

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Grand Prairie, Texas December 10, 2017

Second Sunday of Advent



of Dec. 9 to Dec. 17, 2017

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SATURDAY, Dec. 9th : Saint Juan Diego
Readings: Is. 30:19-21, 23-26; Mt. 9:35-10:1-8
 8:30 a.m. † For Souls in Purgatory-English
 Novena in Spanish following the Mass

SUNDAY, Dec. 10th : Second Sunday of Advent
Readings: Is. 40:1-5, 9-11/2 Pt. 3:8-14; Mk. 1:1-8
 Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Pat Ironside-Mass in English
 8:00 a.m. Joe Gutierrez
 10:00 a.m. † Roman Natal, Sr.
 12:00 p.m. † Julian Fragoso, Jr.
 2:30 p.m. Luis Nicolas Ramirez - birthday intention
 5:30 p.m. † Raúl Treviño, Jr.-Novena Mass,
 Rosary after Mass-Spanish

MONDAY, Dec. 11th :
Readings: Is 35:1-10; Lk. 5:17-26
 6:00 p.m. † Clemencia Rios
 6:30 p.m. Rosary Guadalupanos

TUESDAY, Dec. 12th : Feast of O. L. O Guadalupe
Readings: Zec. 2:14-17; Lk.1:26-3
 5:00 a.m. Mañanitas to Our Lady
 5:00 p.m. Spanish Rosary
 6:00 p.m. Mass - † Reinerio Morales
 7:00 p.m. Matachines & reception-Gym & Café.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 13th :
Readings: Is. 40: 25-31; Mt. 11:28-30
 6:00 p.m. For Souls in Purgatory
 6:30 p.m. Rosary Guadalupanos

THURSDAY, Dec. 14th :
Readings: Is. 41:13-20; Mt. 11:11-15
 5:30 p.m. For Souls in Purgatory
 6:30 p.m. Adoration

FRIDAY, Dec. 15th :
Readings: Is. 48:17-19; Mt. 11:16-19
 6:00 p.m. † Martin Soriano
 7:30 p.m. Rosary Guadalupanos

SATURDAY, Dec. 16th:
Readings: Sir. 48:1-4,9-11; Mt. 17:9a, 10-13
 8:30 a.m. Souls in Purgatory

SUNDAY, Dec. 17th : Third Sunday of Advent
Readings: Is. 61:1-2a, 10-11; 1Thes. 5:16-24;
Jn. 1:6-8, 19-28
 Sat. 5:30 p.m. † Rosa Samora
 8:00 a.m. † Duffy Stephan
 10:00 a.m. In thanksgiving for the Natal family
 12:00 p.m. † Violeta Carrasco
 2:30 p.m. † María Gloria Guerrero
 5:30 p.m. † Juan Esparza

SUNDAY, Dec. 10th :
 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. RCIA Classes-Library, & 110
 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. Baptism Classes-FLC Gym
 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración – FLC, Gym, 302-03-04

MONDAY, Dec. 11th:
 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE Classes FLC 302-304, Gym & All, School
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración - POR 406
 8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. English Choir - FLC 301

TUESDAY, Dec. 12th:
 2:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m. Divine Mercy-FLC Cafeteria
 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. BSA Troop 507- POR 406
 6:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Guadalupanos-FLC Cafeteria & Kitchen
 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RCIA-FLC 301,302,303,304
 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-2nd Span.- POR 403
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-3rd Eng.- FLC 302
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-3rd Span.- FLC 303
 8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Jóvenes - FLC 301

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 13th:
 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE Classes - Gym, 302,303,304,Cafeteria
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Spanish Choir 12:00 p.m. Mass- FLC 301
 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Live Christ Share Christ Filipino Mass-Church
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Neo-1st Comm. English - FLC 304
 8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Neo-1st Comm. Spanish- FLC 303
 8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Jóvenes-FLC 302
 8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Live Christ Share Christ-Pot Luck-Cafeteria

THURSDAY, Dec. 14th :
 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Spanish Choir 5:30 p.m. - FLC 301
 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. RE Classes-Gym, 101,110, 302-04, Cafeteria
 8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. San Jose Men's Group. Span.- FLC 303

FRIDAY, Dec. 15th:
 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. IC Athletics-Gym
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Spanish Choir 2:30 p.m. FLC- 301
 7:00 p.m.-9:15 p.m. Divine Mercy- FLC 304
 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración-FLC 302, Church

SATURDAY, Dec. 16th:
 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. SVDP Society, Christmas baskets-FLC Gym
 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Spanish Baptisms- Church
 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Juventud Católica-FLC 304 & Cafeteria

May they Rest in Peace: † Corinne Weidler, David Vaquera, Rumalda Ramírez Imperial, Cosme Ramón Macías, David García, Sr., Mercedes Salazar, Imelda Valadez-Barrera, Mark Riederer, Eduardo Vidales, Román López, José Guzmán, and Clemencia Ríos,

Pray for those in special need: Dolores Muñoz, Aurora Tejada, Diego Eduardo Solis, Kaiden Jones, Elijah Amadeo Nerio, Stephanie Morones-Razo, Betsaida Amador, Lucy Uranga, Antonia Duque, Herminia Orona, Javier Reséndiz, Candelario Galindo, Cirilo "Ciri" Rocha, John "Jack" Locke, IV, Pedro Estévez, Odón García, Marcelo Guzmán, José Martínez, Jr., Matthew Perales, Araceli López, María Gamez, Macario Sánchez, Ernest Quintana, Mark Deacon, Dorothy Reeder, Edgar Omar Gurrosquieta, Lupe Mencía, Michael Alexander Guardiola, Mary Uzzle, Juanita Salazar, José Benito Martínez, María Salazar, Martina Pérez, Francheska Medina, María de Jesús Rodríguez, Alicia Espinoza, Joe Gutiérrez, Sergio Hernández, Cherish & Ethan Bryan.



The Sanctuary Light
 For next week
 Is offered by Sonia de la Cerda
 In memory of
 † George & Elida De la Cerda

**FAITH FORMATION NEWS:
OFFICE HOURS FOR THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR**

Mondays, Wednesday and Thursday

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
and 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Tuesdays

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Fridays: Closed

(972)264-8385

Office is located in the cafeteria area

SHARE THE LOVE OF GOD WITH CHILDREN!

Volunteer with us for 2017-2018 and you will receive a discount if you have your children in our program! We will provide Safe Environment training.

RCIA NEWS

The RCIA process invites you to learn, discover and enrich your life through learning more about the Catholic Church, your relationship with Jesus and experiencing the traditions of the Catholic Church. Those who choose to become Catholic, celebrate the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) during Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night. Please call for registration.

FAITH AND FAMILY NIGHTS AT THE MAVS!

The Dallas Mavericks invite you to join the annual Faith & Family nights. On these special nights all faith-based groups, family and friends can purchase tickets at a discounted price. After the game, you and your group are invited to go down to the court after the game and take a POSTGAME SHOT ON THE BASKET!

TWO GREAT GAMES TO CHOOSE FROM:

1/9 VS MAGIC OR 3/6 VS NUGGETS

TICKETS STARTING AS LOW AS \$18!

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO PURCHASE TICKETS GO TO
https://dallasmavs.formstack.com/forms/faith_elizabeth

All young people ages 13 to 17 are invited to join in the newly formed Basketball team that meets at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center on Fridays. For more information, please call the rectory. The number is in front of your bulletin.

We are looking for volunteers with experience to help with security during the Mass. If you have current or prior experience in security please call the parish office.

Triduum to Our Lady Of Guadalupe

Saturday, December 9th

8:30 a.m. Mass, English

5:30 p.m. English Mass

Novena in Spanish after Mass

Sunday, December 10th

5:30 p.m. Novena Mass -Spanish, Rosary

Monday, December 11th

6:00 p.m. Novena Mass -Spanish, Rosary

Tuesday, December 12th

5:00 a.m.-6:00 a.m. Mañanitas-Reception after

5:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m. - Spanish Rosary

6:00 p.m.- 6:30 p.m. Mass-Spanish

Matachines-Gym

Reception-Cafeteria

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.

Are you having a party or event? Did you know you can rent our gym or cafeteria for your party? Please call the parish office for more information.

**Bishop Dunne Catholic
School Christmas Spectacular Concert
Friday, December 15, 2017**

All are invited to attend from 6:00 p.m. through 7:30 p.m. All levels of Bishop Dunne's bands and strings programs will perform everything from children's favorites, to classical, contemporary, and jazz presentations, as well as the "Sounds of Bishop Dunne" choir. The concert will conclude with a Christmas Pop sing-a-long presented by the Advanced Band, followed by post-concert hot chocolate fellowship in the cafeteria. There is a suggested donation of \$5, which benefits the music department.

Come Home for Christmas...

Do you know someone who is struggling with coming back to church? Advent is a wonderful time to invite them back.



<i>Week of</i>	<i>Weekly Collection</i>	<i>Adj. Year to Date</i>
Dec. 2 & Dec. 3	\$ 10,371.58	\$ 196,073.57
<i>Week of:</i>	<i>Children's Collection</i>	<i>Adj. Year to Date</i>
Dec. 2 & Dec. 3	\$ 135.50	\$ 2,718.30
<i>Week of:</i>	<i>Capital Improvement Fund</i>	<i>Adj. Year to Date</i>
Dec. 2 & Dec. 3	\$ 3,106.31	\$19,581.98

Sponsor of the Week:



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