

# Assumption Fest

A JOYFUL CELEBRATION IN THE VALLEY  
FOOD, FUN, & FELLOWSHIP FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Sunday, Sept. 17th following the 10am Mass  
Assumption Parish - Eden Valley, MN

Kid, Teen & Adult  
Activities  
Live Bluegrass Music  
11:30-3 p.m.



Wagyu Burgers & Brats, Nachos, Dilly Bars,  
Pretzels, Carmel Apples, and more!

Inflatables, 9 Square, Volleyball  
Fish Pond, Ring Toss & more!

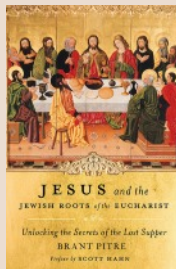
Raffle for Quilt & Chainsaw  
Live & Silent Auction Items  
Fancy Works Stand

Beer Garden  
& Bake Walk

### ASSUMPTION FEST is NEXT WEEKEND!

We need **SILENT AUCTION ITEMS, PLANTS, CRAFTS AND FANCY WORK, BAKED GOODS FOR THE BAKE WALK, LIVE AUCTION ITEMS** (any questions or to donate items please call Steve Ries at 503-577-6918) **MONETARY DONATIONS**-accepting monetary donations to purchase supplies for the fest: Four \$25; and Three \$50 donations for children's game prizes; Two \$100 and Four \$25 donations for food and beverages. Please mark "Assumption Fest Supply Donation" and drop in the collection. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**- sign-up sheets for work shifts are on a table in the Narthex. There is a need for workers to help with the children's games, bake sale, silent auction, fancy work stand, and for setup and take down.  
**Thank you for your help in these areas!**

**Book Study on the Eucharist** Join us for a 5 week book study on *Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist: Unlocking the Secrets of the Last Supper* by Dr. Brant Pitre. This book shines fresh light on the Last Supper by looking at it through Jewish eyes. The study will be on Tuesdays at St. Anthony's after the 6PM Mass starting on September 12th. Books will be provided for free and handed out on the first night. Contact Jessie in the office with questions.



[www.churchoftheassumptionedenvalley.org](http://www.churchoftheassumptionedenvalley.org)



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**Mass Times** Sundays.....10:00 AM  
Wednesdays & Fridays.....8:00 AM

**Reconciliation** Following Sunday Mass  
Wednesdays & Fridays: 7:30-7:45 AM

**Eucharistic Adoration**  
Mondays 8:00 AM- Fridays 5:00 PM

**Office Hours**  
Mon: 12:30-4:00, Wed: 8-4  
Fri: 8-12:00 (hours may vary)

### Parish Staff Contacts

Secretary	Jessica Teicher
RE Coordinator	Bonnie Meyer
Youth Minister	Sam Mettler
RE Coordinator Assistant	Steph Donnay-Peters

\*We welcome Stephani Donnay-Peters as the new Assistant Faith Formation Coordinator for St. Anthony & Assumption parishes!

### Regular Meetings/Groups

**Christian Mothers' Prayers:** Christian Mothers' prayers on the 1st Saturday & Sunday of each month after Mass.

**Women's Group:** 2nd and 4th Saturdays each month at 8:00-9:30 AM at St. Anthony's.

**Community Rosary Night/Potluck:** Join us for the next rosary night on October 6th at 6PM at a location TBD.

**Assumption Knights of Columbus:** The 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month at 7PM at the Assumption Church.

**Men's Group:** Saturdays, 7:30 AM Rosary, 8-9 AM meeting, at Assumption.

**Baptism Class:** September 24<sup>th</sup> @ 11:15 AM. Contact the office to sign up.

Please Pray For: Jennifer Gruenes and Joyce Manske. If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, contact the office.

# Assumption Parish News

## Mass Intentions

**Wednesday, September 13:**

8:00 AM Mass: † Kyle Becker

**Friday, September 15:**

8:00 AM Mass: † Ruth Ruf

**Sunday, September 17:**

10:00 AM Mass: † Robert Schoenecker

## Mass Ministries

**Sunday, September 17, 10:00 AM:**

Lector: Jason Huschle

Extraordinary Minister of

Communion: Sharon Schettler

Rosary: Knights of Columbus

Ushers: Charlie Torborg & Reuben Stommes

Homebound: Donna Bischof

Hospitality: Ron & Ursula Ruhland

## Financial Blessings

**September 3, 2023**

Adult Env 1615.00

Loose 394.00

Votive 88.42

**Total \$2097.42**

Monthly Auto Transfers: \$2815

**THANK YOU**  
for your generosity



## Wedding Banns

Please pray for Teresa Kneip and Perry Philippi who are getting married on September 15<sup>th</sup> at the Assumption Church.

*Marriage Banns*

**Please Welcome**  
**OUR NEW MEMBERS**

The Assumption Church is happy to welcome new members to our parish family! Please join us in welcoming **Philip & Kelsey Magedanz & Family** to the parish!

**Mission Sewing Starting Soon!** On Monday, September 11, the Mother Teresa Mission Group will stitch and tie quilts from 1-4 p.m. We meet each Monday from September through May. We welcome anyone to come and stitch with us. If you would like to learn to stitch quilts, we will be happy to teach you. Any questions, call Barb @ 453-5631.

**Catechetical Sunday** Faith Formation Volunteers are invited to receive a blessing at the Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> Mass. We thank all the volunteers that step up to witness to the faith through teaching, aiding, supervising, feeding and witnessing in the faith formation program. Blessings on a fruitful year.

## Faith Formation Registration Letters, Forms & Schedules

Please take a moment to fill out your Faith Formation registration form and return, with payment, to the office, give to the parish office, place in the basket in church, or place in the Sunday collection basket. Call 320-453-5765 if you have questions. Extra forms are in the basket at church.

**Donations for Family Faith Formation** A light supper will be provided, for Family Faith Formation Nights. If you are able to donate money to help with the cost please call the office at 320-453-5765 or drop your monetary donation in the collection marked "Food for Faith Formation Nights".

**Youth Ministry Nights** Youth Nights will happen once a month at either St. Anthony or Assumption for grades 7-12. I would like to invite students from all local area parishes to come to these nights! These nights will be from 6:45pm to 8:15pm and will entail games, snacks, fellowship, prayer, and a lesson/talk. The goal of these nights is to equip students with a better understanding of the Catholic Faith, to grow in relationship with one another, and to spread the joy of the Gospel in an authentic way. The first youth night will be at Assumption parish in Eden Valley on September 19<sup>th</sup>.

**Bona Fide High School Group** Applications for our high school leadership group called Bona Fide are being accepted! Bona Fide is a Latin phrase which means "in good faith" or "authentic faith." This group, grades 9-12, is based out of Assumption and St. Anthony parishes but others are welcome to join! To apply, send an email to [evyouthministry@gmail.com](mailto:evyouthministry@gmail.com) stating why you are interested in Bona Fide and Sam will reach back out to you to give you more details about the group. The next Bona Fide meeting is September 24<sup>th</sup> at St. Anthony in Watkins from 7:00-8:30pm.

**God's Girls** Girls in grades 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> are invited to attend the first God's Girls get-together this school year at Assumption on September 24<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-3:30pm! In this meeting, there will be a video shown with discussion afterwards, snacks, and an opportunity to bond over board or card games!

**Guild Raffle Update** A thank you to everyone who has contributed to the Fall Raffle. Tickets will be available to pick up after the 10AM mass on 9/3 & 9/10 in the Narthex. We greatly appreciate your continued support to help make this a successful fundraiser. If you are in need of additional books, please contact one of the Raffle Committee Chairs - Joyce Gertken: 320-309-9460, Sheila Laudenbach: 320-293-6340, Sherri Zieglmeier: 320-266-2890

## Faith Formation Schedule

**Sept 13:** Family Faith Formation (K-6<sup>th</sup> Grade w/parents) 5:45-7:45pm

**Sept 20:** Classes for 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> graders 6:30-8pm

**Sept 27:** Classes for 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> graders 6:30-8pm

Class for 11<sup>th</sup> grade w/parent(s) hosted in Watkins 6:30-8pm

**Oct 4:** Family Faith Formation (K-6<sup>th</sup> Grade w/parents) 5:45-7:45pm

