishioners who have continued sending in their weekly offertory either at mass, by mail or through Online Giving. Your contributions help support the parish and all of the outreach ministries that are in need during this crisis. If you would like to donate through **Online Giving** please visit our website at **www.assumptionwestport.org** It's easy, safe and convenient. Thank you again for your ongoing support. God Bless!

Fr. Cyrus

Diocese of Bridgeport 2020 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL



THANK YOU to all who have donated to the 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal. We have received \$85,589 (51.64%) towards our \$165,750 goal. Your donations help many charitable organizations and your generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continued support!



Our Online Giving system provides parishioners the opportunity to donate to our special collections in addition to regular offerings. You can choose to give a one-time gift, a special remembrance or your end of the year contribution. The system allows you to schedule contributions to be withdrawn on the date you specify. Even if you typically use your offertory envelopes, you may wish to contribute online to a particular collection.

Sign-up for Online Giving by visiting our parish website: www.assumptionwestport.org and select the Online Giving link.

THOMAS (BIG RED) LEYDEN December 21, 1937 - July 11, 2020



For the past 50 years, Tom, Big Red to many of us, was a faithful parishioner at Assumption Church. We thank him for his time, talent and treasure to the parish. We will miss his wisdom, love and sense of humor. Please pray for his wife Rita, his children and grandchildren.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION UPDATE

The Religious Education office is closed during the month of July and will re-open on Monday, August 3rd. Registration for classes will be available online on August 10th. For detailed information regarding classes, the program and registration, please visit www.assumptionwestport.org and click on the Religious Education tab.



ASSUMPTION WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY SUMMER SESSION

We would like to welcome all women from the parish to join our exciting new bible study program called "Walking with Purpose." Our official summer session will begin on Monday, July 20 from 7:30pm - 8:30pm via Zoom and will run for six weeks on Monday evenings. This is a wonderful opportunity to strengthen your prayer life, grow closer to the Lord, learn more about the word of God and connect with other women from Assumption! For more information and to register for the summer sessions please contact Joyce Sixsmith at joyce.sixsmith@gmail.com.



WE STAND WITH CHRIST A Special Thank you

We thank all of our parishioners who have made a pledge to the **We Stand With Christ Campaign** and we would

like to invite those who have not yet made a pledge to do so, if possible, at this time. Your generosity to We Stand With Christ will enable the following projects to be completed at our parish:

- Repair Burr Road sidewalks completed!
- · Renovations of McGrath Hall
- Refurbish & Restore Church Steeples
- Faith Formation initiatives and support of charitable organizations.

As our pledge collection period continues, please mail your payments to the Campaign Office at: We Stand With Christ Diocese of Bridgeport, P.O. Box 158, Kensington, CT 06037 or you can also visit www.givecentral.org/wswc to set up your account online. If you have any questions about your pledge or payments, you may contact the Campaign Office at 203-648-9050.

If you have any questions about the campaign or would like to speak with me about your pledge, please contact me at the parish office and I will be happy to schedule a time to meet with you.

Let us continue to pray for one another and for our parish.

Sincerely yours in Christ, Fr. Cyrus



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ASSUMPTION YOUTH GROUP

Last weekend the Assumption Youth Group took time out to help our friends at Notre Dame Rehabilitation Center in Norwalk who have been on lockdown since March 1. The group beautified the center's outdoor patio with flower pots. Thank you to all who worked so hard and to those who were not able to make it in person but donated arrangements.







Interested in becoming a part of our faith family?
Have you changed your cell phone or email address?
Please contact the Parish Office 203-227-5161 or
email mhankey@assumptionwestport.org for
a registration form or to update
your contact information.

Welcome to Assumption Church!