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Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

What does the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary celebrate?

On August 15, the Church celebrates the fact that Mary, the Mother of God, was assumed into Heaven at the end of her earthly life. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC 974) teaches, "The Most Blessed Virgin Mary, when the course of her earthly life was completed, was taken up body and soul into the glory of heaven, where she already shares in the glory of her Son's Resurrection, anticipating the resurrection of all members of his Body."

What does the Assumption of Mary Teach Us?

In a homily for the Assumption, Pope St. John Paul II said, "Taken up into Heaven, Mary shows us the way to God, the way to Heaven, the way to life. She shows it to her children baptized in Christ and to all people of good will. She opens this way especially to the little ones and to the poor, those who are dear to divine mercy. The Queen of the world reveals to individuals and to nations the power of the love of God...."

God's Warrior Queen

Today on this marvelous Solemnity of the Assumption of the Virgin, we celebrate Mary's Assumption, body and soul, into heaven. This does not mean that she has gone away; she is a warrior, involved in the struggle against evil from a new vantage point.

Daily Readings

Thursday, August 19 Monday, August 16 Judges 2:11-19 Judges 11:29-39a Psalm 106 Psalm 40 Matthew 19:16-22 Matthew 22:1-14 Tuesday, August 17 Friday, August 20 Judges 6:11-24a Ruth 1:1-2ab,3-6,14b-16,22

Psalm 85 Psalm 146 John 19:23-30 Matthew 22:34-40 Saturday, August 21 Wednesday, August 18

Judges 9:6-15 St. Pius X

Psalm 21 Ruth 2:1-3,8-11;4:13-17

Matthew 20:1-16a Psalm 128 Matthew 23:1-12

Sunday, August 22 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time Joshua 24:1-2a,15-17,18b Psalm 34 Ephesians 4:32-5:1-2,21-32 John 6:53, 60-69

Quote of the Week

Do not look forward in fear to the changes in life; rather, look to them with full hope that as they arise, God, whose very own you are, will lead you safely through all things and when you cannot stand it, God will carry you in his arms. - St. Stephen of Hungary

Confession

By appointment only. Please phone or email the office.

Rosary

Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri., & Sat.: 8:30am Tues: 7:30pm

Fr. James will be away for his holidays in August. He will be visiting his Pallottine confreres in Alberta.

Fr. Miguel Rabino will stay with us for the month of August. Please make Fr. Rabino feel welcome!

Lectors in the Summer



Lectors, please sign up in the foyer if you are available to read. Thank you!

Pope Francis on the Importance of Liturgy of the Word

"When they (lectors) read the words of the Bible the first reading, the second, the responsorial psalm, the Gospel - we must listen and open our heart," he said. "Because it is God himself who speaks to us. Do not think about other things or talk about other things."

MASS TIMES August 16—August 22

Monday	9:00am	ช Angelina Lopes
Tuesday	7:00pm	ণ Chloe Chemko
Wednesday	9:00am	ີ Sara Amaral
Thursday	9:00am	ឋ Jacinto Botelho
Friday	9:00am	ឋ Eduardo Cosico
Saturday	9:00am	John & Marge LeRoss & Family

Saturday	7:00pm	한 Joe Caetano
Sunday	9:00am	Intentions of Fr. James
Sundav	11:00am	Intentions of the Parish

Praver List

Maria Aguiar Charlene Henyu Lukah Adele Johnson

Charles Kofoed Maria Roque Claire Williams



To put a name on the Prayer List please phone the parish office. Please remember to phone us as well if a name needs to be removed from the list. Thank you!

Church Security

Over the past few months, churches around BC have been victims of increased vandalism and arson. We are asking all parishioners to keep a watchful eye on our church. This could mean driving by at random times on your way home or adding the church to your walking route or even parking and saying your afternoon prayers in the parking lot.



Continuing 1.0 FTE Gr 3 Teacher Effective September 2021

To find out more about this employment opportunity or enroll a student for school please email Tamara Berg, Principal of Veritas School at tberg@cispg.ca.

Flower Ministry—Blooms Needed!

Veritas Catholic School—Job Opportunities

To donate cut blooms or arrangements please phone the parish office. Thank you!

E-Transfers to Sacred Heart Parish

When setting up the transfer option please add and save the parish as a recipient using:

- 1. Parish Name: Sacred Heart Parish Terrace
- 2. Email address: shpaccounting@sacredheartnews.ca
- In the message section of the e-transfer please include your envelope number, if applicable and the designation of the your donation, i.e. "General" or a special collection.
- ** Please note that you do not need a security question because the donation is automatically deposited into the designated parish account. Thank you!

Last Sunday's Collection

General



Thank you to all who have donated to the parish; your generosity is deeply appreciated.

\$ 4,430.00