

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish  
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Facebook: *Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church, Truckee, CA* **Rev. Vincent R. Juan, J.C.L. – Pastor**

**Office Hours:** Mon., Tues., Thurs., and Fri. – 9:00am to 5:00pm (staff available from 1pm to 5pm) Closed on Wednesday and on Weekends

**Mass Schedule: Truckee**

Weekdays: Mon., Tues., and Fri. - 8:00am

Saturday: Vigil Service 5:00pm (English) and 6:30pm (Spanish)

Sunday: 9:00am (English)

**Confessions:** Sat. 3:30pm to 4:30pm (English/Spanish)

**Adoration of the Holy Eucharist:** Fri. 8:30am to 9:30am (English), 2<sup>nd</sup> Fri. of the month 6:30pm (Spanish)

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**WE NEED YOUR FINANCIAL HELP**

The life of a Christian is built around stewardship or the careful and responsible management of the gift we receive from God in this life - whether referring to finances or the gift of time or talent, you can continue being a good steward even after death by creating a will or living trust that includes Assumption Parish as your beneficiary. If you wish, you may also donate stocks for Assumption Parish. For more information about Bequest Giving and Stock Donation, please contact the Catholic Foundation in the Diocese of Sacramento at 1(916) 733-0266 and specify that your donation is for Assumption Parish in Truckee. Thank you for your support and generosity.

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**PLEASE WEAR APPROPRIATE & MODEST ATTIRE IN CHURCH**

After the harsh winter we've had, we welcome this very nice weather in Truckee and Kings Beach. While enjoying the warmer temperatures, please be reminded to wear appropriate and modest clothing inside Church, avoid beach wears and sensual outfits so as not to attract unnecessary attention.

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**CCD PARENTS' MANDATORY ORIENTATION & AND 5 HOURS OF SERVICE**

Prior to the start of our Catechism program this coming September, we are reminding all CCD parents of the mandatory orientation. The orientation dates will be announced soon. For those parents who have already signed-up their child in the CCD program, you may now start your 5 hours of volunteer service early. Please call the office ahead of time to schedule your service. Do not wait until the February deadline to complete your volunteer service in the Church.

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**HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW THE TEACHINGS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?**

Today, a great number of Catholics believe that the knowledge they acquired from the catechetical program they attended for their First Communion and Confirmation are enough, and that they do not need to learn more about the Catholic Faith. Sadly, their faith becomes stagnant and at times ill-informed because they do not bother to learn deeper about the teachings of Christ and the Church. We invite everyone to learn deeper about the Catholic faith by logging in to FORMED.ORG. This Catholic online resource is a paid program (available in English and Spanish), but Assumption Parish already paid for it so that parishioners and guests can access it for free. Simply visit FORMED.ORG, put the name of the parish, enter the zip code, provide your email, and you may now start browsing to learn more about the Catholic faith.

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**ARE YOU IN AN IRREGULAR MARRIAGE SITUATION IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?**

If you are in an irregular marriage situation such as cohabitating without Catholic marriage, civilly married and no Catholic wedding, or divorced and remarried civilly without annulment, we invite you to see canonical advice from Fr. Vince, a canon lawyer, who was a judge and Adjutant Judicial Vicar at the Marriage Tribunal in the Diocese of Sacramento, to determine what can be done to rectify your marriage situation. Catholics who are in an irregular marriage situation should refrain from receiving communion until their marriage case is resolved.

**Mass Schedule: Kings Beach**

Weekday: Thurs. 8:00am (Bilingual)

Sunday: 4:00pm (English) and 5:30pm (Spanish)

Confessions: Sunday 3:30pm

**Holy Days of Obligation:** the Mass schedule will be posted on the website, bulletin, and Facebook page

**Marriage, Baptisms, Ministry to the Homebound, and 15<sup>th</sup> Birthday:** Please contact the parish office

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**2023-2024 FISCAL YEAR – DIOCESAN BUDGET GUIDELINE/ ASSUMPTION**

As our parish begins our budget preparation for the 2023-2024 fiscal year, we are asked by the Diocesan Finance Office to put into consideration the following assumptions.

- Lay salaries adjustment guideline 4.5 % salary increase
- Priest salaries 4.5 % salary increase, plus years-of-service step increase
- Priest Pension Plan contribution rate – 2% increase
- Priest Health/Dental/Vision Premiums - \$1,150/month
  - Property Insurance – 30% increase
  - Liability Insurance 5.0% increase
  - Auto Insurance 5.0% increase
- Workers Compensation Insurance Rate – 2.0% increase
- Unemployment Insurance Rate – 0.7% of gross payroll

The above assumptions will have a significant impact on our budget this coming fiscal year. With all these considered together with our normal operating expenses, we are roughly projecting a \$64,690.00 deficit for the 2023-2024 fiscal year.

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**WE ARE IN NEED OF VOLUNTEER CATECHISTS**

The number of students that are being registered for the catechism program is increasing each week. We need more catechists (in Truckee and Kings Beach) to help teach our children about the Catholic faith. It is twice a month, and a total of around 3 hours of commitment per month, from September to May (first part), with breaks in between. If you are available, please contact the parish office at (530) 587-3595 as soon as possible. Teaching materials and books will be provided.

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**SEE THE REMAINS OF ST. PADRE PIO & VISIT THE VATICAN**

Reserve your spot early. Few seats are available for the upcoming Italy Pilgrimage this coming November 7 to 17, 2023 that Fr. Vince is hosting. We will be visiting the following places in Italy: Florence, Assisi, Lanciano (Miracle of the Eucharist), San Giovanni Rotondo (St. Padre Pio), Monte Sant' Angelo, Sorrento, Amalfi, Pompeii, Monte Cassino, and Rome with Papal Audience. For \$3,749 flying from San Francisco. For more information, please contact Fr. Vince at (530) 587-3595 or see the brochure available at the church vestibule.

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**JULY 8, 2023 – TRAINING/WORKSHOP FOR NEW LECTORS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Fr. Vince will be offering a training/workshop for new Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers for our Parish. Interested applicants must have completed the three (3) Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, & Confirmation), must be in good standing with the church, meaning, if single, must not be cohabitation with anyone like a partner, and if married, must be married in the Catholic church. The church reserves the right to refuse anyone who is deemed not suitable for the said ministry.

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**FR. VINCE'S EASTER BREAK & 2 WEEKS VACATION**

Fr. Vince is taking his break at the moment. Fr. Bob Brooks will cover while Fr. Vince is away. If you need a priest or if you have an emergency, please call the office and leave a message on the main line (530) 587-3595. Office staff is only available from 1pm to 5pm.

**Those discerning God's call to be a priest, deacon, sister or brother may speak to a member of the parish staff at 530-587-3595.**

**\*MASS INTENTIONS\***

Sat. May. 20th 5:00 p.m.-† Marty and Brad Woods-RIP  
Sat. May. 20th 6:30 p.m.-Collective Mass Intention TK  
Sun. May. 21st 9:00 a.m.- Susan Turner-Spec.Int.  
Sun. May. 21st 4:00 p.m.- People of Assumption Parish  
Sun. May. 21st 5:30 p.m.- Collective Mass Intention KB  
Mon. May. 22nd 8:00 a.m.- Beverly Bettencourt-Spec.Int.  
Tues. May. 23rd 8:00 a.m.- †Mariano Lizarraga-RIP Anniv  
Thurs. May. 24th 8:00 a.m.- †Angelina Conchas-RIP  
Fri. May. 25th 8:00 a.m.- Fr.Vince Juan - 20th Anniv

\*Collective Mass Intention TK:( Sat.)- Rodrigo Saldana- Spec.Int.,Family Lopez Santana-Spec.Int., Lorenzo Islas and Family-Spec.Int., Gustavo Islas and Family-Spec.Int.

\*Collective Mass Intention KB:( Sun.)-Souls in Purgatory, John and Therese McNellis-Spec.Int., Rachel McNellis-Healing, James Coriston and Family-Spec.Int.

If you wish to offer Mass Intention for birthdays, anniversaries, response of the soul, or for healing, please call the office at (530) 587-3595, a week in advance to see the available dates we have. Normally, we do one Mass, one intention, unless it is a Collective Mass Intention (Truckee and Kings Beach) wherein a number of intentions

**CONCERN FOR THE POOR MINISTRY: FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE EVERY FIRST AND THIRD FRIDAY**

Our Concern for the Poor Ministry helps our less fortunate parishioners and our needy brothers and sisters within our community. Normally, the emergency financial assistance is available every first Friday and third of each month at the parish office in Truckee from 10:00am to 12:00noon. All the donations we receive for the Concern for the Poor Ministry are exclusively used to help the needy. Because of your generous donation, the parish is able to fund the following:

- \*Meals on wheels Program (\$200.00/month)
- \*Monthly Financial Assistance
- \*Emergency Warming Center in Truckee
- \*Education Assistance
- \*Christmas Giving Tree

Note: The Parish is not providing gas vouchers, rental assistance, nor hotel vouchers.

**INFANT BAPTISM**

Parents and sponsors are required to attend the baptismal preparation class prior to baptism. Whether the baptism will take place at Assumption Parish or elsewhere, parents and sponsors must complete the forms and provide the necessary certificate before attending the baptismal class. Canon law ONLY allows children 6 years old and below to be baptized as infants. Children who are 7 years old and above must go through the RCIA process first (Rites of Christian Initiation Adapted for Children, under our CCD program) before they can receive the 3 Sacraments of Initiation during the Easter Vigil.



Parents who are not married in Church must first schedule a meeting with Fr. Vince before they can attend the baptismal preparation class. The sponsors selected must be in good standing with the Church, if married, married in Church and if single, must not be cohabitating with a partner. The sponsor must be at least 16 years old and have received the three Sacraments of Initiation. Monthly Baptismal Preparation Class

The next class will be on **Monday, May 15, 2023 at 6PM in Truckee (Bilingual)**. Walk-ins are not allowed. Parents and sponsors must register first at the office in order to attend. Please call the office for the form and to sign-up (530) 587-3595. For the Baptismal Preparation Class, the Parish is asking a donation of \$20 per couple and \$ 20 for the pair sponsors. The suggested donation for baptism is \$75.

**SECOND COLLECTION:**

\* 5/21 CATH. COM. CAMPAIGN \* 5/28 NO SECOND COLLECTION

\* 6/4 MAINTENANCE FUND \* 6/11 CONCERN FOR THE POOR

\*SAT. & SUN. COLLECTION TRUCKEE:

Eng. : \$ 1,589  
Span. : \$ 300

\*SUN. COLLECTION KINGS BEACH:

Eng. : \$ 73  
Span. : \$ 212

**Bible Trivia**

1. Where do we find this famous passage: "God is love, and whoever remains in love remains in God and God I him"?  
a. First Letter of John      c. Letter of James  
b. Third Letter of John      d. First Letter of Peter

**PROPOSED NEW PEWS FOR ASSUMPTION CHURCH**

The temporary movable chairs and kneelers inside the Assumption Church are about 12 years old and are starting to show its age, dirt, and stains. Our volunteer cleaners can only do as much vacuuming them. In addition, the individual kneelers, in order to clean the floor must be placed on top of each chair by our volunteers and then returned back after cleaning and polishing the floor. With the proposed new padded pews, the kneelers attached to each pew can easily be lifted up, so that our cleaners can easily access the floor for mopping and polishing. We need around 28 pews (16 feet long) and 2 pews (about 9 feet long). The estimated cost will be around \$50,000 or more. We are still looking around for vendors and donors to help cover the expense of the new pews. Please contact Fr. Vince at (530) 587-3595, if you would like to help regarding this project.

**CHURCH GROUNDS CLEANING MONTHS - MAY AND JUNE**

In preparation for summer, we are inviting all our parishioners to help us with the clean-up and maintenance of our church grounds, both in Truckee and Kings Beach. In Truckee, we need to repaint the red gutter (paint and materials will be provided), power wash the parking lot, remove rocks, trash, and debris around our church property. You may do the volunteer work at your convenience. Please contact Fr. Vince or the parish office at (530) 587-3595 if you are available to help. Thank you for helping us keep our place of worship clean and presentable.

**TRAINING FOR ADULT MALE ALTAR SERVERS**

Fr. Vince is looking for adult males, ages 18 and above, who can serve at Mass as altar servers. The training will be offered on June 25, 2023, Sunday at 10:15am, after the Sunday Mass in Truckee. Interested individuals must be in good standing with the Church (if married, married in Church, and if singles must not be cohabitating with anyone as a couple), must have received the three Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Communion and Confirmation, must be a practicing catholic and must be able to follow simple instructions during Mass. Please contact Fr. Vince at the office if you are available to serve as adult altar servers.

**JULY 28 – DEADLINE TO REGISTER FOR CCD & RCIA**

We are reminding all parents with children who are in the catechetical age for First Communion and Confirmation to register their child in the CCD program as soon as possible. After the July 28 deadline, we will no longer be accepting registration. The registration started in February.

**PLANNING TO GET MARRIED?**

All couples who wanted to get married in the Church must comply with all marriage preparation requirements of the Diocese of Sacramento. There is a mandatory six (6) months marriage preparation period, but we highly recommend a one (1) year preparation period, especially for those who are residing from another Diocese. Please see the Diocesan guidelines on marriage preparation on the bulletin board of the Church. all documents must be completed and turned in a month before the wedding date.

**BIBLE TRIVIA ANSWER**

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**PARISH REGISTRATION:** Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God for you. **If you are not on our parish list or have changed your address or number**, please fill out the form below and place in the collection basket or mail. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ O New Parishioner OR  
New Address Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ O Date \_\_\_\_\_