

# 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.

## THIRD SUNDAY

# OF Advent

As the earth brings forth its plants,  
and a garden makes its growth spring up,  
so will the Lord God make justice and praise  
spring up before all the nations.

Isaiah 61:11



DECEMBER 13, 2020



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**SANCTUARY CANDLE:**

This week the Sanctuary Candle will burn for the repose of the soul of M/M Arturo Ramirez/by Ramirez Family

**CHAPEL ADORATION CANDLE:**

This week the Adoration Candle will burn for the repose of the soul of M/M Benito Garza/by Garza Family

**SAT. December 12, 2020—Our Lady of Guadalupe**

8:00AM †Guadalupe Galvan (death ann)/by Natalie Garza & Family

5:00PM †E J Polasek (birthday)/by Ed & Cathy Polasek & Family

**SUN. December 13, 2020--THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

8:00AM Members of OLOA Parish

10:00AM †Danny Berry/by Simmons Family

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

**MON. Dec. 14—St. John of the Cross, Priest**

In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe by Rodriguez Family

**TUES. Dec. 15—Advent Weekday**

8:00am No Mass Prayer Service

**WED. Dec. 16—Advent Weekday**

8:00am No Mass Prayer Service

**THUR. Dec. 17—Advent Weekday**

In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe by Rodriguez Family

**FRI. Dec. 18—Advent Weekday**

In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe by Rodriguez Family

**Next Week's Schedule for Shut-Ins:**

**Suspended until further notice**

**Third Sunday of Advent**

Rejoice always. Pray without ceasing.

— 1 Thessalonians 5:16



**ANGELS OF PEACE**

Let us not be justices of the peace, but angels of peace.

—St. Thérèse of Lisieux

**CONGRATULATIONS**

We would like to congratulate Rodolfo de Jesus Ramirez Melendez and Maria Mendoza on the Baptismal of their baby daughter Gisselle Adriana Ramirez which took place last Saturday.

**Next Week's Minister's Schedule**

**Sat. December 19th**

5:00PM

Lectors: Lydia Jaramillo

Eucharist: Rene Majek

**Sun. December 20th**

8:00AM

Lectors: Diane Thauburn

Eucharist: Kevin Middagh

10:00AM

Lectors: Dora Salinas

Eucharist: Jenny Wright

5:00PM

Lectors: Tony Bernal

Eucharist: Art Lugo

Offertory for December 6, 2020

Envelope Collection - \$1190.00

Loose Collection - \$2049.55

Online Giving Collection - \$1270.00

Capital Improvement Envelope Collection - \$197.00

Capital Improvement Collection

(Parking Lot) - \$1089.45

Total Contributions - \$5796.00

**2ND DIOCESAN COLLECTION**

Today's second diocesan collection is for the Retirement Fund for Religious. Help our elders. In good times and bad, senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests have dedicated themselves to service and acts of mercy. Years of serving for little or no pay have left their religious communities without enough retirement savings. Your gift to the Retirement Fund for Religious helps provide medications, nursing care, and other necessities. Please give generously.

**PARKING LOT SPECIAL COLLECTION**

Fr. Patrick would like to thank everyone who contributed to the Parking Lot Special Collection last week. By all of us coming together as a parish we can accomplish much more improvement for our church. Thank You and God Bless.

**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.



**\*\*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](http://www.oloaingleside.org/CCEcalendar), and visit the website ([www.oloaingleside.org](http://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](http://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.

**CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT PROGRAM**

Due to the Coronavirus and for the safety of our children, we will not have a Children's Christmas Pageant Program this year.

**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](mailto: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.

**NO PENANCE SERVICE DUE TO COVID-19**

Due to the increase of Coronavirus numbers we will not have an Advent Penance Service this year.

However, 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.

**MEASURING SUCCESS**

Success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life as by the obstacles that one has overcome while trying to succeed. —Booker T. Washington

**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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