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November 17, 2024



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OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY
9:00AM - 5:00PM

MASS SCHEDULE

MON, WED, FRI
7:00AM

TUES & THUR
5:30PM

SATURDAY
5:30PM

**1st Saturdays - 8:00am*

SUNDAY
8:30AM
10:30AM
12:00PM

CONFESSION/ RECONCILIATION

TUES, THURS, SAT
4:45PM - 5:15PM

SUNDAY

**Please see weekly schedule*

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BAPTISMS

Call the office six weeks
in advance to prepare
registration documents

WEDDINGS

Call the office at least six
months in advance to reserve
date and complete marriage
preparation.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Susan Auquet, Neomi Balderas, Marie Black, Mary Blake, Rosa Becnel, Michael Castro, Juliana Cavazos, Joann Cockrie, Theresa Connolly, Esther Contreras, Ashley Cuellar, Emiliano Cuellar, David Davis, Kate DeWein, Theresa Ellie, Vangie Gallardo, Juan Garza, Danny Gusme, Eric Hawbecker, Josephine Janczar, Mary Margaret Janosek, Steve Janosek, Markus Klink, Joe Mangione, Helga Mayo, Kathy McCoy, Sally McDuffee, Joseph McKinley, Gracie Miller, Amanda Murray, Jim O'Brien, George Perez, Rina Pollack, Mary Lou Prieto, Jose Sanchez, Jeanie Sanders, Carlos Saucedo, Edward Jacob Sciantarelli, Jim Sciantarelli, Laurie Seligman, Carolyn Smith, Melinda Tucker, Dora Urrutia, Henry Wolff, Stephen Wyrick, Cheryl Wolf.



MONDAY, NOV 18

- 6:00pm Encounter
School of Ministry

TUESDAY, NOV 19

- 6:15 am-TMIY
- 6:30pm - Rosary
Prayer Group & Potluck
- 6:30pm - Altar Server
Training

WEDNESDAY, NOV 20

- 9:30am-Bible Timeline
Bible Study
- 6:30pm - Pastoral
Council Meeting
- 7:00pm- RCIA -
Fellowship Potluck &
Preview of the Rite of
Welcome
- 7:00pm -Choir Practice

SUNDAY, NOV 24

- 12:00 pm- Women's
ACTS Commisioning
Mass
- 6:00 pm - Women's
ACTS Planning Meeting

Online Offertory and Parishioner Registration



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Mass of Remembrance:

This Sunday, November 17th at the 12:00 Noon Mass, we will honor our departed loved ones, particularly those who have died since November 2023.



Eternal rest grant unto them,
O Lord, and let perpetual light
shine upon them.
May they rest in peace.
Amen.

Dear God of Mercy, I pray this day for all
souls, both known and
unknown to me, who, although touched
by death, have not yet
entered Your Heavenly Kingdom.

This weekend's second collection
Is for the Campaign for Human Development



*Last weekend's Altar Flowers were
In celebration of
Al & April Zgaradowski's
Wedding anniversary.*



*The Altar flowers this weekend are
In celebration of
Greg & Ashely Salvador's
Wedding Anniversary.*



Masses as Gifts: Having a Mass offered on a birthday, anniversary or other special occasion, is a most prayerful way to commemorate the special event. Mass cards are available to acknowledge special remembrance. Call or come by the Office to schedule.

**GOD BLESS THE MEN AND WOMEN OF
THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES**

MASS, CONFESSION & INTENTION SCHEDULE

Monday, November 18

7:00 AM Fr. Jorge
Fr. Abe's Birthday

Tuesday, November 19

4:45 PM *Confessions* - Fr. Binu
5:30 PM *Mass* - Fr. Binu
Robert Hudson 'Huddy' Curtright (d)
- Bible Study Group

Wednesday, November 20

7:00AM Fr. Jorge
Healing for Helga Mayo - Parish

Thursday, November 21

4:45 PM *Confessions* - Fr. Jorge
5:30 PM Fr. Jorge
Edna 'Nina' De La Garza (d) - Family & Friends

Friday, November 22

7:00 AM Fr. Jorge
Scott Pyron (d) - Richele Rainosek

Saturday, November 23

4:30PM *Confessions* - Fr. Jorge
5:30 PM Fr. Jorge
Cecilio & Becky Rodriguez
- Armando & Delia Salinas

Sunday, November 24

8:30 AM Fr. Jorge
Alice Hebert (d)
10:30 AM Fr. Jorge
Vivienne Rettinger - Grandparents
12:00 PM Fr. Frank
Sylvan Kovar (d) - Richele Rainosek



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

All are welcome to the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Exposition begins on Tuesdays in the Adoration Chapel after the 5:30pm Mass and ends on Friday at 7am. For more information please contact Becky Prieto at 210-725-2383.



Holy Hour For Priests
Monthly - Every Second Tuesday
7 PM- 8 PM
Rosary, Prayers and Benediction

All are welcome to join the Rosary Prayer Group. Please join us **every third Tuesday of the month from 6:30-8:00 pm** in the Madonna Room. For more information, contact Greg Clary at 903-714-0232.



Parish Bulletin Deadline

If ministry or parish organization needs something to be included in the bulletin, please submit the information by Friday afternoon before 5:00 PM **ten days** before your desired publication date. Please call the office or email your request to [Teni at office@olgsa.org](mailto:Teni@olgsa.org).

Are you grieving a loss?

Dear Parish Families,

We recognize the profound impact losing a loved one can have and want you to know you are not alone. In the spirit of support and solidarity, we are launching a new initiative at Our Lady of Grace: Grief Ministry.

Our aim with this ministry is to provide a safe haven for those navigating the difficult journey of grief. Through offering regular meetings, we intend to provide not only spiritual guidance but also compassionate fellowship. We believe that sharing the journey can be a source of comfort and healing.

You are warmly invited to our first gathering, which will be held on **Thursday, November 21, 2024, from 6:30 to 8:00 pm in the Madonna Room**. This event is open to anyone at any stage of their grief journey, whether you are dealing with a recent loss or reflecting on past experiences. We aim to create an environment where mutual support helps us heal together.

We look forward to walking alongside you on this path toward healing.

With warm regards and prayers,

Father Jorge Campos

Pastor

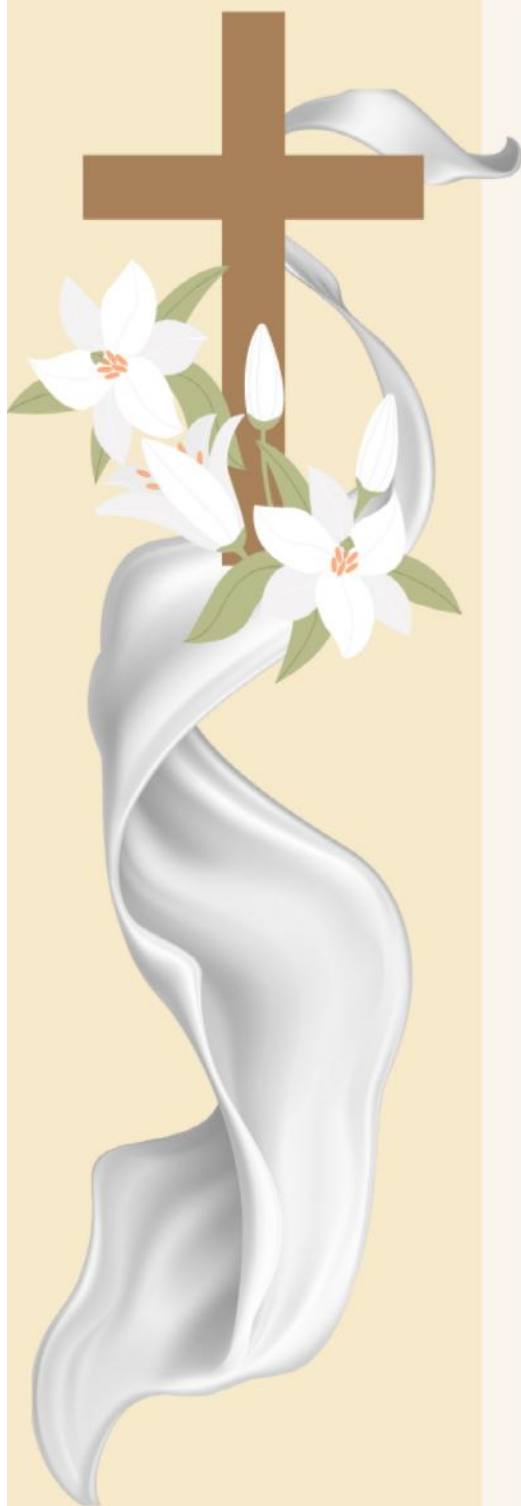
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This week is the last we will hear from the letter to the Hebrews. It makes the point that when Jesus allowed himself to be crucified he was actually being a priest, offering himself for the sins of the world. Jesus replaces the high priests of Israel, whose offerings had no power to forgive sins. After giving his life for us, he takes his place as God's equal. He is now the eternal Priest, so all clergy since the time of Jesus are visible signs of that priesthood. When we celebrate the Eucharist, Jesus' sacrifice is there: The bread that is his Body is broken; the wine that is his Blood is poured out. We are present at his death and resurrection, without needing a flux capacitor or a time warp. Instead of taking us back in time, he brings his saving death and resurrection to us now. His sacrifice is an eternal one, redeeming all past and future sins. So if you have come back to church after being absent for years, you don't have to hide behind the hymnal. If you have sins weighing on your conscience, God has already offered you forgiveness. He knows all our weaknesses and lets us learn from our mistakes. The Eucharist also reminds us that Jesus is present in glory, with us always, sharing his priesthood with all the baptized. We too are called to forgive, starting with ourselves. We can show God's mercy by forgiving each other. Since Jesus lives in us, we offer our lives as sacrifice for sins, as St. Paul said, "I fill up in my flesh what is still lacking in regard to Christ's afflictions." (Col 1:24) Does that mean we are supposed to seek ways to suffer? No, it means the suffering we cannot avoid can become our offering to God, a way to take up our cross as Jesus did, and a way to experience God's power in our weakness. At the Eucharist, we pray with the priest, "that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God..." All the sacrifices we make, from accepting serious illness, to giving up something for Lent, are ways we take part in the priesthood of Christ.

Tom Schmidt

Receive Their Souls and Present Them to God the Most High



Steven Patrick McKenna	November 1, 2023
Mary Jane Nieto Diaz	November 7, 2023
Carmen Barrera Muniz	November 8, 2023
Patricia S, Hedemann	November 9, 2023
Susie R. Mendiola	December 2, 2023
Charles I. Castro, Jr.	December 2, 2023
Richard Henry Zabransky	December 23, 2023
Maria Sedakia 'Sadie' Garcia	December 25, 2023
Loretta Guido Wolf	December 26, 2023
Elizabeth Ann 'Beth' Amen O'Brien	December 27, 2023
Deacon Frank Gallardo	January 5, 2024
Tony Salazar	January 6, 2024
James Michael Sims	January 10, 2024
Dr. Rufino Salinas	January 10, 2024
Charles Wetterman	January 13, 2024
Donald Francis Dutra	January 17, 2024
Arthur Houston McCain	January 29, 2024
Esther Lopez	February 22, 2024
Lawrence Hamilton	January 23, 2024
Lucille Quinones Hooker	January 29, 2024
Edward Lawrence Fitzpatrick	February 4, 2024
Venancio Flores Garcia	February 15, 2024
Virginia 'Jeannie' Rodriguez	February 25, 2024
Sarah Elizabeth Flynn	March 25, 2024
Julian Lopez	March 31, 2024
Jerry Anthony SESCO	April 13, 2024
William Benford Rankin	May 26, 2024
Barbara Christian Chumney	June 2, 2024
Jose A. 'Joe' De La Garza	June 30, 2024
Frances Marguerite Notson Kuntz	July 7, 2024
Cynthia Gonzaba	July 7, 2024
David Rodriguez	July 10, 2024
Reynaldo Ramos	July 11, 2024
Kathryn Kolar Labatt	July 14, 2024
Maria Rosa Davila Tobias	July 14, 2024
Kathleen Jersig Kuper	July 20, 2024
Mary Louise Oswald	July 26, 2024
Bernard Carl Nelson, Jr.	September 21, 2024
Alice Joanne Cockrell	September 24, 2024
Danielle Lopez	October 4, 2024
Roberto Hernandez Brizuela	October 8, 2024
Guillermo Cervantes, Jr.	October 9, 2024
Elizabeth Colligan	October 11, 2024
Larry Rodriguez	October 31, 2024

All the deceased religious and priests of the Archdiocese of San Antonio.



Advent Wreath Blessing

Sunday, December 1st

@ All Masses



Bring your family's wreath to Mass to have it blessed!

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Adopt-a-Senior Angel Tree

NOVEMBER 23RD ~ DECEMBER 11TH

Select a tag off one of our two
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residents of San Antonio North Nursing
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WITH RESIDENTS AND TO HELP DISTRIBUTE THE GIFTS.**



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Sunday



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December 1st
after all Masses



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