

November 27, 2016

FIRST SUNDAY

of

Advent

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You must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect,
the Son of Man will come.

Matthew 24:44

Mass Intentions For The Week

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MONDAY, November 28

8:15 AM + Margaret Deason By: Family

TUESDAY, November 29

8:15 AM Anne Marie McCann (Birthday) By: Fr. Bill

6:00 PM + Maria Guadalupe Reyes By: Gonzalez Family

WEDNESDAY, November 30

8:15 AM Our Parish Family

THURSDAY, December 1

9:00 AM Phil Brooks (Birthday) By: Jo Brower

11:00 AM + Melchor De Boyrie By: Family

FRIDAY, December 2

8:15 AM Poor Souls in Purgatory By: Patricia King, OFS

SATURDAY, December 3

8:15 AM + Michael Guerrero By: Maria Casey

5:30 PM + Josephine Swartz By: David, Nancy, and Alyssa Nuñez

SUNDAY, December 4

7:30 AM + Edward, Victoria Morales, and Family By: Mannie Morales and Family

9:00 AM + Fortunato Gonzalez, Sr. By: Consuelo Gonzalez and Family

11:00 AM + Michael Joseph Gutierrez By: Mom and Dad

1:00 PM + Lee Roy Marquez By: Mickey



Sunday Collection

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Campaign for Human Development

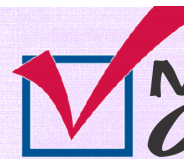
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publishing time.*

*Additional deposits for this
week:*

Stewardship: \$60.00

St. Vincent de Paul: \$312.00

Building Maintenance: \$70.00



Mark Your Calendar

Sunday, November 27

There will be no Religious Education Classes

Monday, November 28

4:30 p.m. 9 am Choir Practice, Room 1

5:30 p.m. Stewardship Meeting, Room 9-10

6:00 p.m. Guadalupe Drama Rehearsal, Finley Hall

7:00 p.m. Rosary Group, School Chapel

7:00 p.m. Bible Study with Msgr. Anderson, Room 105

7:00 p.m. Guadalupanos Meeting, Room 8

Tuesday, November 29

1:30 p.m. Faith Sharing Meeting, Room 115

5:00 p.m. RCIA Interviews, Library

6:30 p.m. Youth Bible Study, Room 8

6:30 p.m. RCIA Classes, Room 105

6:30 p.m. Spanish RCIA, Room 115

7:00 p.m. English Prayer Group, Room 109

7:00 p.m. Scripture Sharing Men's Group, Room 7

7:00 p.m. Spanish Men Meeting, Room 4

Wednesday, November 30

9:45 a.m. Faith Sharing Group, Room 9-10

6:30 p.m. Religious Education Classes, All Facilities

Thursday, December 1

10:00 a.m. Faith Sharing Meeting, Room 115

10:00 a.m. ACTS Baking Cookies, Finley Hall and Kitchen

5:30 p.m. Living the Eucharistic Meeting, Room 9-10

5:30 p.m. Pro-Life Meeting, Room 105

6:00 p.m. Guadalupe Drama Rehearsal, Finley Hall

6:30 p.m. Social Justice Commission Meeting, Room 109

7:00 p.m. 11 am Choir Rehearsal, Cathedral

Friday, December 2

6:00 p.m. Mariachi Choir Rehearsal, Room 1

6:00 p.m. Guadalupe Drama Rehearsal, Finley Hall

7:00 p.m. El Buen Pastor Spanish Prayer Group, Room 105

Saturday, December 3

9:00 a.m. English Baptism Class, Room 105

9:00 a.m. Spanish Baptism Class, Conference Room



Habr  juntas para Los Guadalupanos
el lunes 28 de noviembre a las 7 pm
en el sal n 8 del edificio de la
escuela.

Por favor vengan a ayudarnos a
planear las celebraciones de Nuestra
Se ora de Guadalupe.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION Classes

Thanksgiving Holiday Schedule

Classes held on Sunday, Nov 27th will not be in held
due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Classes will resume on Sunday, Dec 4th.

Have a blessed Thanksgiving and give thanks to God
for all the blessings HE bestows on us.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a;
Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6;
Mt 9:35 — 10:1, 5a, 6-8

Sunday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12



From Pope Francis in the encyclical Laudato Si (2015) paragraph 131 / presented by Social Justice Ministry of C-IHM Human creativity cannot be suppressed. If an artist cannot be

stopped from using his or her creativity, neither should those who possess particular gifts for the advancement of science and technology be prevented from using their God-given talents for the service of others. We need constantly to rethink the goals, effects, overall context and ethical limits of this human activity, which is a form of power involving considerable risks.

Immaculate Conception

Holy day of obligation.

Thursday, December 8, 2016.

Mass Schedule:

8:15 am Mass

12:10 pm Mass

5:30 pm Spanish Mass

7:00 pm Mass



**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE MEMBERS
OF OUR PARISH WHO ARE ILL**

Marc Griffin

Pat King

Chris Gomez

Elena Amaral

Jesus Montoya

Ray Fajardo

Gloria Guzman

Rose Altuna

Erica Gomez

Steve Lucero

Danny Gutierrez

J.C. Salcido

Kim Morales

Hortencia V. Butler

Eloy Flores

Toni Fietze

Corrine Luchini

Barbara Marony

Mia Nevarez

Robert Perez

Ruben Avalos

Elizabeth Mendoza

Bertha Gallegos

Jerry Aragon

Alice Salcido

Mary Martinez

If you would like to add a name to the list please call the parish office at 524-8563.

**GOD HAS THE ANSWERS FOR OUR WEIGHT,
FOOD STRUGGLES, AND ALL TEMPTATIONS!**

Light Weigh is a 12 week Catholic Bible Study DVD program recommended by priests, doctors, nurses & Prevention Magazine for weight loss and health. There are no weigh-ins.

In *Light Weigh*, you will learn a new approach to eating that leads to peace with God, peace with yourself, and peace with food. View the *Light Weigh* Orientation video at www.lightweigh.com and click on *Light Weigh One King* Orientation Video.

A new *Light Weigh* session is starting on Tuesday, November 29, 2016 in Las Cruces. Call Martha at 575/640-9076 to order your program materials and join this life-changing program! Registration closes on November 18, 2016. Cost is \$148.00 and includes S&H.

The Advent Reconciliation Service will be on Thursday, December 15, 2016 at 7 pm in the Cathedral.



El Servicio de Reconciliación de Adviento se llevará a cabo el jueves 15 de diciembre de 2016 at 7 pm en la Catedral.



There will be a Guadalupanos meeting on Monday, November 28nd at 7 pm in Room 8 at the school building.

Please come and help us plan Our Lady of Guadalupe celebrations.

Julie Carrick, Catholic Recording Artist, Speaker, Radio Producer, and host is coming to Immaculate Heart of Mary Cathedral for our Advent Mission entitled "International Disciples- Mary, The Apostles and Us".

Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, December 4, 5, and 6 beginning at 7 pm each evening.

There will be a mission for Advent featuring Music, Personal Witness, and celebration of our Catholic Faith reflecting the corporal works of mercy, reconciliation, and Eucharistic.

Julie Clark is heard weekly on the Guadalupe Radio Network at Noon on Monday, as she hosts her program "We Sing Our Faith" and has been featured on EWTN Backstage and Life on the Rock and various Catholic TV and Radio outlets.

This is a POWERFUL Catholic Event!



All are invited, so come early and be inspired to Live Boldly as a Catholic!

All are welcome!

Please come to the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Every Tuesday at 6:30 pm

THIS WEEK'S TOPICS:
The Blessed Trinity; God The Father; The Sacramental Economy

You don't have to be enrolled in these classes to come and hear about a topic!

Rooms 104, 105 in the Parish Center
All are welcome!

Are you interested in becoming CATHOLIC?
Are you an adult Catholic missing any of your sacraments?

For information please call
Lynne Avitia at 575-640-8358



Es difícil para que usted pueda escuchar en la catedral debido a el ruido y el eco? Usa aparato para escuchar bien?

La catedral tiene ahora asistencia de dispositivos de audición disponibles. Los receptores cuestan \$ 80 y usted será dueño de su dispositivo.

Si no está seguro que va a trabajar para usted, puede probar uno. Para obtener un receptor auditivo por favor llame a la oficina de la iglesia al (575) 524-8563.

Para las personas con audífonos, es necesario tener un tCoil activo en sus audífonos. No está seguro de lo que es? Pida un receptor con un lazo del cuello. Si el tCoil está activo, entonces escuchará directamente a través de sus audífonos. Si no, un audiólogo ha acordado activarlo (si los audífonos están equipados con ello) de forma gratuita. Sólo necesitamos su nombre y número de teléfono y ellos le llamarán para hacer una cita.



Hearing Assistance Available
Asistencia auditiva a su disposición
Aide A L'audition

Is it hard for you to hear in the Cathedral because of all the reverberation and echo? Do you wear hearing aids?

The Cathedral now has Hearing Assistance devices available. The receivers cost \$80 and you will own your device.

If you are not sure if they will work for you, you can try one out. To obtain a hearing device please call the parish office at (575) 524-8563.

For those with hearing aids, you need to have a tCoil active in your hearing aids. Not sure what that is? Ask for a receiver with a neck loop. If the tCoil is active, then you will hear directly through your hearing aids. If not, a local audiologist has agreed to activate it (if your hearing aids are equipped with it) for free. We just need your name and phone number and they will call you to set up an appointment.

SAINT ANDREW
(1st C.)
Patron Saint of Scotland
Feast day - November 30th

In Greek Andrew means 'manly'. The Apostle St. Andrew was born in Bethsaida, the principle fishing port of Palestine. His parents were Jona and Joanna; his brother was Simon (Peter). Jona, along with his business-partner and friend Zebedee and his sons the Apostles, James and John, were fishermen.

On the banks of the Jordan, Andrew met John the Baptist, and through him met Jesus: he was the first disciple. It was he who brought the boy with the loaves and fishes to Jesus before the feeding of the five thousand.

He is said to have travelled to Asia Minor and the Black Sea. In the city of Synope he suffered great hardships and the house he was in was nearly burnt down. He returned twice more to Asia Minor and Greece, even travelling as far as Hungary, Russia, and to the banks of the Oder in Poland spreading the message of Christ.

In Greece, Andrew forced his way through a forest inhabited by wolves, bears and tigers. Finally, in Patras, he was given the choice of being offered as a sacrifice to the gods or being scourged and crucified. By his own request the cross was diagonal. He felt himself unworthy to be crucified on the upright cross of Christ. He hung for three days on the cross, fixed not by nails but by rope round his hands and feet. Even in his last agony, he continued to preach.

Cathedral IHM Thanksgiving Baskets

Our Youth are committed to helping along with the Diocese Peace and Justice Ministry and the ACTS Community for the collection and distribution of the Thanksgiving Baskets for the community's needy.

You may leave the food items at the drop box in the foyer's back corner. If you are interested in donating a turkey or a gift certificate you may leave it at the office. Thank you and God bless you for your generosity.



Christmas at Finley

Friday, December 16th from 6 pm to 9 pm

Finley Hall

Family Fun, Posada, Photos with Santa, Local Vendors, and much more.

This event is being sponsored by IHMC Youth Group and Youth Ministry.



Bereavement Ministry: "Blessed are those who weep and mourn for they shall be comforted."

The community of the Immaculate Heart of Mary sees a need to expand upon its Bereavement Ministry. We ask you to prayerfully consider whether God is calling upon you to offer your time and talent to a ministry of consolation and spiritual support to families who are grieving the death of a loved one. A successful Bereavement Ministry hopes to offer parishioners the opportunity for spiritual growth in loving response to our baptismal call to be prophets, priests and kings as children of God.

To ensure that your time and talent are respected and used wisely, the parish will provide training and resources. If you feel you might be called to serve others through this ministry, please contact Joan Staniswalis (575) 640-6930, or Fathers Bill or Marcel for information.

