

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CHURCH

DIOCESE OF CORPUS CHRISTI

SINTON, TEXAS



SUNDAY SUNDAY OF ADVENT, DECEMBER 10, 2017

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CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:00 – 4:45 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturdays 5:00 PM

Sundays: 8:00 AM (Spanish), 10:00 AM, 5:00 PM

Weekdays: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Fridays 6:45 AM

Wednesdays: 5:30PM

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Second Sunday of Advent

Saturday, December 9, 2017

5:00PM † Lupio Morin – David & Chisti Landin

Sunday, December 10, 2017

8:00AM † Lucio & Rosa Serrano – Serrano Family
† Maria Ybarra – Family

In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe – M/M
Gustavo

Muñoz

10:00AM Misa Pro Populo

5:00PM † Juanita Noriega – Serapio Noriega

Monday, December 11, 2017

6:45AM † Lupe Morin – Joseph Moreno

Tuesday, December 12, 2017

6:45AM † Maximina Escobedo – Family

Wednesday, December 13, 2017

5:30PM † Luis Gonzales, Jr. – Mom & Dad

Thursday, December 14, 2017

6:45AM † Carmel Nino – Yolanda Montalvo

Friday, December 15, 2017

6:45AM † Maximina Escobedo – Janie Martinez

Third Sunday of Advent

Saturday, December 16, 2017

5:00PM † Angelita Perez Aguirre (Anniv.) – Mom &

Daughters

Sunday, December 17, 2017

8:00AM † Lucio & Rosa Serrano – Serrano Family
† Paula Ramirez – Sierra Family

† Jose & Rosa Montalvo – Yolanda Montalvo &
Family

10:00AM Misa Pro Populo

5:00PM † Juanita Noriega – Serapio Noriega

CELEBRATING THE LITURGY WORTHILY AND WELL

“DIVORCE AND HOLY COMMUNION”

“He who divorces his wife and marries another, commits adultery; he who marries a divorced woman, commits adultery” (Mt 19:9)

- In difficult circumstances (such as physical harm) it is morally permitted to separate. But these situations do not end the sacramental bond of matrimony, and remarriage is not permitted. Separated couples may not date others, or attempt to “remarry.”
- As long as separated/divorced Catholics are faithful to their original vows, living a holy single life, they may receive Holy Communion.
- Those in irregular situations are not always able to separate from each other. For example, they are raising children. They should attend Mass and participate as fully as possible, entrusting their difficult situation to the mercy of God, but not approach the altar to receive Holy Communion.
- Some Catholics who are not well-informed, may decide they will receive Holy Communion, even though they are living together in a non-sacramental union. This is strictly forbidden (Mt 19:9, Canon 915-916, *Catechism* 1385). No Catholic, merely through his “conscience,” may annul God’s law. Not even the Pope can give permission for a Catholic to bypass Jesus’ teaching on adultery (Mt 19:9).
- Such Catholics need to be informed of the prohibition in a charitable way by a fellow Catholic or the pastor. They must repent and be reconciled through Confession first before receiving Holy Communion, and “amend” their life, which includes changing the condition of adultery. Any invalid marriage situation needs to be “convalidated” in order to receive Communion.
- Some couples in a non-sacramental union decide they can live together as roommates only, i.e., as brother and sister. After being reconciled in Confession, and informing the priest of this arrangement, they may return to full sacramental participation.
- advancement of the Kingdom of God.

Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe

Join us for the Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe. We'll be meeting every day at 6:30pm until Monday, December 11th. On December 12th, the Holy Rosary will be recited at 6am, followed by the Mañanitas.

Adoration

The Holy Hour of Adoration will be moved to Thursday, December 14th at 7pm, due to the celebration of the Immaculate Conception - Holy Day of Obligation.

Posadas Schedule

We enjoy this lovely tradition, were we recreate the pilgrimage of Joseph and Mary on their way to Bethlehem. We will meet at the Church parking lot at 6:30PM and start the novena at 7:00PM.

- * Fri., Dec. 15: Cassandra Alaniz - 808 Edward St.
- * Sat., Dec. 16: Margie Gomez - 306 Ave. D
- * Sun., Dec. 17: Eulogia Flores - 14471 CR 1392
- * Mon., Dec. 18: Lisa Doria - 12007 Villarreal
- * Tue., Dec. 19: Alma Moreno - 14455 CR 908
- * Wed., Dec. 20: Linda Rodriguez - 7141 CR 2708
- * Thu., Dec. 21: OLG Church - 725 Sodville St.
- * Fri., Dec. 22: Cecilia Cruz - 7168 CR 2703
- * Sat., Dec 23: Lupe Mata - 911 Rodriguez

Christmas Mass Schedule

Sunday, December 24 - 6:00pm (Vigil; will not count as a Sunday Mass.)

Monday, December 25 - Midnight
8:00AM
10:00AM

No Mass will be celebrated during the evening.

Religious Education

Christmas break for all grades starting on Wednesday, December 27. We will return to class on Wednesday, January 10. Have a safe, and Merry Christmas.

Rectory

The Rectory will be closed during the Christmas week. We'll return to the office on January 2nd.

PRAYER LIST

Clarinda Buendia, Mary Jane Serna Alonzo, Enocencia Ybarra, Aida Hernandez, Joe Vela, Rodney Garcia Sr., Marissa Garcia, Audrey Alaniz, Jessica Rocha, Coach Allen, Ruben Serrano Jr., Panfilo Serrano, Amanda Gonzales, Gonzalo Reyna, Guadalupe Garcia, Albert Garcia, Jesus Esparza, Susan Gutierrez, Juan Pantojas, Betty Rodriguez, Luz S. Gonzales, Xavier Benford, Ruben Serna Sr., Jesus Perez, Daniel Ortiz, Vicente Ortiz, Lalo Torres Jr., Henry Gonzalez, Alexis Padilla, Orlando Montelongo Sr., Juanita P. Montelongo, Irene Manzano, Jessica Torres, Dora Sanchez, Hilario Castillo Jr., Doris Moreno, Tammy Fairchild, Arnold Escamilla, Ernestina Serna, Danny Guerra, Steve Guerra, Javier Guerra Jr., Jerry Sanchez, Alonzo Franco Jr., Susana Rodriguez, Oralia Perry, Isis Martinez

Call the office if you wish to add a name before Wednesday.

VATICAN II HYMNAL READINGS, YEAR B

December 9-10: Second Sunday of Advent

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December 16-17: Third Sunday of Advent

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COLLECTIONS

DECEMBER 2 - 3: SUNDAY COLLECTION \$2,932.22

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE PARISH OFFICE TO BE APPROVED BY THE PASTOR NO LATER THAN TUESDAY BEFORE SUNDAY THE DAY OF THE ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Act of Contrition

O My God I am heartily sorry for having offended thee, and I detest all my sins, because I dread the loss of heaven and the pains of hell, but most of all because they offend thee, my God, who art all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of thy grace, to confess my sins, to do penance, and to amend my life. Amen.

MINISTRY FORMATION CLASS

Fr Mullan will be teaching a class each month to deepen our knowledge and love of the Mass. Everyone is invited. These classes will also serve as workshops for parish ministries.

Next Class: TBA in the Parish Hall. *All Sacristans, and those interested in being sacristans, need to attend.*

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents whose children need Baptism must attend the Baptism Preparation meeting with Fr. Mullan at least 2 months in advance. These are offered monthly on Wednesdays – please see parish calendar (olgsinton.org/parish-events-calendar) for dates. Parents need to be registered parishioners, active in their faith. Additional requirements (godparents, birth certificates, bible classes) will be explained at the meeting. Parents can start attending the Bible class on Wednesdays from 7-8PM at any time (please check off the column marked "Baptism"). Baptisms will be held after the 8:00am Mass on Sunday.

Next meeting: Wed Jan 3, 2018, 6pm

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples wishing to marry must attend the Marriage Preparation meeting with Fr Mullan at least 6 months in advance, to begin preparations for the Sacrament of Marriage. These are offered monthly on Wednesdays – please see parish calendar (olgsinton.org/parish-events-calendar) for dates. Wedding date can be scheduled only after this meeting has taken place, and after it has been determined that no *prior marriage bond* exists. Additional requirements (sacramental certificates, retreats, Natural Family Planning, Affidavits of Free Status, bible classes) will be explained at the meeting. Couples can start attending the Bible class on Wednesdays from 7-8PM at any time (please check off the column marked "Marriage").

Next meeting: TBA.

BULLETIN CALENDAR

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10TH: (ST. PETER 10AM)

- 12NOON SODALITY MEETING
- 6:30PM NOVENA TO OLG

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11TH:

- 6:30PM NOVENA TO OLG

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12TH:

- 6AM NOVENA TO OLG - FOLLOWED BY THE MAÑANITAS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13TH:

- 4PM-5:30PM CCD 1ST - 6TH GRADE
- 6PM-7PM CCD 7TH - 12TH GRADE
- 7PM BIBLE STUDY

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH:

- 7PM HOLY HOUR

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15TH:

- 7PM POSADAS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16TH:

- 7PM POSADAS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17TH: (ST. LUKE 10AM)

- 7PM POSADAS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18TH:

- 7PM POSADAS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19TH:

- 7PM POSADAS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20TH:

- 4PM-5:30PM CCD 1ST - 6TH GRADE
- 6PM-7PM CCD 7TH - 12TH GRADE
- 7PM POSADAS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21ST:

- 7PM POSADAS

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22ND:

- 7PM POSADAS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23TH:

- 7PM POSADAS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24TH: (ST. PETER 10AM)

6PM CHRISTMAS VIGIL MASS