



MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Having been your pastor for one year now, I am proud to say that I am very blessed to be in a parish that is dynamic and lively where everybody is engaged and willing to move forward our common mission from Christ.

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2023 PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORT ST. MARY'S OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH

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TRANSFORMING OUR LIVES; BUILDING OUR CHURCH

A community of Christ that builds up one another by word, action, and solidarity. Guided by the spirit living and giving, we accompany one another in our common pilgrimage

PARISH LIFE - YEAR IN REVIEW

The Knights of Columbus hosted a Spaghetti dinner, Roast Beef dinner, Parish Breakfast, Hockey fund raiser, and cooked at the St. Mary's school BBQ. They are all for the parish.

CWL hosts funeral lunches throughout the year. This year, they hosted the Diocesan CWL Convention, which was well attended including all the priests and deacons of the Northern deanery and enjoyed by all. It was a very successful event.

St. Vincent de Paul continues their good work by continuing their food bank and serving those in need in our parish community.

From October to April, a hot lunch is served on Tuesdays to those in need of food and for social support. The lunch is hosted by various groups in our parish.

We have a number of children who made their first Holy Communion and Confirmation in our parish this year. Our parish was also blessed with a good number of people who joined our parish through RCIA and adult baptism at the last Easter Vigil.

Thank you to our generous parishioners for the healthy donation you have made which have exceeded those made in the previous year.

PARISH PASTORAL PLANNING - UPDATE

We have organized and streamlined catechetical programs in partnership with our St. Mary's school to enhance steady flow of catechism in our parish.

PLEASE CONSIDER PLANNED GIVING OPTIONS

Preauthorized Offering Plan (POP)

Regular Planned Giving annual increase in offertory based on Consumer Price Index (CPI)

Bequests through your last will and testament

Securities – Stocks, Bonds, Mutual Funds, GICs

Life Insurance