

Immaculate Conception Catholic Parish
Grand Prairie, Texas *October 10, 2021*
Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



October 10 to October 16, 2021

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, October 10: Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time
Readings: Wis 7:7-11; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27
 Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Abel Rodríguez
 Sat. 7:30 p.m. Maciel De La Parra – For his Intentions
 8:00 a.m. † Rosa Cayetano
 10:00 a.m. † Sofía Arzola
 12:00 p.m. † Eugenio Cuba
 2:30 p.m. † Victor & Amalia Tamayo
 5:30 p.m. † Jesús Sanchez
MONDAY, October 11: Saint John XXIII, Pope
Readings: Rom 1:1-7; Lk 11:29-32
 6:00 p.m. Ethan Sandifer – For his Birthday
TUESDAY, October 12: Weekday
Readings: Rom 1:16-25; Lk 11:37-41
 6:00 p.m. † María Aurelia Almendariz
WEDNESDAY, October 13: Weekday
Readings: Rom 2:1-11; Lk 11:42-46
 6:00 p.m. May Le – Grace of Healing
THURSDAY, October 14: Saint Callistus I, Pope and Martyr
Readings: Rom 3:21-30; Lk 11:47-54
 8:05 a.m. For Teachers and School Children
 6:00 p.m. † Audencio Muñoz
FRIDAY, October 15: Saint Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church
Readings: Rom 4:1-8; Lk 12:1-7
 6:00 p.m. † Rodolfo Muñoz
SATURDAY, October 16: Saint Hedwig, Religious; Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin; BVM
Readings: Rom 4:13, 16-18; Lk 12:8-12
 8:00 a.m. Thanksgiving for Graces Received

SUNDAY, October 10:
 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. RE RCIA Dismissal – Sch Library
 11:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Choir-Spanish – FLC 301
 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. Baptism Class Spanish - Gym
 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración – Gym, 302, 303
MONDAY, October 11:
 6:45 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Fr. Luis Bible Class – Sch-Library
TUESDAY, October 12:
 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
 8:15 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo de Oración – FLC 304
WEDNESDAY, October 13:
 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 – Sch-Library
 8:15 p.m.-9:30 p.m. San José Mens Group Spanish - 304
THURSDAY, October 14:
 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
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Choir-Spanish 7:30 Sat- 301
 8:15 p.m.-9:20 p.m. Grupo de Jovenes - Gym
FRIDAY, October 15:
 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE RCIA- 303 & 304
 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Choir -Spanish 2:30 pm – 301
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Saint Martha Grupo – POR 404
SATURDAY, October 16:
 10:00 a.m.-11:00 p.m. Baptism – Spanish - Church
 5:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m. RCIA Dismissal – School Library
 7:15 p.m.-9:15 p.m. Grupo de Jovenes - 303



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

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.

**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.

Sponsor of the Week:



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 Started September 20, 2021.

Spes Gregis Holy Trinity Seminary Benefit

All are invited to virtually participate in the 18th Annual Spes Gregis Benefit, which will be livestreamed on the Holy Trinity Seminary Facebook page (facebook.com/htseminary) on Friday, October 29 at 7 p.m. Go to www.holytrinityseminary.org for sponsorship opportunities, which include a limited number of in-person reservations. Then tune in on 10/29 to support these men who have answered the call to discern the priesthood in service to our Church.

Prayer 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 your name. Amen

Weekly Collection October 3, 2021

Regular Sunday Collection	\$ 7,995.00
Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 2,131.62

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!



WE HAVE MOVED!

St. Vincent de Paul has changed buildings. We have moved from the portable building to the old “Wellness Center” located at 1710 Small Street. Still on church property.

Catechesis for Couples

Fr. Luis will have catechesis classes for couples on Tuesdays and Saturdays in the gym.

Tuesdays 7:30 p.m.
Saturdays 6:00 p.m.
in the Gym

Evangelization to help couples will in turn strengthen the family. Please attend and pray for all couples.

Please Pray for pregnant mothers:

O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your son, with faith and trust.

Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties.

Guide us as we strive to make our parish communities places of welcome and assistance for mothers in need.

Help us become instruments of God's love and compassion.

Mary, Mother of the Church, graciously help us build a culture of life and civilization of love, together with all people of good will, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life. Amen.