



A Letter from the Pastor

Dear Members of Assumption Parish Family,

Welcome to Assumption Parish! It is an honor to include you as part of our family. For 163 years we have been an integral part of the Royalton, Brecksville and Broadview Heights areas, leading the faithful to God through sacramental ministry, Catholic Education and community outreach. Being centered in Broadview Heights since its beginnings as a village in 1927, Assumption Parish served as a spiritual support as the years progressed and the village became a major suburban city and is now, as it has been for so many years, the heart of the community.

This publication is to assist you in familiarizing yourselves with the various opportunities for ministry, devotional enrichment, and fellowship that Assumption Parish has to offer. Also included are helpful hints in pursuing such matters as obtaining a sponsor certificate, renting parish facilities, scheduling the reception of sacraments and other important matters dealing with parish life.

It is my sincere hope that this booklet helps all who use it to better connect with the life of Assumption Parish so that, as a parish family, we may continue to be that beacon of faith and heart of the Broadview Heights Community as we are called to be.

Blessings and prayers,

Rev. Justin Dyrwal, O.S.B.

Pastor



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Mission Statement

We, the Faith filled community of the
Church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
affirmed the response of the Blessed Virgin by proclaiming

"We are the Lord's servant?" (Luke 1:38)

through Worship, Spiritual Development, Education and Outreach.

We **Worship** through:

- Participation in the liturgy and sacraments
- Personal and communal prayer
- Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

We **Educate** through:

- A Catholic elementary school and Parish School of Religion
- Continuing education
- Special programs and presentations

We **Develop Spiritually** through:

- Living and passing on our faith and values
- Encouraging the full and active participation of all members in parish life
- Fostering compassion and reconciliation

We **Outreach** through:

- Human care and social justice
- Ecumenical collaboration
- Evangelization
- Welcoming and hospitality

Worship Schedule

Mass Schedule

Monday - Thursday	6:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.
Friday.....	6:30 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. (school year)/8:30 a.m. (summer)
Saturday	8:30 a.m.
Sunday Vigil Mass (on Saturday)	4:00 p.m.
Sunday	7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

Holy Day Mass Schedule

Eve of Holy Day.....	4:00 p.m.
Holy Day	6:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.

Confessions

Saturday	3:00 – 3:45 p.m. and after 4:00 p.m. Mass
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Rosary

Sunday	after 9:30 a.m. Mass
1st Saturday of the Month	after 8:30 a.m. Mass
Wednesday	after 8:30 a.m. Mass

Parish Office Information

Contact Information

coarectory@att.net
www.coabvm.org
www.facebook.com/COABVM

Phone: (440) 526-1177
Fax: (440) 526-2838

Office Hours

Monday - Friday
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Pastoral Staff

Pastor: Rev. Justin Dyrwal, O.S.B.	(440) 526-1177 x224
Assistant Pastor: Fr. Louis Carey, O.S.B.....	(440) 526-1177 x220
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Principal-Assumption Academy: Mr. Richard Kaliszewski.....	(440) 526-4877
Director of Music: Mr. David Bird	(216) 798-7105

The Governance of Assumption Parish

Two committees of laypersons assist in the governance of Assumption: The Pastoral Council and the Finance Commission.

Pastoral Council: As pastor, Fr. Justin leads this Council of 8 parishioners, who advise and assist him in conducting the mission of Assumption. Members serve for three years. Meetings are held monthly. Periodically, calls for new members are made in the bulletin and from the pulpit.

Finance Commission: This body of parishioners helps prepare the budget for the parish and oversees spending. Members are appointed by the pastor

Useful Information

Become a Registered Parishioner

New Parishioners are always welcome! Please stop by the rectory to register for parish membership during regular business hours. You can also find our registration form on-line at www.coabvm.org/about-us/join-us.

Blessing of Items

Items can be dropped off at the Rectory. You will be contacted once they have been blessed by Father.

Update your Address or Phone Number

If you are moving or if your phone number has changed, please contact the rectory to update your contact information. Change of Address Forms are available on page 27 of this booklet or on-line at: www.coabvm.org/about-us/change-of-address-form



Donate Online

1. Visit <https://coabvm.churchgiving.com/>
2. Click on the collection you wish to give. You will not login until your first donation is submitted. Afterwards, the system will email a link for you to set up a user account.
3. Select Recurring or One-Time donation.
4. Fill out payment and contact information.
5. Call the rectory at 440-526-1177 if you have any problems or questions.

Thank you for your financial support!

Scheduling Mass Intentions

Come into the Rectory during normal business hours to schedule your Mass Intention. Each Mass Intention scheduled is \$10.

Requesting Sponsor Certificate

To receive a Sponsor Certificate you must be:

- At least 16 years old.
- Received the Sacrament of Confirmation.
- If married: must be validly married in the Catholic Church
- ***Must regularly be practicing your Faith***
- Must be a registered parishioner of Assumption Church to receive a Certificate.

Hospitalized and Homebound Parishioners

Please contact us or have a family member do so. If you know of a parishioner who is unable to get to church and would like to receive Communion, please call Fr. Louis (440) 526-1177 x 220

Sick Calls/Anointing of the Sick

Contact the Rectory at (440) 526-1177 to be put on a list for Father Justin or Father Louis.

Becoming Active In The Parish

See the list of Ministries on pages 13-20 this guide book.

Hall Rental

Contact Jim Jarosz at (440) 526-1177 x226.

Fellowship Room

Seats: Maximum 60 people

Time: Minimum 3 Hours

Cost: Parishioner:	\$50.00/hour
Non-parishioner	\$100.00/hour

Family Center

Seats: Maximum 400 People

Time: Minimum 4 Hours

Cost: Parishioner:	\$100.00/hour
Non-parishioner	\$150.00/hour

Renter MUST carry Commercial General Liability Insurance. If not, the necessary coverage may be obtained by purchasing “Special Events Liability Insurance” coverage through the Diocesan Insurance Office through Assumption Church for \$100.

The Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations! We share in your happiness at the birth of your child. We welcome the new baby born into our world. A new life is a joyful and happy event, an event that changes people forever. A new life gives promise, hope and the expectation that the world will become a better place because of this new life. We want to help you in every way possible to make these hopes come true.

You have asked that your child be Baptized into the Catholic faith. In asking for Baptism you are saying “Yes” to the request of you and your family and promise help and guidance in the formation of this new life as a Christian.

Guidelines For Baptism

Baptisms at Assumption Church are offered to all registered members of the parish and are currently celebrated after the 11:30 a.m. Sunday Masses. The common stipend for Baptism is \$50.00. Check may be made payable to The Church of The Assumption.

Attendance at a pre-Baptism class is required for all first time parents. These classes are held in January, May and September. It is a good idea to contact the rectory for class dates during the pregnancy in order to allow adequate time to schedule class before the desired Baptism date. Please call the rectory to schedule the Baptism and register for pre-Baptism classes.

At least one Godparent must be a practicing Catholic, and a registered active member of their church. This person must have a “Sponsor’s Certificate” from his/her parish to be presented at the time of Baptism. The role of the Godparent during the ceremony has changed over the years, but their place in your child’s life is most significant. They will support you and be a further example of Christian living for your child.

Provide the following information at the time of request for Baptism:

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|------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| • Name of Child | • Were Parents Married by a Catholic Priest? |
| • Residence | • Godfather’s Name |
| • Telephone Number | • Is Godfather Catholic? |
| • Date of Birth | • Godmother’s Name |
| • Place of Birth | • Is Godmother Catholic? |
| • Date of Baptism | • Will either godparents be represented by proxy? |
| • Father’s Name | • Proxy’s Name |
| • Father’s Religion | • Was the child privately baptized? |
| • Mother’s Maiden Name | • Was child adopted? |
| • Mother’s Religion | |

The online form is available at www.coabvm.org/sacraments/baptism.

The Sacrament of Marriage

The celebration of Marriage is a significant event in one's life. The Catholic Church looks at the occasion as the celebration of one of the seven Sacraments. It is essential that a couple planning to marry is well prepared. The Staff at Assumption parish is fully qualified and eager to guide and assist you in preparing you for married life and in making your marriage ceremony as holy, beautiful and memorable as you hope it could be.

Guidelines for Marriage

It is recommended the couple reserve their date on the parish calendar before securing a reception venue. Couples are advised to contact the parish at least six months in advance of the desired date. Saturday weddings are typically scheduled at 11:00 a.m. and 1:00p.m.. The time for Friday evening weddings is flexible. The date should be set at least six months in advance. The couple or someone in their family must be a registered member of Assumption. The date can only be set by contacting the parish priest. The couple is responsible for obtaining a recent copy of their Baptism Record. They must also obtain a marriage license from the County Courthouse before the wedding day.

The Wedding Music Guidelines of the Diocese of Cleveland are followed here at Assumption without exception. This means that all musical selections before, during and after the Wedding Liturgy or Service must have religious content or lyrics based on Scripture. The Director of Music will meet with you and assist you in appropriate musical selection. He will also serve as organist/pianist for your special day. You should select a cantor from the list provided by the Director of Music.

Each couple is required to participate in one of the following premarital instruction programs:

Pre-Cana: These one-day sessions are held at many parishes in the Diocese, as well as the Jesuit Retreat House. You may attend at any parish. Each parish provides the details of its program upon request.

Engaged Encounter Weekend: These weekends are schedule by the Diocese on a regular basis. Further information regarding dates, place and cost are available upon request at the rectory office.

The suggested offering for a wedding is:

- \$500.00 – cash/check payable to the Church of the Assumption.
- Clergy: \$100.00 – Cash/Check payable to the Celebrant
- Servers: \$10.00 each – Cash only

There are separate fees for the musicians as arranged by individuals. All fees must be presented at the rehearsal or another prearranged time.

This is just a summary of basic information. A more detailed guideline will be provided by the parish staff when planning your wedding ceremony.

Funerals

Life and death are partners. At some point, all of us will face death. To lose a loved one through death always causes changes for us and for our lives. Life is about change. Sometimes it is painful. Sometimes it is beautiful. Many times, it can be both. Because of our relationship to Christ, new life comes through death.

Guidelines for Funerals

When you experience a death in your family, you may want to call the priest at the parish of the loved one who has passed away. He will offer prayers for the salvation of the deceased, as well as for the consolation of the family. Then you will need to contact the funeral home of your choice, who will work directly with the church to make arrangements for Mass.

A family member or funeral director should contact the rectory before any death notices are published.

Masses are typically scheduled Monday through Saturday at 10:00 a.m. Special arrangements can be made to meet unusual circumstances. There are NO funeral Masses during Holy Week or on Holy Days of obligation. (One exception: during Holy Week you may have a service including Liturgy of the Word and final commendations. A Memorial Mass may be celebrated at a later time.)

Ordinarily one of the parish priests will celebrate the funeral Mass. A priest relative may also be chosen to celebrate and/or give the homily. Other priests are always welcome to co-celebrate.

The parish is primarily responsible for scheduling and planning the liturgy which includes such things as the scripture readings, selection of music and designation of readers. A parish representative (priest, music director, etc.) will schedule a meeting either in person or by phone to assist family members in the selection of readings and hymns. All music must be liturgically appropriate.

Musicians and/or soloists will be provided by the music ministry of Assumption Parish. Outside musicians must be discussed with the music director first.

All stipends for the funeral are paid through the funeral home.

Stipends for a "Memorial Mass" should be paid directly to the Church of the Assumption. The usual stipend is \$250 for a Memorial Mass.

This is just a summary of basic information. A more detailed guideline will be provided by parish staff when planning the funeral Mass.

St. Albert the Great at Assumption Academy

P: (440) 526-4877

F: (440) 526-3752

www.assumptionacademy.org

Principal: Mr. Richard Kaliszewski

3 Year Old Program

2 days/week (Tuesday, Thursday)

Morning Session: 8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Child must turn three by September 30th

4 Year Old Program

3 days/week (Monday, Wednesday, Friday)

Morning Session: 8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Child must turn four by September 30th

Half-Day Pre-K Program

5 days/week (Monday – Friday)

8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

For children between the ages of 4 years, 8 months – 5 years, 6 months

Optional enrichment Pre-K program: 11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

K-8th

5 days/week (Monday – Friday)

8:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Our curriculum follows the Common Core State Standards as well as those set forth by the Cleveland Diocese of Catholic Education. Students are grouped into grade bands to promote interdisciplinary learning and collaboration across grade levels. Grade band groups are: Kindergarten through second grade, third through fifth grade, and sixth through eighth grade.

Academy students graduate with a strong spiritual, academic, and social foundation to prepare them in navigating the future challenges of life. Our students consistently score well above the grade equivalent on standardized tests and move on to excel in high school honors programs.



Parent CORPS (Committee of Responsible Parent Support)

Parent CORPS is a group of parents dedicated to the Assumption Academy community. Our mission is to promote, serve, and financially support St. Albert the Great at Assumption Academy. We assist in providing:

- Academic Excellence
- Social Interaction
- Financial Assistance
- Services to enhance the quality of St. Albert the Great at Assumption Academy

We welcome any interested parents of Assumption students to join and participate in all we offer! Some events that Parent CORPS has sponsored:

- Breakfast with Santa
- Color Fun Run
- Donuts with Dad
- Father-Daughter Dance
- Junior High Dances
- Tobogganing
- Muffins with Mom
- Santa Shop
- Trunk or Treat

Parish School of Religion (PSR)

Assumption Parish has a comprehensive catechetical program from preschool through eighth grade. Grades 1-8 meet Monday evenings from 6:30-7:45 p.m. PreK meets Sunday mornings.

Our students explore our Catholic Tradition, teachings, and Sacramental life. We strive to help them experience our Faith, to prepare them for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion (grade 2) and Confirmation (grade 8) and to encourage and equip them to live out their baptismal promises.

Visit www.coabvm.org/religious-ed/psr/psr-instruction for more information and to register.

Directory of Ministries

We would love for you to join one of our many ministries! Contact the person listed or email us at coarectory@att.net detailing your interest.

EDUCATION COMMISSION

Adult Faith Sharing

Ed & Mickie Zalar, (440) 237-7155

We study and discuss materials to help us grow in our spiritual life through the use of DVD series and books.

Adult Continuing Education (ACE)

Therese Fox, (440) 526-3980

Assumption is involved in a collaborative adult program with St Basil, St. Matthias, St. Michael, St. Victor and St. Joseph Byzantine. The program sponsors lectures on a monthly basis from September through June that serve to enhance our knowledge of the faith.

Bible Study

Mike Dosen, (216) 924-3339

Study sessions are held once a month on Sunday evening in the Fellowship room at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome!

Pre-Baptism Instructions

Julie & Brian Hill (440) 546-1512

Instructions are held in January, May and September at 7:00 p.m. for the benefit of those families who are preparing for baptism of their first child.

PSR Instructors

Mary Zabrecky, (440) 526-6690

Assists in the instruction of children attending public school. 1st – 8th Grades meet on Monday evenings from 6:30 p.m. – 7:45 p.m. Preschool will meet Sunday mornings during the 9:30 a.m. Mass after the COVID-19 pandemic.

RCIA Team

Fr. Louis Carey, (440) 526-1177 x 220

Assists in the formation process for those seeking to join the Catholic Faith, as well as those wishing to learn more about their faith. Meets Tuesday evenings from Labor Day through Pentecost at 7:00 p.m.

RCIC

Mary Zabrecky, (440) 526-6690

Assists children in the formation process for joining the Catholic Faith.

Vacation Bible School

Mary Zabrecky, (440) 526-6690

Assist in holding a one week program for children from Kindergarten through 5th grade held the last week of June.

EVANGELIZATION COMMISSION

Our Lady of Victory Intercession Group

Margie Maldonado, (440) 526-2450 / Jackie MontAlto, (330) 212-0524

We come together to pray for the spiritual needs of our Parish, our community, families, friends, the world and our personal intentions. We pray the rosary asking our Blessed Mother the Virgin Mary to intercede for us. Meetings are the 4th Wednesday of the month from 7 – 8 p.m. in the church. No meetings in June and July. Everyone is Welcome!

Welcoming Committee

Eva Zabrecky, (440) 736-7432 / Kathy Kulbago, (440) 546-7539

Responsible for the organization and maintenance of the welcome literature given to new parishioners.

FAMILY LIFE COMMISSION

Boy Scout Troop 810

Paul Botzman, scoutmaster810@juno.com

A program that offers effective character, citizenship, and personal fitness and skills training for youth. Boy Scouts serve the youth from 6th grade through high school.

Cub Scout Pack 810

CSPack810@gmail.com

Proudly serving the youth of the parish and surrounding community since 1973. We provide fun and adventure to boys in grades K - 8 and their families. Boys meet twice per month in grade level dens to work on adventures. Once a month these dens gather as a larger group to recognize achievements and participate in activities. The fun includes:

- Rocket Launching
- Family Camping
- Hiking
- Pinewood Derby
- Community Service

CYO (Catholic Youth Organization)/Boosters

Gerry Knotek, assumptioncyo@yahoo.com

Organizes, implements and supports athletic activities for the youth of Assumption.

Assumption offers a variety of sports through the Diocesan CYO program:

Sport	Gender	Grades	Season
Cheerleading	Girls	3-8	Fall & Winter
Cross Country	Boys & Girls	3-8	Fall
Football (flag)	Boys	1-4	Fall
Football (tackle)	Boys	5-8	Fall
Volleyball	Girls	3-8	Fall
Basketball	Boys & Girls	3-8	Winter
Lacrosse	Boys & Girls	3-8	Spring
Tennis	Boys & Girls	3-8	Spring
Track	Boys & Girls	4-8	Spring

Visit <http://www.coabvm.org/ministries/cyo-sports> for registration forms and more information.

Girl Scouts

Call St. Albert the Great at Assumption Academy at (440) 526-4877 to be directed to the correct Girl Scout Leader

Assists girls in building character and gaining skills for success in the real world, including strong values, leadership skills, social consciousness and conviction about their own potential and self-worth. The Cadet Girl Scouts serve girls in grades 7-9; the Junior Girl Scouts from grades 3-6; and the Brownies grades 1-2.

Golf League (Men)

Frank Savena, (440) 526-8059

Meets Tuesdays from April through September. Men 18 and older welcome.

Golf League (Women)

Debbie Biondo, (440) 526-9339

Meets May through August. Women 18 years of age and older welcome.

FINANCE COMMISSION

Catholic Charities

Fr. Justin Dyrwal, O.S.B., (440) 526-1177 ext 224

A committee responsible for the promotion and organization of the Annual Diocesan Appeal for Catholic Charities in the parish.

Collection Counters

Ken Jalen, (440) 526-5847

Teams of parishioners who are responsible for the counting and deposit of the Sunday collection. The teams meet on Sunday Mornings from 10:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

Endowment Committee

Assumption Business Manager, (440) 526-1177 x219

A group of parishioners which oversees the administration of the Assumption Church and Academy Endowment Funds. Meets semi-annually.

Finance Committee

Jim Knuff, (440) 736-7172

A consultative body which advises the pastor on the financial affairs of the parish. The Finance Committee meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMISSION

American Red Cross

Colleen Radak, (440) 829-7482

A chapter of this organization organizes periodic blood drives at Assumption.

Garden Club

Noreen Butano, (440) 838-1186, msnoreen@att.net

Men, women and teen volunteers needed to help weed, maintain, and renovate the Parish gardens. There are also opportunities to sponsor plants and trees and to develop a watering program.



Hands and Hearts with Haiti

Mary Zenczak, (440) 823-2717, www.handsandheartswithhaiti.org

Hands and Hearts with Haiti is an Assumption Parish Ministry that seeks to build relationships between our parish community and our partners in Haiti.

OUR MISSION: Hands and Hearts with Haiti is a united multi parish partnership rooted in mutual trust and respect. Together we seek beneficial, self-sustainable opportunities that best meet the needs of our brothers and sisters of St. Louis Parish, Mirebalais, its chapel communities, and all members of this partnership.

OUR GOALS

1. Assist St. Louis Parish and chapel communities in supporting ministries and worship opportunities
2. Assist Pastor in building a Catholic Primary School in rural community of Noyau
3. Help create and support agricultural programs that assist families
4. Help provide clean water systems to serve areas in need.
5. Develop relationships that promote mutual understanding and respect cultural differences.

Please visit our web site to learn more about our ministry. We would love you to join us.

Healing Hearts Group

Noreen Butano, (440) 838-1186 or Mary Ann Kocaja, (440) 526-2716

Social support group for those who have lost loved ones. Luncheons are at 2:00 p.m. on the 3rd of each month. Check the bulletin for restaurant information.

Human Care Committee

Jane Dinda, (440) 526-4382

The needs of others and works for peace and justice are served as a living sign of Christ's presence in our faith community of Assumption, The Thea Bowman Center, and St. Anne in Thomazeau, Haiti. Meetings are on the third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Project ESPWA (Hope)

Mary Zenczak, (440) 823-2717

A group that performs sewing and woodworking to benefit the needy in Thomazeau and environs. The sewing circle meets the first and third Wednesday of the month in the Lower Rectory Hall to cut items for patterns and to package completed items. All sewing work is performed at home.

St. Vincent DePaul Society

Clare and Felix Spittler (440) 582-1680

Provides material and social help to the needy within the parish and community. Meetings are on the first and third Monday of each month.

SPIRITUAL LIFE COMMISSION

Altar & Rosary Society

Maria Fodor, (440) 877-1123

A society for women of the parish who honor Our Lady through recitation of the Rosary, raising funds for the beautification of the church and altar, and hosting various social functions. Meetings are the Monday after the first Sunday of the month with Corporate Communion the first Sunday of the month at the 9:30 a.m. Mass.

AYM High

Corrine French, (216) 855-3542

To empower, guide, and lead the youth of the Church through Christ's mission is the goal of AYM High. AYM High welcomes teens in grades 8-12 to be a part of our group, and we are always excited to see new faces! We regularly host events, including:

- Weekly Sunday meetings that include bible studies, retreat planning, and guest speakers
- Community service volunteering
- Movie nights and outdoor activities
- Yearly youth Renewal
- And more!

Please feel free to reach out to Corrine French, adult advisor, or stop by one of our Sunday meetings in the Lower Rectory Hall (across from the church) from 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m. to see what we are about. We would be so lucky to have you!

Blue Army of Fatima

Linda Callahan, (440) 582-3486

A group of parishioners who are responsible for promoting Marian Devotion in the parish through recitation of the Rosary and maintenance of the Fatima statue for Marian Devotion in the home.

Christ Life (Discovering Christ, Following Christ, Sharing Christ)

Ann Bedard, (440) 667-3673

A spiritual process designated to strengthen one's basic knowledge and commitment to Jesus, thus providing the tools necessary to share Jesus with others.

Discipleship Quads

Jackie Montalto, (330) 212-0524

A Discipleship Quads is a group of 4 people who journey together as disciples through weekly gatherings of fellowship, ongoing conversion, and learning, at a time and place convenient to them. This 12-month path of accompaniment fosters growth through prayer, accountability, and authentic relationships. All materials were created by Franciscan University of Steubenville and are free. Google "Steubenville Discipleship Quads" for more info.

Divine Mercy Chapel

Tim Byrne (440) 832-0848 and Jane Luke (440)-526-9426

Located behind the sanctuary of Assumption Church, the Chapel provides a place for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. All are encouraged to commit to an hour of adoration every week.

eLCD Small Groups

Jackie Montalto, (330) 212-0524

Groups of the faithful with a common spiritual aim who meet in one another's homes.

First Friday Ministers of Communion

Fr. Louis Carey, (440) 526-1177 ext 220

Group of ministers of Communion who assist the clergy in bringing the Eucharist to the sick of the parish and those in personal care facilities.

Holy Name Society

Ken Jalen, (440) 526-5847

A society for men that brings honor and glory to the Name of Jesus as well as an annual outreach to the homeless with a sock and underwear drive and projects benefiting parishioners. Meetings are held the Tuesday after the first Sunday of the month at 3:00 p.m. Corporate Communion is the second Sunday at the 9:30 a.m. Mass.

Knights of Columbus

Frank Martinek, (440) 582-0687

Our Lady of Charity Council #14406 was founded in 2007 with 34 charter members. Today, we have 120 members from over 12 parishes. The Council is named after Our Lady of Charity, the Blessed Virgin Mary as our patroness. The Council and its members, as active participants in parish life, are engaged in many numerous benevolent activities and fundraising events for the purpose of providing assistance to many charitable causes.

BECOME A KNIGHT: Knights are practicing Catholic men, 18 years of age and older, who are committed to making their community a better place, while supporting their Church. Being a Knight is more than camaraderie; it is being involved with your community, supporting your local Catholic Church, while enriching your own faith, protecting and enhancing family life, and working toward helping and assisting many worthy charitable endeavors. You can sign up online at www.kofc14406.org or call Wally Danko at (440) 838-1520.

WORSHIP COMMISSION

Adult Acolytes

Jack Harabedian, (440) 526-6352

An organization responsible for providing acolytes for Funerals, as well as other liturgies as needed.

Altar Servers

Fr. Louis, (440) 526-1177 x 220

Provide assistance to the presider of the various liturgical functions at Assumption. Students in the 4th grade through high school are eligible to become altar servers.

Christian Companions

Mary Ann Kocaja, (440) 526-2716 / Donna Klein (440) 526-0057

A group of parishioners whose ministry is to bring consolation and assistance to those surviving the loss of a loved one, especially at the Funeral Mass. Christian Companions serve as lector, extraordinary ministers of Communion, and greeters as part of their presence to the mourners at Funerals. Once a year, The Christian Companions host a Memorial Mass where the faithful light candles and pray for those buried from our parish that year.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Donna Schneider, (440) 384-9714

Ministers in the sharing of The Body and Blood of Jesus at Mass and in taking the Eucharist in Holy Communion to the residents of the Heights Nursing Home and shut-ins.

Lectors

Donna Schneider, (440) 384-9714

Minister by proclaiming the Word of God at Liturgy.

Liturgy Committee

Fr. Justin (440) 526-1177 x 224

Recommends policies and procedures which foster strong liturgical life and renewal within the parish by assisting in the planning of the various liturgies celebrated throughout the year. The Liturgy Committee meets on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 9:30 a.m.

Music Ministry

David Bird (440) 526-1177 x267

Assumption has a well-respected music program which includes a traditional adult choir, a youth choir, a contemporary band, cantors and instrumentalists.

Ushers

Chuck Svihlik (440) 526-2305

Ushers are responsible for the taking up of the Sunday Collection, distribution of materials and seating at Sunday Liturgy.

Amazon Smile

You Shop... Amazon Gives...

Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of eligible purchases. Just imagine how much we can raise for our parish if we all shopped using Amazon Smile.

Just go to smile.amazon.com and change Charity to "Church of the Assumption." Remember that only purchases made at Amazon Smile will be counted towards the donation.

To turn on AmazonSmile in the mobile app: Open the Amazon app and find 'Settings' in the main menu. Tap on 'AmazonSmile' and follow the on-screen instructions to turn on AmazonSmile on your phone.

Annual Parish Raffle



One of the main fundraising events for the Parish is the Feast of the Assumption Annual Raffle, typically held during our parish picnic in August. It has raised money to fund large capital improvements such as the parking lot resurfacing project, church air-conditioning replacement, and many others. With lower ticket prices, more chances to win, and larger prizes, please consider supporting this important fundraiser.

Fish Fries

Church of the Assumption

FABULOUS FISH FRY

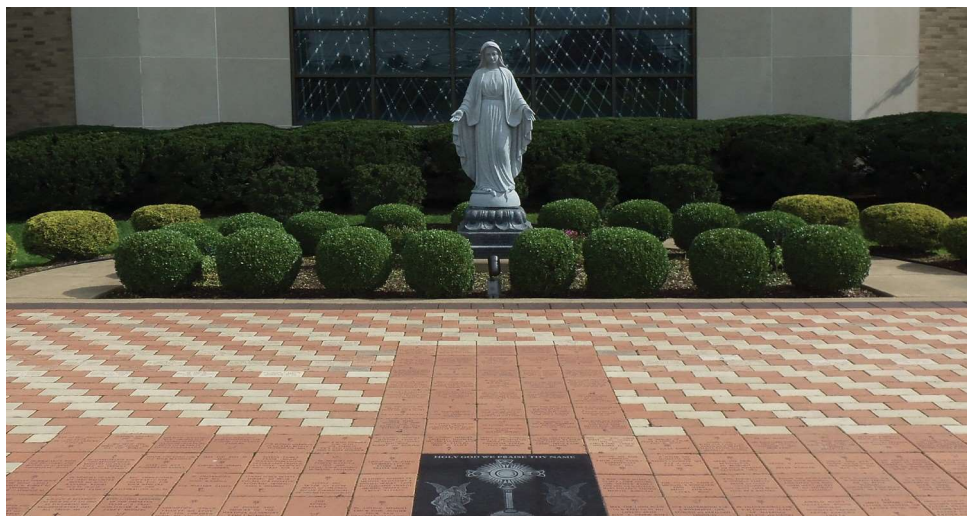
Every Friday during Lent 4pm - 7pm



Kids & Senior Menu pricing too!
9183 Broadview Road,
Broadview Heights, Ohio 44147

www.coabvm.org
call 440-546-9552 for take out after 4:00p.m.

Many thanks to Jack & Christine Wahl and the Fabulous Fish Fry Team!



Garden of Memories

The Garden of Memories consists of laser engraved pavers that incorporate the names of individuals, occasions, businesses and include a brief description appropriate for the individual(s), or events you wish to recognize. Pavers can be purchased to commemorate wedding days or anniversaries, in memory of a loved one, or to honor a member of the Armed Forces or Knights of Columbus.

- Engraved 4"x8" paver: \$75.00
- Engraved 8"x8" paver: \$150.00

Your purchase is 100% Tax Deductible

Visit the Church Lobby, Rectory or www.coabvm.org for purchase forms.

Gift Card Program

Purchase gift cards through the APC Fundraiser. A portion of each gift card sold benefits the parish.

There are two ways to purchase gift cards:

1. Online at **ShopWithScrip.com** or use the mobile app **RaiseRight Fundraising**

- Our organization's enrollment code is: 55D53EB963365
- Pay online or drop check/cash off to rectory
- Order by 12 p.m. Tuesday for pickup at the Rectory on Friday
- Home Delivery option available using the RaiseRight app

2. Rectory

- Gift Cards are sold in the Rectory during regular business hours (9 a.m.- 4 p.m. Monday through Friday)
- Order Forms can be found online at www.coabvm.org/give

We Give Catholic

This is a one day, 24 hour, giving event held the Tuesday after Thanksgiving through the Catholic Community Foundation. Parish organizations throughout the Cleveland Diocese compete for incentive prizes to boost their donations. All money raised during the We Give Catholic event stays at Assumption.

One Day. Big Impact.

#weGIVE
CATHOLIC
*with the
Catholic Community Foundation*

Northeast Ohio's Online Day of Catholic Giving

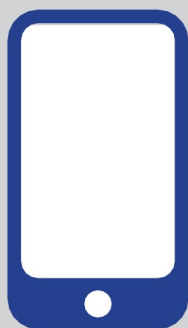
Tuesday after Thanksgiving

Assumption eNewsletter

Sign up for the Assumption eNewsletter and stay up-to-date with what's happening in the parish.

2 WAYS TO SIGN-UP FOR THE ASSUMPTION eNEWSLETTER

PHONE



Text
COANEWS
to **22828**
and follow the prompts.

ONLINE



Visit
coabvm.org
and click
eNewsletter Sign-up
under the
ABOUT US tab.

Garden of Memories Paver Order Form

Church of the Assumption

Garden of Memories

YES, I want to purchase a memorial paver in the Church of the Assumption's *Garden of Memories*.

() PLEASE CALL BOX

Check here if you have questions or you would like someone to call you with additional information.

ORDER SUMMARY

4" x 8" pavers at \$75.00 = _____

8" x 8" pavers at \$150.00 = _____

TOTAL PAYMENT \$ _____

PAVER ORDER FORM

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____

Address _____

City _____







State _____ Zip _____

Phone(_____) _____

Email _____

The name above will NOT be put in the paver unless noted.

Check the
Symbol #
you want.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Select Symbol						
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4" x 8" PAVER (3 LINES OF PRINT) OR (2 LINES OF PRINT PLUS A SYMBOL)

PAVER COLOR

- () Rose or
() Ivory

8" x 8" PAVER (6 LINES OF PRINT) OR (5 LINES OF PRINT PLUS A SYMBOL)

NOTE:

Count the space between each word as a character.

Mail or bring your completed form with payment made to:

Church of the Assumption "GOM"

9183 Broadview Road

Broadview Heights, Ohio 44147

Phone (440) 526-1177 x 0

ALL wording

will automatically

be centered on the

paver.

GOM order Form 2014

Please copy this form to order additional pavers, or print from the website:
www.coabvm.org

Garden of Memories Paver Order Form

Garden of Memories Paver Order Form

Church of the Assumption

Garden of Memories

YES, I want to participate in creating
a remembrance in the Church of the
Assumption *Garden of Memories.*

() Please check here if you have questions
or you would like someone to call you
with additional information.

Order Summary

8" x 8" pavers at \$150 = _____

Total Payment \$

ARMED FORCES Paver Order Form

(please print)

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone()

Email

ARMED FORCES Paver Symbols



#1



#2



#3



4



5

8" x 8" Paver

(up to 3 lines of print with symbol, as the symbol takes up 3 lines)

NOTE! Count the space between each word as a character.

Symbol

[illegible]

**Please copy this
form to order
additional pavers.**

Mail or bring your completed form with payment to

Church of the Assumption GOM

9183 Broadview Road

Broadview Heights, Ohio 44147

Phone (440) 526-1177

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THE ROBARK FAMILY
THE BUSWELL FAMILY
THE JALIN FAMILY

JOHN & JOORIE HOFFMAN
JACK & KELLY MANOCCHIO
PATRICIA & ANTHONY BAY

Change of Address Form

Envelope No.

Last Name

First Name

Old Email

New Email

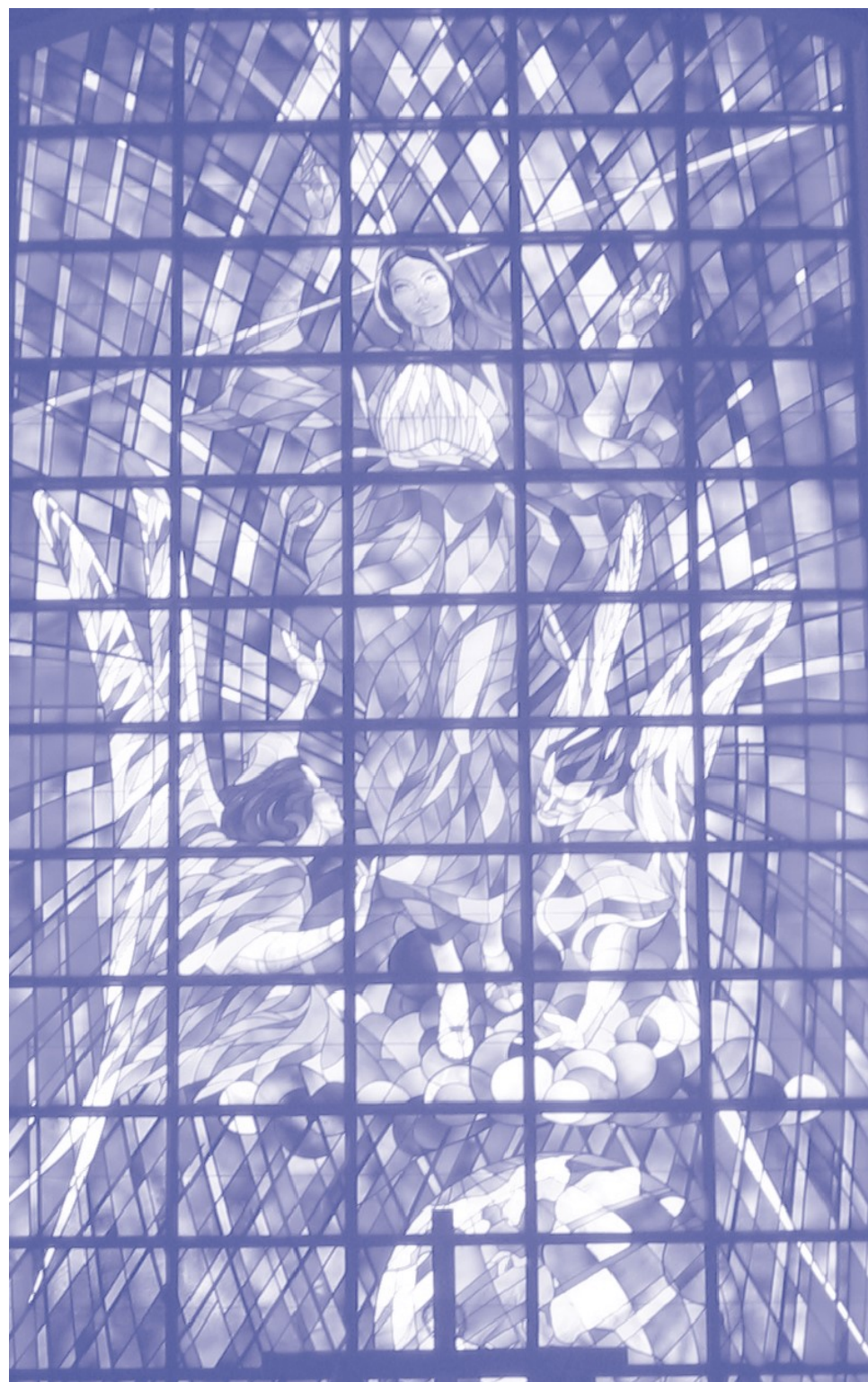
Old Address

New Address

Old Phone Number

New Phone Number

Return Form to Church Rectory or fill out online at www.coabvm.org/about-us/change-of-address-form



Baptismal Registration Form

Name of Child: _____

Address: _____

Phone No.: _____

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Place of Birth: _____

Date of Baptism: _____

Father's Name: _____

Religion of Father: _____

Mother's Maiden Name: _____

Religion of Mother: _____

Were Parents married by a Catholic Priest? _____

Godfather: _____

Is Godfather Catholic? _____

Godmother: _____

Is Godmother Catholic? _____

Is either Godparent represented by Proxy? _____

Proxy Name: _____

Was the child privately baptized? _____

Was the child adopted? _____



Gift Card Order Form

Assumption Parish Gift Card Fundraiser

Updated: 9/20

Purchaser's Name: _____ Phone #: _____ Date: _____

Purchaser's Signature: _____

FUNDRAISING PROCEEDS DISTRIBUTION (check box then complete information)

- ☐ St. Albert the Great at Assumption Academy Tuition Credit (specify Family / Student below)
- ☐ PSR Tuition Credit (specify Family / Student below)
- ☐ Rebate Check (Specify Family OR Student and Name of Catholic H.S. or University below)
- ☐ Assumption Education Fund
- ☐ Parish Donation (specify Church Organization below)

Family / Student: _____

Name of Catholic High School / University: _____

Church Organization: _____

Grocery Stores	Profit	Value	Qty	Total
Acme	4%	\$25		
Acme	4%	\$100		
Giant Eagle	5%	\$25		
Giant Eagle	5%	\$100		
Giant Eagle	5%	\$200		
Heinen's	5%	\$25		
Heinen's	5%	\$100		
Honeybaked Ham	12%	\$25		
Lang's Butcher Block	10%	\$10		
Marc's	2%	\$100		

Retail Stores	Profit	Value	Qty	Total
Amazon.com	2%	\$25		
Barnes & Noble	8%	\$10		
Bath & Body Works	12%	\$25		
Bed, Bath & Beyond	7%	\$25		
Bella Toccare Salon & Spa	10%	\$25		
Cinemark Cinema	4%	\$25		
Cinemark Single Admit	9%	\$11.00		
CVS Pharmacy	6%	\$25		
Dick's Sporting Goods	8%	\$25		
Dillards	9%	\$25		
Discount Drug Mart	5%	\$25		
Gap / Old Navy	14%	\$25		
Home Depot	5%	\$50		
JoAnn Fabrics	6%	\$25		
Kohl's **	4%	\$25		
Kohl's **	4%	\$100		
Lowe's	5%	\$50		
Macy's	10%	\$25		
Schoolbelle's	5%	\$25		
Sephora	5%	\$25		
Target	3%	\$25		
TJ Maxx / Marshall's	7%	\$25		
Walgreens	5%	\$25		
Walmart / Sam's Club	3%	\$100		
VISA debit	1%	\$50		

** Kohl's cards can be used to pay down your charge account.

More available at: ShopWithScrip.com (enrollment code: 55D53EB963365)

or use the **RaiseRight Fundraising** mobile app

Order by Tuesday at 12 PM for pickup at the Rectory on Friday

Questions? Contact: Roza Hering

E-Mail: hering96@att.net Phone: (440) 832-0157

Thank You For Your Support!

Please make checks payable to APC Fundraiser

Restaurants	Profit	Value	Qty	Total
Applebee's	8%	\$25		
Arby's	8%	\$10		
Augie's Pizza	10%	\$10		
Bob Evans	10%	\$10		
Burger King	4%	\$10		
Chipotle	10%	\$10		
Cracker Barrel	8%	\$10		
Dairy Queen	3%	\$10		
Dunkin' Donuts	3%	\$10		
Handel's Ice Cream	5%	\$5		
Joe Maxx Coffee	5%	\$10		
Malley's Chocolates	20%	\$10		
Darden - Olive Garden / Bahama Breeze / Longhorn Steakhouse	8%	\$25		
Outback Steak/Bonefish Grille	8%	\$25		
Panera Bakery & Café	8%	\$10		
PF Chang's China Bistro	8%	\$25		
Red Lobster	8%	\$25		
Rosa's Pizza	10%	\$10		
Starbuck's	7%	\$10		
Subway	6%	\$10		
Taco Bell	5%	\$10		
Wendy's	7%	\$10		

Automotive	Profit	Value	Qty	Total
BP	2%	\$50		
GetGo / Giant Eagle	5%	\$25		
GetGo / Giant Eagle	5%	\$100		
GetGo / Giant Eagle	5%	\$200		
Marathon	3%	\$25		
Shell	2%	\$25		
Shell	2%	\$100		

Please COUNT your Gift Cards!

All Sales are Final!

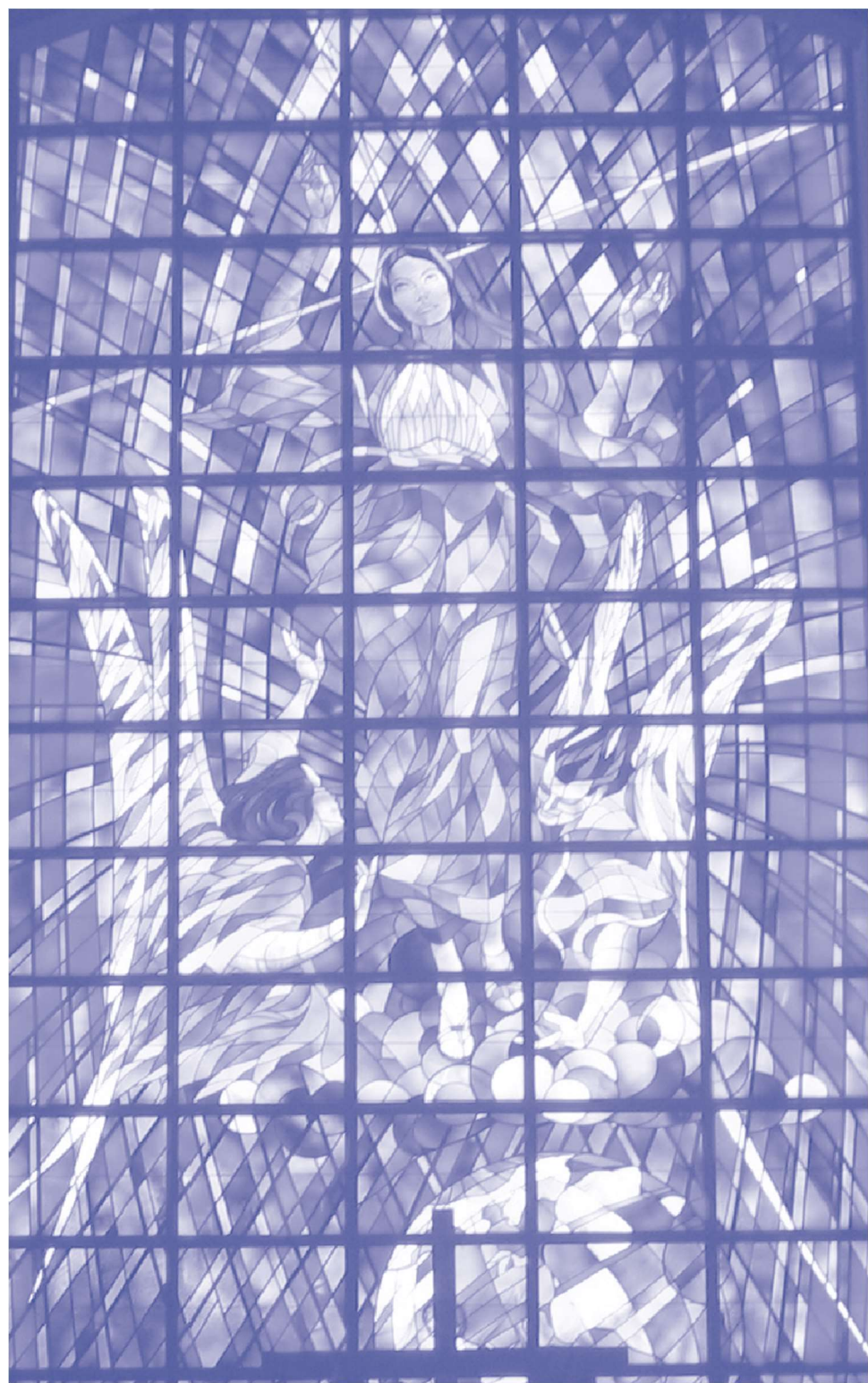
TOTAL DUE: _____

For Office Use

Order Filled By: _____ Checked By: _____
Date: _____

Payment Method:

Check #: _____
Cash: _____



Online Donation Slips

Many parishioners choose to donate online and would like to place a note in the collection basket. Please feel free to use the ones below:

**We generously donated online to
Assumption Church!**

Envelope Number: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____

**We generously donated online to
Assumption Church!**

Envelope Number: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____

**We generously donated online to
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Envelope Number: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____

To donate online, visit: <https://coabvm.churchgiving.com/>

