

# Immaculate Conception Catholic Parish

## Grand Prairie, Texas

## August 22, 2021

### Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time



**August 22 to 28, 2021**

#### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**SUNDAY, August 22: Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Readings:** Jos 24:1-2, 15-17, 18; Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69

Sat. 5:30 p.m. † María Coronado  
 Sat. 7:30 p.m. Peyton Matschek – For her health  
 8:00 a.m. Liliana Huerta – For her health  
 10:00 a.m. Valerie García – For her own Intentions  
 12:00 p.m. † Raymundo & Berta Castillo  
 2:30 p.m. † Vivian Pérez  
 5:30 p.m. † Eliseo Astorga

**MONDAY, August 23: Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin**  
**Readings:** 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8-10; Mt 23:13-22  
 6:00 p.m. Peyton Matschek – For her health

**TUESDAY, August 24: Saint Bartholomew, Apostle**  
**Readings:** Rv 21:9-14; Jn1:45-51  
 6:00 p.m. † Juana Puento

**WEDNESDAY, August 25 : Saint Louis, Saint Joseph Calasanz, Priest**  
**Readings:** 1 Thes 2:9-13; Mt 23:27-32  
 6:00 p.m. B.B. Rodriguez – For her health

**THURSDAY, August 26: Weekday**  
**Readings:** 1 Thes 3:7-13; Mt 24:42-51  
 6:00 p.m. Santos Barron – For her health

**FRIDAY, August 27: Saint Monica**  
**Readings:** 1 Thes 4:1-8; Mt 25:1-13  
 6:00 p.m. Juanita Gandara – For her health

**SATURDAY, August 28: Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**  
**Readings:** 1 Thes 4:9-11; Mt 25:14-30  
 8:00 a.m. Christian Leal – For his health

**SUNDAY, August 22:**  
 11:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Choir-Spanish 2:30 p.m.- FLC 301  
 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Gupo de Oración – Gym, 302,03,04

**MONDAY, August 23:**  
 6:45 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Fr. Luis Bible Class – School Library  
 7:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Choir-English - FLC 301

**TUESDAY, August 24:**  
 5:00 p.m.-5:45 p.m. Confessions - Church  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración – FLC 304  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Choir-Spanish 5:30 p.m. – FLC 301  
 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo 3<sup>rd</sup> English – FLC 303  
 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo 3<sup>rd</sup> Spanish – Gym  
 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo 5<sup>th</sup> English – FLC 302  
 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo 4<sup>th</sup> English – POR 404

**WEDNESDAY, August 25:**  
 7:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m. Choir-Spanish 12p.m. – FLC 301  
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. San Jose Group Spanish – FLC 304

**THURSDAY, August 26:**  
 5:00 p.m.-5:45 p.m. Confessions - Church  
 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Holy Hour - Church  
 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. St. Monica – POR 406  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Choir-Spanish 7:30 Sat. – FLC 301

**FRIDAY, August 27:**  
 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración – Gym  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración – POR 406  
 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Choir Spanish 2:30 p.m. – FLC 301  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Saint Martha Group – POR 404  
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Divine Mercy - FLC 304  
 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo Jovenes Juventud - FLC 303

**SATURDAY, August 28:**  
 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Baptisms-Spanish - Church



*The Sanctuary Light  
 For this week  
 Is offered for:  
 Kathy and Patrick Baysinger*

### Requirement to return to Mass postponed in the Diocese of Dallas

In light of the recent surge in COVID cases and concern about the spread of the Delta variant, **Bishop Edward Burns has postponed reinstating the requirement for Catholics to attend Mass in person in the Diocese of Dallas.** The dispensation which waived this requirement had been schedule to end on Sunday, August 15, 2021. Masses will continue to take place; however, the obligation to attend remains lifted. According to Bishop Burns the decision will be reviewed frequently as more information becomes available. “This decision has not been made lightly as we all desire to get beyond the ongoing effects of this pandemic. We will continue to monitor this situation closely and as soon as we are safely able to do so, we will get back to normal.” Bishop Burns went on to remind those who decide to attend Mass in-person that masks are expected to be worn, especially in Dallas County, but parishes will not single out or draw attention to those who are no wearing masks at Mass.




COVID-19 VACCINE  
 PRE-REGISTRATION QR CODE

### COVID-19 Vaccine

Remember that anyone 60+ can come to Fair Park and receive a COVID-19 vaccine without an appointment or pre-registration on the waitlist. Those individuals will be registered on-site and placed in an express lane. If they've preregistered, the process will be even faster. Please note that this is only for the days of operation at Fair Park and on days scheduled on [DallasCounty.org](http://DallasCounty.org)

### Sponsor of the Week:



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## FAITH FORMATION NEWS

**The Faith Formation Office will be closed  
August 23, 2021 – September 8, 2021.**

Registration for RCIA is open on September 9.

If you need one of the initiation sacraments  
(Baptism, Communion or Confirmation)  
please contact Teresa Adames on or after September 9.  
The deadline September 17, 2021.

Registration for all other classes are closed.

The RE office is located in the FLC building

New Office Hours

Monday – Thursday 2:30 p.m. 8:30 p.m.

Closed Friday

Classes will begin September 20, 2021.

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### Calling all golfers and supporters of Catholic school education!

The 2021 Bishop's Golf Invitational on September 27th is less than 90 days away so now is the time to get involved!

Your participation provides access to a Catholic school education for students in need in our community.

Join us for a wonderful day of golf at the Four Seasons – Las Colinas by registering today. Tee times are available for both morning and afternoon starts.

7:30 am - TPC (The Players Course)

or

1:00 pm - TPC & Cottonwood Valley

Non-golfers can get involved too through a variety of underwriting opportunities. It's a great way for local companies to be involved in making quality education accessible to students in the Dallas area.

Register today as a golfer, sponsor or donor by visiting [www.bishopsgolf.org](http://www.bishopsgolf.org)! A faith-filled education can change a child's life!

Questions can be directed to Briana Luisi  
214.379.2826 | [Bluisi@cathdal.org](mailto:Bluisi@cathdal.org)

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY NEWS

Make a difference for others, by donating food and clothing, you can make a difference in our Parish. We at St. Vincent de Paul thank you for your generosity to others.

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 & 75051

[Closings will be posted on the door of the pantry.]  
Please bring all donations on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of the Month to the St. Vincent de Paul Portable. Thank you!



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### St. Monica Grief Support Group The New Day Journal Sessions

Have you suffered the loss of a loved one? St. Monica will hold a Grief Support Group beginning on Wednesday, September 15, 2021, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. Meetings will be held once a week for 10 weeks and you will meet in small groups with others going through similar experiences. Sessions are led by trained lay facilitators. The support group is free, with only the cost of \$11.00 for a book. Sessions will also be offered in Spanish starting on Tuesday, September 14, 2021. Please contact the St. Monica Church office at **214-358-1453** for more information or how to register.

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### Vocational Retreat for Young Adults in Spanish

In this retreat of discernment, the goal is to reflect on the vocations to which God calls men and women so that young people can choose with more confidence the path to follow. This Vocational Retreat in Spanish is sponsored by Pastoral Juvenil Hispana of the Diocese of Dallas and will be held **Saturday Sunday, August 28-29, at the Catholic Conference and Formation Center at 901 S. Madison Avenue, Dallas TX 75208.** To register and get more information please call 214-370-3172 or send an e-mail to [pjhdal@cathdal.org](mailto:pjhdal@cathdal.org)

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### Weekly Collection August 15, 2021

Regular Sunday Collection \$ 8,121.89

Feast of the Assumption \$ 2,262.96