

**Christmas Eve & Christmas Day
Mass Schedule**



Christmas Eve Masses (Dec. 24th)

Christmas Eve Mass: 4:00 PM
Christmas Carols: 8:00 PM
Christmas Eve Mass: 8:30 PM

Christmas Day Masses (Dec. 25th)

Mass in English: 8:00 AM
Mass in English: 10:30 AM
Mass in Spanish: 12:15 PM

Christmas Confession Schedule

Tuesday, December 13	6:00 – 7:00 PM
Wednesday, December 14	8:30 – 9:15 AM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Thursday, December 15	12:00 – 1:00 PM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Friday, December 16	8:30 – 9:15 AM
Saturday, December 17	2:30 – 3:30 PM 5:15 – 6:00 PM
Tuesday, December 20	8:30 – 9:15 AM 12:00 – 1:00 PM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Wednesday, December 21	8:30 – 9:15 AM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Thursday, December 22	8:30 – 9:15 AM 12:00 – 1:00 PM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Friday, December 23	8:30 – 10:00 AM

TAKE NOTE

We will not have 8:00 AM Mass on Monday, December 12th and Tuesday, December 13th.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, December 10

4:00 PM Pro Populo

Sunday, December 11

8:00 AM †Johnny Diaz by mother, Alice Diaz
10:30 AM †John McCowen by Lucy Krouskop
12:15 PM †Luis Arteaga Int. de Margarita Arteaga
11:00 PM En Honor de la Virgen de Guadalupe

Monday, December 12

8:00 AM **NO MORNING MASS**
7:00 PM En Honor de la Virgen de Guadalupe

Wednesday, December 14

8:00 AM Special Intention

Thursday, December 15

8:00 AM Bella Sanchez by Paul & Karen Mathers

Friday, December 16

8:00 AM T.J. Blankenship by Sherry Goelden

Saturday, December 17

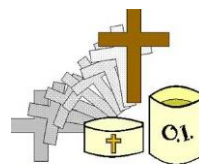
4:00 PM †Wayne Kretler by Terry Kretler

Sunday, December 18

8:00 AM Pro Populo
10:30 AM †Alicia Morales by Maria Carmona & Family
12:15 PM Intención Especial del P. Orosco

Sound Catholic practice encourages us to offer the Mass for the departed and for those in any need. To request a Mass to be offered, please visit the parish office or return to the office a completed Mass intention card. Available cards are located in the foyer of the church.

Anointing of the Sick



Sacrament of Anointing

Because of the Privacy Act, hospitals and nursing homes are no longer able to provide a list of the Catholic patients/residents for the Churches use in order to visit and administer the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick. Therefore, I need your assistance when you have a family member who is hospitalized or in a nursing home. Please call Fr. Orosco at the Church Office at (972) 563-3643 so that I may be of assistance.

**Ministry Schedule for the Weekend of
December 17/18**

Lectors:

Sat. 4:00pm Cathy Burton/Debbie Patterson
Sun. 8:00am Seth Jungman/Jim Leeker
Sun. 10:30am Bud McClure/Donna Lain

Ushers:

Sat. 4:00pm Debbie Patterson*/Sherry G./Volunteer/Volunteer
Sun. 8:00am Robert Brown*/Wayne M./David B./Rachel H..
Sun. 10:30am Dennis Connolly*/Kevin P./Steven H./Erik A.

Extraordinary Ministers

Sat. 4:00pm Michael Gumler/Rod Kinkaid
Sun. 8:00am Mary Pat Samuels/Robin Truett
Sun. 10:30am Martha Aranda/Bill Bedrick



The Week Ahead

Sunday, December 11

9:15 AM R.E. classes
11:00 PM Misa en Honor de la Virgen de Guadalupe

Monday, December 12

8:00 AM **NO MORNING MASS**
1:00 PM Crochet Ministry @ Casa St. John
7:00 PM Misa en Honor de la Virgen de Guadalupe

Tuesday, December 13

8:00 AM **NO MORNING MASS**
6-7:00 PM Confessions
6:30 PM R.E. evening classes

Wednesday, December 14

8:00 AM Daily Mass
8:30-9:15 AM Confessions
6-7:00 PM Confessions
6:30 PM R.E. evening classes
6:30 PM **NO Hora Santa**
6:30 PM Young Women's Group meeting @ Casa St. John

Thursday, December 15

8:00 AM Daily Mass
12:00 -1:00 PM Confessions
6-7:00 PM Confessions
7:00 PM RCIA classes @ Casa St. John

Friday, December 16

8:00 AM Daily Mass
8:30-9:15 AM Confessions

Saturday, December 17

2:30-3:30 PM Confessions
5:15-6:00 PM Confessions

Sunday, December 18

9:15 AM R.E. classes



Prayer Requests

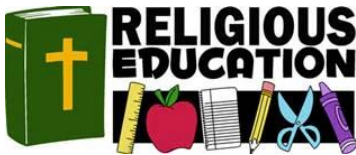
Richard Collier
Richard Lozano Sr.
Mike Gonzales
Amalia Ibarra
Curtis Rushing
Deacon Leo Rener
Jennifer Whitehouse
Paul Gumler
Olivia Nicole Yates
Stanley Quist
Sonia Rodriguez Cadena
Brenda Larsen
Rosario Rodriguez
Cindy Kinkaid
Rosann Kinkaid
Mayra Anguiano
Patti Sikors Garrett
Crystal Sanchez
Tomas Samuel Garcia
Barbara Sikors Hendricks
Maria Mercedes Gaytan
Ma. del Refugio Mendoza
Marianne Marsden
Angel Gabriel Godinez

Nick Morales, Sr.
Lee Wilde
James Dean
Brenda Newburn
Henry Taft
Jesus Arteaga
Archie Palmore
Mason Gumler
Felipa Garcia
Joe Wages
Erica Vargas
Margaret Wages
Sheila Wages
Myrna Lawson
Johnnie B. Malouf
Pascual Meza
Robert Repka, Sr.
Michelle Elliott
Eva Hernandez
Theresa Lyon
Warren Terry
Elmer Marsden
Odin Kizer



Last Week's Collection:	7,148.90
2nd Coll. (Parish Improvement Fund):	4,405.85
FY'16-17 Budgeted Average:	6,500.00
FY'16-17 Average Sunday Coll. thru 10/31/16:	6,158.29
Attendance:	942





The Third Week of Advent



DECEMBER:

- ❖ **Sunday Classes:** Dec. 11, 18.
No classes on Dec. 25 or Jan. 1, 2017.
- ❖ **Tuesday Classes:** Dec. 13.
No classes on Dec. 20 and 27.
- ❖ **Wednesday Classes:** 14.
No classes Dec. 21 and 28.



Reminder to parents: Be sure to follow the established **drop off and pick up procedure** when bringing children to class and picking them up from class. Children are to be dropped off and picked up at the ramp leading to the Parish Center. We appreciate your cooperation.

RE Class Christmas Parties



Traditionally, RE classes will have a class party on the last day of class before the Christmas holiday. Parents, please ask your child's teacher if there is something that you can do to help with your child's class Christmas party.

Notice to parents of students attending classes on Wednesday:

The Wednesday classes were cancelled last week. The teachers did not have a chance to remind students to bring a few treats to share at the class Christmas party on Wednesday, Dec. 14th. Parents, please send a few cookies, cupcakes, candy or drinks to class with your child to share with the class.

The **Third Sunday of Advent** repeats an Isaiah reading from earlier in the week, filled with promise, healing and a hope for our longing: "Then will the lame leap like a stag, then the tongue of the mute will sing.... They will meet with joy and gladness, sorrow and mourning will flee." In **Matthew's Gospel**, John the Baptist hears of Jesus' work and sends a message to his cousin: "Are you the one who is to come, or should we look for another?" Jesus replies that his work speaks for itself. "The blind regain their sight, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the poor have the good news proclaimed to them."

Monday is the **Memorial of Our Lady of Guadalupe**, in the Americas. Tuesday is the **Memorial of Saint Lucy**, virgin and martyr. Wednesday is the **Memorial of Saint John of the Cross**, priest and doctor of the Church.

We continue to focus on the first readings in this first part of Advent. From the **Book of Numbers**, we have the proclamation that "a star shall advance from Jacob..." **Zephaniah** is the prophet of impending doom, if the people don't abandon their idolatry. But this week we read about consoling healing, "on that day," when the Lord comes. **Isaiah's** message is full of promise: "Turn to me and be safe ... for I am God; there is no other!" "Fear not, you shall not be put to shame ... with great tenderness I will take you back ... My love shall never leave you."

Gospels are chosen to show Jesus as the fulfillment of these promises: his question to the Pharisees who challenge his authority; the parable of the two sons; the Baptizer's question about whether Jesus is the promised one; the fulfillment Jesus points to; Jesus' praise of John the Baptist; Jesus points to his works as his testimony.

Saturday is December 17th, which begins the second part of Advent. In these last eight days of Advent the focus returns to the gospels with stories from Jesus' family in the time before he was born. In **Matthew's** gospel, we read the genealogy, the list of Jesus' ancestors. Joseph decides to divorce the pregnant Mary until an angel appears to him in a dream, saying, "It is through the Holy Spirit that this child has been conceived in her."

Horario de Misas de Vigilia y Navidad



Misa de Vigilia – 24 de diciembre:

Misa de Vigilia (Ingles): 4:00 PM
 Villancicos: 8:00 PM
 Misa de Vigilia (Ingles): 8:30 PM

Misas – Día de Navidad – 25 de diciembre

Misa en Ingles: 8:00 AM
 Misa en Ingles: 10:30 AM
 Misa en Español: 12:15 PM

Horario de Confesiones Navideñas

Martes, 13 de diciembre	6:00 – 7:00 PM
Miércoles, 14 de diciembre	8:30 – 9:15 AM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Jueves, 15 de diciembre	12:00 – 1:00 PM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Viernes, 16 de diciembre	8:30 – 9:15 AM
Sábado, 17 de diciembre	2:30 – 3:30 PM 5:15 – 6:00 PM
Martes, 20 de diciembre	8:30 – 9:15 AM 12:00 – 1:00 PM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Miércoles, 21 de diciembre	8:30 – 9:15 AM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Jueves, 22 de diciembre	8:30 – 9:15 AM 12:00 – 1:00 PM 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Viernes, 23 de diciembre	8:30 – 10:00 AM

Clases de Pre-Bautismales

Comenzando el mes de enero y cada primer sábado de cada mes tendremos clases Pre-Bautismales a las 6:00pm en la Capilla. Para más información llamar a la oficina (972) 563-3643.



Virgen de Guadalupe

Acompañenos hoy noche, domingo, 11 de diciembre a las 11:00pm para la Misa de Ntra. Sra. de Guadalupe. Después tendremos las Mañanitas con el Mariachi.



Y también acompañenos el lunes, 12 de diciembre a las 7:00pm para la Misa en Honor de Ntra. Sra. de Guadalupe.

Unción de los Enfermos

Si usted o alguien que usted conozca está necesitado en recibir comunión o el Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos favor de llamar al Padre Orosco en la oficina de la Iglesia al número 972-563-3643.



Noticias de la Doctrina

Calendario de Diciembre

Clases de domingos: 11, 18.
 Clases de martes: 13.
 Clases de miércoles: 14.

NO HAY CLASES EN LAS SIGUIENTES FECHAS:

Domingo: 25 y 1 de enero, 2017
 Martes: 20 y 27.
 Miércoles: 21 y 28



Tradicional tenemos fiesta el último día de clases antes de la navidad. Padres favor de preguntar a la catequista de su hijo(a) en que puede ayudar para la fiesta de clase.

