



A N G E L U S

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
He aquí la esclava del Señor.

R. Be it done unto me
according to Thy word.
Hágase en mí según Tú Palabra.



*Hail Mary,
full of grace.
The Lord is with thee.*

*Dios te salve,
María,
llena eres de gracia,
el Señor es contigo.*



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SCHEDULE OF MASSES HORARIO DE LAS MISAS

Sunday English 8:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Español 9:30 am 12:30 pm
Tuesday English 12 noon
Wednesday English 5:30 pm
Thursday English 12 noon
Español 6:30 pm
Friday English 12 noon
Saturday Children's 6 pm
Rosary/Rosario
30 minutes before each mass

SCHEDULE OF CONFESSIONS CONFESIONES

Thursday/Jueves 7:00 to 8:00 pm
Call the church office for appointments with Fr. Delfin for **Baptism, Quinceñeras and Matrimony at least 6 months before the proposed date of the celebration.**

FAITH FORMATION FORMACION DE FE

RCIA:
CCD: Saturdays 5 pm to 6 pm

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament: Dec. 6, 2024

Holy Hour, Every Thursday from 7 to 8 pm

December 8, 2024

Scripture Readings For the Week of December 8, 2024

Sunday

Second Sunday of Advent

Bar 5:1-9; Ps 126:
1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Phil 1:4-6, 8-11;
Lk 3:1-6

Monday

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4;
Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday

Is 40:1-11; Ps 96:1-2, 3 and 10ac,
11-12, 13; Mt 18:12-14

Wednesday

Is 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 and
10; Mt 11:28-30

Thursday

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a,
10ab; Judith 13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38
or Lk 1:39-47

Friday

Memorial of Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr

Is 48:17-19; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6;
Mt 11:16-19

Saturday

Memorial of Saint John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church

Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Ps 80:2ac and 3b,
15-16, 18-19; Mt 17:9a, 10-13

Lecturas de las Escrituras Para la Semana del 8 de Diciembre de 2024

Domingo

Segundo Domingo de Adviento

Bar 5, 1-9; Sal 125, 1-2ab. 2cd-3.
4-5. 6; Flp 1, 4-6. 8-11; Lc 3,
1-6

Lunes

Solemnidad de la Inmaculada Concepción de la Santísima Virgen María

Gn 3, 9-15. 20; Sal 97, 1. 2-3ab.
3bc-4; Ef 1, 3-6. 11-12; Lc 1, 26-38

Martes

Is 40, 1-11; Sal 95, 1-2. 3 y
10ac. 11-12. 13; Mt 18, 12-14

Miércoles

Is 40, 25-31; Sal 102, 1-2. 3-4. 8
y 10; Mt 11, 28-30

Jueves

Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

Zac 2, 14-17 o Apoc 11, 19a;
12, 1-6. 10; Jdt 13, 18bcde. 19;
Lc 1, 26-38 o Lc 1, 39-47

Viernes

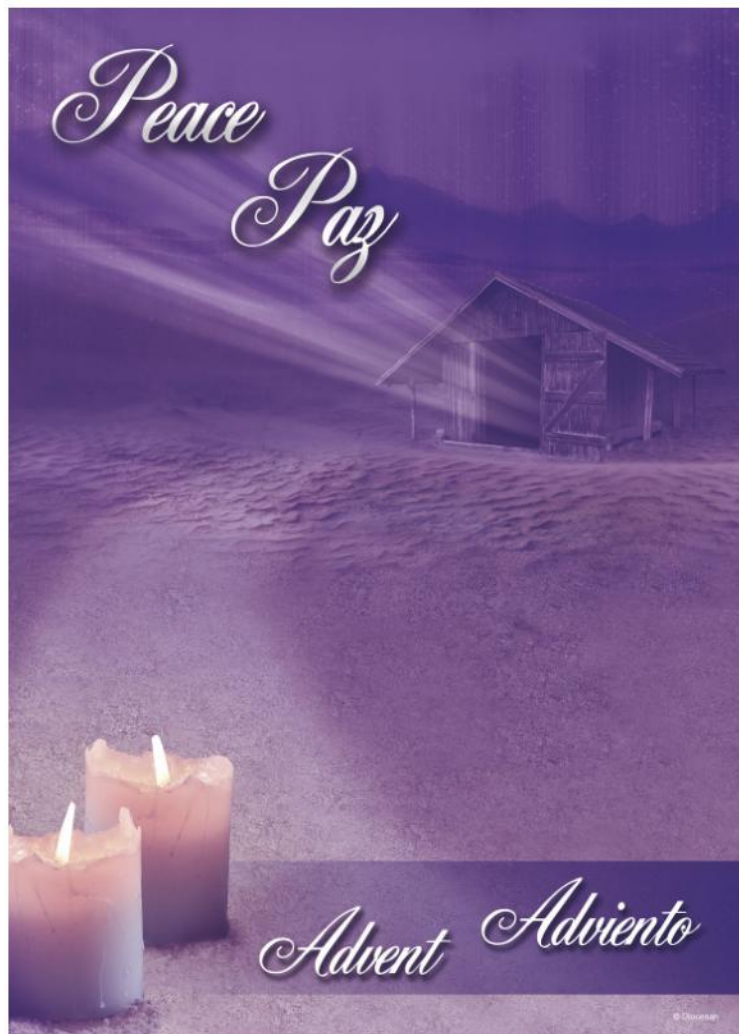
Memoria de Santa Lucía, Virgen y Mártir

Is 48, 17-19; Sal 1, 1-2. 3. 4 y 6;
Mt 11, 16-19

Sábado

Memoria de San Juan de la Cruz, Presbítero y Doctor de la Iglesia

Sir 48, 1-4. 9-11; Sal 79, 2ac.
3b. 15-16. 18-19; Mt 17, 10-13



Second Sunday of Advent
“Now may the Lord of peace himself give you
peace at all times and in every way”
2 Thessalonians 3:16

DATE	TIME	Mass Intentions/Intenciones de las Misas	Requested by
Dec. 8	8:00 am 9:30 am 11:00 am 12:30 pm	Repose Soul of Mara & Alice Post Repose Soul of Estefana Rivera Lois Pusateri Repose Soul of Norberto Alvarez	Shirley Forney Salinas Family Shirley Forney Family

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*Non parish based organization: inclusion on this list does not imply endorsement by St. Elizabeth Church or knowledge of the activities of this group.

3rd Wednesday @ 4:30 p.m.

1st Tuesday @ 7 p.m.

Lunes @ 7:00 p.m.

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David Murphy
Caroline Cinciripini
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Suzano Ortiz

Lectors (First & Second Reader)
Lectura (1ra-2da lector)

Dec. 8 8:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.

M.Ross/T.Rodriguez
F.Longoria/Y.Hernandez
J.Lillie/R. Lillie
N.Gutierrez/L.Cruz

Dec. 15 8:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.

S.Franklin/D.Kapp
M.Resendiz/L/Parra
C.Monte/J.Lillie
R.Salazar/M.Venegas

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Thank you for your service.



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Weekly Offerings and Attendance

	1st Coll.	3% Bldg.	Building	Repair
Nov. 24, 2024	\$3,982.00	\$125.00	\$195.00	\$870.00
On-Line	\$70.00		\$180.00	
ATTENDANCE	479			
Dec. 1, 2024	\$2,685.00	\$84.00	\$154.00	
On-line	\$250.00		\$130.00	
ATTENDANCE	342			

Building Fund balance as of October 31, 2024 \$561,623.54

De conformidad con la sección 30.06, Código Penal (intrusión por el titular de la licencia con una pistola oculta), una persona con licencia bajo el subcapítulo H, capítulo 411, código del gobierno (Ley de licencias de armas de fuego), no puede entrar en esta propiedad con una pistola oculta. De conformidad con la sección 30.07, Código Penal (traspaso por el titular de la licencia con una pistola abierta-mente llevada), una persona con licencia bajo el subcapítulo H, capítulo 411, código del gobierno (Ley de licencias de armas de fuego), no puede entrar en esta propiedad

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It seems the early Church had a different view of Advent than we do. Christmas was not even celebrated in the first two centuries after Christ. Easter was the original great feast of the Church. After the resurrection, Christians looked for Jesus to return in glory. They expected this return to happen soon, so we see references in Paul's letters to the "coming of the Lord Jesus" (1 Thess 3:13) or to the "day of Christ Jesus." (Phil 1:6) So in a sense, the rest of their lives were a long Advent, a time of waiting for the Lord.

In the second reading this week, we hear what Paul recommends for the people of Philippi as they wait for the Lord to return. He prays that their love will grow and mature, so that they will be able to "discern what is of value." (Phil 1:10) This may sound vague, but is very good advice, even for us today.

As we grow to be better Christians, we learn to love what is important. Remember when you were young and loved junk food? As you grew up, you learned to like healthier foods. That doesn't mean that some foods are bad, (how could nachos be bad?) just that there are better choices. So Paul encourages us to make better choices: friends we like, books we read, how we spend our free time, causes we donate to, and values we teach to our children. For example, it is good to teach our children to work hard and save money; it may be better to teach them to answer God's call and to be generous to the poor. A good way to relax might be reading a novel by our favorite author; a better way could be reading a good spiritual book.

With less than three weeks of Advent remaining, let us ask the Lord to help us "discern what is of value" in our lives. We also await His coming and we have the advantage of knowing that the Lord comes to us in Word and Sacrament. We don't have to wait for the end of time or even till Christmas, so why not try to be ready now?

A medida que se acerca el nacimiento de nuestro Señor, reflexiono sobre la idea de por qué celebramos la Navidad. En la cultura estadounidense, ¿es por los regalos? ¿Es por las ventas espectaculares? No. Se trata de los humildes comienzos del cristianismo. María y José no eran ricos, así que cuando el Arcángel Gabriel se le apareció a María y le dijo que ella sería la madre de Dios, debe haber sido un gran shock. Definitivamente me asustaría si estuviera en su lugar. Sin embargo, su respuesta al ángel fue un sí muy humilde. Su fe y creencia en que Dios proveería la ayudaron a dar su fiat (su sí).

Sentí curiosidad por saber por qué se eligió el relato de la Anunciación según San Lucas para el Evangelio en la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Descubrí que las apariciones marianas a un campesino en la Ciudad de México, Juan Diego, podrían generar comparaciones con la Anunciación. Juan Diego escuchó la petición de María de que se construyera una iglesia en su honor. Juan Diego fue al arzobispo, quien al principio no le creyó. La fe de Juan perseveró y se encontró con María en diferentes ocasiones hasta que fue a cuidar a su tío enfermó, al igual que María fue a cuidar a Isabel. María se le apareció a Juan Diego en el camino para decirle que su tío estaba curado. Luego realizó un milagro para ayudar a convencer al Arzobispo de construir una pequeña capilla donde se realizaran las apariciones. Al igual que el milagro del nacimiento de Jesús inició la construcción del cristianismo.

Con la Navidad tan cerca, Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe nos llama a reflexionar sobre los inicios humildes de la Iglesia y cómo debemos reflexionar sobre la propia fe para poder responder al llamado de Dios y decirle sí.

PARISH HAPPENINGS

The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be celebrated on Monday, December 9, 2024

Feast Of Our Lady of Guadalupe schedule, Rosary will be Wednesday, December 11 at 11:30 pm followed by Manantias. On Thursday, December 12 mass is scheduled for 7 pm followed by fellowship in the Bishop Grahmann Center.

Check your calendar insert for Advent Reflection dates and Holy Hour and Confessions during the Advent Season

Carols & Arias: A Christmas Concert is Saturday, December 21st at 4:00 pm at the Bonham Armory. Tickets are on sale now. Admission is \$20.00 per person. You don't want to miss out on this incredible event.

Christmas Eve Mass Schedule: December 24th will begin with Carols at 5:30 pm and Mass at 6:00 pm. The Bilingual will begin with Carols at 9:30 pm and Mass is at 10:00 pm.

Christmas Day Mass Schedule: December 25th mass in English at 9:00 am and Spanish at 11:00 am.



ACONTECIMIENTOS PARROQUIALES

La Solemnidad de la Inmaculada Concepción de la Santísima Virgen María es un Día Santo de Obligación. La misa se celebrará el lunes 9 de diciembre de 2024.

Horario Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, Rosario será el miércoles 11 de diciembre a las 11:30 pm seguido de Manantias. El jueves 12 de diciembre, la misa está programada para las 7 pm seguida de compañerismo en el Centro Bishop Grahmann.

Consulte el inserto de su calendario para conocer las fechas de reflexión de Adviento, la Hora Santa y las Confesiones durante la temporada de Adviento.

Villancicos y Arias: Un concierto de Navidad es el sábado 21 de diciembre a las 4:00 pm en Bonham Armory. Las entradas ya están a la venta. La entrada cuesta \$20.00 por persona. No querrás perderte este increíble evento.

Horario de Misa de Nochebuena: El 24 de diciembre comenzará con Villancicos a las 5:30 pm y Misa a las 6:00 pm. El Bilingüe comenzará con Villancicos a las 9:30 pm y la Misa será a las 10:00 pm..

Horario de misas del día de Navidad: Misa del 25 de diciembre en inglés a las 9:00 am y en español a las 11:00 am.



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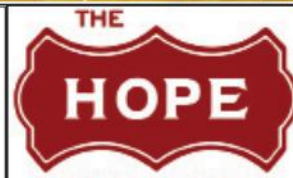
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