

Our Lady of the Assumption Church

Diocese of Corpus Christi

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Rev. Patrick Higgins, Pastor

Parish Secretary: Rosemary Morin

Baptismal: Please call Rosemary at the parish office. 776-2446

RCIC: Please call the office 776-2446 and leave a message for Fr. Patrick

RCIA: Eddie Polasek 361-537-3250 and Crystal Matern

Religious Education: Crystal Matern (RE Director) 361-332-1476

Youth Minister: Joey Polasek 361-557-0330

Parish Finance Council: Chairperson Pete Perkins

Marriage Preparation: Must contact Fr. Patrick six months prior to the proposed date of wedding.

Quinceañera Celebration: Must contact Fr. Patrick six months prior to proposed date of celebration. Please call the parish office 776-2446.

CMSE Coordinator: Sylvia Earnst 361-557-2448

Adoration Chapel Coordinator: Crissy Freasier 832-707-4799

Altar Server Coordinator: Jonathan Davis 361-205-3237

Maintenance: Rogelio & Maria Adame; Abel Gutierrez

Altar & Rosary Society: Janie Gonzalez 361-774-1215. Meets every month on the 3rd Thursday 9:00 AM parish office building.

Guadalupanas: Erma Gonzales 361-790-3714, meets the last Monday of each month in the parish office building, 6:30pm.

Knights of Columbus: Meets every first Monday of the month, 7:00 PM, Parish Hall. Grand Knight Victor Lara 361-443-6374; Deputy GK Jim Steward

Eucharistic & Lector Minister Coordinator: Rene Majek 361-443-9869

Music Director: Victor Lara 361-443-6374 Please contact for choir schedule

Bulletin Announcements: The deadline is 11:00am on Friday (10 days prior), call 776-2446 or email announcements to rmorin78362@gmail.com

Mass Schedule:

Saturday (Vigil): 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM, 5:00 PM

Weekday Masses: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 8:00 AM

Divine Mercy Chaplet:

Monday thru Friday after daily Mass in the Church

Confessions:

Saturday 4:00 to 5:00 PM or by appointment .

Holy Day of Obligation: 8:00 AM & 7:00 PM

New Parishioners: Please register at the office.

FOURTH SUNDAY

OF
Advent

Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord.
May it be done to me
according to your word.

Luke 1:38



DECEMBER 20, 2020



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SANCTUARY CANDLE:

This week the Sanctuary Candle will burn for the repose of the soul of Danny Pena/by Family & Friends Family

CHAPEL ADORATION CANDLE:

This week the Adoration Candle will burn for the repose of the soul of Jose Ventura Hernandez/by Family

SAT. December 19, 2020—Advent Weekday

5:00PM In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe by Rodriguez Family

SUN. December 20, 2020—FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:00AM †Alfredo & †Delfina Ramirez/by Ramirez Family

10:00AM Members of OLOA Parish

5:00PM In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe by Rodriguez Family

MON. Dec. 21—St. Peter Canisius, Priest

†Pam Morin (5yr death ann)/by Morin Family

TUES. Dec. 22—Advent Weekday

†Frank Jones Jr/by Irene Jones

WED. Dec. 23— St. John of Kanty

8:00am No Mass Prayer Service

THUR. Dec. 24—CHRISTMAS EVE VIGIL

5:00pm In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe by Rodriguez Family

12:00am Midnight †Jose V Hernandez/by Family

FRI. Dec. 25—CHRISTMAS DAY, THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

10:00am †Mary Lou Martinez (death ann) by Martinez & Tijerina Family

Next Week's Schedule for Shut-Ins:

Suspended until further notice

Fourth Sunday of Advent
The child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God. —Luke 1:35



Fr. Patrick & Staff would like to wish everyone a Safe, Blessed, & Merry Christmas!

Next Week's Minister's Schedule

Sat. December 26th

5:00PM

Lectors: Lydia Jaramillo

Eucharist: Abel Gutierrez

Sun. December 27th

8:00AM

Lectors: Winnie Eberman

Eucharist: Sherrie Wagner

10:00AM

Lectors: Linda Rubalcaba

Eucharist: Roel Trevino

5:00PM

Lectors: Sylvia Earnst

Eucharist: Susan Lugo

Due to the Christmas and New Year Holiday and bulletin deadlines, the Offertory report will be included in January's bulletin.

FEAST OF FAITH

Gathering

The Gospels speak of many instances when Jesus prayed alone to his Father. But Jesus also put a special value on communal prayer. "Where two or three are gathered together in my name," he told his disciples, "there am I in the midst of them" (Matthew 18:20). Jesus gave his own mission to his followers, sending them forth to do everything he did: to heal, to teach, to proclaim the kingdom. Jesus wants us to meet God in and through each other. So the Christian community continues to gather, Sunday after Sunday. When we get up on Sunday morning and come to Mass, we respond to Jesus' invitation, and we express our trust in his promise that whenever we come together, he comes, too. —Corinna Laughlin, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

CHRISTMAS IN THE HEART

Christmas! 'Tis the season for kindling the fire of hospitality in the hall, the genial fire of charity in the heart. —Washington Irving

GIVING TREE FOR THE MOTHER TERESA SHELTER

This year we are we have the Giving Tree for the Mother Teresa Shelter. The Shelter is in need of certain items for the less fortunate. The items needed are written on the ornaments. Please take one or two of the ornaments if you would like to make a donation and bring back either to the Church or the Parish Office. **The deadline is Dec. 20th.**



****RELIGIOUS EDUCATION for 2020-21****

Catechism/CCE, RCIC & RCIA (*Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults*) has begun for this year, with some changes necessary to meet diocesan requirements and guidelines for safety due to COVID-19. Classes meeting in person are only those in which students are preparing to receive Sacraments (*1st Communion Year 1 and 2, Confirmation Year 1 and 2, RCIC, and RCIA*) for the current time, while all other courses are meeting virtually and/or receiving weekly assignments and activities for family catechesis with teacher support through the GroupMe messaging platform. (Parents/students are added to GroupMe after being registered.)

Textbooks and materials are being provided as necessary for every class. You can view the calendar for this year at www.oloaingleside.org/CCEcalendar, and visit the website (www.oloaingleside.org) to view information about all courses. If you have not yet registered, please do so as soon as possible. You can register online at: www.oloaingleside.org/registration

Thank you for your patience and support as we navigate unique circumstances this year in light of the COVID-19 pandemic.

SINCERE SYMPATHIES

We offer our sincere sympathies and condolences to Angela & Trey Repka & Family on the recent death Angela's father, Danny Pena. Danny was a long time member of our parish and will be greatly missed.

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Our Christmas Mass schedule is as follows:
Christmas Eve Vigil, Thursday Dec. 24th at 5pm
Midnight Mass 12am with Christmas Carols beginning at 11:30pm
Christmas Day Mass Friday Dec 25th at 10am.
There will not be an evening Mass on Christmas Day.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS

This has been a very difficult year due to the Coronavirus, and as Christmas approaches, OLOA Food Pantry would like to help out our parish families that are in need of a Christmas Basket. Please call the parish office and your family information will be taken over the phone.



NEW EMAIL ADDRESS

Please make note of Rosemary's new email address for bulletin announcements or other correspondence. It is rmorin78362@gmail.com

ONLINE GIVING

Online giving has been set up for your convenience through Our Sunday Visitor. Getting started is easy. Just go to our website and click on the Online Giving image, create a new account, fill out the form and click to submit.



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

The Altar & Rosary Society will be decorating our Altar again this year with Christmas Poinsettias. They will be accepting donations for poinsettias in memory or in honor of someone special in your life, living or deceased. The donation is \$15 per person or family. The poinsettias will be placed around the Altar on Christmas Eve and will remain there for a couple of weeks. The names will be placed on the flower pots. Your donation check should be made out to OLOA Altar & Rosary Society and turned into our secretary or place in the collection basket. Please, include your name, phone number and the person(s) you are naming for remembrance. Alternatively, should you decide not to purchase a poinsettia but would like to help defray the cost of the Christmas Flowers, please use your church Christmas Flower envelope.

Fr. Patrick will hear confessions Saturday December 19th from 3pm to 5pm in the Cry Room, and on Sunday December 20th after each Mass in the Cry Room. Or if you would like to make an appointment for confession, please call the parish office and Fr. Patrick or Rosemary will call you back.



CONTINUAL CHRISTMAS

A good conscience is a continual Christmas.

—Benjamin Franklin

NOT TOO MUCH

If you have too much to do, with God's help you will find time to do it all. —St. Peter Canisius

SANCTUARY & ADORATION CANDLE

The Church Sanctuary and Chapel Adoration Candle has weeks available. If you would like to have the candle burning for the intention of a loved one, a birthday, or anniversary, please call the parish office 776-2446; the cost for the candle is \$15. The candle will burn in their memory for a week.



THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

Will be prayed after all weekday masses in the Church. Jesus encourages us to pray this beautiful prayer daily. Jesus tells St. Faustina "It pleases me to grant everything souls ask of me by saying the chaplet." If your schedule permits it, we invite you to stay behind after mass for a few minutes and pray this beautiful prayer with us.

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This is my new email address (the first letter is r)

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