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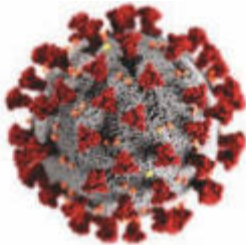
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OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE PARISH
MISSION STATEMENT

*Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, a
Eucharistic family, is committed to
inspiring a visible expression of Jesus
Christ, as we follow his life and ministry.*



IMPORTANT UPDATE

Coronavirus update: December 5, 2020

Since we are now experiencing an alarming surge in positive COVID 19 testing throughout the diocese and beyond and to avoid the possibility of canceling Masses and other events, Bishop Kemme has asked once again, that the faithful of the Diocese of Wichita who are able, to wear a facial mask while in attendance at the celebrations of the Mass and other events in our parish and Adoration Chapel. Bishop Kemme has said, "The wearing of a mask is one simple way we can not only protect ourselves but also demonstrate our concern for the health and wellbeing of those around us. Please wear a mask! I also expect all our parishes and chapels to abide by the guidelines and restrictions which can be found on the diocesan website, especially the protocol for social distancing."

Since May, we have taken great precautions to limit the spread of COVID-19, while allowing us to celebrate Mass publicly again. I hope these keep all of us safe and make each of you comfortable coming to the church to pray, especially for Sunday Mass. Below are some of the measures we are taking here at OLG:

- Each person should wear a mask as they enter the church and any time that we cannot maintain 6 feet of distance between other families. There are disposable masks at the main entrance, if needed.
- As long as we maintain proper distance, by not using the center kneeler of the pews, you are able to remove your mask in your seats.
- Some optional actions within the Mass are not used (i.e. holy water fonts in the entrances, Sign of Peace, distribution of the Precious Blood to the congregation).
- Only 150 people are allowed in the building for any particular Mass. Some of those might have to be seated in the Parish Hall, viewing a videostream of the Mass, if the church and foyer are at capacity.
- As long as Sunday Mass is not required (we are dispensed from the Sunday obligation), 9:00am Mass on Sundays will be livestreamed on Facebook and YouTube for those at home.
- Eucharistic Adoration is still available from 9:00pm on Sundays through 12:00pm on Thursdays. Or you can come to pray in the church from 8:00am – 8:00pm each day.

You are still dispensed from the Sunday obligation, so there is no requirement to attend Sunday Mass. Bishop Kemme has encouraged all to remove any obstacle to attending Mass, especially if you are comfortable and able to leave home for other activities. If you are still not able to attend Mass and would like to receive the Eucharist, please call Fr. Jorge at 316-283-3499 to review some options.

News & Notes

Please Pray For

Terresia Lujan 224 SE 5th
Willie Nunez 215 W 2nd

Asbury Park

Bev Grochowsky
Oscar & Alice Jacobs

Kansas Christian Home

Ivonne Ascencio
Sally Attebury

Kidron

Cookie Gonzalez
Margaret Montano

Showalter Villa-Hesston

Billie Vetter
Louise Morales

Happy Birthday

Wana Oswald	January 2
Pauline Garcia	January 3
Celeste Ybarra	January 4
Eric Wagner	January 6
Joshua Torres	January 8
Tom Clark	January 9
Elena Bowling	January 12
Connie Palacios	January 16
Marcela Larez	January 16
Geri Schroeder	January 17
Audrey Van Zelfden	January 17
Lee Llamas	January 22
Mona Sandoval	January 23
Renee Cassil	January 24
Virginia Kirkpatrick	January 26
Judy Cuellar	January 28
Becky Torres	January 28
Stacy Schauf	January 29
Kathleen Klenke	January 30

BAPTISM OF THE LORD



Stewardship & Education

Mass & Confession Schedule

Daily Mass at 8am (M-F)
Sunday Mass at 5pm (Sat), 9am, 11am, 12:30pm
Confession 7:30am (M-F), 3:30-4:30pm (Sat)

Religious Education

Adult Ed meets every Sunday after the 9:00am Mass in the Education Center in the rectory. Coronavirus rules: masks, social distancing, etc. will be followed.

Harvest House

All Parishioners 50+ are invited to join Harvest House. We meet the second Thursday of each month. Please watch the bulletin for upcoming events.

St. Mary Catholic School News

• **Substitute Teachers Wanted:** If you or someone you know is interested in substituting at St. Mary Catholic School, please contact Joshua Bargdill at (316)282-1974. Substitutes need to have a teacher license or an emergency substitute license. To obtain an emergency substitute license one needs a minimum of 60 college credits. Our school can help you apply for the license.

From the Diocese

• **Sidewalk Advocates for Life Training:** The Respect Life and Social Justice Office invites you to a Sidewalk Advocates for Life training Thursday, January 14, 9:30-3:30 at the St. Joseph Pastoral Center (443 N. Topeka, Wichita). Sidewalk Advocates for Life promotes a compassionate, peaceful, prayerful style of advocating in front of abortion facilities. All materials and lunch will be provided free of charge. Space is limited. To register, contact Stephanie Nemechek (316)269-3900 Ext 134 or nemecheks@catholicdioceseofwichita.org.

Live Streaming/ Organ Update

1-9-21 UPDATE: Fund is fulfilled and we have discontinued taking donations. We have been blessed with an anonymous angel who has given a donation in the amount of what it cost to purchase our new organ. A very BIG thank you to this most generous family.

Our Lady of Guadalupe is very blessed to have so many generous families in our parish. We have now collected enough to cover the expenses of the live streaming camera and other equipment. A very BIG thank you to the families who donated as well as the OLG Altar Society. May God bless you for your generosity!

2020 Tax Statements

It is time once again for tax statements. If you gave by online giving you will receive a statement of online giving direct from the ECatholic. If you used envelopes at anytime during 2020 and would like a tax statement mailed to you, please call Lisa at 283-3499 or email her at olgnwton@gmail.com to request one.

Right to Life

• **LOCAL First Saturday Rosary for Life:** The CDC's latest statistics report 623,471 abortions in 2016. The Guttmacher Institute report 862,320 abortions in 2017. This is over one millions lives lost to abortion in only 2 years—as a nation we can do better. As Catholic people we are called to defend life. During this time of Coronavirus we will be praying locally in solidarity with those praying in Wichita at the Trust Women Abortion Clinic. Masks and social distancing are required. Please join us as we pray the Rosary for Life on Saturday, February 6 from 9-10:30am in the church sanctuary.

What's Happening

Gospel Meditation

We need history. We need it in order to understand ourselves, personally and collectively. The pieces of our histories may not have always been the most positive, honest, exemplary, dignified, proud and best moments of our lives, but they are ours. We have to acknowledge, remember, accept, and often heal them. We cannot forget them or pretend that they never existed. As horrible as the atrocities of events like Auschwitz, brutal injustices committed throughout the human journey, or personal painful experiences in our own stories, we need to remember. These times when humanity in general or people in particular have lost their way are times that need to be reconciled and redeemed.

If we lose the memories, we will make the same mistakes again. The human soul needs a strong sense of affirmation, direction, and clear purpose. Without these essentials, we will easily run amuck and repeat the sins of our past. God's voice throughout history has spoken precisely about this! We are reminded through the voices and example of many prophets and witnesses not to make the same mistakes again, come back to center, discover the purpose given to us by God, maintain a sense of proper direction, seek healing for wounds and be reconciled to our Creator. Baptism is so incredibly important for the salvation of humankind, not only eternally but here and now. Our existence depends upon it. It gives us the affirmation we need from God by gifting us with the same intimate relationship Jesus had with the Father. We are blessed with the direction and clear purpose we need in order to be productive stewards and faithful Christians. Baptism calls us to remember, accept, and deal with the sins and inequities of our past regardless of how hurtful and serious. We consciously choose to turn away from them and put on the new life of Christ. To do this well, we must look hard and long at our sins and failings, listen to what they are saying and learn from them. If we ignore the past, collectively or personally, or pretend that it never happened, we will never grow. We will surely die.

People need to hear the message, lived and spoken, delivered by the baptized members of the Body of Christ. It is an essential message of hope that is layered with visions of justice, peace, reconciliation, redemption, blessing, and healing. It is a message that helps us remember what has gone before, the graces and the sins, and bring ourselves by God's help where we need to be. We are called to do much more than sit home behind our closed doors. We have a message to deliver. Are we ready to do so?

Meditación Del Evangelio

Con la fiesta del Bautismo del Señor se termina el ciclo de la Navidad. El Bautismo del Señor es como una nueva Epifanía o manifestación. "Jesús, el Mesías enviado por Dios", se manifiesta al pueblo para salvarlo. En este Evangelio se manifiestan dos voces. La voz de Juan que dice: "Detrás de mí viene uno con más poder que yo. Yo no soy digno de desatar la correa de sus sandalias, aunque fuera arrodillándome ante él. "El mensaje de Juan es simple pero muy claro. Desaparecer él para que Jesús crezca. No menciona su nombre, pero sí, su grandeza y la magnitud de su humildad. Juan se considera indigno, inclusive de arrodillarse ante él. Jesús, es el Hijo de Dios. La segunda voz, es la Divina, se escucha desde el cielo. "Al momento de salir del agua, Jesús vio los Cielos abiertos: el Espíritu bajaba sobre él como lo hace la paloma, mientras se escuchaban estas palabras del Cielo: "Tu eres mi Hijo, el Amado, mi Elegido." (Marcos 1:10-11). Jesús, es el predilecto del Padre. Por eso esas palabras hermosas.

La liturgia de este domingo es un llamado a la comunidad parroquial para no quebrantarse en los momentos difíciles que está pasando. Nuestro compromiso como bautizado, por el contrario, debe salir a flote en cada momento de la vida cotidiana. Como hijo-hija predilecto de Dios debemos seguir a Jesús como único camino. Cada día el deber del bautizado es conocer más y más a Jesucristo, caminando hacia su interior para dar paso al diálogo sincero que torna la vida a Dios. ¡Goza tu bautismo, goza el ser hijo-hija de Dios haciendo el bien!

Our Deepest Sympathy to...

...the family of Sara Quinones who passed away December 27, 2020.

...Josie Cervantes and family on the death of her husband, Felipe "Phil" Cervantes.

May God's infinite love comfort you all.

Adoration Chapel

The Adoration Chapel Eucharistic Adoration has resumed in our chapel at OLG, beginning Sundays at 9:00pm through Thursdays at noon (12:00pm). Feel free to stop by for a visit with our Lord or to volunteer as an hourly adorer. During the ongoing Coronavirus outbreak, we will disinfect the chapel twice a day and provide sanitizing materials for each person as well. We currently have an adorer for each hour, but if you want to have a scheduled hour, please call Laurie Kimerer to volunteer to spend time with the Blessed Sacrament.

Open Hours:

Tuesday	12am; 1am
Thursday	2am; 3am; 4am; 6am

Shared hour means the current adorer would like to have another person share responsibility for this hour. Perfect for those who cannot commit to once every week! Please prayerfully consider these open hours, especially the early morning hours. Each of these hours is a blessed time to spend listening to and speaking with the Lord. Be sure to read 1 Samuel 3: 3-10 to see just how special these early hours can be! If you would like to sub for any of these open hours or would like to have your name added to the sub list, please call Laurie Kimerer the church office for Coordinator contact information.

Coordinators:

Laurie Kimerer..... Monica Davis
Tony Arellano Lettie Kruse

Knights Knews

• On Sunday, January 10th the KofC will have a **carry out only** breakfast from 8am-11am here at OLG. Menu: Biscuits and Gravy, Hashbrowns and Eggs. Cost: \$6.00 per plate.

• A reminder to all Knights, Dues will be due on January 1, 2021. First dues notice will be going out at the end of December. Dues are \$30 and checks can be remitted to either Financial Secretary Greg Jackson, 908 W. 10th, Newton, KS 67114 or to Treasurer John Florez, 401 SW 6th, Newton, KS 67114.

Make checks out to KofC 976.

Readings for the week of January 10, 2021

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10/

Acts 10:34-38/Mk 1:7-11/

12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11

Monday: Heb 1:1-6/Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9/

Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/

Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: Heb 3:7-14/Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11/Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: Heb 4:12-16/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/

1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

Liturgical Roles

To update your e-mail address or for help with Ministry Scheduler Pro, contact Veronica at vrmosqueda@gmail.com.

Saturday, (January 16) at 5:00 pm

Euch. Minister Molly Schauf

Altar Servers Jordyn Tauilili/ Elizabeth Olsen/Asia Oswald

Lector Jess Olsen

Cantor/Accompanist Jennie Kelly/ Mona Sandoval

Ushers Chad, Cavin, & Finn Fuqua/

Manuel & Sharon Jaso

Greeters/Gifts Rita Large

Sunday, (January 17) at 9:00 am

Euch. Minister Darren Wells

Altar Servers Nevon Demel/ Kiahne & Xitlali Lujano

Lector Sam Demel

Cantor/Accompanist Elyse Boden/ Rachel Boden

Ushers Nellie Wells/ Tyler Nance/

Chris & Tina Monares

Greeters/Gifts Vern Koch

Sunday, (January 17) at 11:00 am

Euch. Minister Susan Klock

Altar Servers Alex & Landon Rohr/ Junior Fernandez

Lector Elizabeth Rohr

Cantor/Accompanist Jana McKinney/ Kate Bergman

Ushers Marco & Jessica Valdivia/

Willis & Liz Mosiman

Greeters/Gifts Gene & Pat Gerber

Sunday, (Enero 17) at 12:30 am

Euch. Minister Aidee Torres

Monagillos Sarah & Natalia Payan/ Vanessa Reyes

Bienvenida Socorro Lujan Family/

Alvaro & Yolanda Munguia

Lectores Mayela Cordell

Linen Laundry: January 17 Irene Medina

Church Cleaners: January 14-15

Sanctuary: Joshua & Sherry Baker/ Cat Heredia/

David & Kelly Evancho

Foyer/Windows: Joshua & Veronica Bargdill/ Sarah Tauilili/

Nick & Nelly Cooper

Restrooms: Chris & Tina Monares/ Stoney & Jess Olsen/

Marco & Jessica Valdivia

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Mass Schedule and Intentions

Monday, January 11	
8:00am	† Fr. Andy Kuykendall
Tuesday, January 12	
8:00am	St. Janice Friess/ CS
Wednesday, January 13	
8:00am	Priest's Intentions
Thursday, January 14	
8:00am	† Gorden Van Zelfden/ VZFamily
Friday, January 15	
8:00am	Lance Schwindt/ W&NS
Saturday, January 16	
5:00 pm	† Raymond Ashford/ P&LA
Sunday, January 17	
9:00 am	† Robert McNeill/ W&NS
11:00am	Past & Present Women of Altar Society
12:30 pm	People of the Parish

Sacraments

Reconciliation/ La Reconciliación

You can receive God's forgiveness for your sins by making an appointment with Fr. Jorge or coming to the church at one of the following times:

Mon-Fri	7:30-7:50am
Saturday	3:30-4:30pm

Padre Jorge está disponible para las confesiones durante este horario o puedes llamarle en la oficina para programar una cita para confesarse.

Lunes—Viernes	7:30-7:50am
Sábado	3:30-4:30pm

Baptism/ El Bautismo

Typically Baptisms are after the 5:00pm Mass on Saturdays or at 11:00am on the second Saturday of each month for parishioners. If interested, please call the parish office to meet with Fr. Jorge and present the Birth Certificate and the names of the godparents to him.

Generalmente, bautizamos a los niños los domingos despues de la misa a las 12:30pm o el cuarto sábado de cada mes a las 11:00am. Si estás intersado, llame a la oficina para programar una cita con Padre Jorge antes de planear la fecha. Necesitas traer el acta de nacimiento y la información de los padrinos durante esa cita.

Anointing the Sick/La Uncion de los Enfermos

The First Friday of each month at 8:00am Mass. Fr. Jorge also visits the sick or homebound, who cannot attend Sunday Mass, so please inform the parish office of any shut-ins.

Cada primer viernes de mes durante la Misa a las 8:00am.

Marriage/El Matrimonio

Please consult Pastor at least 6 months prior to your desired wedding date. Annulments needed prior to marriage if applicable.

Hable con el padre 6 meses antes de planificar su fecha. Para la anulación de matrimonio hablar con el padre, pues toma más tiempo.

***Annulments**

All couples wishing to marry and one of them was married previously, whether a civil ceremony or in a church must apply for an annulment. Contact Fr. Jorge or any priest for details.

Toda pareja desea contraer matrimonio y puede ser que uno de ellos ha estado casado anteriormente, ya sea por el civil o Iglesia. Ellos deben obtener su anulición. Comunicarse con el padre Jorge u otro sacerdote para detalles.

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