

**Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish**  
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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), 1<sup>st</sup> 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 15<sup>th</sup>**

**Birthday:** Please contact the parish office

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**ORIENTATION FOR CCD PARENTS**

At least one (1) parent is required to attend one (1) of the  
orientation dates below. Attendance is mandatory.

**Kings Beach:**

Sunday, August 30, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Truckee:**

Monday, August 31, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Tuesday, September 1, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**September 21 - 25: First week of Catechism classes**

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**SAVE THE DATE!**

Join us on **Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup>** for the  
**Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed**  
**Virgin Mary** and our **2nd Annual Parish**  
**Picnic!** Following Mass, the picnic will be  
held from **10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** on the  
parish grounds and will feature **FREE** food,  
and fun with our parish family. All are  
invited to foster fellowship, and bring your family and  
friends along – we hope to see you there!



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**ADORATION BEFORE DAILY MASS**

Beginning this week, 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.

**SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION**  
**OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

Join us as we joyfully celebrate the  
Solemnity of the Assumption of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary, the patronal feast  
of our parish! We warmly invite all  
parishioners and visitors to honor our  
Blessed Mother by participating in the  
Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.



**Vigil Masses – Friday, August 14**

- **4:00 PM** – Assumption Parish,  
Truckee (*Bilingual*)
- **6:00 PM** – Our Lady of the Lake, Kings Beach  
(*Bilingual*)

**Patronal Feast Day – Saturday, August 15**

★ **9:00 AM** – Assumption Parish, Truckee (*Bilingual*)

All members of Assumption Parish are encouraged to  
participate in one of the Masses offered for this great  
feast.

As we celebrate our parish's patroness, let us give  
thanks for the Blessed Virgin Mary's faithful "yes" to  
God and ask for her loving intercession for our  
families, our parish, and our community. May Our  
Lady of the Assumption continue to guide us ever  
closer to her Son, Jesus Christ.

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**HELP KEEP CHRISITANITY ALIVE IN THE LAND**  
**OF JESUS BY SUPPORTING THESE FAMILIES.**

Beautiful handmade olive-wood religious articles  
made by the Catholic families in Bethlehem and  
Jerusalem will be on sale on the weekend of **August**  
**22nd & 23rd** after all the masses. Holy Family Art  
group provides assistance to over 100 plus suffering  
families.

Christians in the Holy Land have suffered  
tremendously from the war due to the closure of the  
Holy Land. They were unable to sell their religious  
articles to the tourists that usually visit during this  
time. They have had no income for the past 5 years  
and it is expected to remain this way for another 6  
months.

Before the war, the population in the Holy Land had  
declined from over 20% a few years ago to 1% now.  
This can only change with your support. Every dollar  
helps!

Our website: [www.holyfamilyart.net](http://www.holyfamilyart.net)

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 8, Sat. 5:00pm - Healing for the Sick  
August 8, Sat. 6:30pm - **\*Collective Mass Intention TK\***  
August 9, Sun. 9:00am - Frank Gaynor - RIP  
August 9, Sun. 4:00pm - People of Assumption Parish & Our Lady of the Lake  
August 9, Sun. 5:30pm - **\*Collective Mass Intention KB\***  
August 10, Mon. 8:00am - Donors & Friends of Assumption Parish  
August 11, Tues. 8:00am - Conversion of Sinners  
August 12, Weds. 8:00am - End of Abortion  
August 13, Thurs. 8:00am - For all Priests and Religious  
August 14, Fri. 8:00am - Staff of Assumption Parish  
August 14, Fri. 4:00pm - People of Assumption Parish & Our Lady of the Lake  
August 14, Fri. 6:00pm - People of Assumption Parish & Our Lady of the Lake  
**\*Collective Mass Intention TK\***: Jose Manuel Hernandez - DEP, Hugo Lopez Lomeli - DEP, Emma Contreras - Cumpleaños, Josie Briviescas - RIP, Todos servidores de la Iglesia.

**\*Collective Mass Intention KB\***: Diocese of Sacramento, Evaristo Gonzalez Espinoza - Birthday.

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

### SHEPHERDS VOICE!

My Beloved Parish Family,

A great and joyful time is coming for all of us!



We are going to celebrate our Parish Feast Day - The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary! She is our patroness, our mother, and our pride.

I personally invite each and every one of you with all my love to come together as ONE family.

OUR PARISH FEAST DAY-SATURDAY AUGUST 15th & PICNIC DAY - FRIDAY, AUGUST 14th - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

We will begin with the HOLY MASS at 9:00 a.m. around the SACRED ALTAR in TRUCKEE.  
After the Mass, our PARISH PICNIC will continue till 1:00 p.m. with good food, fellowship, and lots of entertainment for our children and families.

VIGIL MASSES FOR THE FEAST - FRIDAY, AUGUST 14th:  
4:00 p.m. Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, TRUCKEE &  
6:00 p.m. Our Lady of the Lake, KINGS BEACH.

Come, let us celebrate our faith, our Mother, and our beautiful parish family together.

I love you all and I cannot wait to see you, pray with you, and share a meal with you.

With love and blessings,

Fr. Davis Koottala  
Your Pastor

**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

### \*TRUCKEE COLLECTION :

|             |              |           |              |
|-------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
| Sat & Sun   | ENG: \$3,132 | Sat & Sun | ENG: \$3,098 |
| 7/25 - 7/26 | SPA: \$295   | 9/1 - 9/2 | SPA: \$327   |

### \*COLECTA EN KINGS BEACH:

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| Sun  | ENG: \$340 | Sun | ENG: \$564 |
| 7/26 | SPA: \$167 | 9/2 | SPA: \$294 |

### SECOND COLLECTION OF THE WEEK 8/9:

CHURCH MAINTENANCE FUND

### 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!**

### FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

Starting August 14th Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be offered from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. After August, on the First Friday of each month, Adoration will continue to take place from 12-7pm in cadence with the First Friday schedule beginning in September.



We invite our parish family to spend an hour in the quiet presence of Our Lord. **Several people are needed to help cover each hour**, and more than one person may sign up for the same time slot according to your convenience. A sign-up sheet will be available in the **vestibule.**

Come spend time with Jesus and allow Him to renew your heart.  
**He is waiting for you with love and mercy.**

### 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!



### SUMMER DRESS CODE REMINDER

Summer has arrived! As the weather warms up, we warmly welcome all parishioners and guests to our place of worship. While staying comfortable, we kindly encourage everyone to maintain a spirit of reverence by wearing simple and modest attire. Please remember that clothing best suited for the beach or swimwear should be saved for outdoor recreation. Thank you for your cooperation in keeping our worship environment respectful and focused on community and faith.