

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Grand Prairie, Texas

July 31, 2016

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



of July 30th- August 7, 2016

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SATURDAY, July 30th : BVM-St. Peter Chysologus

Readings: Jer. 26:1-9: Mt. 14:1-12

8:30 a.m. For the Faithful Parishioners

SUNDAY, SUNDAY July 31st :

Readings: Eccl. 1:2, 2:21-23: Col.3:1-5,9-11:Lk. 12:13-21

Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Juan Cantú

8:00 a.m. † Arturo Hernández

10:00 a.m. † Adan Sonny García

12:00 p.m. † Gregorio Granados

2:30 p.m. † Martha Alicia Navarrete

5:30 p.m. Maricela & Celia Garza, birthday intention

MONDAY, August 1st : St. Alphonsus Liguari

Readings: Jer. 28:1-17 Mt. 14:13-21

6:00 p.m. † José Cruz

6:30 p.m. Rosary-Guadalupanos

TUESDAY, August 2nd : St. Eusebius, Bishop, St. Peter Eymard, Priest

Readings: Jer. 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22: Mt. 14:22-36

6:00 p.m. † Simplicia Sigala

6:30 p.m. Rosary-Guadalupanos

WEDNESDAY, August 3rd :

Readings: Jer. 31:1-7: Mt. 15:21-28

6:00 p.m. † Maximo Garza

6:30 p.m. Rosary – Guadalupanos

THURSDAY, August 4th :

Readings: Jer. 31: 31-34: Mt. 16:13-23

6:00 p.m. † Raquel Hidalgo

6:30 p.m. Adoration - Divine Mercy Rosary

FRIDAY, August 5th :

Readings: Ba. 2:1, 3, 3:1-3,6-7: Mt. 16:24-28

6:00 p.m. In thanksgiving for the 43rd wedding anniversary for George & Olivia Saldivar

6:30 p.m. Rosary – Guadalupanos

SATURDAY, August 6th : BVM-

Readings: Dn. 7:9-10, 13-14: 2Pt. 1:16-19:Lk.9:28b-36

8:30 a.m. † Percival Alvarez

SUNDAY, SUNDAY August 7th :

Readings: Wis. 18:6-9: Heb.11:2-8: Lk. 12:32-48

Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Robert Bell

8:00 a.m. † Rey Ortiz

10:00 a.m. † José Herrera, Sr.

12:00 p.m. † Julian Fragoso, Jr.

2:30 p.m. † Gloria García

5:30 p.m. † Manuel Beltrán

SUNDAY, July 31st:

6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración – Gym, 302, 303, 304

MONDAY, August 1st:

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

8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. English choir-FLC-Room 301

TUESDAY, August 2nd:

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

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

7:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m. St. John Paul II Youth – FLC 301

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

8:00 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. Grupo de Oración – FLC 304

WEDNESDAY, August 3rd:

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

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

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

THURSDAY, August 4th:

8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Spanish Choir-5:30 p.m. FLC-Room 301

8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. IC Men's Group FLC-Room 304

FRIDAY, August 5th:

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

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Hispanic lectors, FLC-Room 303

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

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

7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo de Jóvenes- FLC-Cafeteria

7:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Jóvenes BFL-Ball Field

SATURDAY, August 6th:

6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo de Jóvenes-FLC Cafeteria

6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo de Jóvenes- FLC Room 304

May they Rest in Peace: † Criselda Lucero, José Ramírez, Jen Roberts, Carmen González, José Jesús Valdivia, Manuel Mijares, María Piedad Zamora Aurelio Muñoz, Joseph Michaels, Jesús & María Luisa González, Percival Goldwyn Alvares, Ivan Daniel Arellano, Martha Torres, Emeraude Arellano, Isidro Facundo, Jorge Estrada, and Regino Castillo

Pray for those in special need: Josefina Mendoza Eric Adams, Sandy García, Jack Roberts and family, Trudy Bantle, Eduvina Tambuaja, Al Elair Petra Adames, Alberto Coronado, Robert Rodríguez, Ernestina de la Garza, Jim and Lorraine Morrisroe, Elva Topete, Janie Moncevaiz, Norma Pérez, Claudia Wilson, Don Newby, Celia Contreras, Pat Ironside, Emilio Galván, Richard Figueroa, Marisol Hernández, Paul Moreno, Antonio Escamilla,



*The Sanctuary Light
For next week
Is offered for
The intentions of
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.

"The Faith Formation Department has only a few spaces available in our regular classes and home school. Please register your child as soon as possible before all spaces are taken. Thank you."

NEW FAITH FORMATION OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday and Thursday

3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon & 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Friday

Closed

The diocesan Silver and Gold Mass is scheduled for Saturday, August 27th, at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral Shrine of the Virgin of Guadalupe. Bishop Farrell will celebrate this Mass and couples who have been married 25 and 50+ years should plan to attend. A festive reception will follow at the Morton H. Myerson Symphony Center. Families welcome! Registration is important and detailed registration information will be forthcoming. To register, go to https://www.cathdal.org/Wedding_Anniversary_August_2016. You may also call Delia Garcia at the diocese 214-379-2874 to register by phone. Deadline for registrations is Monday, August 15th.

We still in need of help in organizing a Hospitality/Bereavement Committee to serve our parish. We will provide food for funerals and in emergency situations (fire, surgery, etc). Please prayerfully consider signing up to serve our brothers and sisters at I.C. We need you! Please contact Rhonda Benavides to sign up, you can call, text or e-mail . 817-715-8235 Rhondaalrachel@yahoo.com

CCD Pregnancy & Adoption Services needs adoptive families

Committed to choosing life, nurturing children, and strengthening families, Catholic Charities of Dallas is seeking couples who would like to build their families through adoption. Pregnancy & Adoption Services at CCD serve newborns in the Infant Adoption program and children three years and up in the Finally Home program. If your family is considering adopting a newborn, child or a sibling group, please call 214-526-2772 or visit the website at www.ccdallas.org/pregnancy-adoption-services.

Planning for the Fall Festival

Our Fall Festival will be on October 23rd. We are in need of items such as plates, forks, spoons, napkins and packs of sodas. Please bring your donations to the Church office. Monday thru Friday from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Thank you for your support.

IC Men's Group Meeting.

The Men's Group will meet on Saturday, August 6th @ 8:30 a.m. We will meet in the church at 8:30am for Mass and then go to the cafeteria for prayer and discussion. Coffee and Donuts will be provided.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

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.
You can be the difference in our parish. Spread the word and also reap the benefits of a joyful heart.

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.

SANCTUARY LIGHT: we have openings for the Sanctuary Light from July 30, 2016 to November 26, 2016. Come and reserve your light for a loved one; the cost is \$25.00 for 2 weeks.

St. Mary's Catholic Center in College Station invites you to attend CONNECT, a retreat for new students of Texas A&M and Blinn. Come and meet other Catholic students and see how you can grow closer to Jesus Christ while you are in college. We are offering two opportunities to attend CONNECT the week before school starts: August 22-23 or August 26-27.

To register and get more information, please visit our website: www.aggiecatholic.org/connect Gig 'em and God Bless!

Fall Festival Vendor Booths

If you are a vendor or know a vendor interested in a booth at our Fall Festival we have spaces available. Please direct inquires to Felice Hawkins in the parish office. 972.262.5137 x15 or fhawkins@icgrandprairie.org

Week of:	Weekly Collection	Adj. Year to Date
July 23 & 24	\$ 7,329.56	\$ 33,752.97
Week of:	Children's Collection	Adj. Year to Date
July 23 & 24	\$ 137.01	\$ 447.13
Week of:	Capital Improvement Fund	Adj. Year to Date
July 23 & 24	\$ 5.00	\$ 3,145.61

Sponsor of the Week:

An advertisement for the Law Office of Olegario Estrada, PC. The text includes: "LAW OFFICE OF OLEGARIO ESTRADA, PC Attorney & Counselor At Law ~ ABOGADO Criminal Cases / Casos Criminales Tickets / Infracciones Family Law / Casos de Familia / Inmigracion Auto Accidents / Accidentes de Auto 214-331-4400 5224 W. Jefferson Lic. by the US Supreme Court TX Supreme Court - No Board Spec." There is also a small map showing the location at the intersection of W. Jefferson Blvd and I-375.