

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-161

**HOLY ASSUMPTION CHURCH
100TH ANNIVERSARY**

WHEREAS, *Holy Assumption Church* located at 1290 Hornberger Avenue in the Township of Florence, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, is celebrating their 100th Anniversary this year. They were established in 1922. The Anniversary will be memorialized by a Mass and dinner on August 14, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the church was established to serve Eastern European Catholics, including Hungarians, Slovaks, Germans and Romanians who emigrated to Roebling to work in the Roebling Steel Mill; and


WHEREAS, in 1940 Holy Assumption became a territorial parish entrusted to the care of the Franciscan Friars until 2006 when the parish merged with St. Clare's Church to become the Parish of Sts. Francis and Clare in the Diocese of Trenton and in July of 2018 Sts. Francis and Clare Parish merged with St. Mary's Parish in Bordentown to form the new parish, Mary Mother of the Church; and

WHEREAS, the church community has served not only the spiritual needs of their own congregation, but reached out to their neighbors and offered programs throughout the years including Holy Assumption School, the Religious Education program and the Food Pantry; and


WHEREAS, it is our pleasure to recognize and acknowledge the 100th Anniversary of Holy Assumption Church.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Members of Township Council, Township of Florence, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, that the 100th Anniversary is hereby recognized and we congratulate *Holy Assumption Church* on their special occasion and thank them for their many contributions to our community.

Approved: August 3, 2022 and Presented: August 14, 2022




Craig H. Wilkie, Mayor



Paul Ostrander, Council Vice President



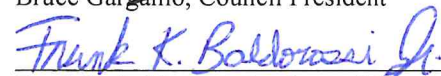
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