Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

May you find Christ here ... May you bring Christ to the world

JUNE 23, 2024 - V - N I H -MARK 4:41 SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SACRAMENTS AND PARISH INFORMATION

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Please call the Parish Office, 636-240-3721. Select Option #2.

BAPTISM

Baptism is scheduled every Sunday at 1:15pm. Baptism preparation class is required. Call Angie, ext 235.

CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE

Contact the Parish Office six months in advance. One party must be a registered member of Assumption and living an active, practicing Catholic life. Contact Angie at the Parish Office, ext 235.

CONFESSION

Weekdays 7:30–7:50am; Saturdays 4–4:45pm; or by appointment.

CONFIRMATION

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Preparation begins in September for students entering eighth grade. For more information, call Holly Woytus, 636-240-1020.

FIRST COMMUNION

Preparation begins in September for students entering second grade.

FUNERALS

Please call Debbie Orf at the Parish Office at 636-240-3721, ext 221.

RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

Process through which adults are initiated into the Catholic Church by Baptism or Profession of Faith. Contact Missy Lowrey, 314-630-3983.

Welcome

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Abvparishcouncil3721@gmail.com

School Board abvmschoolboard@gmail.com Hello,

Yesterday, June 22, was the feast day of Saints John Fisher and Thomas More. Both died, or more precisely, were executed for refusing to take the Act Respecting the Oath to the Succession of Henry VIII. Saint John Fischer was a bishop and a scholar. When Henry VIII desired to have his marriage to Catherine of Aragon declared null so he could marry Anne Boleyn and none of their offspring could be recognized as successors to the throne. In addition to requiring the recognition of the legitimacy of this marriage was the fact that the oath would require the recognition of the king as the head of both all civil and religious loyalties, Fisher would refuse to take the oath and thus was imprisoned. While in prison, Pope Paul III named John Fisher a cardinal of the church, hoping this would influence Henry VIII to ease his treatment or possibly release him from prison. But instead, Henry tried Fisher for treason, had him condemned to death, and eventually beheaded on June 22, 1535.

But the clergy were not the only ones required to take this oath, or who were rejected. Thomas More was known for being a statesman and a very pious man. He was identified as a part of the humanist movement at the time and his book Utopia was seen as a great benefit to that movement. He was respected enough for his knowledge and work that he became the lord chancellor of England for Henry VIII. But in this position, he also would be required to support the king in his marriage and in his position as not only head of the kingdom but also the church. More tried to continue as he could without going against his faith but eventually would ask to resign. As a good lawyer he considered the ways in which he could stay true to his faith while not condemning himself to the king. But eventually, he was also required to take the Oath and brought to trial for his refusal. At trial More states:

"Ye must understand that, in things touching conscience, every true and good subject is more bound to have respect to his said conscience and to his soul than to any other thing in all the world beside"

He would be found guilty at the trial and, like Fisher, sentenced to death. He was beheaded on July 6, 1535.

I think the joint feast of John Fisher and Thomas More is a good example of how all of us, clerics and laity, are called to live out our faith in all parts of our life in the face of the challenges the world may present to us. Thomas More is even more widely known than John Fisher for his example and hopefully a model that we can all look to in staying faithful to God in all aspects of our lives.

Peace,

Fr. Nick

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL UPDATE

The ACA Pledge Drive continues until August, the following is where our parish stands to date:

Total Pledged to date: \$146,625 Last year's Pledge: \$160,000 2024 Goal: \$219,960 % Parishioners Pledged to date: 16.03% % Parishioners Pledged Last Year: 18.96%

Please consider making a donation, you can do so through Assumption's or the Archdiocesan websites.

BULLETIN NOTICE

Bulletin articles need to be submitted to the editor by 9am on the Tuesday before Sunday's edition (five days prior to availability). Requests will be reviewed and published as space allows.

Please send article to <u>bulletin.assumption@gmail.com</u>.

ASSUMPTION PRAYER CHAPEL



Adoration is available 24/7 in the Chapel (the old church) by using the code at the north transit entrance. You can call or come to the Church Office to receive the code.

EXPOSITION is on Tuesdays after the 8am Mass, and available through the

Rosary at 6:15pm, followed by our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions.

During Eucharistic Exposition, when the Eucharist is in the monstrance and exposed, an adorer must be present. If you are interested in being an adorer, please sign up at assumptionbym.weadorehim.com and choose a time during the day. Thank you!

PRAY THE ROSARY BEFORE WEEKEND MASSES

Please join us in Church 30 minutes before each weekend Mass for the Rosary (except 5:30 pm Mass on Sundays.)

We gather and pray before the Holy Family Statue.



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Robert Peirick

father of Donna (Greg) Callihan brother-in-law of Jan Peirick

Phil Thomann

husband of Pam Thomann





O'FALLON KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #2269

Queen of Hearts | Every Tuesday

Our O'Fallon Knights of Columbus welcome you to the weekly Queen of Hearts every Tuesday. Doors open at 5pm with drawing at 7pm. Food and beverages available for purchase.



The jackpot has climbed to \$17,980 with only 16 cards remaining in the deck!

HELP SUPPORT STUDENTS EDUCAITON

Great news! Parishioners and supporters are able to make a BIG difference for low income and special needs students who desire catholic education with a 100% tax credit offsetting their contribution. Each of us can help children get the education they deserve and not be "out-of-pocket" any money! The Today and Tomorrow Educational Foundation (TTEF) is one of the non-profit organizations chosen by the State of Missouri to fundraise and administer these essential scholarships.

In 2021, legislation was passed to establish the Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program, known as MOScholars. MOScholars provides Education Savings Accounts (ESAs) to eligible low–income and special needs students. ESAs can be used for parochial and private school tuition and other qualified educational expenses. ESAs are funded by individual donors and Missouri businesses who make eligible tax credit contributions. Each donor receives a 100% tax credit for up to 50% of their Missouri tax liability. As a dollar–for–dollar credit, these donations can supplement a company or individual's existing philanthropic giving, at no additional 'cost'.

More information about scholarships and donor details can be found at <u>ttef-stl.org/moscholars</u> or in the FAQs (below). Thank you for your support!





What is TTEF's Role?

TIEF, as your Educational Assistance Organization, is responsible for accepting eligible donor contributions and submitting supporting documentation. In return, TTEF provides funding to eligible families for the scholarship and documents to donors to prove their tax credits.

Who is Eligible?

- An individual subject to Missouri state income tax.
 An individual, firm, partner in a firm, corporation or shareholder in an S-Corp doing business in the state and subject to state income tax.
- An express company that pays an annual tax on its gross receipts in Missouri under chapter 153.

Is There a Tax Credit Limit?

A MUScholars tax credit is equal to 100% of an eligible donation, not to exceed 50% of the donor's state tax liability for the tax year the credit is claimed MOScholars tax credits may be carried forward for four subsequent tax years. The tax credit is not sellable, transferrable, or refundable.

About MOScholars

The Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program (MOScholars) launched by the State of Missouri provides state tax credits in exchange for contributions to approved, non-profit Educational Assistance Organizations (EAOs). EAOs use the contributions to award scholarships to Missouri students living in low-income households or those on Individualized Education Programs.

How to Participate

1. Reserve Tax Credits

- Visit the Missouri State Treasurer's Office website at treasurer.mo.gov/MOScholars
- Select "Today and Tomorrow Educational Foundation" as your EAO.
- This MUST be completed prior to donating.

2. Complete Donation

- Donations of \$500 or more must be paid within 30 days of the reservation.
- Checks issued by US bank or money orders payable to TTEF can be mailed to: TTEF – MOScholars

20 Archbishop May Drive St. Louis, MO 63119

- For electronic funds transfer information, please contact kimdonermeyer@archstl.org
- We cannot accept tax credit contributions via credit card or stock at this time.

3. Receive Credits

- TTEF will provide tax receipts within 30 days of processing your contribution.

Scan the QR Code
Or Visit
TTEF-STL_org/MOScholars
For more information



PATRIOTIC ROSARY AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION DARDENNE CHURCH

JUNE 24 | 7PM



Immaculate Conception Dardenne (ICD) Pro-Life Committee will be hosting a "Patriotic Rosary" in their Church. Don't miss this beautiful rosary as we pray for all 50 states and our government

leaders, along with singing beautiful patriotic hymns. All are invited to this special evening.

PLAY BLINGO FOR A CHANCE TO WIN PARK LANE JEWELRY THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 6:30PM

The O'Fallon Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary #2269 is hosting BLINGO with prizes from Park Lane Jewelry! Participants of all ages will enjoy eight rounds of BLINGO with extra sheets of four cards available, as well as raffle baskets and 50/50 chances. Snacks are welcome—cash bar available throughout the night. Admission is \$15; doors open at 5:30pm. All proceeds benefit local charities and causes.

Reservations are appreciated. Contact Margie Prinster at 636-577-1369 or margerry1@gmail.com.



PART-TIME ACTIVITY ASSISTANT NEEDED AT ABBEY SENIOR HEALTH



Abbey Senior Health in O'Fallon is seeking a part-time Activity Assistant. Must be flexible, have a cheerful disposition, and a compassion to work

with the elderly. Duties include helping with parties, games, crafts, happy hours, bingo, and wheelchair transportation to a variety of events and activities. Some parts of the job are physical. No experience required.

If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Aliesa Moore at 636-240-5754, ext. 381.

CATHOLIC RETREAT FOR SINGLES JULY 19-21



Mid-life Singles: Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose and belonging? REFLECT Catholic retreats are for singles in their mid-30s to 50s. It's for

those who want to know themselves better and discover more about their capacity for life as a single man or woman. It's an experience that calls us to believe in our value to the Lord, and to devote ourselves to caring for and serving others.

Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at the Pallottine Renewal Center in Florissant, MO, July 19-21. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$265 including meals. For more details, visit ReflectRetreat.com, or call 630-222-8303.

MASS SLIDE OPERATORS NEEDED

Join our current Sound Techs and assist as a Mass Slide Operator at weekend Mass! You do not have to have computer skills or be a techy person to help project the pre-made prayer and song lyric slides that

Here I am, Lord.
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.

appear on each side of the altar during Mass. Teens looking for service hours are welcome!

If you are interested, or have any questions, contact our Music Director, Parker Bishop at music@abvmtech.org.

Mass Times and Intentions

Reconciliation

SUNDAY 6.23.24

8:00am Victor Mennemeier
10:00am Betty Bruegenhemke
12:00pm Mary Kelly
5:30pm People of the Parish

By Appointment

MONDAY 6.24.24

6:30am Priests Intention8:00am Curtis Family

7:30–7:50am Church or by appointment

TUESDAY 6.25.24

6:30am Priests Intention8:00am Delphine Droste

7:30–7:50am Church or by appointment

WEDNESDAY 6.26.24

6:30am Priests Intention8:00am Steven Uttecht

7:30–7:50am Church or by appointment

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE STOPS IN ST. LOUIS



The Church needs healing and the world needs Jesus. EXPERIENCE REVIVAL at this first National Eucharistic Congress in 83 years, and be there when God MOVES.

God hears our prayers for the renewal of our Church. He will answer them through a life-changing transformation of our own hearts. The 10th National Eucharistic

Congress is an invitation to experience profound personal revival so we can be sent out to share Christ's love with a world that so desperately needs it. Visit <u>eucharisticcongress.org</u> for all the details.

While we realize not everyone will be able to attend the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage in Indianapolis, July 14-21, we hope you will join in the events planned in St. Louis, July 5-7, when the pilgrimage with the Eucharistic procession heading there arrives in our area. A special thank you for the generous BOXES OF MERCY donations. Your gifts will go to St. Louis families in need during the pilgrimage stop in St. Louis. Here is the lineup of events planned July 5-7:

- ♦ July 5, 3-9pm, St. Charles Borromeo, 601 N 4th St., St. Charles: Meet for the Divine Mercy Chaplet and then walk to the Shrine of St. Rose Philippine Duchesne and then processing with the blessed Sacrament alongside the pilgrims to St. Peter Catholic Church in St. Charles for a meal.
- ♦ July 7, 10am Mass with Archbishop Mitchell Rozanski at the Cathedral Basilica, 4431Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, and then processing to St. Stephen Protomartyr 3949 Wilmington Ave., St. Louis.

To register and for more details about the St. Louis events and the National Eucharistic Congress in Indiana, visit archstl.org/eucharistic-revival.

GOLFING FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION AUGUST 24

Calling all golfers! Get your team together and support Catholic education. Join us for the 24th Annual Assumption Golf Tournament, **Saturday**, **August 24**, at the Falls Golf Club in O'Fallon. Registration and lunch begin at 11am; shotgun start 1pm.

Signup: Get your team signed up soon, spots fill up quickly! Visit https://bit.ly/AssumptionGolf2024 to sign up.

Sponsor: Support Our Assumption School and PSR programs by being a Sponsor! Many different levels are available to choose from! See Sponsorship details on the same page.

The Assumption Men's Group is proud to sponsor this exciting fundraiser to benefit the Assumption Day School and Parish School of Religion (PSR).

If you would like more information, please contact Mike Bigler at michael.bigler@bjc.org or call 314-915-5968.



THURSDAY 6.27.24

6:30am George and Millie Dames 54th Wedding Anniversary

8:00am Mike and Sue Muenks Special Intention

7:30–7:50am Church or by appointment

FRIDAY 6.28.24

6:30am Priests Intention 8:00am Blanche Nanney

7:30–7:50am Church or by appointment

SATURDAY 6.29.24

8:00am Delphine Droste5:00pm Juanita Kaltenbach

4:00–4:45pm Church or by appointment

SUNDAY 6.30.24

8:00am Rose Peery
10:00am Rosemary Dickes
12:00pm People of the Parish
5:30pm Arturo Gavier

By Appointment

VOCATION PILGRIMAGE WEEKEND WITH THE DAUGHTERS OF ST. PAUL

JULY 5-7

Curious about religious life? Spend a weekend with the Daughters of St. Paul, and participate in the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage as it passes through St. Louis!

This dynamic weekend retreat will introduce you to the Eucharistic spirituality, media mission, and community life of the Daughters of St. Paul and give you quiet time with the Lord to pray about your vocation. Open to single Catholic women ages 18-30.

Learn more or register at connect.pauline.org/ vocational-pilgrimage or contact Sr. Amanda Marie at stlouisvocations@paulinemedia.com.



SUMMER SILENT DIRECTED RETREAT **BEGINS JULY 8**



A Summer Silent Directed Retreat will be held at Mercy Conference and Retreat Center (2039 North Geyer Rd, St. Louis, MO 63131). This silent retreat allows you to withdraw from the busyness of life and reflect on and

deepen your relationship with God. You will meet with a spiritual director each day to accompany you through these graced days of silence and contemplation. This is an all-inclusive retreat with private bedroom and bath. All meals are included. Information and registration at mercycenterstl.org.

Two possible options:

- ♦ 6 days, \$700, Monday, July 8 arriving 9am through Saturday, July 13 at 4pm
- ♦ 4 days, \$425, Monday, July 8 arriving 9am through Thursday, July 11 at 4pm

SAVE THE DATE: KATY TRAIL MARIAN PILGRIMAGE SEPTEMBER 30-OCTOBER 4, 2024

Mission

Our Lady has inspired people throughout centuries to serve her Son and His Church. In our attempt to answer her call we will walk in honor of Mary and Jesus and the Church in joyful celebration of our faith and in reparation for the wounds we have given to their



Sacred and Immaculate Hearts.

Why Walk?

This trip along part of Missouri's Katy Trail is a dramatically beautiful way to give your heart to Jesus through Mary. We will travel to three beautiful Marian churches to follow the order of her life and then her final reunion with Christ: Immaculate Conception (Augusta), Our Lady of Lourdes (Washington), and Our Lady of Sorrows (Starkenburg), and Church of the Risen Savior (Rhineland). We will have daily Mass, pray the rosary, sing a little, and have plenty of time to walk quietly with our God amidst some of the most peaceful countryside anywhere. Come for the day or stay for the week!

As the leader of this trip, I will share a little here about myself. My name if Father Tim Foy and I am a priest of the Archdiocese of St. Louis. I currently serve as the parochial vicar for St. Clare of Assisi Parish in Ellisville. I have traveled this route before and I was eager to put it together following a similar pilgrimage experience in Poland.

The spirit of pilgrimage is a tremendous gift that God can give us as we go through this great pilgrimage of life. We grow in the ability to find joy even while we spend ourselves for God. May all of us realize that we are His children called to strengthen one another.

Ouestions?

Please send an email to MarianPilgrimage77@gmail.com, or visit our website at KatyTrailPilgrimage.com, for important information!

Blessings, Father Tim Foy

ASSUMPTION FALL FESTIVAL NEWS



New this year, we will be raffling off one-year Assumption School tuition valued at \$6,385! The winner can choose to take the free tuition or a cash prize of \$5,000. Tell your family, friends and neighbors to take a chance and win! Tickets are \$50 each and we are only selling 350, so your odds of winning are much higher.

Here's how to enter:

- ♦ Cut out the raffle ticket from the bulletin
- ♦ Fill out your name and number
- ◆ Turn in the completed raffle ticket with check (made out to Assumption Church) or money to the Parish Office during regular business hours or drop it in the mailbox out front.

Assumption Fall Festival 1 year Free School Tuition or \$5k SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2024 \$50 Each ~ Only 350 Raffle Tickets Available

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Phone:			

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Stay tuned! We are also working on possibly setting up online raffle ticket sales. If you have any questions about the raffle, contact Fall Festival Chair, Russ Schaller at 314-608-6551.

Grow With Us! PRE-K - 8TH GRADE PRE-K - 8TH GRADE LIAMING... LONG... CHRIST! Enroll Year-Round Schedule School Tours, Shadow Days, and Visits

ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT

Let Assumption School grow your child's academic success! New student registration is open throughout the summer! Children who will be 5-years-old before August 1 are eligible to attend Kindergarten for the upcoming school year. We also have a limited number of openings for preschool through 8th grades.

When you provide your child with a Catholic School education, you are giving them the foundation to become closer to God, in a safe, faith-based, private school environment with smaller class sizes.

Don't delay! Financial assistance and scholarships are available for students in K-8th grades based on financial needs.

Scan the QR Code to learn more about registering online, and call us at 636–240–4474 to schedule a tour of our school today!

Assumption Offers

- Faith-Based, Private School Education
- Safe, Nurturing Environment
- 8:1 Student-Educator Ratio, Including Learning Consultants
- Rigorous Curriculum Exceeds Math and Reading National Average
- Early Childhood Program
- X-STREAM Classroom and Gifted Program
- STEM, Robotics, and Spanish
- Counselors and School Therapy Dog
- Free Before-School Care
- Certified Nature Explore Classroom
- State-of-the-Art Campus
- After-School, Summer, and Athletic Programs

Tuition Assistance Available!





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Contact our Business Manager at 636-240-3721 ext. 225 for more information.

Assumption Catholic School 203 W Third Street / O'Fallon, MO 63366 636-240-4474 / assumptionbymschool.org **Assumption PSR**

Registration Open

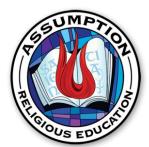
RETURNING FAMILIES:

Visit your TeacherEase account online to register your child.

NEW FAMILIES:

Scan the QR Code with Smartphone to link to online enrollment.





2024-25 Classes:

1st - 8th grades meet 6:15-7:30 PM on Wednesdays. Student drop-off begins at 6 PM.

Tuition includes all materials:

1 child - \$250 2 children - \$365 3 or more children - \$485 Sacramental fee - \$25

Registration Due September 4, 2024



SEEKING PSR CATECHISTS

Requirements:

- ♦ Practicing Catholic
- ♦ Love of God and children
- ♦ A desire to grow in faith

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 6:15-7:30pm. All necessary training and materials will be provided.





HELLO FROM ASSUMPTION YOUTH MINISTRY!

Summer ministry is fully underway with Assumption Youth Ministry! We have an incredible summer of Life Nights, Field Trips, and Retreats planned for our community. We can't wait to see what God has in store for us! Praise the Lord for how He is continuing to move in the young Church.

Sunday, June 23 | Life Teen: Men's and Women's Sessions 6:30–8:45pm in Hall C

All teens are invited to join us for a great Life Night focusing in on how God created each of us with intention. The women will be hearing the "Wonder of Eve" presentation from our ArchSTL Office of Marriage and family life. The men will be discussing what true masculinity that reflects the heart of God looks like in comparison to toxic masculinity. Teens can expect food, community, new insights and an opportunity to look into how they were created good.



Monday, June 24–Friday, June 28 | Life Teen Leadership Conference (LTLC) Benedictine College in Atchison, Kansas

This week, 14 of our upperclassmen along with our youth ministry staff, will spend the week with other Catholic upperclassmen from all over the country at the Life Teen Leadership Conference, held at Benedictine College in Atchison, Kansas. This intensive week of prayer, community and discipleship features Daily Mass and the Sacraments, powerful talks from some of the best Catholic speakers around, and the challenge to our teens to truly be the young Church in action. Our 14 teens who commit to LTLC, not only commit to attending the conference, but also to monthly meetings of fellowship, monthly mentoring with youth ministry staff, and active leadership roles within our youth ministry program. Please pray for us this week and know that we will be praying for you!



Thursday, June 27 | Summit Bible Study 7–9pm in HQ

Our teen Bible Study is back! Join us for fun, community, and prayer around the upcoming Sunday's readings.



SAVE THE DATES:

July 12–15: Steubenville Youth Conference

July 29–August 3: Life Teen at Camp Covecrest and EDGE at Camp Hidden Lake!





Connect with us on Social Media:

Instagram:

@assumption_life_teen // @assumption_edge

Facebook:

Assumption Life Teen // Assumption EDGE

QUESTIONS? Contact Becky Whitaker, Director of Youth Minister; Life Teen Youth Minister 636-240-3721 ext. 243 or <u>beckywhitaker@abvmtech.org</u>

Alejandro DeHerrera, Middle School (EDGE) Youth Minister 636-240-3721 ext. 333 or alejandrodeherrera@abvmtech.org

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL CONTINUES | EVERY PENNY HELPS



If you haven't had a chance to donate, you still have time to contribute to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA). Your sacrificial giving through the ACA supports a wide range of programs and ministries in our parish, and throughout the community. Some of these examples include the following:

- ♦ Serving our Parishes Directly: Last year our parish received a \$75,000 grant from the Archdiocese of St. Louis to help pay down the loan we have from the expansion of our grade school. This allowed us to reach the end of the loan about four months sooner.
- Serving our Youth: Supporting the Today and Tomorrow Educational Fund, which provided scholarships to over 30 parish families last year.
- ♦ Serving the People in our Parishes: Funding numerous diocesan programs that parishioners use, such as the archdiocesan marriage preparation classes.
- Serving Those in Need: Supporting St. Joachim and Ann Care Service, an organization that helps many throughout St. Charles County and beyond with housing and food needs.
- Serving Those who Serve Us: Supports Regina Cleri, retirement apartments for priests, where Fr. Ron Rubbelke lived after leaving Assumption, and our current priests also will have a place to go when needed.

To make your contribution online, please SCAN the QR Code and be sure to credit our parish-Assumption Parish (O'Fallon) 344—in the dropdown menu. Donations will be accepted through August.

Thank you for your generous gifts and sharing Christ's love through the ACA.

SCAN ME

OUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH

Weekly Offertory **Actual Collections Budget Target** Surplus / (Shortfall)

June 2, 2024 \$33,919 \$42,500 \$(8,581)

YTD 7/1/23 - 6/2/24 \$2,023,025

\$1,936,500 \$86,525

Loan taken out in 2013 for expansion of our school \$3,306,127 Original Loan Current balance owed \$542,007 Monthly payment \$20,923

Last expected payment will be in August 2026, thanks to our annual Ensuring Parish Viability grant of \$75,000 which was renewed by the Archdiocese in March 2024.



The Bible Teaches It (Mal 3:10-12) We Believe It (Acts 4:32-36) God Honors It (Gen 14:18-20) TITHING

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

If you would like to give online, please go to: assumptionbym.org/Our-Parish/Online-Giving

or scan the QR Code and create an account.



SCAN ME

OFFICE INFORMATION

ADDRESS/PHONE/HOURS

403 N Main Street. O'Fallon MO 63366 636-240-3721 Parish Office Hours: Monday-Thurs 8am-4pm Friday 8am-2pm

ASSUMPTION SCHOOL

636-240-4474

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL 636-272-4758 (Helpline)

BULLETIN NOTICES

Submit to Parish Office Bulletin.assumption@gmail.com by 9am on the Tuesday before Sunday's edition (five days prior)

SOCIAL MEDIA

Website: assumptionbym.org Instagram: @abvmofallon Facebook.com: @assumptionparish Youtube: @assumptionmedia1

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Religious instruction in the Catholic faith. Call 636-240-1020 for information or to register.

MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION

For one-on-one grief support, or information regarding our grief support series, which is held twice per year, contact Lynn Crews at 314-578-0741