

Assumption Shrine

Churchville, Iowa
August 12th&14th, 2018
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Mass Times:

Norwalk: Saturday 5 pm and Sunday 9 am **Assumption Shrine**: Second Saturday of the month at 5:00 p.m. Holy Days to be determined. **Indianola:** Saturday 5:30p.m. and Sunday 10:15am **Winterset:** Saturday 5 p.m. and Sunday 10:00am

St. Patrick's: Sunday 8:00 am

Immaculate Conception: Sunday 8:00a.m.

Please remember in your prayers

Darlene LaFratte, Mike Hill, Phyllis Brichacek, Tom Bussanmas, Troy Kunze, Jim Wiedmann



THANK YOU

A big Thank You to all who helped clean up the church grounds after the storm in late June. Everyone chipping in and doing their part is what keeps Assumption Shrine such a great place to be. Thanks

MASS & POTLUCK

Mass will be celebrated on August 14th the eve of our feast day the Assumption of Mary. A potluck will be held in the hall following Mass. Chicken and pizza will be provided along with paper products and drinks. Everyone needs to bring a side dish, a dessert and their own drink if they prefer.

From Fr. Dan

Let us continue to keep Fr. Bashir in our prayers as Bishop Pates has given him a temporary medical leave. We pray that he receive the healing that he needs so he can return to his priestly ministry.

This Tuesday evening we will celebrate our Churhes patronal feast day with the solemnity of the Assumption of our Blessed Mother. Mass will be at 5:30 PM with a potluck to follow.

This feast day reminds us of our Blessed Mother's glorious encounter with our loving God at the end of her earthly life. Our encounter with our triune God at the end of our life will not match our Blessed Mother's Assumption, nevertheless we are called to prepare to embrace the loving arms of our Savior when he calls us home.

Let us prepare everyday with our Blessed Mother's help by reflecting Christ in our words and in our actions. Mary assumed into heaven body and soul pray for us.

Fr. Dan

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During the potluck, on August 14th a quilt will be on display in the hall. In the middle of the quilt it says "Saint Martha's Society Churchville, Iowa 1918". All are welcome to come and view it.

Anyone who would like to have Mass said for a special intention is encouraged to do so. You can email Jane ahead of time janecassady4@gmail.com so she can include it in the bulletin, then drop your donation in the collection basket indicating who and when it is for.

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"Son of David, Jesus, have mercy on me!" "Master, let me see." "Go, your faith has saved you." We, too, need to see God's works around us. Our initiation into God's family (our Baptism, confirmation, and Eucharist) gives us insight into the truth, but often we want to be blind to what we see. We need to shout out loud like Bartimaeus, crying out in prayer and in faith for assurance. The plan shown to us by Jesus will save us if we follow where he leads. Come quickly, Lord Jesus!

Text Philip J. Sandstrom, STD 2000, OCP

August 12th 11:00 a.m. Lector: Emily Cassady

Eucharistic Min: Cole & Dan Cassady

Ushers: Robert & Tom Bell Servers: Cael & Conor Cassady Mass Intention: Catherine Noga

August 14th: 5:30 p.m. Mass & Potluck

Lector: Joe Bell

Eucharistic Min: Jeff & Karen Spick Ushers: Robert Bell & Jim Wiedmann Servers: Cole, Cael & Conor Cassady

Mass Intention: Members of Assumption Parish

Money Collectors: Dennis Johnson & Jane Cassady

ROSARY – You are invited to join us in praying the Rosary on Saturday's before Mass at 4:40p.m. We also pray the rosary on Wednesday evenings at 7:30. Please join us.

September 8th 5:00 p.m. Lector: Karen Spick

Eucharistic Min: Donna Hill & Jeff Spick Ushers: Jim Wiedmann & Joe Bell Servers: Grace & Mary Ann Hart

Mass Intention: