

The Ascension of Our Lord



Forty days after his Resurrection, Jesus ascended into heaven. During this period between his Resurrection and Ascension, He actually gave the primacy He had promised to Peter, as we read in **John 21**. The many events between His resurrection and ascension preclude the theory that He ascended on Easter. His ascension does not mean that heaven is somewhere up in space. This was a way of making clear that He was leaving the present mode of existence. St. Paul in **Colossians 3:1** urges us to live our lives now as if we had already died, had risen, and had ascended with Him. In a mystical sense we have done that, in that our Head has done that. In the physical sense it is still in the future.

He ascended to receive the glory due to Him as conqueror of sin and death, **Philippians 2:8-11**; to be our Mediator and advocate with the Father, **Hebrews 9:24**; to send the Holy Spirit as He had promised at the Last Supper (John 16:7); and to prepare a place for us as He also promised, **John 14:2**.

Now He is seated at the Father's right hand, which means that, as He said, "all power has been given to Me in heaven and on earth **Matthew 28:18**. He always had that power as God, but now He exercises it as man, as King of the Universe, with His Mother beside Him as Queen of the Universe.

As God He is everywhere, but not as man, though He is present on earth most widely in the Holy Eucharist, even as man. Besides this real bodily presence in the Eucharist, Christ is present on earth in other, lesser ways. Vatican II explained the various forms of presence, in the Constitution on the Liturgy, # 7: "Christ is always present to His Church, especially in liturgical actions. He is present in the Sacrifice of the Mass in the person of the priest; He is the same one, now offering by the ministry of priests, who then offered Himself on the Cross [citing the Council of Trent]. But He is most greatly present under the Eucharistic species. He is present by His power in the Sacraments, so that when anyone baptizes, Christ Himself baptizes. He is present in His word, for He speaks when the Sacred Scriptures are read in the Church. He is present, finally, when the Church prays and sings the Psalms, He who promised 'Where two or three are gathered in my name, there I am in their midst' **Matthew 18:20**."

Source: www.ewtn.com

Youth Camp 2022

We are so excited to announce that in 2022, a team of youth and camp ministry veterans will be hosting Catholic Youth Camps in Camp Oselia on Wabamun Lake. Three weeks jam-packed with epic games, sports, swimming, laughter, great food, learning about the faith and prayer.

Savio Week (youth entering grades 10-12 in September) Monday, July 25—Friday, July 29, 2022.

Encounter Week (youth entering grades 4-6 in September) Monday, August 1-Friday, August 5, 2022

Our Lady of Victory Week (youth entering grades 7-9 in September) Monday, August 22-Friday, August 26, 2022

For those interested the cost for a week of camp this year is \$295 per camper per week. Grade 10-12 students will also have the opportunity to volunteer as a junior counselor for one of the other weeks in summer. For more information please visit <http://www.caedm.ca/camps> If you have other questions please contact Marc Cramer or Mike Landry at the above email address. **Mike Landry**, Catholic Youth Camps Director.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

As of Pentecost Sunday, June 5, 2022 the COVID dispensation **will be lifted**. Please pick up a copy of the Archbishops letter from the back of the parishes.

Mass Intentions - Assumption Parish

Sat	May 28	5:30 pm	+Farron Lachance
Sun	May 29	9:30 am	All Parishioners
Tue	May 31	9:00 am	+Marilyn Mitchell
Wed	Jun 01	9:00 am	+Barb Rowley
Sat	Jun 04	5:30 pm	Bernadette & Gabriel Tucci
Sun	Jun 05	9:30 am	All Parishioners
Tue	Jun 07	9:00 am	+Laurentius Kaiser
Wed	Jun 08	9:00 am	+Gilda Vergara

Mass Intentions - Resurrection Parish

Sat.	May 28	4:00 pm	Lydia Dotto
Sun.	May 29	11:00 am	All Parishioners
Thu	Jun 02	9:00 am	+Aline Garneau
Fri	Jun 03	9:00 am	Thanksgiving Fajardo Family
Sat	Jun 04	4:00 pm	Julien Hammond
Sun	Jun 05	11:00 am	All Parishioners
Thu	Jun 09	9:00 am	+Marilyn Mitchell
Fri	Jun 10	9:00 am	+Phyllis Barry

Thank you for your continued donation of food to the SSVP Food Basket Collection. Resurrection Parish collection is always the first weekend of the month and Assumption Parish is always the third weekend of the month. Your donations help many people in great need.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul – Assumption conference

Dear Parishioners: Thank you for generously supporting the work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Many low income Edmontonians are struggling to feed their families and pay their bills with rising costs.

We are receiving many requests for food and financial assistance that are draining our resources.

Once again, we ask for your help to care for our brothers and sisters in need.

This weekend after each Mass, we will have paper slips with food items listed on them.

We ask you to take one or more paper slip with you, bringing the food items to Mass June 4, 5 or the next time you come to church.

God Bless you.

Dear Parishioners, we are happy to host a Chalice Sponsorship appeal in our parishes on the weekend Of Corpus Christi, June 18 and 19th, and find 2,000 sponsors for children in developing countries.

Hear an inspiring message from your priest or deacon at Mass and learn how Holy Communion invites us to satisfy the spiritual and physical hunger of others. The Eucharist unites us. Not just with people at Mass, but all people formed in the image and likeness of God.

Here is a quote from a Father of a sponsored child, Kenya **“ I have seen the hand of God. Now I have a house for my family and my children will have an education.”**

We would like to invite all parishioners who already sponsor children through Chalice to bring pictures of their children to display in the foyer. You may bring your pictures before the weekend of June 18 and 19th or bring them the day of.



ICPM Lunch

“I was hungry and you gave me something to eat.” Matthew 25:35

Pastor Quinton and the community members in the Inner City thank all of you for your prayers and the hearty lunch provided on Sunday, May 22.

A huge thank you to all of you for your generous donations of funds and clothing. Also to all who helped pack and deliver the food to the Bissell Centre. Our next ICPM lunch is at the end of September. Because of your generosity, we have a good head start to make the next lunch another successful one. May St. Benedict Joseph Labre, the patron Saint of the Homeless, pray for us all.

Bottle Drive? YESS!

The Youth Empowerment & Support Services (YESS) located on Whyte Avenue near Mill Creek ravine is a neighbour to Assumption church. It provides immediate 24/7 shelter, a drop-in centre, temporary housing, and individualized supports for young people aged 15-24. YESS works collaboratively within a network providing youth with the necessary support to stabilize housing, improve well-being, acquire life skills, and connect with the community.

The Twinned Parishes of Assumption & Resurrection can collaborate with this important service helping young people at risk in our community through a bottle drive partnership with SkipTheDepot.

In the next few weeks,

Gather plastic water bottles and pop/beer cans in a blue (garbage size) bag. Or, bring water bottles and cans to Resurrection church hall where blue bags may be filled.

As you deem practical, bring wine bottles and glass bottles separately to deposit in boxes provided in Resurrection church hall and Assumption church hall.

Parishioners of both parishes can bring bags and bottles

On weekdays to the parish office between 10am-3pm

On weekends 30-15min before Mass

to Resurrection (Sat 4pm, Sun 11am) / to Assumption (Sat 530pm, Sun 930am) *

or after Mass.

* If you bring bottles/cans to Assumption before/after Mass, take these to the basement, against the south wall of the parish hall, by the storage door.

Bring bags and/or glass bottles **before Wednesday 8 June**. SkipTheDepot will pick up and calculate the donation amount designated to YESS.



PENTECOST VIGIL

Come to be REIGNITED, the flame within REKINDLED and to be RENEWED through the Holy Spirit!

Join the Catholic Renewal Services for our Pentecost Vigil on June 4, 2022 at Corpus Christi Parish located at 2707—34 St. NW, Edmonton, start time 7:00 pm. Father Matthew Hysell will be the celebrant.

Let us celebrate together the birthday of our Church!

Prolife Prayers

May 29 - Ascension of the Lord

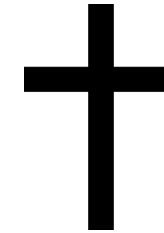
We pray, through the power of the Ascension, that public servants, medical personnel – and all of us - may have a raised awareness of the dignity of every human person as beloved children of God.

June 5 - Pentecost Sunday

We pray that the Holy Spirit will transform us from frightened disciples into fervent and courageous disciples of Jesus and missionaries for Life.

ASSUMPTION PARISH

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Bulletin for May 28, 2022—June 11, 2022

If you wish to receive this bulletin by email, please contact the parish at ar.edm@caedm.ca

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REGULAR MASS TIMES

Saturday	4:00 pm Resurrection 5:30 pm Assumption
Sunday	9:30 am Assumption 11:00 am Resurrection 12:30 pm Assumption - (Latin Mass)
Tue & Wed Thur & Fri	9:00 am Assumption 9:00am Resurrection

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - CONFESSION by appointment or before Mass
Adoration each Thursday at Assumption Parish following the 5:30pm Latin Mass

If you are aware of anyone in our parishes who would appreciate a phone call and who has been unable to attend Masses, please call the parish office: 7 80 468-4071. We are trying to arrange for contact with parishioners as we update our parish list.

PARISH STAFF

Business Manager and
Pastoral Assistant: Trish Underwood

Accountant: Janette Kondra

Admin Assistant: Maura Usher

Admin Assistant: Josee Marr

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Council: Rob Taylor

Liturgy: Call office

Knights of Columbus: Gerald Desmarais

CWL: Lorrie Deutscher

St. Vincent de Paul: Nora Parker

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE

FOR INFORMATION ON ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

Sacrament of the Sick

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 obligatory

Baptism

First Communion

Confirmation

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults—RCIA

(Introduction to the Catholic Faith)

For information please contact the parish office.