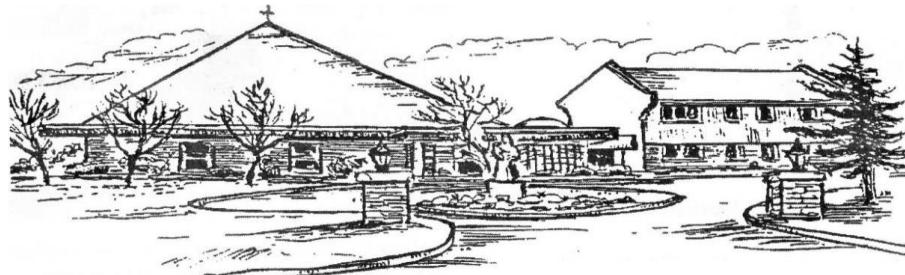




February 1, 2026 – 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH

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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday ✶ 5:00 pm

Sunday ✶ 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm & 7:00 pm
(Children's Liturgy offered during 10am & 12pm Masses)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday	8:00 am
Tuesday	7:00 pm
Wednesday	8:00 am
Thursday	8:00 am
Friday	8:00 am
Saturday	8:00 am

CONFESIONS

Saturday ✶ 4:00 pm – 4:45 pm

First Fridays ✶ 8:30 am – 10:00 am

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

Celebrated one Sunday every month. Contact the parish office to provide information. We will contact you to arrange an appointment with you.

RITES OF INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Adults seeking full initiation into the Catholic Christian faith enter a period of preparation called the Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). Please email: pastoralminister@olotap.ca

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Kindly contact the parish office at least six months prior to desired date of marriage. A Marriage Preparation Course is essential as are several meetings with the priest.

SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please contact the parish if you know someone confined to home or in hospital, so sacramental and pastoral care may be arranged.

FRIDAY ADORATION

Exposition ✶ 8:30 am – 9:30 am

Benediction ✶ 9:30 am – 10:00 am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesdays thru Fridays

9:00 am – 4:00 pm

(we are closed for one hour at noon)

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family, please contact the parish office before contacting the funeral home and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome you and your family to Our Lady Of The Assumption! Please introduce yourself to Father Andrew. Registration forms are available at both entrances to the Church and online.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions may be booked in person during regular office hours or by using the mass intention envelopes in the main entrances of the church. These may be placed in the collection baskets. Requests for specific dates must be booked in the parish office.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Fr. Andrew Quarshie

Associate Pastor: Fr. Richard Dordunu

Permanent Deacon: Deacon Joseph Gigliotti

Parish Manager: Karen Felker

Pastoral Minister: Denise Araïche

Secretary: Vanessa Villanueva

Finance: Luisa Conti

Music Director: Rosanna Faccio-Polimeni

Parish Mission Statement: Welcome – Encounter – Grow – Share

Mass Intentions

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February 2nd – February 8th

MONDAY – 2nd – Presentation of the Lord (Feast)

8:00am – Josh, Rachel & Abigail Ashali (Blessings)

TUESDAY – 3rd – St. Blaise (Feast)

**7:00pm – † Ida Sofia Mastroianni † Rosina Gos
† Maria Pia Ferro John Dobrowolski
Bellarba Family (Healing)
Deacon John Moss (Healing)**

WEDNESDAY – 4th

8:00am – † Kaz Bialach

THURSDAY – 5th

8:00am – † Jose Luis Mendoza

FRIDAY – 6th

**8:00am – In honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus & reparation
for the sins to the Blessed Sacrament**

SATURDAY – 7th

**8:00am – Reparation for the offenses against Lady
Immaculate Heart
5:00pm – † Elisa Iacobucci † Patrick Burke
† Settimio DeLuca † Kathryn Howarth
† Antonio Mazzocchi † Maria José Camara
† Gabriele Giannobile
All souls in Purgatory**

SUNDAY – 8th– 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am – † Marlene Bodden

10:00am – Missa Pro Populo (Mass for the People)

12:00pm – † CP Joseph & † Ann Joseph

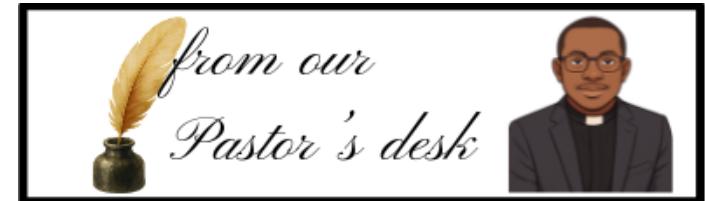
7:00pm – † Antonio, Asunta & Salvatore Pulsone

SUPPORT REPORT

Sunday Offerings (January 25, 2026) \$ 4,951.00

Pre-Authorized Debit (January 25, 2026) \$ 1,612.00

REMEMBER YOUR PARISH. Keep your love for your parish
alive. Remember Our Lady of the Assumption Parish in your
will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.



Dear Parish Family,

75th Anniversary Year: This year presents us with a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our Parish's 75th year of establishment. I invite you to participate actively in the programs lined up. Purchase our anniversary paraphernalia and cookbook, get tickets for our Gala, share in our Parish Family Photo Book, donate to support our anniversary fundraising, learn our anniversary song, plan to attend the climax Mass and most importantly pray for our parish. May we all have a fruitful 75th Parish Anniversary.

Installation of the 10th Bishop of Hamilton: His Excellency, Bishop Joseph Dabrowski, will be installed as the 10th Bishop of Hamilton on Monday, February 2, at 11:00 a.m. at the Cathedral Basílica of Christ the King in Hamilton. This is an invitation-only liturgical celebration. For those unable to attend in person, the Mass will be livestreamed (Check diocesan website for the link), allowing the wider diocesan community to participate prayerfully from home. I kindly ask you to keep our new Bishop in prayer as he begins his episcopal ministry among us, asking that he be warmly welcomed and supported in this new chapter of service.

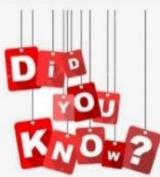
Feast of the Presentation of the Lord: Monday February 2, is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, commemorating the presentation of the infant Jesus in the Temple of Jerusalem by Mary and Joseph, 40 days after Christmas, fulfilling Jewish laws regarding the firstborn. It also marks Mary's ritual purification, the encounter with Simeon and Anna, and Jesus as the "Light to the Gentiles". Based on Luke 2:22-40, it celebrates the moment Simeon recognized Jesus as the Messiah, prophesying him as a light for revelation. This feast is often called Candlemas, the day involves the blessing of candles, which are carried in procession to symbolize Christ as the "Light of the World". Be reminded to bring candles for blessing, also light a votive candle at the back of the church to pray for yourself and loved ones.

Blessings to you all!

Fr. Andrew



Please consider supporting our parish with a donation. Your donation helps sustain the upkeep of our church, our ministries, and our service to the community. To Donate to our parish, please scan the QR Code and follow the instructions. Thank you for helping us make a difference! God bless your generosity abundantly!



DID YOU KNOW that we believe that each person is **irreplaceable, indispensable and unrepeatable**? Each person has a unique and **unrepeatable** relationship with God. Each of us is profoundly loved and valued by God thereby being **irreplaceable**. Each one of us was created by God with a purpose – to know, love and serve God-making us **indispensable**. Because we are **irreplaceable, indispensable and unrepeatable**, we need to treat each person with **dignity** as well as treating ourselves with dignity. We are **infinitely loved**.



Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

**Monday, February 2nd
7:00pm Mass**

We are reminded to bring candles for blessings and to light votive candle and pray for your special intentions.



On **February 3 at 7PM** Mass, as we will celebrate the Feast of Saint Blaise, we will have our throats blessed with special candles. Everyone is welcome to join!

SUNDAY SOCIAL

**Sunday, February 8th after
10:00 AM & 12:00PM Masses**



"Come solo or bring a friend – everyone is welcome to connect and enjoy the great company of our fellow parishioners!"



World Day of Healing Anointing Mass

**Tuesday, February 10th
at 7:00PM Mass**

All are welcome to attend, especially those in need of physical, emotional, or spiritual healing on this special Mass as we come together to seek God's grace, comfort & restoration

May God's peace and healing be with you always.



Ash Wednesday

**Wednesday, February 18th
8:00 AM & 7:00PM**

"Repent & Believe in the Gospel."



Wednesday, Feb 4	7:00pm	Our Lady of Hope
Thursday, Feb 5	7:00pm	OLOTA school
Friday, Feb 6	7:00pm	St. Mark
Saturday, Feb 7	1:00pm	St. Paul
Wednesday, Feb 11	7:00pm	St. James
Thursday, Feb 12	7:00pm	St. Matthew

"Loving God, may all the confirmandi walk in Your light and never lose sight of Your presence. Bless them today & always."



This year our CWL will again participate in the **Coldest Night of the Year (CNOY)**, supporting Glanbrook Community Services in Binbrook. This local non-profit organization provides supportive social services to seniors and individuals living with disabilities in rural Glanbrook. The walk will be held on **Saturday February 28**. You can choose to support by joining the team to fundraise or donate to the team:

CNOY.org <enter>
Select Donate <enter>

Under Team: type - **Our Lady of the Assumption CWL** <enter> and select our team then select Donate to Team and/or Join Team

If you require further assistance please contact Angela at (905) 923-5626.

Calling choir
members!!!

Choir Practice in preparation for
Ash Wednesday
**Monday, February 9th
6:00PM – 7:30PM**



75th Anniversary Merchandise



We are excited to announce that our limited-edition **75th Anniversary merch** are now ready to purchase online! Visit our website or scan the QR code to order.

Our **Dinner Gala Tickets** are now on sale for \$100 each, you can purchase them after Mass in the church narthex!!!

