

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
Grand Prairie, Texas

February 21, 2016

Second Sunday of Lent



Feb. 20 to Feb. 28, 2016

SATURDAY, Feb. 20th:

Readings: Dt. 26:16-19; Mt. 5:43-48

8:30 a.m. Mass for the faithful

SUNDAY, Feb. 21st: 2nd Sunday of Lent:

Readings: Gn. 15:5-12, 17-18; Phil.3:17-4:1; Lk.9:28b-36

Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Severo Ibarra

8:00 a.m. † Rodolfo Martinez

10:00 a.m. † Todd Rosenfelder

12:00 p.m. For the intentions of the Ortega family

2:30 p.m. † Erasmo Luna

5:30 p.m. † Basilio & Trinidad Salas

MONDAY, Feb. 22nd:

Readings: 1Pt. 5:1-4; Mt. 16:13-19

6:00 p.m. Cascia Vaca, birthday intention

6:30 p.m. Rosary-Guadalupanos, Church

TUESDAY, Feb. 23rd:

Readings: Is. 1:10, 16-20; Mt. 23:1-12

6:00 p.m. Daniel Favila, birthday intention

6:30 p.m. Rosary-Guadalupanos, Church

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 24th:

Readings: Jer. 18:18-20; Mt. 20:17-28

6:00 p.m. For the health of Don Newby

6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass in the Gym

THURSDAY, Feb. 25th:

Readings: Jer. 17:5-10; Lk. 16:19-31

8:05 a.m. For I.C. Students and Teachers

6:00 p.m. Mass for the faithful

6:30p.m.-10:00pm Adoration

FRIDAY, Feb. 26th:

Readings: Gn. 37:3-4,12-13a,17b-28a;

Mt.21:33-43-45-46

6:00 p.m. Mass for the faithful

6:30 p.m. Rosary-Guadalupanos, Church

SATURDAY, Feb. 27th:

Readings: Mi. 7:14-15, 18-20; Lk. 15:1-3,11-32

8:30 a.m. Mass for the faithful

SUNDAY, Feb. 28th: 3rd Sunday of Lent:

Readings: Ex. 3:1-8a, 13-15; 1Cor.10:1-6, 10-12; Lk.13:1-9

Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Adeline Bell

8:00 a.m. For the intentions of the Ortega family

10:00 a.m. † Roman Natal

12:00 p.m. † Audelia Lopez

2:30 p.m. For the health of Don Newby

5:30 p.m. † Isidro Ortega

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, Feb. 21st :

10:30p.m.-12:00 p.m. RCIA-School Library, 101,103,107,110

1:30 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Guadalupanos Meeting – FLC 303

6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración-Café.Kit.Rms.303,04.Gym

MONDAY, Feb. 22nd :

6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. RE Classes 101,110302,304, Café, Kit., Gym

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración- POR Room 406

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. English choir- FLC- Room 301

TUESDAY, Feb. 23rd :

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Neo-Catechum. Catechesis- Gym.

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-Catechum. 6th Comm - POR 403

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-Catechum. 5th Comm - POR 404

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-Catechum. 1st Comm - FLC 302

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-Catechum. 7th Comm - FLC 303

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-Catechum. 8th Comm - Gym

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo de Oración - FLC 304

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 24th

6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. R.E. - Gym Café. Kit., Rms. 101,110,302, 304

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Spanish Choir 12:00 p.m. – FLC 301

8:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-Catechum. 4th Comm – FLC 303

8:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-Catechum. 2nd Comm – FLC 304

THURSDAY, Feb. 25th:

6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. R.E. - Gym Café. Kit., Rms. 101,110,302, 304

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Spanish Choir 5:30 p.m. FLC -301

FRIDAY, Feb. 26th:

7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. St. John Paul, II Youth FLC Room 303

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Spanish Choir 2:30 p.m. FLC Room 301

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Neo-Catechum. Catechesis- Gym

7:00 p.m.-9:15 p.m. Divine Mercy FLC Room 304

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo de Oración FLC Room 302

SATURDAY, Feb. 27th:

8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Marriage preparation class/Spanish FLC-303

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Spanish Baptisms-Church

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Jóvenes- Juventud Católica FLC Room 304

May they Rest in Peace: † Arturo Hernandez, Candelaria Gómez, Jesús Hernández, Senobia Ortega, Bernabé Olalde, Martin Torres, Audelia Lopez, Maria Luisa Valles, Ramon Ortega, Dorothy Acosta, Todd Rosenfelder, Eusebia Pérez, Santos Pinales, Faustino Topete, Carmen Barrón, Guadalupe Marquez Alvarado, and Soto Ramírez,

Pray for those in special need: Armando Gutierrez, Melinda Salazar, Jacob Guerra, Samuel Vargas, Rodolfo Villarreal, José Vázquez, Isabel Argumaniz, Raquel Hidalgo, Adrian Morales, Juanita Valadez & Robin Aucoin, Joe and Saadia Ortega, Aurelio Muñoz, Virginia Hernández, Marcelo Castañeda, Berta Lopez, Viola Archuleta, Fernando Veloz, Juan Espinoza, Adrian Martinez, Jim and Lorraine Morrisroe, San Juanita Gonzáles, José Méndez, Elva Topete, Janie Moncevaiz, Norma Pérez, Claudia Wilson, Don Newby, Marcelo Castañeda, Celia Contreras, Pat Ironside, Gustavo Aguilar, Mike González, Elda Sotelo, Salvador García, Zachery Castiglione, and Ted Alvarez



The Sanctuary Light
For next week
Is offered for our
Faithful Parishioners

Tune in to Catholic Radio
910 –KATH English 850-KJON Spanish

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS:

Phone Number 972-264-8385

We are in need of Catechists. If you think God is calling you to announce the Gospel and share your faith with your neighbors, don't wait any longer. The time is now. Please stop by or call the office.

NEW FAITH FORMATION OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday and Thursday:

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Healing Mass

On Saturday, March 5th we will have a Healing Mass, at 10:30 a.m. everyone is invited to attend. There will not be an 8:30 a.m. Saturday Mass on this date.

LENTEN RECONCILIATION SERVICE

On Tuesday March 8, 2016 we will have our Parish Lenten Reconciliation Service at 7:00 p.m. There will be several priests available to hear confessions on this date and we invite everyone to come at this time for your Lenten confession.

HUNGERING FOR A HEALTHY START

The next stop on our CRS Rice Bowl journey is the African nation of Rwanda, where we're reminded to care for the unborn.

This week we pray for pregnant mothers, that they may have the medical and nutritional support they need to raise healthy, thriving Children. Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

Free Tax help at Catholic Charities of Dallas until April 15:

Catholic Charities of Dallas is a Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program site! This is free tax help is for qualifying tax payers who made less than \$53,000 in 2015. You do not have to be a U.S. citizen to receive assistance. VITA is open Monday through Thursday from 2:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. and on Saturdays from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Located at 9461 LBJ Freeway, Dallas, Texas 75234 in Conference Room B. For information on VITA sites, visit www.DallasTaxCenter.org or call 1-844-382 1040.

Annual Divine Mercy Conference

The Divine Mercy Group invites everyone to their annual Conference to be held on March 5 & 6, 2016 at the Mesquite Arena in Mesquite, Texas. There will be several speakers from different parts of the world. For more information please contact Alma Gonzalez at 214-463-3314.

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a St. Andrew Dinner for high school age men on Monday, March 14, 2016. The dinner will be at St. Cecilia Catholic Church, 1801 W. Davis Street in Dallas. The evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 p.m. with Cecilia Catholic Church, 1801 W. Davis Street in Dallas. The evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 p.m. with dinner to follow at 6:30. The evening should end around 8:00 p.m.

Join the Justice AmeriCorps Team

Interested in working with immigrant children who have crossed the U.S. border without a parent or guardian as they navigate complex immigration court proceedings? Justice AmeriCorps is a new program that will help these children. If you are a lawyer or paralegal interested in working with these children, visit <http://joinjusticeamericorps.org/> to learn about employment opportunities through AmeriCorps.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Suggests an idea for Lent

You can make a difference reaching out to others. St. Vincent de Paul suggests as part of your Corporal Mercy, bringing a can of food each time you come to Mass during Lent. You can be the difference in our parish. Spread the word and also reap the benefits of a joyful heart.

Thank you for your continued generosity.

St. Vincent's Corner is welcoming 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.

SILVER LEAVES NEWS:

The Silver Leaves will have their biweekly meeting on February 22, 2016 at St. Michael the Archangel's Mazaika Hall. Doors open at 10:30. All retirees from Immaculate Conception are invited to attend. Please note that the contact person has changed: Jean Hampton/Villanueva 972 352 2882

On Fridays during Lent we will have Bilingual Mass at 6:00 p.m. and Stations of the Cross in English at 6:30 p.m. and in Spanish at 7:15 p.m. everyone is welcome to come.

Week of:	Weekly Collection	Adj. Year to Date
Feb. 13 & 14	\$ 8,783.57	\$ 291,484.26
Week of:	Children's Collection	Adj. Year to Date
Feb. 13 & 14	\$ 166.40	\$ 5,512.80
Week of:	Capital Improvement Fund	Adj. Year to Date
Feb. 13 & 14	\$ 57.00	\$ 71,545.78
Week of:	Black and Indian Missions	
Feb. 13 & 14	\$ 1,850.26	
Week of:	Tornado Victims in North Texas	
Feb. 13 & 14	\$ 1,224.85	
Ash Wednesday-Aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe		\$ 3,994.88

Sponsor of the Week

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