

*Immaculate Conception Catholic Parish*  
*Grand Prairie, Texas* *September 19, 2021*  
*Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



*September 19 to September 25, 2021*

WEEKLY CALENDAR

**SUNDAY, Sept. 19: Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Readings: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Jas 3:16 4:3; Mk 9:30-37**  
 Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Abel Rodríguez  
 Sat. 7:30 p.m. † Gilberto Mata  
 8:00 a.m. † Enrique García  
 10:00 a.m. Jacobo Rivera - Birthday  
 12:00 p.m. † Guadalupe Ríos  
 2:30 p.m. † José Bonifacio Estrada  
 5:30 p.m. † Mario & Olimpia Morales

**MONDAY, September 20 Saint Andrew KimTae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chons Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs**  
**Readings: Ezr 1:1-6; Lk 8:16-18**  
 6:00 p.m. † Juanita Cerda de Muñoz

**TUESDAY, September 21: Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist**  
**Readings: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13**  
 6:00 p.m. Peyton Matschek – For her Health

**WEDNESDAY, September 22: Weekday**  
**Readings: Ezr 9:5-9; Lk 9:1-6**  
 6:00 p.m. † Patricia Fischer

**THURSDAY, September 23: Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest**  
**Readings: Hg 1:1-8; Lk 9:7-9**  
 8:05 a.m. For Teachers and School Children  
 6:00 p.m. B.B. Rodriguez – For her Health

**FRIDAY, September 24: Weekday**  
**Readings: Hg 2:1-9; Lk 9:18-22**  
 6:00 p.m. † Luis Hernandez

**SATURDAY, September 25: Weekday BVM**  
**Readings: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15; Lk 9:43-45**  
 8:00 a.m. Teresa Davidson – For her Health

**SUNDAY, September 19:**

11:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Choir-Spanish 2:30 p.m.- ELC 301  
 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración - Gym, 302,03,04

**MONDAY, September 20:**

6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE - Gym,Caf,303,304,101,106&110  
 6:45 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Fr. Luis Bible Class – Sch-Library

**TUESDAY, Sept. 21:**

5:00 p.m.-5:45 p.m. Confessions - Church  
 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE - Gym,Caf,303,304,101,106&110  
 6:45 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RCIA Fr. Luis – School Library

**WEDNESDAY, September 22:**

6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE – All FLC&Gym, 101, 106 & 110  
 6:45 p.m.- 8:00 p.m. RCIA Fr. Joseph – School Library

**THURSDAY, September 23:**

5:00 p.m.-5:45 p.m. Confessions - Church  
 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Holy Hour - Church  
 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE - Gym,Caf,303,304,101,106&110

**FRIDAY, September 24:**

6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE / RCIA – FLC 303 & 304

**SATURDAY, September 25:**

10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Baptisms Spanish - Church

**Diocese of Dallas Televised Mass**

Due to a scheduling conflict, the Televised Spanish Mass set for Sundays will be moved from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. Univision 23.

Please be advised that this will be the new air time for the Spanish language Televised Mass moving forward until further notice.



*The Sanctuary Light*  
*For this week*  
*Is offered for:*  
*All Souls in Purgatory*

**Weekly Collection**  
**September 5, 2021**

Regular Sunday Collection \$ 8,031.67  
 Catholic University in America \$ 1,205.56

**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 scheduled 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 not wearing masks at Mass.

**September 12, 2021**

Regular Sunday Collection \$ 7,068.89

**Sponsor of the Week:**

**Grand Prairie Memorial Gardens and Mausoleum**  
*Beautiful Gardens*  
*Reflection Pond*

3001 S. Belt Line Rd. **972-237-3001**  
[grandpraiememorialgardens.com](http://grandpraiememorialgardens.com)

## FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Registration for RCIA is open.

If you need one of the initiation sacraments (Baptism, Communion or Confirmation) please contact Teresa Adames.

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)

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### Citizenship workshops

Catholic Charities Dallas is hosting a free citizenship workshop to assist eligible Legal Permanent Residents in filling out their N-400 application. The first 75 people will be helped, first come first serve.

Visit [ccdallas.org/citizenship](http://ccdallas.org/citizenship) for more details or call 469-801-8169.

## 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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### World Day for Migrants and Refugees (Sept. 26)

The 107th World Day of Migrants and Refugees will be celebrated on Sunday, 26 September 2021. Pope Francis has chosen "Towards an ever wider "we" as the theme for his message this year. Learn more about the Church's role in migration and refugee services and how you can be an advocate:

<https://justiceformigrants.org/home/about-us/catholic-social-teaching/responding-to-refugees-and-migrants-twenty-action-points/>

[https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/migration/documents/papa-francesco\\_20210503\\_world-migrants-day-2021.html](https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/migration/documents/papa-francesco_20210503_world-migrants-day-2021.html)

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### For Vocations

Jesus, you are the Good Shepherd.  
And you call us by name  
to serve you in faith.

Help us respond generously to your voice.

Give courage and guidance  
to those you call to the priesthood  
and the diaconate,  
to religious life and lay ministry,  
so they may respond wholeheartedly  
and serve devotedly.

We ask this in you name. Amen