Welcome!

Daily Mass:

Monday - Saturday: 7:30am

Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am (Seniors)

> 9:00am 10:30am 12:00 pm 5:00pm

Holy Days of Obligation:

Vigil Mass: 5:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Sacrament of Baptism:

Sundays at 1:15 pm

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 or check our website 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

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

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 27, 2021



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MASS INTENTIONS

PLEASE NOTE: LAST WEEKEND, OUR PRE-COVID MASS TIMES WERE REINSTATED.

Saturday, June 26

7:30am Michael McKenna **5:00 pm** (Vigil) Margaret Labbance

Sunday, June 27

7:30am Ketty Marti

9:00am Raymond Simon-Vermot 10:30am Anthony, Angela & Tom

Ferrone

12:00pm The Passarelli Family

5:00pm Ricardo Soto

Monday, June 28 St. Irenaues

7:30am Thomas James McGlone

Tuesday, June 29 St. Peter & Paul, Apostles

7:30am Elizabeth Keen

Wednesday, June 30

7:30am Regina Sullivan

Thursday, July 1 St. Junipero Serra
7:30am Frank Maduri

Friday, July 2

7:30am Charlene Surette

Saturday, July 3 St. Thomas, Apostle
7:30am Mary Ann Byrne Hurley

5:00 pm (Vigil) Beatrix Brownfield

Sunday, July 4

7:30am Bobra Harris
9:00am David Paplanus
10:30am Felix & Nazareth Terrero
12:00pm George Amatuzzi, Sr.
5:00pm Family of Assumption

Pray For Our Recently Deceased

Conrad Alexander Acosta, William Csontos Jr., Mary Vita, Elizabeth Flynn, Bill Guzewicz, Gracemary Cahill

May they rest in peace.

IN LOVING MEMORY

The flowers at Mary's statue are in loving memory of **John Moran**

The candles at Mary's statue burn in loving memory of **James Julian**

The Altar candles burn in loving memory of **Bill Delano**

The Sanctuary candle burns in loving memory of Conrad Alexander Acosta

The candles at the Tabernacle burn in loving memory of **Dorothy Matto**



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, Enza Cassato, Michael Cole, Tonino Covatta, Andrea Charboneau, Alder Crocker, Ann Danilak, Connie & Howard Danner, Nicholas DeMatteo, Matt Dudzik, Colette Dunham, Gail Eichinger, Peter Gakos, Barbara Gentile, Diane & Anthony Gilbertie, Guy Giordano, Elisabeth Grein, Wilfried Grein, Katarina Hale, Frances Casey Hansen, Jane Hawley, Sean Healy, Rose Heiser, 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, John J. McCarthy, TerryAnn McDonald, Helen Maggio, Gabriella McCrae, Clarissa Moore, Estelle Murray, Denise Murtha, Lisa O'Connor, Donna Olsen, Lisa Orr, Kevin Palaez, Elizabeth Petretta, Stephanie Philo, , Kim Preston, Alexa Prosnitz, CJ. Rice, Charlie Robins, Deanne Ryan, Frank Ryan, Sandra Ryan, Teresa Sacouto, Malia Sanchez-Valdez Adrian Sandiford, Kerry Schroeder, Kazime Seckin, Maryann Stypinski, 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 josterndorf@assumptionwestport.org



Weekly Offertory: June 20, 2021

Sunday Offertory \$ 5,946.00
Online Giving \$ 3,875.00
\$ 9,821.00

Thank you to all the parishioners who contribute their weekly offering 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 these times. 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*

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.** Your generosity will enable us to complete the much needed upgrades.

Assumption Parish, Westport	
We Stand With Christ Campaign Redemption	
Total Pledged:	\$1,790,994
Total Collected (As of 5/6/21):	\$1,039,342 (58%)

To make a payment on your pledge, please visit <u>GiveCentral.org/WSWC</u> or call 203-648-9050.

PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN SERVING OUR COUNTRY

Please pray for all those who are bravely defending our nation and especially pray for those who have been wounded or have sacrificed their lives for the cause of peace.









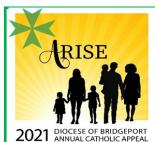




Interested in becoming a part of our faith family?

Please visit the parish website at www.assumptionwestport.org to complete the online parish registration form or call the parish office at (203) 227-5161.

Welcome to Assumption Church!



Diocese of Bridgeport

2021 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

THANK YOU to all who have donated to the 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal. We have received \$123,697.00 (84.55%) towards our goal of \$143,300. Your donations help many charitable organizations and your generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continued support!

Sick and Homebound Visitation

We are a parish family. The priests and laity who bring Holy Communion are delighted to share with you the Body of Christ. If one of the priests visits, he can also share Sacramental Absolution and the Sacrament of the Anointing of Sick (Holy Oils).

We need your help. When you or a family member is sick at home, whether for a short period, home with a chronic illness, or simply homebound, we are happy to visit. You can help us by calling the parish office 203-227-5161 so we can schedule a visit at your convenience.

The Anointing of the Sick is not just for life threatening illness but for any illness—cancer,

pre-surgery, depression... The sacrament is for the sick and prays for healing. It is not Last Rites or Extreme Unction. We look forward to visiting you.

Assumption Bereavement Group

"Blessed are they who mourn...they shall be comforted."



Grief is a painful, complex and complicated process for each who experiences the loss of a loved one. Come share, grieve and heal with others at our group. We meet on

Thursdays from 3-4:30 PM in McGrath Hall, following appropriate safety guidelines. Please enter from the parking lot and take the stairs immediately on the left. For more information, please contact Helen Thiemann (203) 227-6318 or helenctman@gmail.com.

2021 Senior Luncheon

Last Wednesday, June 16th Assumption hosted its Senior Luncheon. Following noon Mass, we gathered on the lawn for a cookout! Thank you to all who helped set up, cook, bake and clean up. And thank you to all who joined us for a wonderful afternoon of faith and fellowship!















Office Closed July 5th

The parish office will be closed on Monday, July 5th 2021 and will re-open on Tuesday, July 6th.

Thank You!

Feast of the Assumption Celebration



Sunday, August 15, 2021



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Pope Francis Food Closet

Thank you for the continued support to the Parish Food Closet. Your donations are helping so many families during these difficult times. If you would like to donate, the following items are in need:

COFFEE, SMALL BAGS OF SUGAR, SNACKS & CRACKERS

Due to construction in McGrath Hall, please drop off your donations in the designated bin outside of the Parish Office or you may have your items shipped directly to the Parish Office: 98 Riverside Avenue, Westport, CT 06880. Thank You again for your generosity!



Parish Prayer Ministry

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.

CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2021

The Parish wishes to congratulate our parishioners who have graduated this year from various High Schools, Colleges & Universities with diplomas and degrees.

During the month of June, we wish to print their names, schools, and degrees in the bulletin as we are proud of them. Let us know by writing their name below and dropping it in the collection basket or at the Parish Office, or by emailing us at josterndorf@assumptionwestport.org.

Thank you! Fr. Cyrus
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School:

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A MOST GRATEFUL THANK YOU

Dear Parishioners,

The Assumption Church Social Concerns members thank you for your generous donations of food gift cards totaling \$3,495. They will be distributed to the Missionaries of Charity, St. Charles Church, Child Guidance Center and Filling In the Blanks. All these charities will use the cards to help with their summer programs.

We appreciate your generosity.

Social Concerns Ministry



Registration is Open for 2021-2022 Faith Formation

Dear Families,

Guided by the Holy Spirit, we look forward to the Faith Formation program in the Fall of 2021. Our goal is to provide a program that consists of sacramental, scriptural catechesis, and service that offers the opportunity for children to strengthen their understanding of God's presence in their lives.

Our program is open to the children of our parish. We offer age-appropriate faith formation to help enrich their spiritual lives.

We also aim to support parents, who are their children's first introduction to Christ and His Church. We pray that the spiritual life of our Assumption Catholic faith community grows even stronger.

Our formation program consists of Grades 1- 8. To register and for more information, please visit www.assumptionwestport.org/religious-education

Ushers, Altar Servers & Lectors Needed!

As our Parish returns to normal, we have a renewed need for volunteers in our Liturgical Ministries. Assumption is looking for Ushers, Altar Servers & Lectors.

Ushers assist with all practical matters at all weekends masses: welcoming, helping the handicapped, taking up collection and providing care for emergencies. Please contact John LoRusso at **(203) 829-9332**

Altar Servers are parishioners, 4th grade – 12th grade that serve at weekend masses by assisting the priest. Please contact Fr. Cyrus for more information.

Lectors are parishioners who serve at weekday and weekend masses by, proclaiming the sacred scriptures, praying the general intercessions and making announcements. Please contact Jim Meehan at **(860) 209-4793** for more information.



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