

St. Joseph Catholic Church



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St. Joseph Church Mission Statement

Guided by the Holy Spirit and united as one family, the Catholic Community of St. Joseph's will bear witness to Christ's Gospel. Recognizing diversity in our Catholic Community, the people of St. Joseph's will strive to create love, peace, and social justice through Evangelization, Stewardship and Fellowship.

December 16, 2018

WEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Rosary-----5:00pm English (ingles)
Saturday Vigil - Vigilia de Sábado 5:30pm English(inglés)
Rosary-----8:30am English (ingles)
Sunday Mass ----- 9:00am English (inglés)
Misa Domingo ----- 11:00am Spanish(español)

Weekday Mass

Tuesday --- 5:30pm
Wednesday through Friday - 8:00am
Confessions / Confesiones
Saturday / Sábado - 4:30pm - 5:10pm

Pre-Baptism / Pre-Bautismos

Pre - registration is required. Register at the Church Office.
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Classes: (Third Sunday of the Month)

Spanish: 9:00am
English:10:30am

Baptismal Ceremony

(The last weekend of the Month)
English: 6:30pm Saturday
Spanish: 1:00pm Saturday

Marriage / Matrimonio

Contact the Parish Priest at least six months to one year before the planned Wedding Date.

Comunicarse con el sacerdote por lo menos de Seis meses a un a1o antes de la fecha programada para la boda.

Anointing of the sick

Please call for the priest if you are seriously ill at home, about to enter the hospital, or if someone is close to death.

Funeral Arrangements

In the event of the death of a parishioner, please contact the Parish Office before finalizing any arrangements with the Funeral Director.

Quincea1era

Registered Families must contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.



Our name in Latin
Societas Verbi Divini
Our name in English
Society of the Divine
Word
Popularly
Divine Word Missionaries

Our Christmas Schedule

Masses will be on **Monday, December 24th, 2018**, the **Choir** and the **Childrens Choir** will be performing



Christmas Carols at 5:00 PM and the **Mass** will be at **6:00 PM.**

On **Wednesday, December 25th**, the **Mass** will be at **10:00 AM.** Please mark your calendar.

Nuestras misas de Navidad serán el lunes 24 de diciembre de 2018, el coro y el coro de niños estarán tocando villancicos de navidad a las 5:00 p.m. y la misa será a las 6:00 p.m.



El miércoles 25 de diciembre, la misa será a las 10.00 de la mañana. Por favor, marque su calendario.

Next Sunday, Please pick up a book on your way out of Mass. It is a anonymous gift. Both English and Spanish available as long as they last. One Book Per Family.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

REJOICE IN THE LORD ALWAYS



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The Catholic Daughters

would like to thank everyone Who contributed to the successful Giving Tree Project. From the generous parishioners to all helpers who helped in big or small ways, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts. To help the children of Polk county in their need, is a testimony to your faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. **Thank you, and have a Merry Christmas.**

Catholic Daughters of the Americas

December 8, 2018

Immaculate Conception

Offering \$1,207.00

TOTAL: \$1,207.00

December 9, 2018

Second Sunday of Advent

Offering \$6,990.75

Maintenance \$ 212.00

Flowers \$ 240.00

RF for Religious . \$1,859.80

TOTAL: \$9,302.55

Thank you to all who participated in the celebration of our Lady of Guadalupe. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Daughters for your great support. Thank you also to those who give their time, talents and treasures to make this event so meaningful. Thank you to everyone who worked behind the scene for this great celebration. Keep up the good work.

Third Sunday of Advent

December 16, 2018

The King of Israel, the LORD, is in your midst, you have no further misfortune to fear.
— *Zephaniah 3:15b*

Gracias a todos los que participaron en la celebración de nuestra Virgen de Guadalupe. Gracias también a aquellos que dan su tiempo, talentos y tesoros para que este evento sea tan significativo. Gracias a todos los que trabajaron detrás de escena para esta gran celebración. Sigán con el buen trabajo

Las Posadas: (Spanish: “The Inns”) is a religious festival celebrated between December 16 and 24. Las Posadas commemorates the journey that Joseph and Mary made from Nazareth to Bethlehem in search of a safe refuge where Mary could give birth to the baby Jesus. When they were unable to find lodging in Bethlehem, Joseph and Mary were forced to seek shelter in a stable, where the Christ Child was born. We will have "Las Posadas" in our Church, begin this **Sunday, December 16, at 7.00 PM.** All are invited.

*Las Posadas es un festival religioso celebrado entre el 16 y el 24 de diciembre. Las Posadas conmemora el viaje que hicieron José y María de Nazaret a Belén en busca de un refugio seguro donde María pudiera dar a luz al bebé. Jesús. Cuando no pudieron encontrar alojamiento en Belén, José y María se vieron obligados a buscar refugio en un establo, donde nació el Niño Jesús. Tendremos "Las Posadas" en nuestra Iglesia, comenzará este **domingo, 16 de diciembre, a las 7:00 PM.** Todos están invitados.*

SAT., DECEMBER 15th

5:30PM MASS—In Loving Memory of Our Brother †-by Dee & Daniel Sikora

SUN, DECEMBER 16th

9:00AM MASS—In Loving Memory of Allen Gott †-by Juanita Gott and In Memory of Blanche Meyer †-by Randy & Mary Jo Yackley
11:00AM MISA—

MON, DECEMBER 17th

NO MASS—OFFICE CLOSED

TUE, DECEMBER 18th

5:30PM-For Sega Mah Ngang Birthday by Vera A. Mwaka and For Paul Carvazos Birthday

WED. DECEMBER 19th

8:00AM MASS-In Loving Memory of My Brother †-by Jason R. Glasgow and In Loving Memory of My Son † by Jeanette Froyd

THU., DECEMBER 20th

8:00AM-MASS-Thanks to God for all blessings-by Vera Mwaka

FRI, DECEMBER 21st

8:00AM- MASS-In Memory of Angel Matías †
Eucharistic Adoration—until 11:30am.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-4ab, 7-8, 17; Mt 1:1-17

Tuesday: Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25

Wednesday: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Lk 1:5-25

Thursday: Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-6; Lk 1:26-38

Friday: Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a; Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21; Lk 1:39-45

Saturday: 1 Sm 1:24-28; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 1:46-56

Sunday: Mi 5:1-4a; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Heb 10:5-10; Lk 1:39-45

PRAY FOR

James Olsovsky Susana Davalos
Myra Mulcare Harry Hill,
Hank & Cecilia Ager Robert Grigar
Paula Garcia Sandy Perez
Gabriel Farias Nancy Brown
Evelyn Walker Mandi Pipes
Warren & Gail Hale Robert Odner
Deacon Mike Marion
Deacon Rudy & Colleen Cockburn
Bob Coppola Fabio Mejia DeLeah Vogt
Steven & Cyril Kurta Mary Davis
Charity Lane Donna & Parker Binion
L. T. Palmer Leon Reyna
Tiffany Hinojosa & family
Irena Kalita Alois Perhac Daryl Benzel
Greg & Vicky Poytner Nicole Parks
Shelly Cavazos Barbara Farr
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Cheryl Anderson Noreen Bidigare
George Maddox Chris & Jessica Jones
Rusty Wallace Ruth Allen
Walter E. Dutcher, Sr Charlene Gresham



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Saturday, December 15th

4:30-5:10pm-Confessions
5:30pm-MASS-

Sunday, December 16th

9:00am—
11am-MISA—

Monday, December 17th

OFFICE CLOSED
NO MASS—

Tuesday, December 18th

12:00-Noon-AA Meeting
1:30-3:30 Heart to Heart
5:30pm-MASS

Wednesday, December 19th

8:00AM-MASS
6-7:30PM-CCD Christmas Party

Thursday, December 20th

8:00AM MASS—
12:00-AA & Alanon
1:30-3:30PM— Heart to Heart

Friday, December 21st

8:00AM- MASS-Eucharist Adoration until 11:30am

THERE WILL BE NO MEETING FOR 4TH DEGREE K.C.'s ON THURSDAY- DECEMBER 20TH



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