

*Immaculate Conception Catholic Church*  
*Grand Prairie, December 30, 2018*  
*Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph*



of Dec. 29 to Jan. 6, 2019

WEEKLY CALENDAR

**SATURDAY, Dec. 29th: BVM-**  
**Readings: 1 Jn. 2:3-11; Lk. 2:22-35**  
 8:30 a.m. Mass for the faithful-

**SUNDAY, Dec. 30th: Holy Family Jesus, Mary & Joseph**  
**Readings: Sir. 3:2-6, 12-14; Col. 3:12-21; Lk. 2:41-52**  
 5:30 p.m. For the health of Teresa Jackson  
 8:00 a.m. † Duffy Stephan  
 10:00 a.m. † Dorothy Reeder  
 12:00 p.m. † Guadalupe Vásquez  
 2:30 p.m. Luis Nicolas Ramírez, birthday intention  
 5:30 p.m. Patricia Arrequin, birthday intention

**MONDAY, Dec. 31st: Mary The Mother of God**  
**Readings: 1 Jn. 2:18-21; Jn. 1:1-18**  
 5:30 p.m. For the faithful-Bilingual

**TUESDAY, Jan. 1st: Mary The Mother of God**  
**Readings: Nm. 6: 22-27; Gal. 4:4-7; Lk. 2:16-21**  
 8:00 a.m. English Mass for the Faithful  
 10:00 a.m. English Mass for the Faithful  
 12:00 p.m. Spanish Mass for Cristiano Campos  
 2:30 p.m. Spanish Mass for the Faithful  
 NO 5:30 P.M. MASS

**WEDNESDAY, Jan. 2nd:**  
**Readings: 1 Jn. 2:22-28; Jn. 1:19-28**  
 6:00 p.m. Mass for the faithful  
 6:30 p.m. Rosary Guadalupanos

**THURSDAY, Jan. 3rd:**  
**Readings: 1 Jn. 2:29, 3:6; Jn. 1:29-34**  
 6:00 p.m. Pete & Joseph Rios, birthday intention  
 6:30 p.m. Rosary Guadalupanos

**FRIDAY, Jan. 4th:**  
**Readings: 1 Jn. 3:7-10; Jn. 1:35-42**  
 6:00 p.m. Susana Escalante, birthday intention  
 6:30 p.m. Rosary Guadalupanos

**SATURDAY, Jan. 5th: BVM-**  
**Readings: 1 Jn. 3:11-21; Jn. 1:43-51**  
 8:30 a.m. Mass for the faithful

**SUNDAY, Jan. 6th: The Epiphany of The Lord**  
**Readings: Is. 60:1-6; Eph. 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt. 2:1-12**  
 Sat: 5:30 p.m. Mass for the faithful  
 8:00 a.m. † Joe Palafox, Sr.  
 10:00 a.m. Mass for the faithful  
 12:00 p.m. † Ivan Daniel Arellano  
 2:30 p.m. † Vicente Bailon  
 5:30 p.m. † Felipa Serrano

**SUNDAY, Dec. 30th:**  
 Facilities Closed

**MONDAY, Dec. 31st:**  
 Facilities Closed

**TUESDAY, Jan. 1st:**  
 Facilities Closed – Happy New Year

**WEDNESDAY, Jan. 2nd:**  
 Gym Closed  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Choir Spanish-12:00p.m.-FLC 301  
 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Grupo de Jóvenes-BFL, Ball Field  
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo- 1<sup>st</sup> Eng.-FLC 304  
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo- 1<sup>st</sup> Spanish.-FLC 303  
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Guadalupanos- FLC 302

**THURSDAY, Jan. 3rd:**  
 Gym Closed  
 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Choir Spanish 5:30 p.m.-FLC 301  
 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Hispanic Lectors-POR 403  
 8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Jóvenes-FLC 302  
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. San José Men's Group Spanish FLC 304

**FRIDAY, Jan. 4th:**  
 Gym Closed  
 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Guadalupanos-POR 306  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. St. Martha Group- Spanish FLC 303  
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo de Oración-FLC 302  
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Divine Mercy  
 8:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. Spanish Choir, 2:30 p.m.-FLC 301

**SATURDAY, Jan. 5th:**  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Jóvenes-FLC 304

**May they Rest in Peace:** † Rafael Alvarez, Eddy Fernando Zuñiga, Beatriz Reyes, Frank Acosta, Robert Jerome Broades, Carrell Crawford, Bud Mayo, Tomas Guerrero, Jr.

**Pray for those in special need:** Lupita Espinoza, Esther Silva, John Puente, Rafael Rosas, Camilo Sánchez, María de Lourdes Méndez, Zoe Ramírez, Imelda Sánchez, Carlos García, Joe Torres, Sherry Phillips, Jack Zill, Isidra Rubio, Doroteo Rivas, Linda Salazar, Claudia Sánchez, Margarita González, Robín Aucoin, David and Heidi Hunt, Eugene Puente, Gloria Martínez, Paulo Ramírez, Carmen Morfin, María E. Guajardo, Christine Palafox, Elia Gutiérrez, Ric Salazar, Ángel López, Beau Salazar, Martin Pérez, Sandy García, Juanita Salazar, Isabel Argumaniz, Natalie Argumaniz, Debí Salazar, and Joe Gutiérrez



*The Sanctuary Light*  
*For the next two weeks*  
*is offered for*  
 † Raúl Yopez-García  
*by the Yopez-García Families*



Fr. Joseph, Fr. Luis and all the staff would like to wish everyone a very Happy New Year!

**FAITH FORMATION NEWS:  
OFFICE HOURS FOR THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR**

***Mondays, Wednesday and Thursday***

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

***Tuesdays***

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Lunch** 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.

**Fridays:** Closed

(972)264-8385

Office is located in the cafeteria area

**SHARE THE LOVE OF GOD WITH CHILDREN!**

Volunteer with us for 2018-2019 and you will receive a discount if you have your children in our program! We will provide Safe Environment training.

**RCIA NEWS**

The RCIA process invites you to learn, discover and enrich your life through learning more about the Catholic Church, your relationship with Jesus and experiencing the traditions of the Catholic Church. Those who choose to become Catholic, celebrate the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) during Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night. Please call for registration.

If you have a loved one in the prayers for the sick in the bulletin and they are doing well, please let us know. You can call the rectory Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. or 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Thank you for your cooperation.

**TV Mass for Homebound  
with Free Worship Guide Available**

Do you know someone who is homebound? Please let them know that Catholics unable to participate in parish Mass because of illness, frailty, or other medical circumstances can find spiritual blessing through "My Sunday Mass" on TV. Heart of the Nation, a nonprofit Catholic ministry, provides the weekly TV Mass and a free, large-print Prayer & Worship Guide for use during Mass and throughout the week. For a complete channel guide on where to watch the Mass on broadcast, cable, or satellite channels in the Diocese of Dallas and around the country, or to order the Prayer & Worship Guide, log onto [www.HeartoftheNation.org](http://www.HeartoftheNation.org) or call toll-free 1-(855) 855-MASS (6277)

**The Diocese of Dallas Medical Equipment Program**

If you have medical equipment not in use that you wish to donate to the Diocese of Dallas, or if you need medical equipment, please call 214-379-3175 and leave a message. If you need any further information, please call the Pastoral Center at 214-379-2866.

Courage D/FW, a spiritual support group for those struggling with same sex attractions and are striving to live chaste lives in accordance with Catholic teaching on homosexuality, meets every Friday evening.

For more information please call (972) 938-5433  
or visit [www.CourageDFW.com](http://www.CourageDFW.com)  
or email us at [couragedfw@catholic](mailto:couragedfw@catholic)

**ST VINENT DE PAUL**

*St. Vincent's welcomes the help of Volunteers*

Please call the parish office with any questions.

Our pantry is open for food distribution on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month.

Hours of operation are 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

The person must live within

The zip codes 75050 and 75051

(Closings will be posted on the door of the pantry.)



**PLEASE NOTE:**

All donations for St. Vincent de Paul should be dropped off on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month at the St. Vincent de Paul portable. Thank you for your help.



**We are ENROLLING:  
Grades Pre-K 3-4 (Early Childhood)  
And Kinder-8<sup>th</sup> Grade!**

**Call the school office to schedule  
a tour any time 972-264-8777.  
Financial Aid IS AVAILABLE.**

**Sponsor of the Week:**

An advertisement for Dignity and Bean-Massey-Burge Funeral Home. The top part features the Dignity logo with the tagline 'LIFE WELL CELEBRATED'. Below that is the Grand Prairie Funeral Home logo and address: 733 Dalworth St. Grand Prairie, TX, 972-263-7200. A yellow banner says 'EVERY LIFE has a story Let us TELL YOURS'. Below that are the services offered: Funeral • Cremation • Veteran. The bottom part features the Bean-Massey-Burge logo and address: 2951 S. Beltline Rd. Grand Prairie, TX, 972-975-5000. There is a small photo of the funeral home interior.