

**TWINNED PARISHES OF  
ASSUMPTION AND RESURRECTION**

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**Bulletin for  
July 2020**

**REGULAR MASS TIMES**

**Saturday**

4:00 p.m. Resurrection

5:30 p.m. Assumption

**Sunday**

9:30 a.m. Assumption

11:00 a.m. Resurrection

12:30 p.m. Assumption - Latin Mass

**Weekday Masses cancelled**

**July 6—July 24**

**AT THIS TIME: PLEASE REGISTER FOR WEEKEND  
MASSES—SEE BELOW**

**CHURCH LOCATIONS**

Assumption Church is located at 9034 - 95 Avenue, Edmonton

Resurrection Church is located at 10555 - 50A Street, Edmonton

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - CONFESSION** - by appointment only at this time

**Rosary** before Masses—at this time there is no Rosary

**Adoration each Friday:** at this time there is no Adoration

**PARISH STAFF**

Business Manager/Pastoral Assistant:

Trish Underwood

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**PARISH CONTACTS**

Parish Council: Rob Taylor 780-464-5621

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**PLEASE REGISTER IN ADVANCE TO ATTEND WEEKEND MASSES**

At this time registration is by telephone (and office walk-in) only. No voicemail or email messages will be accepted. Please call during office hours—only Wed. Thurs. or Fri. 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Please allow everyone a chance to attend, so please consider only registering only every few weeks.

**REGISTRATION FOR WEEKDAY MASSES**

First come / First served basis at this time.

**THE CHURCH WILL BE OPENED ONLY 15 MINUTES BEFORE EACH MASS**

**PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE FOR INFORMATION ON ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:**

**Sacrament of the Sick**

- Available at this time only in danger of death.

**Marriages**

- Schedule an appointment to discuss your forthcoming marriage
- No wedding dates can be scheduled until after a meeting with the Pastor
- An approved pre-marriage course is

**Baptism**

- Parents participate in a Baptism Preparation Class

**First Reconciliation—postponed**

**First Communion—postponed**

**Confirmation—postponed**

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults - RCIA**

- To learn more about the Catholic Faith or to become a Catholic. Begins each fall.



**St. Teresa of Avila – Prayer on Growing Older**

Lord, You know better than I myself  
that I am growing older and will someday be old.  
Keep me from the fatal habit of thinking  
I must say something on every subject and on every occasion.

Release me from craving to  
straighten out everybody's affairs.  
Make me thoughtful but not moody;  
helpful but not bossy.

With my vast store of wisdom,  
it seems a pity not to use it all;  
but You know, Lord,  
that I want a few friends at the end.  
Keep my mind free from the recital of endless details;  
give me wings to get to the point.

Seal my lips on my aches and pains;  
they are increasing, and love of rehearsing them  
is becoming sweeter as the years go by.

I dare not ask for improved memory,  
but for a growing humility and a lessening cock-sureness  
when my memory seems to clash with the memories of others.  
Teach me the glorious lesson that occasionally I may be mistaken.

Keep me reasonably sweet, for a sour old person  
is one of the crowning works of the devil.  
Give me the ability to see good things in unexpected places  
and talents in unexpected people;  
and give, O Lord, the grace to tell them so. Amen

## Little Thoughts for Summers' Evenings

The Word is living, being, spirit, all verdant greening, all creativity. This Word manifests itself in every creature.

— Hildegard of Bingen (feast day: Sept 17)



Christ has something in common with all creatures:  
With the stone He shares existence,  
with the plants He shares life,  
with the animals He shares sensation,  
and with the angels He shares intelligence.  
Thus all things are transformed in Christ  
since in the fullness of His nature,  
He embraces some part of every creature.

— St. Bonaventure (feast day: 15 July)

What I know of the divine sciences and the Holy Scriptures, I have learned in woods and fields. I have no other masters than the beeches and the oaks.

— St. Bernard of Clairvaux (feast day: August 20)

A child kicks his legs rhythmically through excess, not absence, of life. Because children have abounding vitality, because they are in spirit fierce and free, therefore they want things repeated and unchanged. They always say, "Do it again"; and the grown-up person does it again until he is nearly dead. For grown-up people are not strong enough to exult in monotony. But perhaps God is strong enough to exult in monotony. It is possible that God says every morning, "Do it again" to the sun; and every evening, "Do it again" to the moon. It may not be automatic necessity that makes all daisies alike; it may be that God makes every daisy separately, but has never got tired of making them. It may be that He has the eternal appetite of infancy; for we have sinned and grown old, and our Father is younger than we."

— G. K. Chesterton, *Orthodoxy*

**Natural hope** blossoms with the strength of youth and withers when youth withers. Youth is the cause of hope. For youth, the future is long and the past is short. On the other hand, it is above all when life grows short that hope grows weary; the "not yet" is turned into the has-been, and old age turns, not to the "not yet", but to memories of what is "no more".

For **supernatural hope**, the opposite is true: not only is it not bound to natural youth; it is actually rooted in a much more substantial youthfulness. It bestows on mankind a "not yet" that is entirely superior to and distinct from the failing strength of man's natural hope. Hence it gives man such a "long" future that the past seems "short" however long and rich his life. The theological virtue of hope is the power to wait patiently for a "not yet" that is the more immeasurably distant from us the more closely we approach it.

— Josef Pieper, *On Hope*

### Mass Intentions—Assumption Parish

Sat. July 4 5:30 pm

Sun. July 5 9:30 am All Parishioners

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### Mass Intentions—Resurrection Parish

Sat. July 4 4:00 pm

Sun. July 5 11:00 am All Parishioners

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### SOCIETY of ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Needs your help

SSVP is urgently in need of the following items for their help with persons in need:

Toilette tissue, shampoo, toothbrushes, peanut butter, crackers, jam, small bags of rice, pork & beans, canned meats, Salsa sauce, Sidekicks (prepared side dishes), Kraft Dinner.

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Due to the current restrictions for gatherings, First Reconciliation, First Communion and

Confirmation have been postponed. Details will be provided as we receive them.

### CANCELLED SUMMER Pilgrimages & Conferences

Due to restrictions on public gatherings as a result of the COVID 19 pandemic, the following summer events have been cancelled:

- **Lac-Ste-Anne Pilgrimage**  
[See Archbishop Smith's video](#)
- **Family Life Conference**
- **Skaro Pilgrimage**  
[See Archbishop Smith's video](#)

### Summer Retreats

#### Star of the North Retreat Centre

**July 12 – 16, 2020** Transformative Solitude

**July 17-19, 2020** Encountering Christ

Call to register Ph: 780-459-5511

Online registration [www.starofthenorth.ca](http://www.starofthenorth.ca)

### An Act of Spiritual Communion

*My Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Holy Eucharist.  
I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.*

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there,  
and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

*St. Alphonsus Liguori (A.D. 1696-1787)*