

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish
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Facebook: *Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church, Truckee, CA* **Rev. Davis Koottala – Pastor**

Office Hours: Mon., Tues., Thurs., and Fri. – 9:00am to 5:00pm (staff lunch hour from 12pm to 1pm) Closed on Wednesday and on Weekends

Mass Schedule: Truckee

Weekdays: Mon., Tues., Wed. (Span), and Fri. – 8:00am

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

Sunday: 9:00am (English)

Confessions: Fri. After 8am Mass **or** Sat. 3:30pm to 4:30pm (English/Spanish)

Adoration of the Holy Eucharist: Fri. 8:30am to 9:30am (English), 1st Fri. of the month 9am-5pm (Bilingual)

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 15th

Birthday: Please contact the parish office

PARISH OFFICE & DAILY MASS UPDATE

Please be advised that Fr. Davis will be away from August 24–28 to attend a diocesan-mandated program. During this time, **there will be no Daily Masses.**

We appreciate your understanding and patience during his absence. Please keep Fr. Davis in your prayers as he participates in this important program for the continued service of our parish and the Church.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION: COME SPEND AN HOUR WITH JESUS

This Friday, September 4, we invite our parish family to spend time in the peaceful presence of the **Blessed Sacrament.**

ADORATION: 12:00 PM–7:00 PM

In keeping with our **First Friday Adoration schedule**, we invite you to set aside an hour to be with Our Lord in prayer.

Several adorers are needed to help cover each hour, and more than one person may sign up for the same time slot according to their availability.

 A sign-up sheet will be available in the vestibule.

Allow Him to renew your heart, strengthen your soul, and fill you with His peace.



“Could you not keep watch for one hour?” — Mark 14:37

LOVE THY NEIGHBOR MINISTRY UPDATE

For several years, your generous donations have allowed us to create hygiene kits for our homeless neighbors, and we're so grateful for that support. Recently, the Tahoe Truckee Homeless Action Coalition opened a full service center in Truckee, offering shelter beds, interim beds, day use services, and connections to further support for those experiencing homelessness. Because this wonderful new resource now covers what our kits provided, we'll be winding down the hygiene kit program, so if you'd like one, please grab it while they last! Thank you for years of faithfully caring for our homeless neighbors through this program. It's a joy to see them now supported by an even fuller range of services.

BLESSINGS FOR BIRTHDAYS & WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Would you like to receive a special blessing during Holy Mass for your birthday or wedding anniversary? Fr. Davis would be delighted to pray with you and ask God's abundant blessings upon you as you celebrate these important milestones in your life.

If you would like to receive a birthday or anniversary blessing at any of our Masses, simply contact the Parish Office to schedule it. There is **no cost** for this special blessing. We encourage you to make your request in advance so that we may properly include you in the celebration. Thank you for allowing us to celebrate these joyful occasions with our parish family!

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ATTENTION CCD PARENTS!

MANDATORY PARENT ORIENTATION

At least one (1) parent or guardian is required to attend ONE of the orientation sessions listed below. Attendance is **mandatory** and an important part of preparing for a successful year of Religious Education.

 **KINGS BEACH**
Sunday, August 30
6:30–7:30 PM

 **TRUCKEE**
Monday, August 31
6:00–7:00 PM
OR
Tuesday, September 1
6:00–7:00 PM

 FIRST WEEK OF CATECHISM

September 21–25

Please mark your calendars! We look forward to beginning another faith-filled year together.

GET INVOLVED IN YOUR PARISH!

Every member of our parish has been blessed with unique gifts and talents to share. We invite you to prayerfully consider becoming a **ministry leader** or joining one of our parish ministries as a volunteer. Whether you can serve occasionally or on a regular basis, your time and talents can make a meaningful difference in the life of our parish family.

If you feel God may be calling you to serve, please contact the Parish Office. Together, let us continue building a vibrant and faith-filled parish community through joyful service to God and one another.

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:

August 22, Sat. 8:00pm - All the youth of Assumption Parish & Our Lady of the Lake
August 22, Sat. 5:00pm - Staff & volunteers of Assumption Parish
August 22, Sat. 6:30pm - ***Collective Mass Intention TK***
August 23, Sun. 9:00am - John Kuan & Sau King Huie - RIP
August 23, Sun. 4:00pm - People of Assumption Parish & Our Lady of the Lake
August 23, Sun. 5:30pm - ***Collective Mass Intention KB***
August 24, Mon. 8:00am - No Mass
August 25, Tues. 8:00am - No Mass
August 26, Weds. 8:00am - No Mass
August 27, Thurs. 8:00am - No Mass
August 28, Fri. 8:00am - No Mass
August 28, Fri. 6:30am - No Mass

Collective Mass Intention TK: Maria del Carmen Lazaro & Mayra Paola Barrientos Duarte - RIP, Josephina Briviescas - RIP, Yamila Mejia Valdez - RIP, Reyna Sanchez & Family - Health, Elena Sanchez - RIP. Aniv.

Collective Mass Intention KB: For all Priests and Religious.

† Please note - Mass Intentions may be moved to a different date than requested if an unexpected scheduling conflict arises. Thank you for your understanding.

A HEARTFELT THANK YOU - PARISH FAMILY PICNIC

Dear Beloved Parish Family,

My heart is filled with gratitude to all of you for making our Parish Family Picnic such a beautiful and joyful success!

A special and sincere thank you to Daralin Dotts and all our beloved volunteers who took the lead with so much love and dedication to make everything the best. Your hard work, cooperation, and coordination truly uplifted me.

This was my first Parish Family Picnic with you after my coming here on July 1st, and it was a wonderful family event of prayer, fellowship, sharing and caring. The Mass we prayed together, the delicious food you all brought and shared, and the precious time we spent together - everything was truly great.

Congratulations and thank you to everyone who was part of it in so many different ways. May God bless your generosity and love for our parish family.

With love and prayers,

Fr. Davis Koottala

ADORATION BEFORE DAILY MASS

We invite our parish family to spend time in the presence of Our Lord through **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament before Daily Mass**. Adoration will begin at 7:30 a.m. before the 8:00 a.m. Mass, allowing for a **half hour of quiet prayer and reflection** before the celebration of the Eucharist.

This will be a beautiful opportunity to quiet our hearts, enter into prayer, and prepare ourselves to receive Jesus in the Holy Eucharist.

We encourage all parishioners to come a little early for Daily Mass and take advantage of this precious time of prayer and reflection. May these moments before the Blessed Sacrament deepen our love for Christ and help us to begin each day with our hearts centered on Him.



***SAT 8/15 & SUN 8/16 TRUCKEE COLLECTION :**

ENG: \$2,640

SPA: \$446

***SUN 8/16 KINGS BEACH COLLECTION :**

ENG: \$430

SPA: \$331

SECOND COLLECTION OF THE WEEK 8/23:

LOVE THY NEIGHBOR MINISTRY

REQUIRED BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASS

Are you planning a baptism? Our Baptismal Preparation Class is required for all parents and sponsors. The class is held on the third Monday of every month at 6:00 PM in Truckee. For Parents: If you are not married in the Church, please schedule an appointment with Father Vince before attending the class. For Sponsors: To be eligible, sponsors must meet canonical requirements: (1) If married, you must be married in the Catholic Church. Please bring a copy of your Church marriage certificate and a copy of your Confirmation certificate. (2) If single, you must not be cohabiting or living with a partner. Please bring a copy of your Confirmation certificate. We look forward to helping you prepare for this special sacrament!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COMMUNITY SERVICE

Attention Parents of Religious Education Students! As part of our Religious Education Program, students are required to complete **five (5) hours of community service**.

We encourage families to begin completing these hours **as soon as possible**, as there are many ways to help care for our parish and serve our church community. To schedule a day and time, please contact the **Parish Office by phone or email**.

Thank you for helping our young people grow in faith through the gift of **Christian service and stewardship!**

Men's Fellowship

MEN, YOU ARE INVITED!

Our parish is beginning a **Men's Fellowship**—a place for Catholic men to come together, build brotherhood, share the challenges of life, support one another, and most importantly, **pray together and grow closer to Christ**.

We plan to gather every Monday from **6:30-7:30 p.m.** This will be an open forum, with future topics shaped by the men who participate.

Whether you speak **English or Spanish**, you are welcome. Let us become the men God calls us to be—**a light to our families and a witness to our community**.

Sign up in the back of the church and join us!

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 _____ ☐ New Parishioner OR ☐ New Address Mailing Address _____ Date _____