

Our Lady of the Assumption Parish

December 6, 2020

2nd Sunday of Advent



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SUNDAY OBLIGATION MASS:

5:00 pm Saturday

SUNDAY MASSES:

7:30 am and 10:30 am (English)

9:00 am (Bilingual)

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tuesday - Friday

9:00 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Mission Statement:

Created in God's image, we are the people of Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Parish. In communion with the Roman Catholic Church and the Archdiocese of Santa Fe, we dedicate ourselves to living the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Guided by the Holy Spirit; nourished by the Sacraments; and under the Patronage of Our Lady of the Assumption; we strive to use our varied gifts and rich heritage to build the Body of Christ through worship, prayer, education, and service to all.



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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 7, 2020 - DECEMBER 13, 2020

Mon., 7th * Weekday * Isaiah 35:1-10 Psalm 85:9ab & 10, 11-12, 13-14 Luke 5:17-26			<u>St. Ambrose</u> No Mass on Mondays
Tue., 8th * Weekday * Genesis 3:9-15, 20 Psalm 98:1, 2-3,ab, 3cd-4 Ephesians 1:3-6, 11-12 Luke 1:26-38	9:00am 6:00pm	† – †	<u>The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary</u> † Frank Gonzales, Sr. and Frank Gonzales, Jr. by Irene Gonzales – S.I. for the health of Joseph Frias by the family † The Toohey family
Wed., 9th * Weekday * Isaiah 40:25-31 Psalm 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 & 10 Matthew 11:28-30	9:00am	– †	<u>St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin</u> – S.I. to St. Francis of Assisi by Darlene Saiz † Tony Martinez by Frank and Yolanda
Thur., 10th * Weekday * Isaiah 41:13-20 Psalm 145:1 & 9, 10-11, 12-13ab Matthew 11:11-15	9:00am	† –	† Tom Martinez by Joan and family – S.I. to St. Francis of Assisi by Darlene Saiz
Fri., 11th * Weekday * Isaiah 48:17-19 Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4, & 6 Matthew 11:16-19	9:00am	†	<u>St. Damian I</u> † Father Luis Jaramillo by the Archdiocese Priest Retirement Fund
Sat., 12th * Weekday Revelation 11:19a;12:1-6a 10b Judy 13:18bcde, 19 Luke 1:39-47	5:00pm	† † †	<u>Our Lady of Guadalupe</u> <u>No Mass on Saturday Mornings</u> † Deciderio & Eloy Turrieta by Ed and Elena Oates † Gilbert Gutierrez by the family † Guadalupe Pena
Sun., 13th * Sunday * Isaiah 61:1-2a, 10-11 Luke 1:46-48, 49-50, 53-54 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24 John 1:6-8, 19-28	7:30am 9:00am 10:30am	– – † †	<u>3rd Sunday of Advent</u> – S.I. for Mike and Martha Wilcox by Louis Baldonado – No Mass Intention Requested † George Garcia by Ramona and Clarence † Valentin, Sennie, Ruben and David by Celsa Varoz



<u>TODAY'S READINGS</u> First Reading - The rugged land shall be made a plain; the rough country, a broad valley (Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11). Psalm - Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation (Psalm 85). Second Reading - Conduct yourselves in holiness, hastening the coming of the day of God (2 Peter 3:8-14). Gospel - I have baptized you with water; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit (Mark 1:1-8).	<u>LECTURAS DE HOY</u> Primera lectura - Prepara el camino del Señor; proclama la buena nueva (Isaías 40:1-5, 9-11). Salmo - Muéstranos, Señor, tu misericordia y danos tu salvación (Salmo 85 [84]). Segunda lectura - El Señor no tarda en guardar su promesa donde está la justicia de Dios (2 Pedro 3:8-14). Evangelio - Juan Bautista apareció proclamando un bautismo de arrepentimiento (Marcos 1:1-8).
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ACCESS TO OLA SUNDAY MASS:

Sunday Mass, celebrated by our Pastor, Fr. Edward Domme, is recorded weekly and posted on our website: www.olacs.org.

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

On the second Sunday of the advent the second candle is lit along with the first candle. It is the Bethlehem candle, reminding that Jesus was born in Bethlehem.

GOD'S DELAY

In times of great difficulties scoffers taunt us, "Where is God? Why hasn't your Lord come to save you now?"

And we of faith respond much in the same way as Peter did in today's second reading: the "delay" of the Lord's second coming is not any type of punishment or failure to keep the divine promise, but a loving sign of God's patience. God is giving *everyone* the chance to seek repentance.

God does not make life more difficult. Rather, God lessens our burdens as once before for the Jewish exiles returning home to Judea after captivity in Babylon. It was God who personally led them, making a "straight highway" for them across the desert.

We join with our ancestors of faith, who hoped that they might see God's Chosen One before them and who eventually realized that the Lord was also walking with them side by side.

Second Sunday of Advent
December 6, 2020

Every valley shall be filled in,
every mountain and hill
shall be made low.

— Isaiah 40:4

PURE HEARTS

Those whose hearts are pure are the temples of the Holy Spirit.

—St. Lucy

HUMAN RIGHTS

Necessity is the plea for every infringement on human rights. It is the argument of tyrants.

—William Pitt the Younger

Segundo Domingo de Adviento
6 de diciembre de 2020

Que todo valle se eleve,
que todo monte y colina se rebajen.

— Isaias 40:4

NO SUFRAS

"No dejes que se inquiete tu corazón. No le tengas miedo a esa enfermedad, ni a ninguna otra enfermedad o angustia. ¿No estoy aquí acaso, quien es tu Madre? ¿No estás bajo mi protección? ¿No soy tu salud? ¿No eres feliz en mi redil? ¿Qué más deseas? No sufras ni te inquietes por nada".

—Palabras de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe a San Juan Diego, 1531

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MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intention requests can be made by leaving a message on the parish office telephone, by mail at 811 Guaymas PI NE, 87108, or email at ccrawley@olacs.org. Cost is \$10 per request which can be paid by mail.

FEAST OF FAITH

Watching for Christ's Coming

In the season of Advent, we look to the coming of Christ at the end of time, and we prepare ourselves to celebrate his first coming among us at Christmas. Remembrance of the past is combined with preparation for the future. Memory meets action.

In a certain sense, the Mass is an Advent prayer. At the Last Supper, Jesus did not tell his disciples, "Never forget what I did for you." Instead, he said, "Do this in remembrance of me." He calls us to remember by *doing*, to combine memory with action. In the celebration of the Eucharist, remembering and doing become one. Jesus is as present in our midst as he was in that upper room, breaking the bread and sharing the cup; but it is a new kind of presence, seen only with the eyes of faith. In the heavenly liturgy, there will be no need of sacraments, for there, "celebration is wholly communion and feast" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 1136). Here, things are different. We have only glimpses and flashes of the beauty that is yet to be. And yet, in the liturgy, we truly participate in the heavenly liturgy. The Mass is our foretaste of the joys of heaven.

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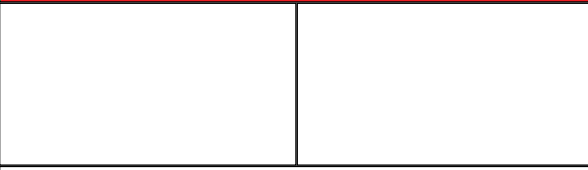
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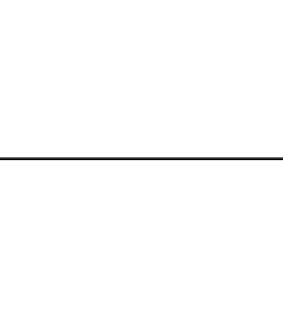
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