

# OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CHURCH

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## MASS SCHEDULE

**Monday-Friday**

**7 am**

**Noon**

**Saturday**

**7 am**

**4:00 pm Vigil**

**Sunday**

**7:30 am**

**9:30 am**

**11:30 am**

**1:30 pm Spanish**

**6 pm**

**ROSARY**

**Before each  
Mass**

**NOVENA**

**to St. Jude  
is before the  
9:30 & 11:30  
Mass**

**CONFESSIONS**

**Saturday**

**3:30-4:00**

**Weekends**

**Before Mass**

**BAPTISMS**

**CONFIRMATION**

**MARRIAGES**

**FUNERALS**

**Contact Fr. Tony**

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish is a welcoming, diverse, urban community of believers, united by our strong Catholic Faith. Through family centered and spirit-filled worship, education, outreach and generous service to the poor and homeless of our community, we are called to proclaim and live out the Gospel in our contemporary world.**

**May 3, 2020**

Dear Parishioners and Friends of Our Lady of Guadalupe,

As we continue our “lock down”, as I call it, I pray that you are all finding new ways to deal with our lack of interaction with one another. I teach at the University of Holy Cross and since classes are all online, I have had to learn how to go on ZOOM. I have to be honest, I am not a person who is good at technology but it is certainly a blessing to be able to see and talk with families and friends through this process.

This Sunday is called Good Shepherd Sunday. The image of sheep dominates the readings today. For me, the image of Jesus as Good Shepherd has always appealed to me. There is a window in our Church with Jesus surrounded by sheep and one is on His shoulders. That window is over the piano in the front of the Church. Just as Jesus carries the one sheep that was lost, so too, He carries each one of us, when we feel lost and afraid.

Of the 150 Psalms in the Old Testament, my favorite is Psalm 23. The Psalms were written to express our feelings of fear, confusion, sorrow, joy and hope.

The one line that I repeat often is: “Even if I walk in a dark valley, I fear no evil for you are at my side to give me courage”. Today and throughout this pandemic we have felt like we were walking in a dark valley. Jesus, the Good Shepherd, desires to walk by our side. He will lead us out of this valley. He will give us the strength and hopefully we will be better for it.

Whenever you feel alone and frightened read Psalm 23. It will bring you peace and comfort.



God bless all of you,  
Fr. Tony



## Prayer During an Epidemic

Lord Jesus,

**Hear our pleas, our good shepherd and divine physician. We implore your mercy in the wake of an outbreak of serious illness and disease.**

**Guide our efforts to prevent contagion and make preparations to care for those most vulnerable. Assist all professionals and volunteers who work to eradicate the epidemic now spreading. May our actions be marked by your steadfast love and selfless service and never by panic or fear. Bestow your comfort and healing to the sick, sustain and strengthen them by your grace. May they know your closeness as they carry the cross of illness.**

**And may all you have called from this life come to worship you eternally with all the saints as you grant consolation and peace to their mourners. Amen.**

**Holy Mary, Health of the Sick, pray for us.**

**St. Joseph, Hope of the Sick, pray for us.**

**St. Rocco, protector against epidemics, pray for us.**

## An Act of Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus,

I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things,

and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there

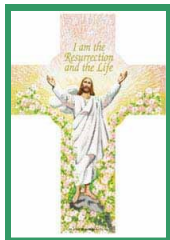
and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

**REMEMBER OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND**

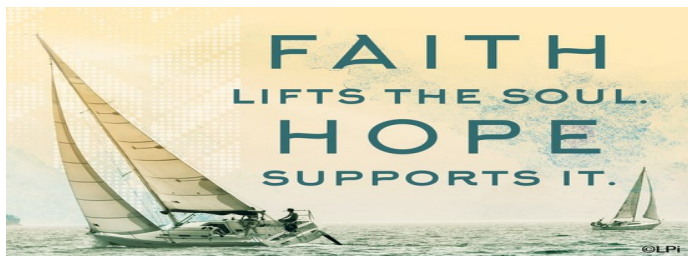
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Thanks to all who have continued to support Our Lady of Guadalupe Church by sending in your tithes and donations. God bless your generosity at a time when so many are in need.

Golden Wedding Anniversary-if you or some couple you know are celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary this year, please sign up for a special celebration on June 7<sup>th</sup> at 3PM in St. Philip Neri Church in Metairie. Call the Chancery at 861-6243 and register for this wonderful event and blessing.

Today is also the conclusion of our Spring Novena to St. Jude. A special thanks to Sam Poche for streaming the Novena on our website and Facebook.



Look for "St. Jude Shrine"  
Like our page, share with your friends



**MASST INTENTIONS**

**Sunday, May 3**

9:30am

+Frank E. Maggiore Jr.  
Laura Grimwood Taylor  
+Edith Etienne

**Monday, May 4**

NOON

OLG Parishioners

**Tuesday, May 5**

NOON

Adeline Vaselich Laizer  
Mr. Edwin Laizer Sr.

**Wednesday, May 6**

NOON

Mr. Robert E. Fleshman  
Mr. & Mrs. Savo Vaselich

**Thursday, May 7**

NOON

Sr. Mary Grace Vaselich  
Mr. Edwin Laizer Jr.  
Paul Verde

**Friday, May 8**

NOON

+Billie Davis

**Saturday, May 9**

NOON

+Dr. Etna Dyer  
+Andrew Gilchrist

**Rest in Peace**

Joseph Parrino                      Richard Pinera  
Kenneth Rivarde                      Tanisha Taylor  
Errol Ally

Pre Cana Day for the Engaged that is scheduled on Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup> has been cancelled and will be rescheduled . Call Fr. Tony for more information.

**Readings for the week of May 3, 2020**

Sunday: Acts 2:14a, 36-41/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10

Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Jn 10:11-18

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a/Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25/Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52/Jn 14:7-14