

# ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

SEPTEMBER 18, 2016 | TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



# Welcome

September 18, 2016

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229 Mickie McCool

### Director of Administration

225 Jim Hager

### Advancement Office

235 Angie Gloriod

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221 Christine Reinhart

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240.3721 ext:229

## Eucharist

Heaven meets Earth every time we gather for Eucharist, indeed whenever we breathe with an awareness of God's Spirit alive in all of creation. The Eucharist is the highpoint of our life together in Christ and the truth of the Eucharist remains in us and all around us wherever we go. This is why it makes perfect sense to spend "time" in the presence of the Lord fully present in the Eucharist. That investment of time yields a harvest of eternity. We actually surrender our time bound experience to the truth of our eternal life in Christ. Whether we use words like, "the light went on", "the weight was lifted", "my heart opened to life again", or "hope returned..." we are participating in the promise of eternal life right here, right now.

This glimpse of glory we receive when God's grace enters our lives, in the Eucharist or in a moment of outpouring love from us or to us, lifts us up. It also challenges us. In today's Gospel, Jesus is challenging us to trust the eternal, the divine life which is ours in Christ Jesus. He says, "You cannot serve both God and mammon." We cannot serve God and money. We cannot be slaves to wealth, to possessions, to power, to the things which are only of this world.

If we trust God's power to save; if we trust God's love which is revealed to us in our love for one another; if we recognize these glimpses of glory as true revelations of Christ; then we know that all the things of this world are from God. All the things of this world belong to God. All the things of this world are returning to God. That is what it means to be sacred. All of creation is sacred. The things of this world become profane only when we take them, only when we use them for ourselves and not for God, only when we act as though we own them. We can make all things holy simply by surrendering them to God who owns our life breath already.

Practically, what this means in the spiritual life is that we have to surrender something of ourselves every day until we have nothing. Then we will have only Christ and we will be given all these things besides. Mary is the first and best example for us. She emptied herself completely and was full of Grace. Now she reigns as Queen of Heaven and Earth. Let's follow her in her mission to bring Christ to the world.

*Fr Mitch*



# Assumption's Growing Project



For those of you who do not know much about Assumption's Growing Project, this is a brief summary:

The Growing Project is a Christian response to chronic global hunger. Assumption Parish raises money and donates it to farmers in Kansas. The farmers use the money to purchase what they need to plant various crops. When these crops are sold, our investment is usually quadrupled. The money is then used by Foods Resource Bank, Catholic Relief Services and other ecumenical organizations, for a project that will help starving people world-wide learn to grow their own nutritious food with enough to feed themselves and enough to share with other vulnerable individuals or to sell to provide funds to buy needed items, such as basic medicines, staples and to send their children to school.

The weekend of October 1-2 we will be handing out corn bags and there will be a display downstairs with much information about the Growing Project over the years. Throughout October we ask that you return the corn bags with a donation to help hungry people help themselves. You can also donate online.

We will meet this week on Thursday September 22 at 7:00pm. The school has asked for our help. We will be building 5 human-size Jenga games for the school children to use at recess. We will have all the supplies, we just need your manpower. We will provide snacks and drinks. Should be a lot of fun. We'll gather on the Assumption parking lot by the Sofia House. Hope to see you then.

## Baptismal Preparation Class

All parents are required to participate in a class of Pre-Baptismal instruction before having their child/children baptized at Assumption. For expectant parents it is often better to attend this class before baby is born. Call the Parish Office at 240.3721 ext 235 to schedule a class.

### This Week At Assumption

#### Sunday September 18

**Sunday Preschool**  
10:00am School

#### Monday, September 19

**Parish Council**  
7:00pm Conference Room

#### **Fall Festival Committee**

7:00pm Room D/E

#### Tuesday, September 20

**Centering Prayer**  
9:00am Motherhouse Library

#### **PSR**

6:00pm Church

#### **Athletic Assoc**

6:00pm Room D/E

#### **Perpetual Help Devotions**

6:30pm Chapel

#### Wednesday, September 21

#### **MOP's**

9:15pm Parish Center

#### **PSR**

6:00pm Church

#### **Youth Ministry Bible Study**

7:00pm Sophia House

#### Thursday, September 22

**Reconciliation**  
6-7pm Chapel

#### **Grief Support**

7:00pm Meyer Room

#### **24/7 Men's Ministry**

7:00pm Hall C

#### Saturday, September 24

#### **Wedding**

1:30pm Gina Pilla/Shane Orth

#### **Children's Liturgy of the Word**

5:00pm Mass

#### Sunday September 25

#### **RCIA**

8:00am Hall C

#### **Sunday Preschool**

10:00am School

#### **Will Bartold BBQ**

1 - 6pm Sophia House



PRAYER • PARTICIPATION • GENEROSITY

S T E W A R D S H I P

*"No servant can serve two masters. He will hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon (wealth)." LUKE 16:13*

Is money a "god" that you put before God? Giving money to support the Church and other charity is a pillar of our Faith, just like attending Mass every Sunday and participating in parish ministry. Giving money frees us from being a slave to money and increases our dependence on God and to trust that He will provide all that we need.

## Assumption Parish



**Saturday, October 15  
and Sunday, October 16**

Last week at each Mass a member of Assumption's Fall Festival Committee spoke to parishioners in regards to our need for volunteers to work this event. As of the end of this week, we have filled approximately 15% of the open volunteer positions. We would like to take a moment to thank everyone who signed up to generously donate their time. We appreciate your support and look forward to seeing you in October!

We are currently still in need of over 550 volunteers for the weekend. Festival shifts are typically 2.5 hours long and we have openings available in every area. To sign up online, please visit [assumptionfallfest.com](http://assumptionfallfest.com) and click on the "Volunteer Signup" button, or contact Joe and Aimee Huff directly at 636.294.5064 to sign up over the phone.

Thank you again for your support and remember to check the weekly bulletin for important updates! It is because of the generosity of the parishioners of this wonderful parish that our Annual Festival has been a success, and we know this year will be no exception.

God Bless,  
2016 Fall Festival Committee



### More Fall Festival!!!!

#### Donations

We are in need of donations for the kids games for the Fall Festival. New or gently used stuffed animals or small toys can be placed in the bin marked Fall Festival in the Guadeloupe Room or if you prefer to make a monetary donation and let us shop for you please place an envelope marked Fall Festival Kids Games in the weekly offering.

For questions email: [assumptionfallfest@gmail.com](mailto:assumptionfallfest@gmail.com).

#### Looking For Vendors

Do you sell make/sell jewelry, crafts, artwork, antiques, confections, etc.? If so, we're looking for vendors to offer their products at our Annual Fall Festival on Sunday, Oct. 16, from 11a-5p.

Interested? Just contact:  
[assumptionvendorfair@yahoo.com](mailto:assumptionvendorfair@yahoo.com)  
for an application and more info.

#### Raffle Tickets

Grand raffle and quilt raffle tickets are available elsewhere in the bulletin. Tickets may be returned to the Parish Office or in the Sunday Collection Basket.

### Missouri Catholic Conference

Annual Assembly, Saturday, October 8, Jefferson City MO. To celebrate the 2016 Jubilee Year of Mercy, workshops will focus on the many ways mercy meets Catholics and non-Catholics throughout life and in the public policy arena. For more information or to register call 800.456.1679 or online at: [mocatolic.org](http://mocatolic.org)

### 40th Annual Respect Life Convention

Sunday, October 16, St Charles Convention Center. This years theme: Be God's Mercy. Keynote Speaker: Sr Grace Dominic, Sisters of Life. For more information or to register call 314.792.7555 or online: [strespectlife.org](http://strespectlife.org).



Please join us for the next Assumption Women's Group meeting on Thursday, October 13, 7:00pm, Room D/E for Breast Cancer Awareness night.

In order to honor breast cancer survivors and raise awareness, we encourage every lady to wear their favorite shade of pink or favorite pink accessory to this meeting!



### Shop Fair Trade?

Fair Trade is a system focused on alleviating global poverty and promoting sustainability through ethical global trade. By supporting fair trade products you are taking a step towards making the world a better place, including the ability for children globally to attend school.

Fair Trade means:  
Dignity  
Sustainability  
Education for children  
Hope



### Just A Reminder

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for adoration every week **in the chapel from Sunday at 1pm through Thursday at 7pm.** (Enter the chapel through the north side door and enter code #3721)

The Sacrament of Confession will also be available in the chapel on Thursday evenings from 6-7pm, followed by Benediction.

Please consider signing up to spend an hour of prayer before our Lord in the Eucharist; the Church asks that at least two people be present anytime the Eucharist is exposed. You can sign up for a slot in the binder in the narthex of church.

### Year of Mercy with Pope Francis

Jesus himself sought out these tired, worn out crowds like sheep without a shepherd (cf. Mt 9:35-36), and he sought them out to proclaim to them the kingdom of God and to heal many of them in body and spirit.

Now he calls them to all to himself: "Come to me," and he promises them relief and rest.

*Mercy*

This invitation of Jesus reaches to our day, and extends to the many brothers and sisters oppressed by life's precarious conditions . . . In the poorest countries, but also on the outskirts of the richest countries, there are so many weary people, worn out under the unbearable weight of neglect and indifference. *Angelus, July 6, 2014*



Reflection: How can you be Christ to those who are weighed down by heavy burdens? Do you seek these people out or do you wish to avoid their problems? Consider how Jesus seeks you out in your time of need. Take on his attitude of mercy.

### Flood Relief

In response to the recent historic flooding, which has affected Louisiana, in union with the USCCB a special collection will be taken up in all parishes in the Archdiocese of St Louis this weekend. These funds will be used to assist flood victims now in the wake of the worst flooding since Hurricane Katrina. As many as 60,000 homes have been damaged and nearly 20,000 people have been rescued from the flood waters. More than 106,000 individuals and families have sought federal disaster aid.

The funds collected will be used to support the efforts of Catholic Charities as they respond to immediate emergency needs. Checks should be made out to Assumption Parish with Flood Relief in the memo line. Cash donations can be put in an envelope with your name or envelope number on the outside.

**DONATE TO FLOOD RELIEF**

**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday, September 18**

8:00am Tom Groark  
 10:00am Angela Ulett  
 12:00pm People Of The Parish

**Monday, September 19**

6:30am Thomas Whitelaw  
 8:00am Respect Life Apostolate

**Tuesday, September 20**

6:30am Dorothy Arnold  
 8:00am David and Earl Feldmann

**Wednesday, September 21**

6:30am Community Benefactors and Prayer Enrollments  
 8:00am Clara Heck

**Thursday, September 22**

6:30am 50th Jubilarians  
 8:00am Jerry Daves

**Friday, September 23**

6:30am Thomas Hood  
 8:00am Marie Sharp

**Saturday, September 24**

9:00am 60th Jubilarians  
 5:00pm Lydia and John Reed Sr.

**Sunday, September 25**

8:00am Mary Mattingly  
 10:00am Floyd Lindsey  
 12:00pm People Of The Parish



*Please pray for the repose of the soul of:*

Ray Fogg  
 Father of Gerri Belinski

Jim McCurren  
 of Our Parish Community

**Retreat For Divorced & Separated**

The Dask organization is having a Catholic based retreat on September 30- October 2 for divorced and separated people. For more information please contact Jean Sturtzum at 314.704.1870. This weekend will be held in Springfield IL.

**Club 50+ News**

Join us September 26, 7:00pm, Hall C. Our guest will be Don Stevenson who sings and plays piano. It is also time to pay dues - \$15pp. Questions call Martha 636.294.3367.

**Server Schedule**

**Saturday, September 24**

5:00pm Maddie Wyant  
 Casey Sachs  
 Jacob Moore

**Sunday, September 25**

8:00am McKenzie Nelson  
 Alexis Greene  
 Delsin Puchalski  
 10:00am Kristen LaBarge  
 Aidan Kelley  
 Evan Williams  
 12:00pm Molly Morris  
 Jessica Roesch  
 Henry Staebell

**Around Town**

Immaculate Conception (Augusta)  
 All You Can Eat Breakfast, Sep25, 8-12

Immaculate Conception (Augusta)  
 Turkey & Ham Dinner, Oct 2, 11-6

Harvester KC (Sts Joachim & Ann Care Service Parking Lot). Washer Tournament, Oct 8, 1pm. Contact 636.579.9052

Our Lady Queen of Peace Shrine (O Fallon), Wed, Oct 5, 5:30pm. Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed immediately after Mass. Questions, call Ruth at 636.978.1035.

**Readings for the Week  
 Sep 19-25**

**Mon:** 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 7:1-10  
**Tue:** 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 7:11-17  
**Wed:** Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17  
**Thu:** 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 7:36-50  
**Fri:** 1 Cor 15:12-20; Ps 17:1bcd, 6-8b, 15; Lk 8:1-3  
**Sat:** 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15  
**Sun:** Am 8:4-7; Ps 113:1-2, 4-8; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13 [10 - 13]

**Stewardship  
 Our Gifts to God and Parish**

We are grateful to you for your presence, your participation, and your financial support of Assumption Parish.

	Aug 21, 2016	Jul 3, 16 - Aug 21, 2016
<b>Envelopes (568) &amp; On Line</b>	\$ 30,776	\$ 260,598
Loose	\$ <u>982</u>	\$ <u>7,197</u>
<b>Total</b>	\$ 31,758	\$ 267,795
		Budget 266,208

**Loan Balance as of 7/31/16: \$2,193,875**

It takes an average weekly collection of \$36,000 to sustain our parish mission.

*"Every man according as he purposes in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity, for God loves a cheerful giver. 2Cor 9:7"*

## Assumption Youth Ministry

# MIDDLE SCHOOL

youth ministry

2 things coming in OCTOBER for Middle School

HAYRIDE & BONFIRE FOR 6th, 7th & 8th Graders  
– Date TBD

PARENT MEETING FOR 6th, 7th & 8th Grade Parents –  
We want to hear from you! Date TBD



### September

**18** - Grease Rehearsal 6-9pm Hall A/B

**19** – Grease Rehearsal 7-9pm Hall A/B

**21** – BIBLE STUDY – Come on up teens and let us help you gain a deeper understanding & appreciation for Sacred Scripture & the Holy Mass 7-8:30pm CHAPEL

**22** - Grease Rehearsal 7-9pm Hall A/B

**25** - Grease Rehearsal 6-9pm Hall A/B

**26** - Grease Rehearsal 7-9pm Hall A/B

**28** – XTREME TEEN – The Mystery 7-9pm Hall C

Stay in the loop on social media...

Facebook: Assumption Church Youth Group

Twitter: ACYG Youth Ministry@acygyouth

Instagram: acyg.youthministry

Questions:

abvmyouth@gmail.com

636.240.3721 x243

### Sacristan Ministry

*“Sacristans are the host, the server, and the guest, for the banquet of the Eucharistic Celebration, prepared so that our parish community may experience Christ’s love and bring Christ to the world.”*

The Sacristan Ministry wants to provide an opportunity to all parishioners to partake in this most awesome, spiritually rewarding experience. We are in need in of help! AND would love for you to join us in serving our community, most especially as Sacristan for the 10:00 and Noon Mass. One-on-One individualized training is provided with documented notes for continued support. For information please call Vicki Briggs at 314.518.4048 or email at [Victoria.j.briggs@charter.net](mailto:Victoria.j.briggs@charter.net).

### Stewardship 2016

*Stewardship Is a Way of Life...*



**Prayer: Spending Time with God in Prayer:** Prayer is the **only way** to a real and personal relationship with God. We find intimacy with God through prayer. Consider the following suggestions:

*Attend mass every Sunday and on Holy Days; Spend 15 minutes a day in personal prayer; Spend one hour a week in the Adoration Chapel; Pray together with loved ones; Read the bible at least one hour a week; Pray the rosary at least once a week; Go to confession every other month; Schedule time for a retreat; Attend a bible study.*

### Bible Study: God’s Living Word

Beginning Wednesday, October 5 from 10:00am to 11:30am at the Sophia House, you are invited to join Father Mark as he facilitates a Bible Study of the Sunday Scripture readings. Come find out what Jesus is saying to you as we break open His Living Word to us in the three readings we hear proclaimed each Sunday Mass. Gain more insight on the Liturgical Seasons and discover what goes into preparing a homily. You are invited to attend each Wednesday throughout the year. Come to some, come to all. Registration and cost is not required to come together and celebrate what God has in store for us to hear in His Word. Father Mark will have all readings and materials ready for you each week. Come help the words of Jesus come alive for you and your family and friends.

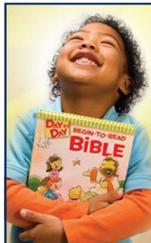
Any questions contact  
Fr. Mark at  
[frmark1995@gmail.com](mailto:frmark1995@gmail.com)  
Hope to see you  
Wednesday, October  
5th!!!



## Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's Liturgy of the Word. (CLW) is an age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word offered for ages 3 – 1st grade at the 5:00pm Mass. No pre-registration is necessary. All children are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Just before the Liturgy of the Word begins for the assembly, the children are invited to come up to the front of church by the presiding priest. Father will then formally dismiss them to go with the weekly leaders from the church to Hall C. During this special time, our leaders will share with the children through prayers, songs and readings that are simplified for children.



## Life Chain

Assumption will be joining the Pro-Life chain on Sunday, October 2, 2:00pm - 3:00pm. We will stand on the sidewalk in front of the church grounds. Bring a rosary and join us in prayer. Signs will be available the day of the life chain. For additional information contact Sylvia Kiphart 636.978.8803.

## Day of Peace

The Sisters of the Most Precious Blood of O Fallon invite you to join them and people all around the globe in praying for peace and nonviolence in our world. In observance of the International Day of Peace, the Sisters will host an ecumenical prayer service on Wednesday, September 21, 6:30pm in the St Joseph Chapel. Parking is available in the north lot of the cemetery and in the adjacent O Fallon city hall lot.



Please help support our parishioners, the Bartold family! Join us September 25, 1:00pm - 6:00pm on the grounds of the Sophia House, for a BBQ Chicken Dinner. Cost \$15 per person. Will Bartold is suffering from bone cancer and all proceeds will help cover Will's medical expenses. Tickets

can be purchased by email [abvmprsr@yahoo.com](mailto:abvmprsr@yahoo.com), or calling 636.240.1020, or at the PSR office. If you are interested in donating or helping out at the event, contact:

## How to use our Membership & Ministry Directory 2016

The NEW Membership & Ministry Directory is on its way and you should receive it in your homes soon! The directory offers a wealth of information that (we hope) you will find useful. Be sure to check it out! You might be saying to yourself: "Why should I *USE* the directory?" Here are just a few highlights that will help you navigate through this *awesome* booklet:

### "Who is on Staff at Assumption?"

– Assumption Parish Staff & More Pg. 3

### "I'm trying to find a parish meeting location?"

– Campus Map Pg. 4;

### "What special accommodations do we have?"

Did You Know This About Assumption Parish? – Pg. 5;

### "What if I need resources and/or support?"

– When In Need Pg. 7;

### "I wonder when the retreat is this year?"

– Scheduled Parish Events Pg. 7;

### "What day does Christmas fall on this year?"

– Our Liturgical Calendar Pg. 8\*

**Page 8-9:** Prayerful Reflections on our Stewardship theme: "God Showers His *Mercy* on Us":

**Pages 10-15:** A discernment guide to help you discover the Gifts that you possess given by God! This is truly an exciting adventure which may help you to know how to best utilize your gifts for the good of all!

**Pages 15 & 16 – Ministry Categories:** You will see that all of our ministries are separated within five categories. These ministry category descriptions might lead you to a particular ministry/ies that you may feel an energy or passion around.

**Pages 17 thru 30 – Stewardship Opportunities at Assumption:** Listed in alphabetical order are all of our ministries; which category they fall in; and their descriptions. You will see details about the duties involved; an estimated time commitment; special skills needed; and the ministry contact person.

**Pages 32- thru 62: Church Membership Directory:** Here are the names and addresses of each of our registered members of our parish (last updated July 2016).



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*Sunday -18 October 2015*  
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 1st Prize - \$1000.00  
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# MUSIC TRIVIA



*Friday, September 30, 2016*

ELKS CLUB: 1163 TOM GINNEVER AVE, O'FALLON, MO 63366

DOORS OPEN @ 6 PM. TRIVIA STARTS @ 7 PM

To Benefit the Assumption Athletic Association

**BEER & SET UPS INCLUDED**  
 \$40 / couple  
 \$150 / table (of 8)

Register: [www.MT2016AAA.eventbrite.com](http://www.MT2016AAA.eventbrite.com)



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL  
 ... HELPING NEIGHBORS STARTS AT HOME ...

**2016 Northwest District  
 Friends of the Poor® Walk**  
 Saturday, September 24, 2016  
 Quail Ridge Park, Wentzville, MO

**Check-In begins at 8:00am**  
**Walk begins 9:00am**  
**Lunch begins at 10:00am**

Meet in the Group Picnic Area and walk as little or as much as you'd like on the paved paths.



All donations aid the Society of St. Vincent de Paul  
 We accept cash, checks, and credit cards (online only)  
 Free T-Shirts available with a \$25 minimum donation,  
 while supplies last



**100% of the funds collected stay in  
 the local community**  
 Visit [svdpusa.net/fop](http://svdpusa.net/fop) to register  
 as a walker



**Hosted by  
 Immaculate Conception Dardenne**

For more information or questions please call or email  
 Chris Smith at 314-616-6476 or [chrispsmith@hotmail.com](mailto:chrispsmith@hotmail.com)

**Assumption Parish Members and friends: When Registering as a Walker select Assumption O'Fallon as the Beneficiary and Select ABVM O'Fallon MO as your associated Team**

Society of St. Vincent de Paul - Archdiocesan Council of St. Louis  
 1310 Papin Street • Saint Louis, MO 63103 • (314) 881-6000 • [www.svdpstlouis.org](http://www.svdpstlouis.org)

## CELEBRATION OF THE MASS

### Weekend Masses

Saturday 9:00am  
 (Motherhouse Chapel)  
 Vigil 5:00pm  
 Sunday 8:00am  
 10:00am  
 12:00pm

### Daily Mass

Weekdays 6:30am  
 (Motherhouse Chapel)  
 8:00am

### RECONCILIATION

Thursday 6-7pm (Chapel)  
 Saturday 4:00-4:45pm

### BAPTISM

2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 1:15pm. Required Preparation Class. Call 240.3721 to register.

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL**  
 636.272.4758 (Helpline)

## CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE

Those preparing for marriage should contact the rectory at least one year in advance. One party must be a registered member of Assumption and living an active, practicing Catholic life. Contact Christine at the Parish Office.

## RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS

(RCIA) Process through which adults are initiated into the Catholic Church by Baptism or Profession of Faith. For information Missy Lowrey 314.630.3983.

## PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Religious instruction in the Catholic faith. Call Krista Kenkel, 636.240.1020 for information or to register.

## CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME

For inactive Catholics returning to Church. For more information call Steve King, 699.9961 or Dee King 734.3437.

## MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION

For one-on-one grief support, contact Kris Bohn at 379.8567, and for information regarding our grief support series, which is held twice per year, contact Lynn Crews at 294.0821.

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