

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH  
& VIETNAMESE APOSTOLATE  
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9:00 a.m. – 12 noon  
1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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Finance Council: Isidro Castanon, Chairman  
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**MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday	December	4	6:30 p.m.	+David & Eulalio Ybarra Sr. by David & Ninfa P.
Tuesday	December	5	8:00 a.m.	+Roy Seaman & Nettie Zapalac by Virginia S.
Wednesday	December	6	8:00 a.m.	+David & Eulalio Ybarra by David & Ninfa P.
Thursday	December	7	8:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Louis & Kenneth Hickl by Edith H. Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Vigil Mass)
Friday	December	8	8:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	+Gilbert Duran by Mary D. & Fam. (HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION) Parish (HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)
Saturday	December	9	6:00 p.m.	+Carolina de la Fuente by Zepeda Fam.
Sunday	December	10	9:30 a.m.	Parish Family
Domingo	Diciembre	10	11:00 a.m.	+Manuel y Maria Uribe by Fam.

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**Saturday, December 9, 2017**  
6:00 p.m.

**Sunday, December 10, 2017**  
9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Sacristan:	Amanda P.	Mary K. Beard	Julia G.
EMHC:	Marina G.	Deacon V.	Julia G.
Lector:	Marina G./Madeline R.	Bonnie V./Nieves J.	Isabel H./Dolores L.
Altar Servers:	Shayne & Madelyne W./Noah W./Greenlie J.	Avery & Abigail A./Robert S./Chanh N.	Emely & Juliette P./Suset R./Fatima S.

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

Prayerful reading and study of the Bible

- Deeper understanding and appreciation of the Holy Eucharist

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Holy Hour - Every Thursday: 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**BAPTISM:** By appointment. One month notice necessary.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Six months notice necessary.

**RECONCILIATION (Confession):** Saturday 5:00 p.m. – 5:40 p.m. and by appointment

**QUINCEAÑERA:** Five months notice necessary.

**ANOINTING & COMMUNION TO THE SICK:** Call the RECTORY when a family member is sick and would like a visit or would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick. If any family has a relative at the nursing home, homebound or admitted to the Hospital. **Please let Father know.**

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK:**

Adela Farley, Alejandro Ramos, Hellon Holder, Amanda Hasselo, Teresa Blackwell, Dominga Gonzalez, Douglas Hlavaty, Kathie White, Viola Duran, Gerardo Flores, Helen Littlefield, Tom Navarro, Dorothy Baros, Robert Swire Jr, George Capak, Charles Johnston, Stacy Watkins, Herbert Ressler, Clint Kochn, Ken Leck., Elvira Contreras, Francisco Javier Campos, Bobbie Garcia Sr., Beba Estrello, Bill Kubecka, Brandon Janak, Cathy Mccay, Gary Resse, Ramon Guerrero Jr, Dian Stogram, Jack Harris, Greg Comer, Elyssa Garcia, Juan Contreras, Vickie Peña, Ginger Rose Nutt, Debbie Reyna, Jayden Juarez.

If you would like to add or remove someone from the prayer list, please call the church office at 361-972-2446.

*Pray for those in the Military:* Sharon Lamorie Jones, Steven Page, Darron May, Vincent Garcia Jr., Jorge Gonzalez, Ryan Malek, Angel Zamora, Noah Seaman, Bianca Pina, Jason Nguyen, Jason Hurtado, Henry Molina, Gilberto Hernandez, G. Adrian Ortiz, Emilio Garcia, Harleigh Gibson.

*Pray for the Seminarians of the Diocese of Victoria:* Chase Goodman, James Dvorak, Ryan Kapavik, Dalton Ervin, Nick Aparicio, Jordan Morgan, Tran Dinh, Philippe Dubourdieu, Aaron Padilla, Scott Dornak, Luke Prihoda.

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*Thank you for your generosity! May God bless you.  
Gracias por su generosidad! Que Dios los bendiga*

*Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception  
of the Blessed Virgin  
Mary*



**Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

On Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation.

**Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. (Vigil Mass)**

**Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 8:00 am & 7:00 pm.**

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*The Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe*

**Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017**



We going to start the day with mañanitas and Mass at 5:00 am.

Afterwards we will have sweet bread, chocolate and coffee.

In the afternoon we will meet here in the church, to start the procession at 5:00 pm., immediately after the procession, we will celebrate Mass with danzas and the drama.

**ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND  
THE CELEBRATION**

We will have a covered dish reception at the Family Center, we are asking everyone to bring a covered dish.

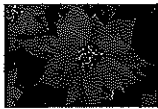
**Matachines Practice: December 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>.  
From 5:00 to 5:30 p.m.**

**St. Anthony's Advent Penance Service**  
Wednesday,  
December 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.



**Christmas Flowers Memorial Envelopes**

available at the back of the church. Offerings in honor or in memory of loved ones are used to decorate the church at Christmas. Envelopes may be placed in the collection basket or brought to the parish office.



**CCD INFORMATION**

First Communion students will be having an initial knowledge interview on Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> during their class time. Parents are encouraged to attend to show support and learn areas his/her children need more assistance in preparation.

The CCD students are collecting non-perishable food items until Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>, to be donated to the Robert Duran Food Pantry.

All high school students are invited to attend the March for Life in Austin, please pick up a permission slip from the church office and return by Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>.

The Vigil Mass for the Nativity begins with a Christmas Pageant put on by our youth. If your child would like to be in the play please note these rehearsal times: Dec. 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 10 am.

**Catholic Daughters News**



Will meet on Monday, December 4<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Family Center. All members are reminded to bring an unwrapped toy for Operation Santa Claus and non-perishable food items for the Food Pantry. Catholic Daughters welcomes new members! If you would like to join, please attend this meeting.

**Knights of Columbus News**



KC host 2017 Hurricane Harvey Volunteers & Sponsors Appreciation Dinner, Thursday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, KC Hall, KC members please RSVP with GK Horacio M. 361-676-8617.  
KC Meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>, 6pm following meeting KC members & Family Christmas party 7pm. Members please RSVP.

**2<sup>nd</sup>. Collection.** There will be a second collection on December 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> for the Retirement Fund for Religious.