



# OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH

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## LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday ✕ 5:00 pm  
Sunday ✕ 8:30 am, 10:00 am & 11:30 am

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 7:30 am  
Tuesday 7:00 pm  
Wednesday 7:30 am  
Thursday 7:30 am  
Friday 7:30 am  
Saturday 9:00 am

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday ✕ 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
First Fridays ✕ 8:00 am – 9:00 am

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

Celebrated one Sunday every month. Contact the parish office to provide information. We will contact you to arrange an appointment with you.

## rites of initiation for adults

Adults seeking full initiation into the Catholic Christian faith enter a period of preparation called the Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). Please email: [denise@olota.ca](mailto:denise@olota.ca)

## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Kindly contact the parish office at least six months prior to desired date of marriage. A Marriage Preparation Course is essential as are several meetings with the priest.

## SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please contact the parish if you know someone confined to home or in hospital, so sacramental and pastoral care may be arranged.

## FRIDAY ADORATION

Exposition ✕ 8:00 am – 9:00 am  
Benediction ✕ 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesdays thru Fridays  
9:00 am – 4:00 pm  
(we are closed for one hour at noon)

## CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family, please contact the parish office before contacting the funeral home and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is: [www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca)

## NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome you and your family to Our Lady Of The Assumption! Please introduce yourself to Father Andrew. Registration forms are available at both entrances to the Church and online.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions may be booked in person during regular office hours or by using the mass intention envelopes in the main entrances of the church. These may be placed in the collection baskets. Requests for specific dates must be booked in the parish office.

## PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Fr. Andrew Quarshie  
Office Manager: Donna Coruzzi  
Secretary: Vanessa Villanueva  
Evangelization Coordinator: Denise Araiche  
Finance: Luisa Conti  
Music Director: Rosanna Polimeni

## Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



### MASS INTENTION

*November 20<sup>th</sup> ~ November 26<sup>th</sup>*

#### MONDAY-20<sup>th</sup>

7:30am-Our Lady Of The Assumption Parishioners

#### TUESDAY -21<sup>st</sup>

7:00pm-Our Lady Of The Assumption Parishioners

#### WEDNESDAY -22<sup>nd</sup>

7:30am - Alex Leszczyski

#### THURSDAY-23<sup>d</sup>

7:30am-Our Lady Of The Assumption Parishioners

#### FRIDAY- 24<sup>th</sup>

7:30am-Our Lady Of the Assumption Parishioners

#### SATURDAY-25<sup>th</sup>

9:00am – Aldo Iovanna

5:00pm – Deceased members of Fiovanti and

Di Giantomasso Families

Teresa Sequeira

Silvio & Antonio Capretta

Anna & Domenico Di Vincenzo

Alfredo Capretta

Ruth Pelt

Don Caco

Josie Taraschi

#### SUNDAY-26<sup>th</sup> Thirty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am – Elisabetta Fineli

10:00am - Missa Pro Populo (Mass for the People)

11:30am – Cyriac & Anna Priya

#### SUPPORT REPORT – November 12<sup>th</sup> 2023

Sunday Offering Envelopes

\$4,453.68



Dear Parishioners,

Father Andrew is on vacation right now and he will be back with his weekly messages next week!

God Bless!



On October 21, 2023 several parishioners of OLA participated in the **National Indigenous Rosary**.

It was a spiritually uplifting event.

We are invited once again to join in prayer with our brothers and sisters across this shared country, our home, Canada.

**Saturday, November 25, 2023 at 12 pm.** This is an "on line" event. Visit the link below to register.

<https://www.galileecentre.com/national-indigenous-rosary/>

'The Holy Rosary is a prayer that is common to all Catholics in this land and has been prayed for generations in every indigenous language. This gathering is an opportunity to pray with the intention that "all who live in this land, Indigenous and non-Indigenous may experience healing and reconciliation on a renewed journey of justice and peace for our children". (Intention courtesy of Our Lady of Guadalupe Circle)'

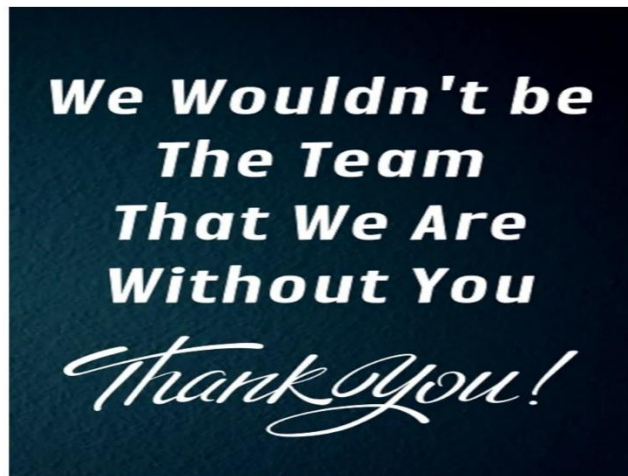
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The Catholic Women's League of Our Lady of the Assumption Parish wishes to thank all our amazing parishioners and local residents who dropped in to support our 2023 Christmas Marketplace.

To our parishioners, please accept our sincerest and heartfelt "thank you" for making this a successful fundraising event! This was only made possible because of your generosity.

To all who baked delicious goodies, donated to our Silent Auction, Penny Sale, and Curiosity Shoppe, **THANK YOU!** A special thanks to all our volunteers and to everyone who assisted us throughout the week from set up to clean up.



### CWL 2024 Membership Dues:

Ladies, please note that the 2024 CWL dues (\$40.00 cash or \$40.00 cheque payable to "Our Lady of the Assumption CWL") can now be submitted. For those members who remit through PAD (Pre-Authorized Deposit) no action is required as your dues will be collected by the church at the end of December.

If you are currently using Offertory Envelopes you will find your "CWL Annual Membership for 2024" envelope at the back of the box. Your CWL dues can be deposited into the Sunday collection. New members are always welcome and encouraged to join our CWL.



The people in darkness  
Have seen a great light

well. The day will end in the church at 3 pm with reconciliation. There will be a fee of \$10 per adult. For more information, see our website, facebook or posters or talk to the volunteers after mass to sign up and book your spot.



### YOUTH CHOIR NOTICE


There will be a practice on Mon. Nov. 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Please refer to the Bulletin for practice updates.

New Choir members always welcome!

Rosanna 

### ADULT CHOIR NOTICE

Practices will be held every Wednesday night, 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm at the church.

Grace 



### MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH:

When asked what matters most to someone who is married, people often answer my wife/husband and children. It is important to see if your actions reflect that belief.

Do you spend time together daily talking about your day and important matters? Do you plan a date night with your spouse (even if it is from home), so your children see the love you share? Do you do little tasks that need doing without being asked? Do you compliment your spouse and tell them you love them? What we do tells others what matters – be sure your spouse knows they do!