



# CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION

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July 17, 2022

16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

## *Martha and Mary* Luke 10:38—42

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
17 July 2022



### Today's Gospel Reading Luke 10:38-42 Jesus visits the house of Martha and Mary

Mary is an example of how a disciple should listen. Mary, a woman, is a marginalized person in society, like the Samaritan. Both do what is not expected of them. As a woman, Mary would be expected, like Martha, to prepare hospitality for a guest. Here again Jesus breaks with the social conventions of his time. Just as a Samaritan would not be a model for neighborliness, so a woman would not sit with the men around the feet of a teacher.

Social codes and boundaries were strict in Jesus' time. Yet to love God with all one's heart and one's neighbor requires breaking those rules. The Kingdom of God is a society without distinctions and boundaries between its members. It is a society that requires times for seeing and doing and also times for listening and learning at the feet of a teacher.

-Loyola Press [loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/16th-sunday-in-ordinary-time-cycle-c-sunday-connection/](http://loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/16th-sunday-in-ordinary-time-cycle-c-sunday-connection/)

### Many Hands Needed For Church Cleaning Day July 30

In preparation for the celebrations surrounding the **Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** there will be a Church clean-up on Saturday, July 30th.

Volunteers are needed to do light housekeeping in the church from 10:00am to 12:00pm. Bring the children, as small hands can reach tight spots! Share your vigor and time with our community. Pizza will be served at noon at the Mary Seese Plaza. Donations gladly accepted for "Clean-up Bucket" supplies". Sign-up sheets are in the back of the church or call the office .



**Assumption St. Vincent de Paul  
Food and Toiletries Drive  
July 16-17, July 23-24**

Our pantry is running low on several food items such as: beans, tuna and canned meats, pastas & sauce, peanut butter & jelly, canned fruits, soups and vegetables. We also need toiletries for those who call and for the unhoused.

Please leave your food donations in the history room at the entrance to the Church.

**Adult Faith Formation: Forgiven – The Transforming Power of Confession  
July 21 evening and July 22 morning**

Forgiven explores the grace and healing offered in Confession and shows how this sacrament of mercy reveals the depth and bounty of God's love. Learn how the peace of forgiveness helps us to thrive.

You can still join the group even though you missed the first study session. We are offering both morning and evening in-person sessions at the rectory: Thursdays 21 & 28 from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm OR Fridays July 22 & 29 from 9:30 am to 11 am.

**World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly July 24**

The Second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will be celebrated throughout the universal Church on July 24th. The theme chosen by the Holy Father for the occasion is **"In old age they will still bear fruit" (Psalm 92:15)** and intends to emphasize how grandparents and the elderly are a value and a gift both for society and for ecclesial communities.

**Back-to- School Backpack Drive  
August 6 at 10am**

On Saturday August 6 we will create an assembly line at the Youth Ministry. The plan is to fill donated backpacks with donated school supplies. This is in support of Connecting for Education & Davis Street here in San Leandro. Donations can be dropped off in the History Room in the back of the church and at the rectory. The goal is to fill **71** backpacks in honor of our **71** years here in San Leandro.

**Assumption Faith Camp Monumental:  
Celebrating God's Greatness  
August 8 -12 8:45am-12:00pm**

Registration is still open. The Summer Faith Camp program is for school age children through fifth grade. Middle schoolers and high schoolers will be counselors. All adult volunteers will receive complimentary admission to camp for their children. School parent volunteers will receive credit for school service hours. *To sign up:*  
<https://vbspro.events/p/events/churchoftheassumption>

**Feast Of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
Save the date: August 14**

Feast Of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated Sunday, August 14. Details will be forthcoming. Come join the fun on Assumption Family Day!

**Celebrating the Sacrament of Baptism**

We are happy to announce that last Saturday a joyful baptism took place here at Church of the Assumption.

We welcome Daphne into Church of the Assumption by the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. We welcome her parents Steven and Katrina Munoz, godparents and families into our faith community! We are here to support you on this journey of faith. May almighty God, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit bless you.

*"Let the grace of your baptism bear fruit in a path of holiness"* -Pope Francis

**Welcome To Our New Parishioners**

We would like to welcome our newly registered members to our parish:  
Elvira Collette, Martinez - Ortega Family, Editha Tingin and Willkom Family

**School Office will be Closed July 18-22**

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**JULY 16- JULY 22, 2022**

***\*We Remember at the Eucharist\****

**Saturday 16**

8:15am Joan & Gordon Cherry (Healing)  
4:30pm Martha O'Brien

**Sunday 17**

8:00am Martha O'Brien+  
Maurice Gracias+  
10:00 am Ador Quito (Healing)  
12:00 pm Bob & Guy Kucer (Healing)

**Monday 18**

8:15a.m. Mahin Faryabi+

**Tuesday 12**

8:15a.m. Marcella Hom+

**Wednesday 13**

8:15a.m. Respect for the Dignity of Life

**Thursday 14**

8:15am Jozeppi De Santis (Living)

**Friday 15**

8:15am Detlen Steklis+

**Saturday 16**

8:15am Rodrigo M. Laureta+  
4:30pm Mike Thomey+  
Judy Franco+

***Please consider naming Assumption as a beneficiary in your will or living trust***

**Prayer Requests**

**Please remember in your prayers  
those in our community who are ill  
especially:**

Phil, Nancy Brady, Rachel Porlaris and for all  
those who care for them

**In Loving Memory**

**Please pray for our beloved deceased  
especially:**

Arnel Mendiola Gonzales, Judy Franco, Ron DeCosta  
Louis Alberti, Celestina Dutchover and  
Anthony Maselli

You can submit names for the Prayers for the Sick  
or Recently Deceased by contacting the office

**Request a Mass Intention**

Those wishing to honor a loved one during the  
celebration of Mass may pick up Mass cards in the  
parish office. Mass cards are available for the living  
and deceased.

**Prayer Request Forms**

There are now prayer request forms and baskets in  
the back of the church. Place your card  
anonymously in the basket so we can pray for your  
intentions.

**Dear LORD, please hear and  
answer my prayers**

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**"Ask, and it shall be given to you; seek and you will  
find; knock and the door will be opened to you" -  
JESUS (Matthew 7:7)**

**THANK YOU for your generosity!  
Sunday Collection**

Sunday Collection 7-10-22 \$4,905.00

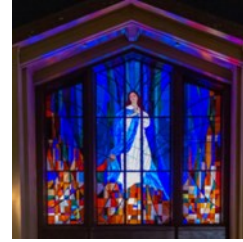


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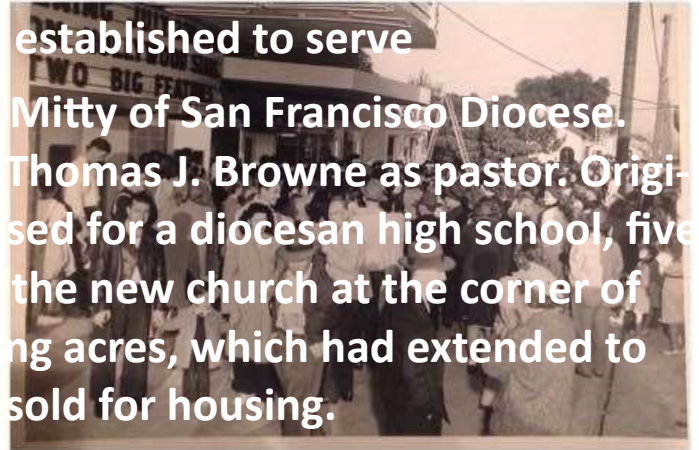
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## History of Church of the Assumption Established in 1951

In 1951, Assumption Parish was established to serve some 1200 families by Archbishop Mitty of San Francisco Diocese. Archbishop Mitty appointed Rev. Thomas J. Browne as pastor. Originally part of a 22-acre tract purchased for a diocesan high school, five acres were selected for the site of the new church at the corner of Fulton and Evergreen. The remaining acres, which had extended to the south and west, were later sold for housing.



Father Browne arrived in San Leandro on January 17, 1951, and within three weeks, the new Parish of Assumption was up and running. The first mass was celebrated on the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, February 11, 1951, in the Bal Theatre on East 14th Street.



Masses were held in the theatre on Sunday mornings until the church was completed in 1953. Father Brown Browne asked the Sister of the Holy Family to provide religious instruction to the children of the parish, and classes were held in private homes.



**The Summer Faith Camp program is**