

# St. Joseph

Catholic Church

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**ADORATION:** Friday's from 8:30-1:30

**YOUTH EDUCATION (C.C.E.)**  
Veronica Mendias..... 799-6646

**CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**  
**Saturday Evening Vigil** ..... 5:00 p.m.  
**Sunday** :9:30 a.m., Español 11:30 p.m.  
**Weekdays: Tues. & Thurs. ...5:30 p.m.**  
**Wed. & Fri.....12:15 p.m.**

**CONFESSION : CONFESION**

Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m. or by appointment. El Sábado de 3:30-4:30 p.m.

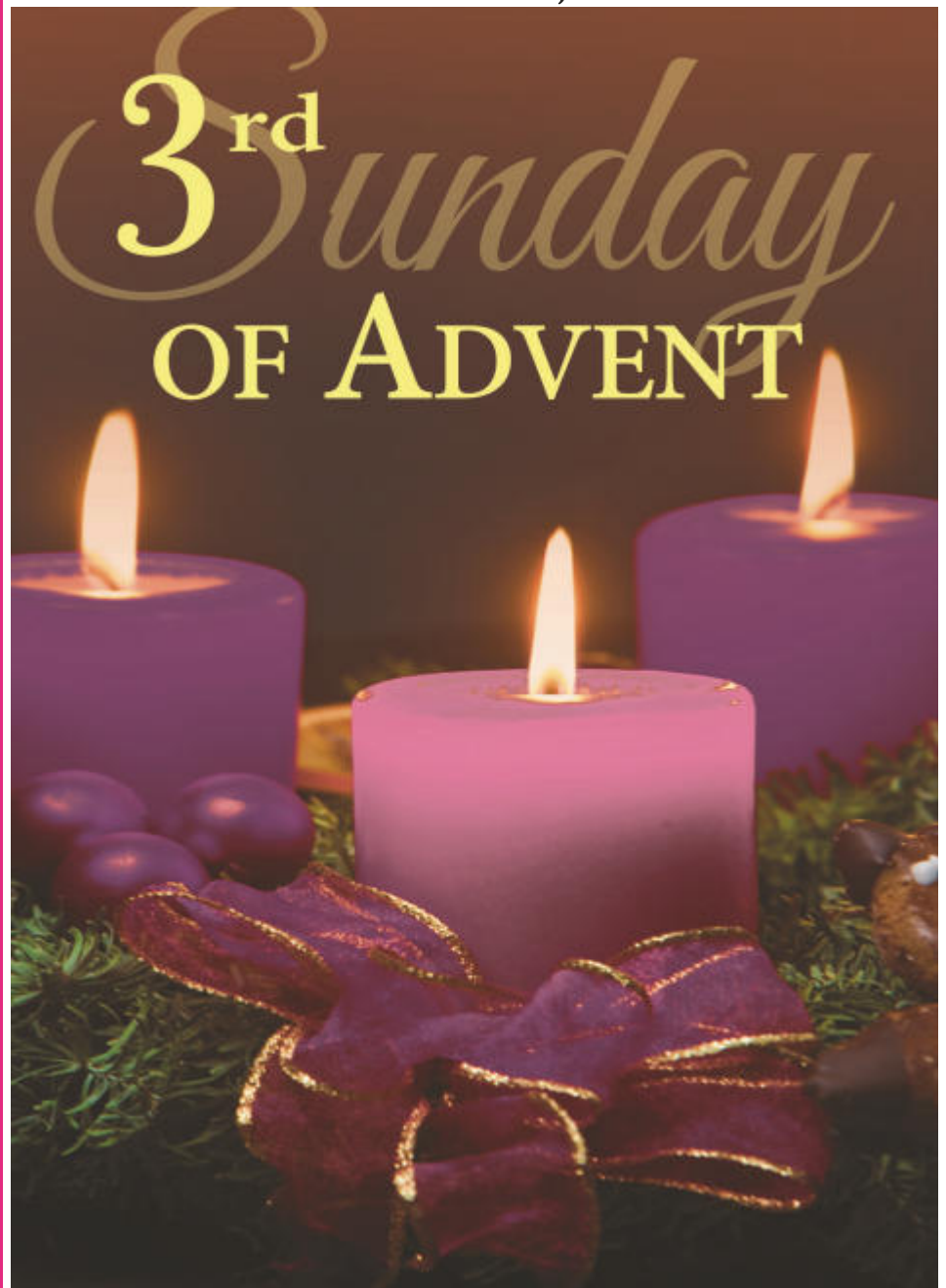
**BAPTISM CLASSES; CLASE DE BAUTISMO**, 3rd Sunday each month, El tercer Domingo cada mes @ 2PM English, 3:30 PM Spanish.

**BAPTISM, MARRIAGE: BAUTISMO , MATRIMONIO:** Please meet with the Pastor six months prior to your tentative wedding date. Bodas: Por favor de hablar con el Sacerdote seis meses antes la boda.

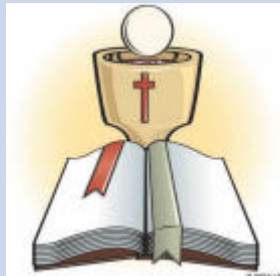
**PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS:**

Bobby Devorsky, Tomasa Guerrero, Ralph Blanco, Shane Loftin

DECEMBER 13, 2020



ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH IS A PARISH OF THE DIOCESE OF AUSTIN



DAY	DATE	TIME	INTENTION
MONDAY	DEC 14	NO MASS	NO MASS
TUESDAY	DEC 15	5:30 PM	Mary Jane Chudej+
WEDNESDAY	DEC 16	12:15 PM	Felix Picha+
THURSDAY	DEC 17	5:30 PM	Doris Ferrill+
FRIDAY	DEC 18	12:15 PM	Joe Mach+
SATURDAY	DEC 19	5:00 PM	Ed Frields+
SUNDAY	DEC 20	9:30 AM	Johnny Mazanec+
SUNDAY	DEC 20	11:30 AM	Familia Alvarado Rojas



### Altar Server & Lector/ Monaguillos y Lectores

Sat. DEC 19 5:00 P.M.

Robert Dunlap  
Shane Loftin

Sun. DEC 20 9:30 A.M.

Lucio Hernandez  
Bernice Picha

Sun. DEC 20 11:30 A.M.

Citlaly Varela Melina Castaneda  
Eulogia Hernandez, Natalie Hernandez

Fr. Boni is looking for a few people to add to our financial and pastoral councils. If you have never served on the council before and have financial experience or if you are interested in serving on our pastoral council. Please call the office and leave your information.

Estamos buscando a unas pocas personas que se unan a nuestros consejos de pastoreo y financieros. Si tienen experiencia financiera o quieren servir en nuestro consejo pastoral, por favor llamen a la oficina para que deje su información.

Our CCE director is looking for a few people to help with our virtual classes. You MUST be EIM compliant. If you are interested, please call the CCE office @ 254-799-6646 for more info.

Nuestro coordinador de CCE está buscando algunas personas para ayudar con las clases virtuales. DEBE cumplir con EIM. Si está interesado, llame a la oficina de CCE para más información @ 254-799-6646

### SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

Creo Jesus mio, que estas real y verdaderamente en el cielo y en el Santísimo Sacramento del Altar. Te amo sobre todas las cosas y deseo vivamente recibirte dentro de mi alma, pero no pudiendo hacerlo ahora sacramentalmente, ven al menos espiritualmente a mi corazón. Amén

**Please remember to wear a mask in mass for the protection of others. Por favor usar una máscara a la misa por el bien de todos.**

**Food items in green barrel MUST be NON PERISHABLE . Los artículos alimenticios en barril verde no deben ser perfectos.**



**You may get your weekly/ monthly offering to the parish in many different ways. 1) Mail into the parish 2) Drop it by the church office 3) Online giving is available through the Austin Diocese.**

**Usted puede hacer su ofrenda a la parroquia de varias maneras: 1) Por correo a la iglesia. 2) traerlo a la oficina de la iglesia 3) electrónico mediante la página de internet de la Diócesis de Austin.**

## CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Dec 24- 4pm English; 8pm Bilingual

Dec 25- 9:30 am English;  
11:30 am Spanish

### Advent Penance Schedule

**Monday December 14th** St. Martin in Tours @ 5 - 6 pm and 7 - 8 pm;  
**Tuesday December 15th** St. Jerome in Waco @ 10 am - 12 pm and 6:30 pm; **Wednesday December 16th** St. Joseph in Elk @ 5 pm & Bishop Reicher School @ 10 am; **Thursday December 17th** St. Mary's in Mexia @ 6:30 pm; **Friday December 18th** St. Joseph in Bellmead @ 6 pm.

Las Posadas, a Spanish tradition of 9 days (Novena type) will start on Wednesday, December 16 thru Wednesday, December 23 @ 7pm. Each night a family hosts the posada at the hall. Food is provided by different families throughout these days. We will only celebrate 8 days. Please join us. It is in Spanish.

**Nos faltan dos posadas:** el miercoles, 16 de diciembre y martes, 22 de diciembre.

Contribution Envelopes for 2021 are on the table in the foyer. You may have received a new number this year. If you do not receive envelopes and would like some please call the office.

Los Sobres para las contribuciones estaran en la mesa en el vestibulo. Si no tienes y quieres uno, favor de llamar a la oficina.

### 2021 Calendars will be put out for Christmas.

Please take one per family until we see how many we have left over and you may be able to take a second one. If you visit one of our parishioners who are unable to attend mass, please feel free to take one to them.



Pro Life Waco seeks 600 Texas household names to publicly affirm their Pro Life Ad in the Waco trib. To contribute, please pick up the info in the literature rack in church .

**WEEKLY COLLECTION / COLECCION SEMINAL**  
**COLLECTION 12/06 .....\$3,559.80**  
**YTD TOTAL \$121,635.59**  
**WEEKEND MASS ATTENDANCE 12/06- 269**

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

### Readings for the week of December 13, 2020

Sunday: Is 61:1-2a, 10-11/Lk 1:46-48, 49-50, 51-54 [Is 61:10b]/1 Thes 5:16-24/Jn 1:6-8, 19-28  
Monday: Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [4]/Mt 21:23-27  
Tuesday: Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-18, 19 and 23 [7a]/Mt 21:28-32  
Wednesday: Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21c-25/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [Is 45:8]/Lk 7:18b-23  
Thursday: Gn 49:2, 8-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8, 17 [cf. 7]/Mt 1:1-17  
Friday: Jer 23:5-8/Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19 [cf. 7]/Mt 1:18-25  
Saturday: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17 [cf. 8]/Lk 1:5-25  
Next Sunday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29 [2a]/Rom 16:25-27/Lk 1:26-38

### Las lecturas de la semana del 13 de diciembre de 2020

Domingo: Is 61, 1-2. 10-11/Lc 1, 46-48. 49-50. 51-54 [Is 61, 10]/1 Tes 5, 16-24/Jn 1, 6-8. 19-28  
Lunes: Nm 24, 2-7. 15-17/Sal 25, 4-5. 6 y 7. 8-9 [4]/Mt 21, 23-27  
Martes: Sof 3, 1-2. 9-13/Sal 34, 2-3. 6-7. 17-18. 19 y 23 [7]/Mt 21, 28-32  
Miércoles: Is 45, 6-8. 18. 21-25/Sal 85, 9 y 10. 11-12. 13-14 [Is 45, 8]/Lc 7, 18-23  
Jueves: Gn 49, 2. 8-10/Sal 72, 1-2. 3-4. 7-8. 17 [cfr. 7]/Mt 1, 1-17  
Viernes: Jr 23, 5-8/Sal 72, 1-2. 12-13. 18-19 [cfr. 7]/Mt 1, 18-25  
Sábado: Jue 13, 2-7. 24-25/Sal 71, 3-4. 5-6. 16-17 [cfr. 8]/Lc 1, 5-25  
Domingo siguiente: 2 Sm 7, 1-5. 8-12. 14. 16/Sal 89, 2-3. 4-5. 27. 29 [2]/Rom 16, 25-27/Lc 1, 26-38

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER/ OREMOS

Joe & Margie Aimer, Diane Anderson, Bill Bechtell, Joe Brezina, Olga Cavazos, Brenda Fetsch, Jose Guerrero, Juana Guerrero, Rosenda Guerrero, Brian Harlan, Sally Macha, Leon Marek, Rosemary Mynarcik, Ella Mae Niekamp, Ryan Niekamp, Janie Portillo, Arthur Rivas, Jimmy & Dolores Robert, Randy Robertson, Brenda Rocha, Norma Saldivar, David Sealey, Gracie Soukup, Mary Stone, Susan Stone, Eileen Streibel, Sharon White



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