



ST. MARY
— OF THE —
IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION
PARISH

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Served by one another and by:

Our Priests:

Very Rev. Eustace Edomobi, D.Min. Pastor
Rev. Duberley Salazar, Parochial Vicar

Our Parish Deacons:

Deacon Pedro Gonzalez
Deacon Leopoldo Polanco
Deacon Cesar Sarmiento
Deacon Leandro Javier Ogando

Parish Assistant and Bookkeeper: Diana Encalada
Religious Education: Grades 1-High School: Freddy Burke
Office Assistant: Alexis Zhu
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Maintenance: Benny DeCastro
Music Director: Eric Fahner
Trustees: Purita Berrios & Deacon Cesar Sarmiento

CHRIST THE KING : NOVEMBER 23, 2025

MASS SCHEDULE: November 24 – November 30, 2025

MONDAY	November 24, 2025
7:00 AM	Special Intention of Allison Boshell; Special Intention of Sarah Jean
7:00 PM	Holy Hour
TUESDAY	November 25, 2025
7:00 AM	Thanksgiving for Rene Tolentino; +Russel Scott Hein; +Marie Higgins
7:00 PM	Special Intention of Michael Joseph; +Donald Russell Hein
WEDNESDAY	November 26, 2025
7:00 AM	Special Intention of Kimberly Kaiser; +Lorraine Dungan; +Irene Higgins
7:00 PM	Rosary, Adoration, Divine Mercy
THURSDAY	November 27, 2025
9:00 AM	Special Intention of Chad Nathan; +Miss Glassgo; +Eileen Quirk
7:00 PM	No Holy Mass
FRIDAY	November 28, 2025
7:00 AM	Thanksgiving for Ditas Tolentino; Special Intention of Richard Anthony; +Patricia Romano; +Zosima "Chuchi" Calingasan
SATURDAY	November 29, 2025
9:00 AM	Memorial Mass — Tree of Life
5:30 PM	Special Intention of Mary Joseph; +Guy William DeCarlo; +Thomas Joseph DeCarlo
SUNDAY	November 30, 2025 — First Sunday of Advent
8:00 AM	People of the Parish +Guinto Felismino
10:00 AM	+Virtudes Benitez; +Many Corbo; +Juan Sierra
12:00 PM	Special Intention of Richard Anthony; +Marie Amelle L.J.; +Ricardo Somoza; +Angelo Montrose; +Chantale Jacquet

Sacramental Preparation & Parish Registration

Sacrament of Matrimony: For those who plan to get married, arrangement must be made with a priest at least one year before the wedding; to ensure adequate preparation please contact the Parish office.

Infant Baptisms: Please contact Deacon Cesar Sarmiento for the family preparation program and to set a date. Please call 201-434-8500 or email both deaconsarmiento@aol.com and stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com.

Religious Education (CCD): For Religious Education of Children & Teens from Grades 1 - High School; please contact Freddy Burke: stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com or visit the parish website.

Adult Education (OCIA): For Adult Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation please contact Rene Tolentino (stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com) or visit our parish website for more information.

Holy Orders: Young men and women who have a calling to the priesthood or religious life call Archdiocesan office: 973-497-4365

Sick / Homebound: If you or your beloved ones are seriously ill, anticipating surgery; or homebound and in need of the sacraments of Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick, please call our Parish Office (201) 434-8500.

Parish Registration: New Parishioners and those not registered, please fill the registration form at the back of the church or online. Please email the Parish Office (stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com) when you have a change of address, will move away from the area, or if you have questions about the contribution envelopes.

POPE'S INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER 2025:

For The Prevention Of Suicide

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

Peace Prayer – St Francis of Assisi

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love;

where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light,
and where there is sadness, joy.

TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

Collection Sunday, Nov. 16, 2025 : \$3,047.00

We thank our parishioners for your continued support and use of your weekly envelopes.

Agradecemos a nuestros feligreses por su continuo apoyo y uso de sus sobres semanales.

Thank you for your Generosity! Gracias por su generosidad!

Advent Giving Tree

Our Advent Giving Tree will soon be set up in the back of the Church. We are asking our parishioners for a gift card from a local grocery store to benefit members of our community.



Pronto instalaremos nuestro Árbol de la Generosidad de Adviento en la parte trasera de la iglesia. Pedimos a nuestros feligreses que donen una tarjeta de regalo de un supermercado local para ayudar a los miembros de nuestra comunidad.



St. Mary's Sanctuary

Por Accion de Gracia del Yolanda Muñoz

St. Boniface Chapel

+Dolores B. Tolentino

The Bread and Wine is offered this week for:

Thanksgiving For The Children In Our Religious Education Program

OUR PARISH DEVOTIONS

SILENT ADORATION MONDAYS: 7:00PM St. Boniface Chapel

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ADORATION: 7PM-9PM Main Church

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION: 9:00am-10:30am, Main Church

ROSARY/DIVINE MERCY/ ADORATION WEDNESDAYS: 7pm Chapel

GRUPO DE ORACION: Tuesdays after 7PM Mass, St Boniface Chapel

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP: Wed. after 7am Mass, St. Boniface

COFRADES DEL SAGRADO CORAZON DE JESUS: 2nd. Sunday 12:00pm

OL OF ALTAGRACIA GROUP: 3rd Sunday of the Month, 12:00pm

2000 HAIL MARY'S: Last Saturday of the Month, 8:00am – 6pm

CATHOLIC ACTION OF MARY: First Sunday 11AM, St Bridget's Library

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: First Sunday 1PM, St Bridget's Library

Which ruler and kingdom do you serve?

The Scriptures tell us that there are ultimately only two kingdoms in this world which are opposed to one another - the kingdom of light and the kingdom of darkness. Each kingdom is ruled by one lord or master - the Lord Jesus Christ who is the true "Light of the World" - and the false messiah and deceiver who is called the "anti-Christ" and the "angel of light" who rules over men and women through the power of false promises, lies, and temptation to sin and disobedience.

If we follow the Lord Jesus and entrust our lives to him he will open our eyes to the light of his truth and guide us by his Holy Spirit along the path that leads to our true homeland with God. If we follow the course which is set by the ruler of this present world - a world which is opposed to Christ and blinded by Satan - then we will discover that sin, pride, and deception will lead us down a path of destruction, death, and separation, rather than life, freedom, and friendship with God and the people he has redeemed with the precious blood of his Son, the Lord Jesus Christ.

Which kingdom will you serve - today, tomorrow, and for all eternity? This present world will pass away, but God's kingdom will endure forever. If we accept Jesus Christ as Lord and King and submit to his rule for our lives, we become citizens of heaven and inherit an everlasting kingdom which is ruled by righteousness, peace, and love. Is the Lord Jesus the true King and Master of your life?

Rev. Duberley Salazar, Parochial Vicar

REFLEXIONES

23 de noviembre de 2025

**Solemnidad de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo,
Rey del Universo**

*"...dar gracias al Padre que nos ha capacitado para
compartir la herencia de los santos en la luz."*

COLOSENSES 1:12

¡Dios quiere que seamos felices! En lugar de mirar a los Diez Mandamientos como restricciones que nos dicen lo que no podemos hacer, mírelos más bien como una guía para vivir una vida llena de paz y alegría. La mayoría de nuestros problemas salen a la luz cuando ponemos nuestras necesidades en primer lugar o cuando pasamos la mayor parte de nuestro tiempo tratando de adquirir más cosas. En su lugar, trate de poner a Dios primero en todas las cosas. Fuimos hechos por Dios. ¡Abra su corazón y permítale a Él entrar!

YOUTH MINISTRY

If you are interested in our youth group please contact
Deacon Cesar Sarmiento : deaconsarmiento@aol.com

Viviendo Nuestra Fe

Al vivir una vida centrada en Cristo, hacemos realidad su reino de amor, de paz y de justicia. El papa Francisco enfatiza la importancia de encontrar a Cristo personalmente y permitir que sus enseñanzas moldeen nuestras vidas; este encuentro concreto nos permite llegar a conocer a ese Rey que nos invita a trabajar por la justicia social, la misericordia y la paz que imperan en su reino (*Evangelii gaudium*, 48).

- ♦ ¿Qué sabe usted de la guerra cristera en México?
¿Qué piensa al respecto?
- ♦ ¿Qué le significa a su vida espiritual que Jesucristo sea "Primogénito de toda creatura"?
- ♦ ¿Cómo conecta su grupo o comunidad de fe con la lucha por la justicia y la paz del reinado de Cristo?

Acción de gracias

Habrà una Misa de Acción de Gracias el jueves 27 de noviembre a las 9:00 am. Demos gracias al Señor por todo lo que hemos recibido.

La oficina parroquial permanecerà cerrada el jueves y el viernes 27 y 28 de noviembre.

No habrá Misa de las 7:00 pm el jueves 27 de noviembre.

La Misa matutina del viernes 28 de noviembre será a las 9:00 am.

**¡Feliz Día de
Acción de Gracias!**



Tagalog Mass

There will be no Tagalog Mass on Sunday, December 7, 2025 due to Fr. Eustace's Jubilee Celebration.

Thanksgiving

There will be a Thanksgiving Mass on Thursday, November 27 at 9:00am.

Let us give thanks to the Lord for all that we have received.

The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 27 & 28.

There will be no 7:00pm Mass on Thursday, November 27.

Morning Mass on Friday, November 28 will be at 9:00am.



Readings for the Week of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

24 Mon St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs red Dn 1:1-6, 8-20 Lk 21:1-4
25 Tue Weekday Saint Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr green/red Dn 2:31-45 Lk 21:5-11
26 Wed Weekday green Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28 Lk 21:12-19
27 Thu Weekday green/white USA Thanksgiving Day Dn 6:12-28/Lk 21:20-28
or for Thanksgiving Day, any readings from the Mass "In Thanksgiving to God"
28 Fri Weekday green Dn 7:2-14 Lk 21:29-33
29 Sat Weekday BVM Dn 7:15-27 Lk 21:34-36 Here ends the Year of Grace 2025
30 SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT violet Is 2:1-5 Rom 13:11-14 Mt 24:37-44

DECEMBER 7, 2025, 12noon (Bi-lingual Mass)

It is for the Golden Jubilee celebration of our pastor's priestly ordination; it is a day to thank God for our pastor's many years of priestly ministry. There will be reception and lunch after Mass. If you would like to attend, kindly give your name as you leave church, to help us have idea of how many are coming.



7 DE DICIEMBRE DE 2025, 12 DEL MEDIODÍA (Misa bilingüe)

Es para la celebración del Jubileo de Oro de la ordenación sacerdotal de nuestro pastor; es un día para agradecer a Dios por los muchos años de ministerio sacerdotal de nuestro pastor. Habrá una recepción y un almuerzo después de la misa. Si desea asistir, tenga la amabilidad de dar su nombre al salir de la iglesia, para ayudarnos a tener una idea de cuántos vendrán.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Monday, December 8 is the
Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of Mary.
This is a holy day of obligation.
We will have morning Mass at 7am and
a bilingual evening Mass at 7pm.

INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN

El lunes 8 de diciembre se celebra la
Solemnidad de la Inmaculada Concepción de María.
Es día de precepto.
Habrá misa matutina a las 7:00am y
misa vespertina bilingüe a las 7:00pm

Daily Masses

Monday—Friday: 7:00am English

Monday: Adoration 7:00-8:00pm in St. Boniface Chapel

Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00pm Spanish in St. Boniface Chapel

Wednesday: 7:00pm Adoration / Rosary in St. Boniface Chapel

Saturday: 9:00am English

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 5:30pm English

2000 Hail Mary's 8:00am-6:00pm
(last Saturday of the Month in St. Boniface Chapel)

Confessions: Saturday 4:00-5:00pm

Sunday Masses:

8:00 am English

9:00 am Tagalog

(First Sunday in St. Boniface Chapel)

10:00 am Spanish

12:00 noon English

