Immaculate Conception Catholic Church Grand Prairie, Texas September 4, 2016 Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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of Sept. 3- Sept. 11, 2016

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SATURDAY, Sept. 3rd : BVM-
Readings: 1 Cor. 4:6b-15: Lk. 6:1-5
8:30 a.m. For our faithful Parishioners
SUNDAY, Sept. 4th:
Readings: Wis. 9:13-18: Phlm. 9-10, 12-17: Lk.14:
Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Eva Flores
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8:00 a.m. † Candelaria Gomez 10:00 a.m. † Florestella Piña 12:00 p.m. † Regino Pérez

2:30 p.m. Ramiro Muñoz, birthday intention/ † Gilberto Mata

5:30 p.m. 50th. Wedding anniversary for Ranulfo & Alicia Alba

MONDAY, Sept. 5th: Bl. Theresa of Calcutta

Readings: 1 Cor. 5:1-8: :l. 6-11 No Mass today

TUESDAY, Sept. 6th:

Readings: 1 Cor.6:1-11: Lk. 6:12-19

6:00 p.m. † Percival Alvares 6:30 p.m. Rosary-Guadalupanos

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 7th:

Readings: 1 Cor. 7: 25-31: Lk. 6:20-26

6:00 p.m. Alyssa Aquino, birthday intention

6:30 p.m. Rosary – Guadalupanos

THURSDAY, Sept. 8th: Nativity of the BVM

Readings: Mi.5:1-4a: Mt. 1:1-16 6:00 p.m. † Delfino García

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

FRIDAY, Sept. 9th : St. Peter Claver, Priest Readings: 1 Cor.9: 16-19, 22b-27: Lk. 6:39-42

6:00 p.m. Irene Barboza, birthday intention

6:30 p.m. Rosary – Guadalupanos **SATURDAY, Sept. 10th: BVM-**

Readings: 1 Cor.10:14-22: Lk.6:43-49

8:30 a.m. For our Faithful Parishioners

SUNDAY, Sept. 11th :24th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Readings: Ex. 32:32:7-11, 13-14: 1Tim.1:12-17: Lk. 15:1-32

Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Xavier Tinajero

8:00 a.m. † Deacon Fernando Argumaniz

10:00 a.m. † Sheridan Ramirez 12:00 p.m. † Julian Fragoso, Jr. 2:30 p.m. † Gaspar Barboza

5:30 p.m. In thanksgiving to Sr. de la Piedad



The Sanctuary Light
For next week
Is offered by the Padilla Family
In memory of
† Demetrio Padilla

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, Sept. 4th:

9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. IC Photograph sessions-Rooms 303-04 4:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m. Spanish Baptismal Classes, FLC-Cafeteria 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración – Gym, 302, 303, 304

MONDAY, Sept. 5th:

Facilities closed for Labor Day

TUESDAY, Sept. 6th:

6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. BSA Troop 507 POR Room 406 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. RE-FLC Cafeteria & Kitchen Neo-Catechum 6th Comm – POR 403 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. English Baptismal classes, SCH Library 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Neo-Catechum 8th Comm – Gym 7:00 p.m. 9:30 p.m. St. John Paul II Youth – FLC 301 7:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Neo-Catechum 1st Comm-FLC 302 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-Catechum 7th Comm – FLC 303 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Grupo de Oración - FLC 304

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FRIDAY, Sept. 9th:

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SATURDAY, Sept. 10:

8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración FLC & Gym 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. English Baptisms –Church

May they Rest in Peace: † Cesar de Rosa-Parra, Baudilia Vásquez, Víctor Tamayo, Paul Moreno, Petra Favila, Criselda Lucero, José Ramírez, Jen Roberts, Carmen González, José Jesús Valdivia, Manuel Mijares, Martha Torres, Emeraude Arellano, Isidro Facundo, Jorge Estrada, Andrés Andrade, Alicia Flores, Gerardo Govea, Delfino García, Hermelinda Flores, and Regino Castillo

Pray for those in special need: Jimmy Herrera, Michael Vázquez, Joe Herrera, Jr., Pedro Espinoza, Carolina Moreno, Elva Topete, Josefina Mendoza Eric Adams, Sandy García, Jack Roberts and family, Trudy Bantle, Eduvina Tambuaja, Al Blair Petra Adames, Ernestina de la Garza, Jim and Lorraine Morrisroe, Janie Moncevaiz, Norma Pérez, Claudia Wilson, Don Newby, Celia Contreras, Pat Ironside, Emilio Galván, Richard Figueroa, Marisol Hernández, Antonio Escamilla, Susan Bertholf, Gloria García, & Reynaldo Barboza,

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS:

Office Hours- Monday –Thursday 10:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. 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.

Are you:

- * A person who has not been baptized and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, with the possibility of becoming Catholic?
- * A Baptized Christian of another denomination who would like to learn about and possibly join the Catholic faith?
- * A Baptized Roman Catholic who has not received Eucharist or Confirmation and would like to become a full participant in the life of the Church?
- * A child over the age of seven who has never been baptized?

Is there someone you know who has been away from the Catholic Church? Is there someone you know interested in becoming Catholic?

We invite you to experience the welcoming process into the Church – the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) or Children (RCIC). If this is you, why wait any longer to join the largest family in the world? Learn more about Jesus and His plan for you. To know, love and serve Him. We miss you and welcome you back with open arms! We look forward to walking with you. Classes will start Tuesday, September 20th – 7:00PM to 8:00PM Room 304 in the cafeteria area. Questions? Please contact Immaculate Conception: RCIA Director Cecilia Tanaka, phone 972-264-8385 ext. 21 or 469-682-1713 (cell) email – ctanaka@icgrandprairie.org or visit www.icgrandprairie.org.

Closed on Friday

100th Anniversary Celebration Book and Directory!

This year is the 100th anniversary of our parish! We are partnering with Lifetouch to prepare a special keepsake book for parishioners of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church--a 100th Anniversary Celebration Book and Directory! Every family will receive a FREE 100th Anniversary Celebration Book and Directory and a FREE 8x10 professional portrait for participating. You will also have the opportunity to purchase portraits. All you have to do is be photographed with your family for the directory. To make your appointment, sign up before or after all masses or visit the church website, click on the link and make your own photography appointment. Fr. Joseph and Fr. Luis are asking for EVERY parish family to be photographed, and be in this book. So, sign up today!

Planning for the Fall Festival – October 23rd:

Our Fall Festival will be on October 23^{rd} . 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-noon and 1:00-5:00. Thank you for your support.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Diocesan Council of Dallas has grown our Study Time sites. Study Time begins Tuesday September 6, 2016. We have added two new sites this year and we are in need of volunteers more than ever before as well as hiring additional staff members to help facilitate our Study Time program. Study Time is an afterschool program where students in grades Kinder to 8th grade come for tutoring and mentoring. Please call Melani Guerra M.S. tel:214-520-0650 Ext. 113. Cell: 469-767-6727

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

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.

Buy Your Raffle Tickets Early!

Raffle tickets will be on sale after all Masses. Be sure to get your chance to win any or all of the prizes buying as many tickets as you would like. Thank you and good luck!

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

IC Men's Group Meeting: Saturday September 10th @ 8:30 a.m. We will meet in the church at 8:30 a.m. for Mass and then go to the cafeteria for prayer and discussion. Coffee and Donuts will be provided.

English Pre-baptismal classes for the Month of September will be on Tuesday, September 6, 2016, from 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. in the School Library. The Spanish classes will be as usual on the 1st and 2nd Sunday of the Month.

Week of:	Weekly Collection	Adj. Year to Date
Aug. 27 & 28	\$ 8,618.65	\$ 80,070.53
Week of:	Children's Collection	Adj. Year to Date
Aug. 27 & 28	\$ 104.99	\$ 1,170.09
Week of:	Capital Improvement Fund	Adj. Year to Date
Aug. 27 & 28	\$ 119.00	\$ 6,415.19

Sponsor of the Week:

