

January 10th, 2020

The Baptism of the Lord

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THIS WEEK AT OLG

MONDAY, January 11th

- MCBAC-MTR- Legion of Mary, 5:30-7:30pm
- CHURCH- Eng Baptism Class 7pm

TUESDAY, January 12th

- MCBAC-PPR - RCIA, 7-9pm

WEDNESDAY, January 13th

- MCBAC-Gym Confessions, 6pm-8pm
- SCHOOL-SOR 6:15-7:30pm

THURSDAY, January 14th

- SCHOOL-SOR 6:15-7:30pm

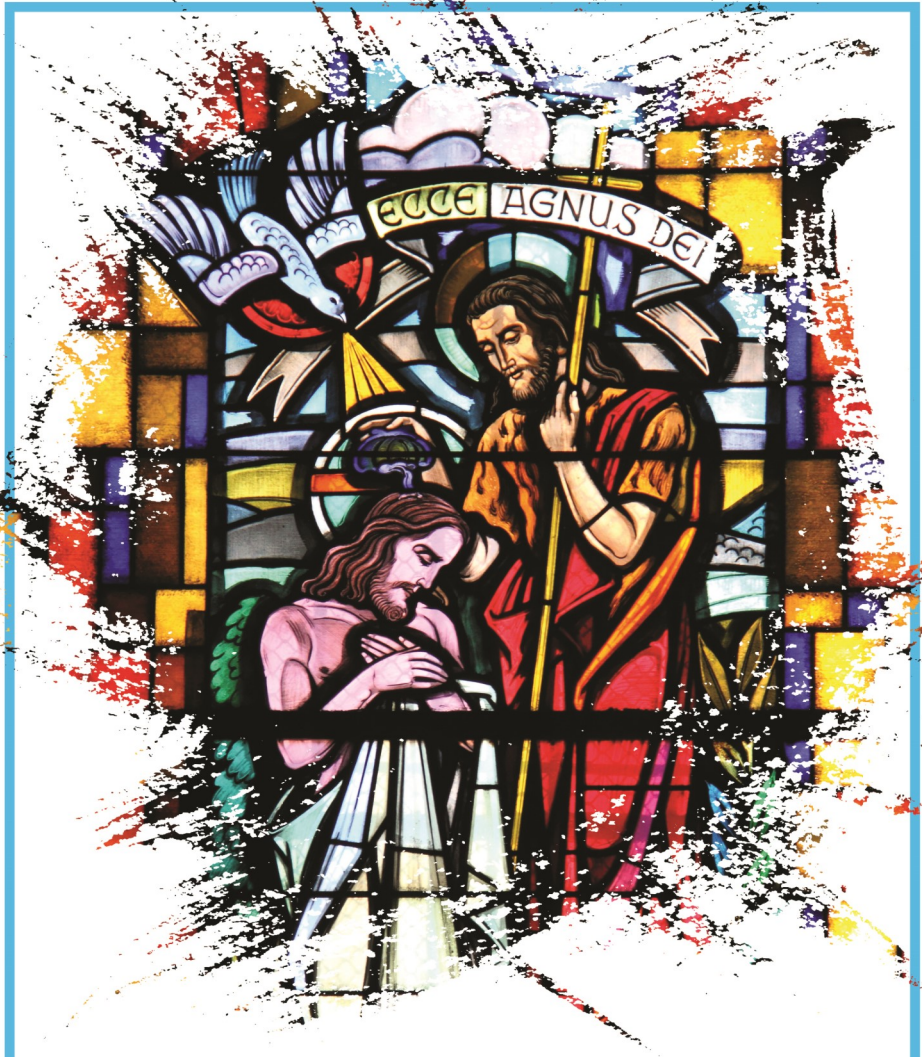
FRIDAY, January 15th

SATURDAY, January 16th

SUNDAY, January 17th

MONDAY, January 18th

- Office Closed- Martin Luther King Day



"I HAVE BAPTIZED YOU WITH WATER; HE WILL BAPTIZE YOU WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT." - MK 1:8

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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Masses For the Week

Sat 01/09	4:00pm †Ramona Perez †Salvador Benavidez-Quirante
	6:00pm †Jesus Manuel Romero †Reginaldo Soto de la Rosa
Sun 01/10	9:00am †Rudy Perez †Salvador Benavidez-Quirante
	11:00am El descanso eterno de las almas del purgatorio †Jaime Benito Soto de la Rosa †Oscar Marquez Sandoval Por las Familias de OLG
Tue 01/12	8:00am No Mass/ Mass at Sacred Heart 6:30pm †Jaime Benito Soto de la Rosa El descanso eterno de las almas del purgatorio
Wed 01/13	8:00am †Salvador Benavidez-Quirante 6:30pm †Jesus Manuel Romero †Reginaldo Soto de la Rosa
Thur 01/14	8:00am †Maria "Pana" Chavez 6:30pm †Jaime Benito Soto de la Rosa †Reginaldo Soto de la Rosa
Fri 01/15	8:00am †Irene "Renie" Escobar In Thanksgiving to Jesus Christ 6:30pm El descanso eterno de las almas del purgatorio
Sat 01/16	4:00pm †Henry, David & Virginia Hernandez †Blas Jr. Pimentel 6:00pm †Jaime Benito Soto de la Rosa †Reginaldo Soto de la Rosa Por las Familias de OLG
Sun 01/17	9:00am †Joe "Mayo" Ortiz †Salvador Benavidez-Quirante 11:00am †Jesus Manuel Romero El descanso eterno de las almas del purgatorio

Office Closed

Due to Covid-19 the Church office is closed to the Public, if you have any questions please call 785-232-5088 or email olgparishoffice@olg-office.com for any information or if you are in need of an appointment. There is also a black drop off mailbox outside of the church office so you may drop off any donations or envelopes; the drop off box is checked daily.

Church Office

Please pray for the sick of the Parish / Por favor oren por los enfermos de la parroquia.

Jr. Vargas

Deacon Ray Delgado

Cruz Chavez

Angel Martinez

Robert Barron

Andrea Katherine Flores

Mary Linda Trimble

Norbert Adame

Guadalupe Flores

Robert Rios

As part of the Prayer for the Sick, we always pray for the sick in our community. Names are placed on the list only if requested by family to avoid confusion. Names will be listed for one month. You may call to have them added again. To have a family member listed, please call our office at 785-232-5088.

OLG public Mass re-opening guidelines

1. During the time of the Corona virus pandemic, Archbishop Naumann has given Catholics in the Archdiocese a dispensation from attending in person public Mass.
2. Anyone feeling uncomfortable coming back to public Mass knowing the risks involved should stay home, especially those in high risk groups such as people with serious underlying medical conditions & the elderly.
3. Those consciously choosing to take the risk to attend public Mass must **wear a mask** and bring their **personal hand sanitizer** and a **towel** to cover the upper part of the pew in front of you that you will touch during Mass.
4. During consecration time, all people will stand up, or be seated if unable to stand up for long, so that you avoid **touching the kneelers**.
5. A six feet social distance must be kept from other people. Only those living in the same household can sit together in proximity.
6. Mass cannot last more than 45 minutes as directed by Archbishop Naumann. There will be no congregational singing, only an accompanist & a cantor.
7. People cannot congregate socializing before or after Mass per Archdiocese and CDC guidelines. Please go home immediately after Mass. The Church will be sanitized after mass to be ready for the next group.
8. **Holy Communion will be given only in the hand.**
9. **OLG can only safely accommodate people seated in the pews using every other pew keeping the 6-foot distance in between families to comply with Archdiocesan & CDC guidelines.**
10. Access to the church will be only through the main front entrance.

*Thanks for your cooperation, patience & understanding as we go through this unprecedented time!!

CONFESSIONS

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated on Wednesdays from **6-8 pm** in the Activity Center. Please bring a mask and be brief.

PARISH LIFE

Parish Giving

December 26th & 27th Weekly Total

Envelope:	\$4,819.00
Plate:	\$1,031.00
Christmas:	\$997.00
Donations:	\$3,520.00
Faith Direct:	\$12,395.00
TOTAL:	\$22,762.00

Budgeted Collections \$15,861.75
(pesupuesto mensual de colectas)

Income Over (Under) Budget \$6,900.25
(bajo del presupuesto)

Building Fund Balance: \$623,436.41

It is never too late to make stewardship a way of life.

Parish Giving

January 2nd & 3rd Weekly Total

Envelope:	\$1,989.00
Plate:	\$1,031.00
TOTAL:	\$3,020.00

Budgeted Collections \$15,861.75
(pesupuesto mensual de colectas)

Income Over (Under) Budget -\$12,841.75
(bajo del presupuesto)

Building Fund Balance: \$623,436.41

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Marriages: Arrangements must be made with the pastor at least **9-12 Months** prior to the planned date. Planes de Matrimonio llame a la oficina.

Quinceañeras: Arrangements need to be made with the church office **6-12 Months** prior to planned date.

Baptism Preparation Session

Spanish Baptism class is **January 9th**, at **3:00pm** inside the MCBAC in the Banquet Room

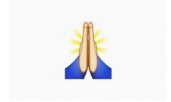
English class is **January 11**, at **7:00pm** in the Church

Anointing of the Sick: For the Sacrament of the Sick please call the parish office.

PARISH LIFE



EUCCHARISTIC ADORERS



It is only through the grace of God that we have enjoyed all that He has given us. (Our health, family, materialistic gains, wealth ect.) Therefore one way to be thankful to our Lord, for these loving gifts we take for granted, is to commit ourselves to spend at least one hour with Him as an Eucharistic Adorer. Open your hearts and contact: Angel & Mary Valdivia at 273-1629 for guardian hours from 6:00am-12:00pm, Anna Alcala at 913-909-8490 for hours from 12:00pm - 6:00pm and Monica & Marcus Ramirez at 273-8448 for hours from 6:00pm-6am.

Hours currently open:

Sunday: 1:00 am, 9:00am & 11:00 pm

Monday: 12:00am, 1:00am & 3:00am , 8:00am

Tuesday: 4:00am & 9:00 am

Friday: 2:00am

Current Mass Schedule

Horario actualizado para Misa

All Masses are Public

No Sign up Required

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. English Mass
6:00 p.m. Misa en Español

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. English Mass ****Live Streamed****
11:00 a.m. Misa en Español **** Transmisión en vivo****

Tuesday: 8:00 a.m. Mass (Eng) at Sacred
Heart Church**
6:30 p.m. Misa en Español

Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. English Mass
6:30 p.m. Misa en Español

Thursday: 8:00 a.m. English Mass
6:30 p.m. Misa en Español

Friday: 8:00 a.m. English Mass
6:30 p.m. Misa en Español

****Live Stream via the Our Lady of Guadalupe Facebook page**

****Transmisión en vivo por Facebook: Our Lady of Guadalupe**

VIDA PARROQUIAL



Guía de Reapertura

1. Durante el tiempo de la pandemia del Coronavirus el Arzobispo Nauman a dispensado a los Católicos de la Archidiócesis de asistir a Misa en persona.
2. **Aquellas personas que concienzudamente escojan tomar el riesgo de asistir a una Misa en el templo debe de usar un tapa boca y traer su propio alcohol en gel para sus manos al igual que una toalla para cubrir la parte frontal de la banca que puede tocar durante la Misa.**
3. Las personas no se congregaran a socializar antes o después de la Misa, según lo que ordenó el Arzobispo y el guía de CDC (Centro de Control de Enfermedades Nacional). Esto quiere decir que por favor las personas regresen a sus casas inmediatamente después de Misa. La Iglesia será desinfectada después de la Misa para que esté lista para recibir al siguiente grupo de feligreses.
4. **La Iglesia puede acomodar únicamente a personas sentadas en cada otra banca, que estarán separadas por seis pies de distancia y señaladas por medio de cintas de control, para así seguir las reglas de la Archidiócesis y el CDC.**

*Gracias por su cooperación, paciencia y entendimiento.



CONFESIONES:

El Sacramento de la Confesión se celebrará todos los **Miércoles** de 6 a 8 p.m. en el gimnasio del Marlo Cuevas. Traer cubre bocas por favor y mantener la sana distancia y ser breves.

VIDA PARROQUIAL

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 mi 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 si, 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!

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La Oficina Parroquial continúa cerrada al público.

Si necesita asistencia por favor llamanos de 9:00 am a 3:30 pm (Lunes a Jueves) y le asistiremos.

PARISH NEWS



ATTENTION: We are no longer requiring parishioners to call to sign up for mass. We have a capacity for 200 inside the church and can seat parishioners every

other pew. If at any point we reach our capacity there is a possibility that you can be turned away and we may start to have parishioners call again to sign up.

Church Office

**The English Baptism Class
will be Monday, January 11
At 7:00 pm in the Church**

Holy Family Catholic School

Friends and Family of our Holy Community,

Please join Holy Family Catholic School for our Winter Extravaganza Event held virtually on Facebook Live on January 16th at 6:00 p.m. The event is free and we welcome everyone to attend. Thank you for your continued support. We are looking forward to another successful event!

REGIONAL NEWS

KANSAS MASS, MARCH & RALLY FOR LIFE

In recognition of the National Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of the Unborn and the 48th anniversary of Roe vs. Wade, please join the Bishops of Kansas in prayer via the Livestreamed Kansas Mass for Life on Jan. 21st at 10:30 a.m. --www.livestream.com/ArchKCK/KSMassforLife. All are welcome to join the Kansas March for Life in-person beginning at 12:00 pm in front of the Topeka Performing Arts Center, 214 SE Eighth Ave, Topeka. The march will end at the Capitol steps for the Kansans for Life Rally.

Let's stand up for the legal guarantee of the right to life, in penance for the over 60 million lives lost, and to end violations to the dignity of the human person - both child and mother - committed through the act of abortion. Plans are subject to change due to Covid restrictions and possible inclement weather, so please check the archkck.org/prolife website for details and updates.

PARISH NEWS

GOSPEL MEDIATION

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?

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