

The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of Mary will be celebrated on **Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup>**. **It is a Holy Day of Obligation.** The Mass schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup>: Vigil Mass – 6:00 PM (English)

Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup>:  
8:00 AM (English)  
12:05 PM (English)  
7:00 PM (Spanish)

### Advent Prayer for the Second Week of Advent



*Bestir, O Lord,  
Thy might, we pray thee and come;  
that, defended by Thee,  
we may deserve rescue from approaching dangers  
brought on by our sins,  
and being set free by Thee,  
obtain our salvation.  
Who livest and reignest,  
with God the Father,  
in the unity of the Holy Ghost,  
God, world without end.  
Amen.*



#### Saturday, December 3

4:00 PM Special Intention

#### Sunday, December 4

8:00 AM Sharon Price by James & Melody Zimmer

10:30 AM †Sylvia Lozano by Parents

12:15 PM Pro Populo

#### Monday, December 5

8:00 AM †Euell Burton by James & Melody Zimmer

#### Tuesday, December 6

8:00 AM †Jennifer Kinsley by Sherry Goelden

#### Wednesday, December 7 (VIGIL MASS)

6:00 PM Richard Collier & Family by Joe & Doris Madden

#### Thursday, December 8 (Immaculate Conception)

8:00 AM Maria Concepcion Carmona

12:05 PM Pro Populo (English)

7:00 PM En Honor de la Virgen Maria

#### Friday, December 9

8:00 AM †Luis Arteaga by Margarita Arteaga

#### Saturday, December 10

4:00 PM Pro Populo

#### Sunday, December 11

8:00 AM †Johnny Diaz by mother, Alice Diaz

10:30 AM †John McCowen by Lucy Krouskop

12:15 PM †Luis Arteaga Int. de Margarita Arteaga

11:00 PM En Honor de la Virgen de Guadalupe

*Sound Catholic practice encourages us to offer the Mass for the departed and for those in any need. To request a Mass to be offered, please visit the parish office or return to the office a completed Mass intention card. Available cards are located in the foyer of the church.*

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#### Anointing of the Sick



Sacrament of Anointing

*Because of the Privacy Act, hospitals and nursing homes are no longer able to provide a list of the Catholic patients/residents for the Churches use in order to visit and administer the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick. Therefore, I need your assistance when you have a family member who is hospitalized or in a nursing home. Please call Fr. Orosco at the Church Office at (972) 563-3643 so that I may be of assistance.*

## Knights of Columbus

The KC will meet *Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup>* at 7:00pm in the Parish Center.



Prayer Requests

### Ministry Schedule for the Weekend of December 10/11

#### Lectors:

Sat. 4:00pm Karen Mathers/Melody Zimmer  
 Sun. 8:00am Jim Leeker/Gerald Garcia  
 Sun. 10:30am Karie Hammond/Tammy Guerra

#### Ushers:

Sat. 4:00pm Sherry Goelden\*/Debbie P./Michael G./Volunteer  
 Sun. 8:00am Conrado Aramil\*/Cindy K./Jack N./Abby H.  
 Sun. 10:30am Richard Jr.\*/Steven H./Kevin P./Erik A.

#### Extraordinary Ministers

Sat. 4:00pm Joyce Salisbury/Karen Mathers  
 Sun. 8:00am Paul Willy/Trisha Willy  
 Sun. 10:30am Lou Roberts/Donna Roberts

### THE WEEK AHEAD IN OUR PARISH

#### **Sunday, December 4**

9:15 AM R.E. classes

#### **Monday, December 5**

8:00 AM Daily Mass  
 1:00 PM Crochet Ministry @ Casa St. John  
 7:00 PM Grupo de Oración en la Casa St. John

#### **Tuesday, December 6**

8:00 AM Daily Mass  
 6:30 PM R.E. evening classes  
 6:30 PM Platicas Bíblicas

#### **Wednesday, December 7**

6:00 PM Vigil Mass  
 6:30 PM R.E. evening classes  
 6:30 PM **NO** Hora Santa  
 7:00 PM Triduo

#### **Thursday, December 8 (Immaculate Conception)**

8:00 AM Mass (English)  
 12:05 PM Mass (English)  
 7:00 PM RCIA classes @ Casa St. John  
 7:00 PM Misa (Español)  
 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus meeting @ Parish Center

#### **Friday, December 9**

8:00 AM Daily Mass  
 7:00 PM Triduo

#### **Saturday, December 10**

11:00 AM Wedding: Castañeda & Diaz  
 7:00 PM Triduo

#### **Sunday, December 11**

9:15 AM R.E. classes

Richard Collier  
 Richard Lozano Sr.  
 Mike Gonzales  
 Amalia Ibarra  
 Curtis Rushing  
 Deacon Leo Rener  
 Jennifer Whitehouse  
 Paul Gumler  
 Olivia Nicole Yates  
 Stanley Quist  
 Sonia Rodriguez Cadena  
 Brenda Larsen  
 Rosario Rodriguez  
 Cindy Kinkaid  
 Rosann Kinkaid  
 Mayra Anguiano  
 Patti Sikors Garrett  
 Crystal Sanchez  
 Tomas Samuel Garcia  
 Barbara Sikors Hendricks  
 Maria Mercedes Gaytan  
 Ma. Del Refugio Mendoza  
 Marianne Marsden

Nick Morales, Sr.  
 Lee Wilde  
 James Dean  
 Brenda Newburn  
 Henry Taft  
 Jesus Arteaga  
 Archie Palmore  
 Mason Gumler  
 Felipa Garcia  
 Joe Wages  
 Erica Vargas  
 Margaret Wages  
 Sheila Wages  
 Myrna Lawson  
 Johnnie B. Malouf  
 Pascual Meza  
 Robert Repka, Sr.  
 Michelle Elliott  
 Eva Hernandez  
 Theresa Lyon  
 Warren Terry  
 Elmer Marsden  
 Odin Kizer

### Child Care



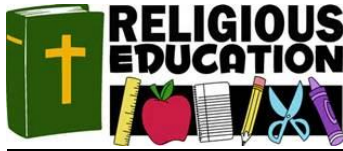
Child Care is available during the 10:30am Mass in the Parish Center for children who have not reached the age of 4. The child caregivers include Barbara and Wayne Meshell, Elvia Valle, and Mary Robinson. Each caregiver has been screened through the

Safe Environment program.

Child care is available only on the Sundays that Religious Education classes are held. Occasionally, Child Care is cancelled when the number of caregivers is not sufficient to provide the supervision required. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

## Last Week's Collection

<b>Last Week's Collection:</b>	<b>6,008.19</b>
<b>FY'16-17 Budgeted Average:</b>	<b>6,500.00</b>
<b>FY'16-17 Average Sunday Coll. thru 10/31/16:</b>	<b>6,158.29</b>
<b>Attendance:</b>	<b>833</b>



**Safety Classes for Children**



**DECEMBER:**

- ❖ **Sunday Classes:** Dec. 4, 11, 18.  
*No classes on Dec. 25 or Jan. 1, 2017.*
- ❖ **Tuesday Classes:** Dec. 6, 13.  
*No classes on Dec. 20 and 27.*
- ❖ **Wednesday Classes:** 7, 14.  
*No classes Dec. 21 and 28.*

The Diocese requires that person safety classes be taught to the children enrolled in Catholic Schools or Parish Religious Education classes. These classes will be taught in January. They are age appropriate, and will be taught by the same Catechists that teach the children in their regular RE class. Parents have the right to decide if they want their children to attend or not attend the classes. "Opt Out" letters will be sent home in January and parents that do not want their children to attend the classes may sign the "Opt Out" letter and return it to the Religious Education office before the class is held. We will use "Net Smartz" this school year which includes short animated videos as part of the lesson plans for the younger grades. Older students will watch a video featuring Online Safety.



**Reminder to parents:** Be sure to follow the established **drop off and pick up procedure** when bringing children to class and picking them up from class. Children are to be dropped off and picked up at the ramp leading to the Parish Center. We appreciate your cooperation.

**RE Class Christmas Parties**



Traditionally, RE classes will have a class party on the last day of class before the Christmas holiday. Parents, please ask your child's teacher if there is something that you can do to help with your child's class Christmas party.

**Children's Christmas Eve Pageant and Mass**



The Children's Christmas Eve Pageant and Mass will not be presented this year because of the construction in the church and the installation of pews. The construction and installation of pews will not be complete in time to have the required practices for the pageant. We look forward to the return of the Children's Christmas Eve Pageant and Mass in 2017.



SUNDAYKIDZ

# ADVENT

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E	P	P	K	I	J	N	V	F	I	I	X	O	S	E	A
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## WORDSEARCH

MARY	JOSEPH	REJOICE
ANGEL	PURPLE	SAVIOR
JESUS	WREATH	EMMANUEL
ADVENT	BELIEVE	GOODNEWS
CANDLE		ISRAEL

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La Solemnidad de la Inmaculada Concepción de María será celebrada el **jueves, 8 de diciembre**. **Este es un día de obligación de asistir a Misa**. El horario de las Misas son la siguiente:

Miércoles, 7 de diciembre: (Misa de Vigilia) 6 PM (Ingles)  
 Jueves, 8 de diciembre: 8 AM (Ingles)  
 12:05 PM (Ingles)  
 7 PM (Español)

**“HAGAN VER CON OBRAS SU CONVERSIÓN”**



- ❖ Cuando Juan el Bautista comenzó su predicación, lo primero que dijo fue: “Conviértanse, porque ya está cerca el Reino de los cielos”. Con el mismo llamado, Jesús empezó más adelante su anuncio.
- ❖ Ciertamente que a Juan nadie podría echarle en cara que no viviera lo que estaba proclamando, ya que él vivía de una forma muy austera, como un signo de penitencia. Por su testimonio, mucha gente acudía a escucharlo y recibía de él el “bautismo de conversión”.
- ❖ Incluso a quienes no se acercaban con recta intención, él los exhortaba a cambiar sinceramente su vida.
- ❖ El Adviento es una nueva oportunidad que nos da el Señor para revisar nuestras acciones y nuestros pensamientos.
- ❖ Preparar el camino del Señor y enderezar nuestros senderos implica adecuarnos a lo que él quiere de nosotros, para bien nuestro.
- ❖ Cambiar de vida requiere valentía, pero Dios está dispuesto a ayudar con su gracia a quien lo busca con un corazón sincero.

**El llamado de Juan el Bautista sigue vigente para nosotros.**

**Anoten:**

*No vamos a tener Hora Santa el miércoles, 7 de diciembre.*

**Unción de los Enfermos**

Si usted o alguien que usted conozca está necesitado en recibir comunión o el Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos favor de llamar al Padre Orosco en la oficina de la Iglesia al número 972-563-3643.



**Noticias de la Doctrina**

**Calendario de Diciembre**

Clases de domingos: 4, 11, 18.  
 Clases de martes: 6, 13.  
 Clases de miércoles: 7, 14.

**NO HAY CLASES EN LAS SIGUIENTES FECHAS:**

Domingo: 25 y 1 de enero, 2017  
 Martes: 20 y 27.  
 Miércoles: 21 y 28



Tradicional tenemos fiesta el ultimo día de clases antes de la navidad. Padres favor de preguntar a la catequista de su hijo(a) en que puede ayudar para la fiesta de clase.

**Misa Navideña de los Niños**

La Misa Navideña de los Niños no va ser presentada este año debido a la construcción en la Iglesia y la instalación de las bancas. La construcción y instalación de las bancas no estarán listas a tiempo para tener las practicas requeridas. Esperamos el regreso de la Misa Navideña de los Niños en 2017.

