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IN ORDINARY TIME

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Masses:
5:30 PM, 7:00 PM (Spanish)

Sunday Masses:
7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM
12:00 PM, 1:15 PM - Spanish

Daily Masses:
Monday — Friday
7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 6:30 PM
Tuesdays-6:30 PM *Spanish*
Saturday: 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM

Penance: Saturdays
1:00 PM-2:00 PM in the Church

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 19

5:30 PM Nellina Marchioli

7:00 PM (Spa) Gustavo Guzmán

SUNDAY, JULY 20

7:30 AM People of the Parish

9:00 AM Mary & Joseph Bednar

10:30 AM Jose M. Canlas

12:00 PM Cesar Vano Uy, Sr.

1:15 PM (Spa) Divino Niño

MONDAY, JULY 21

7:00 AM Grace Francisco

9:00 AM Juve Delgado Moises

6:30 PM Marina Fernandez

TUESDAY, JULY 23

7:00 AM Jose M. Canlas

9:00 AM Rolyda Toledo & Jose Toledo

6:30 PM Maria Sanchez & Susana Isabel William

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

7:00 AM John Ruddy

9:00 AM Ruby Dealday

6:30 PM Patricia Sutherland

THURSDAY, JULY 25

7:00 AM Rick & Nola Dealday - (L) Wedding Anniv.

9:00 AM Deogenes Tan

6:30 PM Mildred Lobaton - (L) Birthday

FRIDAY, JULY 26

7:00 AM Millicent Healy

9:00 AM Danny Ibero, Natividad & Lucena Adaniel

6:30 PM Cristian Pichardo & Juana Familia - Anniv.

SATURDAY, JULY 27

7:00 AM Matthew De Los Santos - (L) Birth & Thanks

9:00 AM Michelle Canlas (L)

5:30 PM Eli A. Totengco

7:00 PM (Spa) Maria Sanchez & Susana Isabel Williams

SUNDAY, JULY 28

7:30 AM People of The Parish

9:00 AM Macedonia Barbosa

10:30 AM Diane Marie Casamento

12:00 PM Antonio Majano

1:15 PM (Spa) Policarpa Arias

MASS PRESIDERS

SATURDAY, JULY 19

5:30 PM - Father Michael Bollinger

7:00 PM - Father Sean Manson

SUNDAY, JULY 20

7:30 AM - Father Oliver Nilo

9:00 AM - Father Hector Larrea

10:30 AM - Father Michael Bollinger

12:00 PM - Father Cris De Asis

1:15 PM (Spa) - Father Sean Manson

Baptism

Please call the rectory at 201-384-0101 to schedule your baptism and confirm your attendance at the instructional meeting.

The **Parent Instructional** meeting is held the **1st Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM** and the **3rd Sunday at 2:45 PM in Spanish**.

Baptisms are held the **2nd & 3rd Sundays of the month at 3 PM in English** and the **4th Sunday of the month at 2:45 PM in Spanish**.

Parents **must** be registered parishioners and provide the child's birth certificate, and have godparents who are **practicing Catholics**.

Godparents need to be at least sixteen, confirmed, received the Eucharist, and if married, have the Sacrament of Matrimony.

A sponsor certificate, **for each Godparent**, must be provided a week prior to the baptism.

Matrimony

All wedding arrangements should be made **ONE** year in advance, **please call the rectory** at 201-384-0101 to **make an appointment** with a priest.

We encourage that you get an updated baptismal certificate.

Prayers for the Deceased

*Please remember
Vincenza Procaccio
in your prayers.*

Parish Offerings July 11-12

Parish Giving	2,709.81
Envelopes	15,849.00
TOTAL	18,558.81

Dear Brothers and Sisters



There are two sisters in today's Gospel: Martha, who wants to please the Lord; and Mary, with whom the Lord is pleased. The first frets about everything she has to do, the second allows the Lord to do things for her. One is the religion of the law, the second the Gospel of love. If we do not first experience the love of Christ, our 'doing' will always be similar to that of the Martha, the Scribes and Pharisees.

Just as Christ enters the house of these two sisters, he enters our house, that is, our life, today.

For Martha the Lord's presence is a burden, it wears her out, it is bothersome, it's a lot of work. For Mary his presence is joy. Martha does everything complaining, she is a slave, because she has not encountered Christ Risen from death, who frees us from selfishness. Jesus Christ gives us the possibility to find joy in the midst of our suffering, he allows us to find that our burdens are light, the yoke is easy.

Christ enters our house every day, thru our marriage, with our children, while at work, or in our priesthood. He enters our house in the daily events of our lives. Our lives can be frenetic, with never enough hours in the day to get everything done, or they can be experiences of the presence of the Lord speaking to us.

Mary sits at the feet of Jesus and listens to him. She epitomizes the first and greatest Commandment: "Listen, O Israel..."

Our true vocation is found not in doing many things, but in listening to the voice of the Lord. Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.

Jesus is able to fulfill his mission because he listens to the Father. He spends time, sometimes whole nights, listening to what the Father is saying. God speaks to us constantly, but only the one who has an open ear is able to hear him.

Who is my mother, my brother, my sister? Jesus asks. The one who listens to my word and keeps it.

If you find yourself running ragged today, if you have lost your peace, if the kids are driving you crazy, or others are annoying you...there is a Good News for you, Jesus Christ is Risen, he can give you the grace to experience now the Kingdom of within you.

The awful thing would be to reduce this Gospel to a humanistic appeal for fairness, equal distribution of tasks, distribution of works. It has nothing to do with any of that. This Gospel, is a Good News for those who are downtrodden and overburdened. Jesus Christ can offer us the grace to be one with him, to find joy and the Resurrection in the midst of the sufferings we experience today.

Jesus Christ invites us to sit at his feet, to listen to his voice. The waters will subside: those around you will no longer be bothersome, your burden will become light, your yoke easy.

Fr. Sean



PILGRIMAGE TO
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**Celebrate the 108th Anniversary of the 4th
Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima**

August 13th, 2025

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Departure & Return:

🚌 Bus departs from Assumption Parish at 8:15 AM

📍 Church of the Assumption, Emerson, NJ

🕒 Returns by 5:30 PM

Pilgrimage Highlights:

- 📖 Holy Mass — Presided by Bishop Kevin Sweeney (Diocese of Paterson)
- 📿 Rosary Procession
- ✠ Eucharistic Procession
- ✠ Sacrament of Confession
- 🕊 Blessing & Conferral of the Brown Scapular
- 🌟 And More!

Pilgrimage Highlights:

💰 **Cost: \$50 per person**
(Please **make checks payable to 'Church of the Assumption'**)

☎ To reserve your spot or for more information, contact:

Fr. John Ginty
(201) 262-1122

Email: jginty@assumptionchurchemerson.org

Reservation Form

Name: _____

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Summer YM Series

We invite all parish youth ministry and pastoral leaders that "walk with the young church" to join us for our Summer Youth Ministry Formation Series!

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| Thursday July 24th | Foundations in Youth Ministry |
| Thursday July 31st | Holy Work on Human Time:
Using AI to Help Lighten the Load |
| Thursday August 7th | The Spirituality of Presence with
Young People |
| Thursday August 14th | Training Teens to be Leaders in
your Parish and Program - Part 1 |
| Thursday August 21st | Training Teens to be Leaders in
your Parish and Program - Part 2 |

Our sessions will be a time of learning, but also a chance to share ideas from all gathered each week.



All sessions will be from 7:30 to 9:00 pm in the Dining Hall Building of the St. JP II Youth Retreat Center, 499 Belgrave Drive in Kearny.



**The word of God
is a light to the mind
and a fire to the will.**

—St. Lawrence of Brindisi

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St. John's Prayer Groups

Legion of Mary

Meets each Saturday, 9:30am-11:00am in the Lower Church (English)

Padre Pio Prayer Group

Meets on the 2nd Saturday of each month, 12:30- 3:00 pm in the Conlon Hall Cafeteria.

El Shaddai DWXI-PPFI Bergenfield Chapter

Meets 2nd, 3rd & 4th Saturday @ 1:30pm-5:30pm @ Lower Church. Come & Be Blessed by the Praise, Worship & Healing message.

For more info, Lourdes Liwanag @ 201.233.8235 or John Teopengco @ 201.658.4032

Anointing Fire Ministry Group

Meets Mondays 7pm-10pm in the Parish Life Center Chapel & the 2nd Friday of the month from 10pm-6:30am for Eucharistic Adoration in the LC.

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There are lots of needy families that need our help. Our food pantry store room is almost empty. Please drop off food donations in the Rubbermaid shed behind the Parish Life Center or make cash donations so we can purchase sale items.

Here are grocery items we need:

White rice, pasta, sauce, tuna, peanut butter, jelly, canned pasta, canned beans and vegetables, paper towels, toilet tissue, kids snacks and cooking oil.

Thank you very much for your kindness and generosity. 🙏

Any questions, please contact:

Joe McHale

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San CHARBEL MAKHLOUF

San Charbel Makhlouf (1828-1898) fue un monje y sacerdote maronita que vivió gran parte de su vida como ermitaño. Era conocido por sanar, expulsar demonios y levitar durante la oración. Millones han visitado su tumba y buscado y recibido su intercesión, incluso las de otras religiones.



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Para más detalles y reservas, contáctese antes del 15 de junio del 2025:
Rena Penecilla – 201-245-4970
Fel Sunga - 201-328-7996
o con cualquier miembro del Apostolado Filipino

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Los ingresos irán a la iglesia de San Juan Evangelista.

GRUPO PARROQUIALES			
Grupo	Día	Lugar	Hora
La Palabra	Lunes	Iglesia de abajo	7:30 pm – 9:30 pm
Legión de María	Martes	Capilla del PLC	6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Emaús Mujeres	Miércoles	Iglesia de abajo	7:00 pm – 9:30 pm
Emaús Hombres	Miércoles	Basement del PLC	7:00 pm – 9:30 pm
Luz y Vida	Jueves	Iglesia de abajo	7:00 pm – 9:30 pm
Preciosa Sangre de Cristo	Viernes	Basement del PLC	8:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Matrimonios Con Cristo	3.er viernes del mes	Iglesia de abajo	7:00 pm – 9:45 pm



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