

January 3rd, 2020

The Epiphany of the Lord

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"The Love of Christ moves us to spiritual growth, through prayer, faith formation and stewardship."

THIS WEEK AT OLG

MONDAY, January 4th

- MCBAC-MTR- Legion of Mary, 5:30-7:30pm
- MCBAC-BR 4th Degree K of C 7-9pm

TUESDAY, January 5th

- MCBAC-PPR - RCIA, 7-9pm
- MCBAC-BR 3rd Degree K of C 6-9pm

WEDNESDAY, January 6th

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

THURSDAY, January 7th

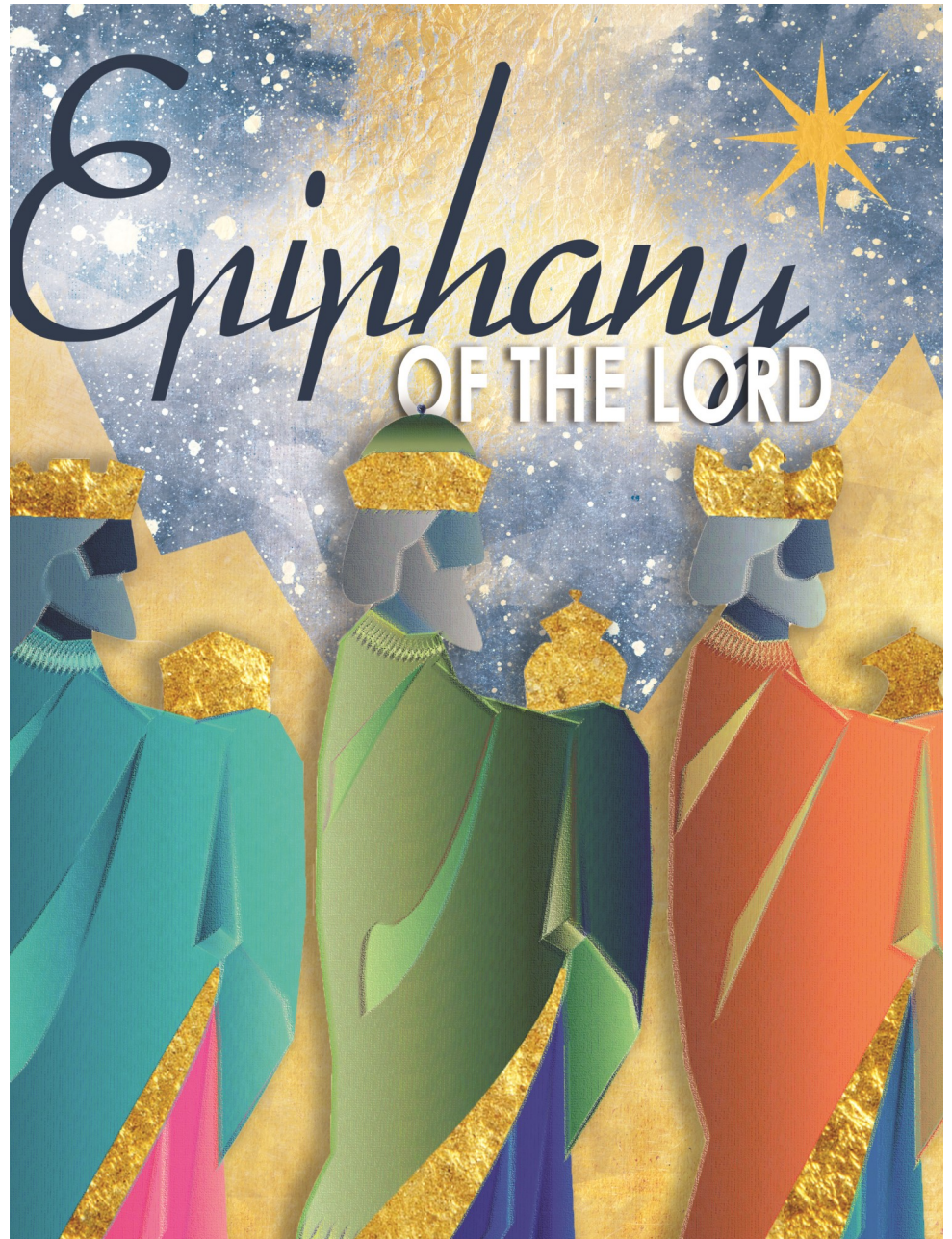
- SCHOOL-SOR 6:15-7:30pm

FRIDAY, January 8th

SATURDAY, January 9th

- MCBAC-BR Spanish Baptismal Class 3-5pm

SUNDAY, January 10th



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

<i>Jr. Vargas</i>	<i>Deacon Ray Delgado</i>	<i>Cruz Chavez</i>
<i>Angel Martinez</i>	<i>Kathy Vasquez</i>	<i>Andrea Katherine Flores</i>
<i>Mary Linda Trimble</i>	<i>Norbert Adame</i>	
<i>Guadalupe Flores</i>	<i>Robert Rios</i>	

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.

Masses For the Week

Sat 01/02	4:00pm †Maria "Pana" Chavez †Placido & Maria Serrano
	6:00pm †Reginaldo Soto de la Rosa †Jesus Manuel Romero †Petronilo Guzman
Sun 01/03	9:00am †Joe "Mayo" Ortiz †Panfilo & Jacinta Toledo & DFM
	11:00am †Jesus Manuel Romero †Jaime Benito Soto de la Rosa Por las Familias de OLG
Tue 01/05	8:00am In Thanksgiving to Jesus Christ
	6:30pm El descanso eterno de las almas del purgatorio
Wed 01/06	8:00am †Jaime Benito Soto de la Rosa
	6:30pm †Jesus Manuel Romero †Reginaldo Soto de la Rosa
Thur 01/07	8:00am †Jaime Benito Soto de la Rosa
	6:30pm †Jesus Manuel Romero †Reginaldo Soto de la Rosa
Fri 01/08	8:00am †Raymond Lopez †Ramona Perez
	6:30pm †Jaime Benito Soto de la Rosa
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 Por las Familias de OLG

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 19th & 20th Weekly Total

Envelope:	\$6,370.00
Plate:	\$536.00
TOTAL:	\$6,906.00
Budgeted Collections (pesupuesto mensual de colectas)	\$15,861.75
Income Over (Under) Budget (bajo del presupuesto)	-\$8,955.75
Building Fund Balance:	\$623,436.41

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



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

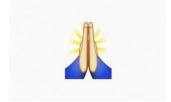
**Live Stream via the Our Lady of Guadalupe Facebook page

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

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 & 11:00 pm
Monday: 12:00am, 1:00am & 3:00am
Tuesday: 4:00am & 9:00 am
Wednesdays:
Friday: 2:00am

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.

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



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

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.



Clase De Bautismo

Sábado 9 de Enero de 3-5pm en la sala MCBAC (salones de abajo).

¡Sea puntual!

Los padres deben traer una biblia, un lápiz y papel.

No niños pequeños por favor.

VIDA PARROQUIAL

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

Hoy celebramos la universalidad del Señor, fiesta conocida como la Epifanía. Celebramos, también la luz de Cristo manifestada en una estrella que guiaba a los Magos de Oriente hasta llegar a su encuentro. *“Al entrar en la casa vieron al niño con María su madre; se arrodillaron y le adoraron. Abrieron después sus cofres y le ofrecieron sus regalos de oro, incienso y mirra” (Mateo 2:11).* Y, nosotros, ¿Qué podemos ofrecerte en este tiempo difícil que estamos pasando? Solo, nos resta decirte: ¡Señor, que tu estrella nos guie y nos ilumine a ser mejores personas, a integrarnos y ayudarnos en este tiempo tan duro que estamos pasando! Las lecturas nos hablan cómo la luz, de diferentes maneras, nos orienta y marca el camino, que es Cristo. Jesús brilla en todas las personas de diferentes razas y estatus migratorio. El deseo de Jesús es esparcir su luz a toda persona, esa luz en otras palabras es su gracia, dada también en los Sacramentos. A pesar de todo lo que estamos viviendo actualmente, la invitación estriba en que el corazón palpite y desborde de alegría en el Señor. Muchas han sido nuestras experiencias en este tiempo de pandemia. Los momentos han sido difíciles, pero la luz de Cristo ha brillado de mil formas en medio de la oscuridad. Ni la oscuridad de la enfermedad, de perder a un ser querido, de la falta de trabajo, por mencionar algunos, ha matado la esperanza. Esa esperanza que nos hace ir más allá de nosotros mismos para dar ayuda a quien lo necesita. ¿Qué harás hoy para que la luz de Cristo ilumine la oscuridad de otros?

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Vacaciones de Invierno

La Oficina de la Iglesia permanecerá cerrada desde el 23 de diciembre al mediodía hasta el 1 de enero. La oficina reabrirá el 4 de enero. En caso de emergencia, llame al 785-215-6113.

Oficina de la Iglesia

PARISH NEWS

Our Lady of Guadalupe
Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe



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



Holy Family Catholic School

Friends and Family of our Holy Community,

As we're sure you're all aware, the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic has led to a need for social distancing to help prevent the spread. For this reason, we've made the difficult decision to not gather for our Winter Extravaganza Event for Holy Family Catholic School this year. Our event will be held virtually on Facebook Live, January 16, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. We welcome everyone to attend and look forward to another successful event! To find out more about our Extravaganza event, to make a donation, purchase raffle tickets or become a sponsor please visit our website at holyfamilytopeka.net or call 785-234-8980. Please be sure to mark your calendar for January 16, 2021 and as always thank you for supporting Holy Family's student success!

PARISH NEWS

GOSPEL MEDIATION

"Where is that thing?" mumbled Bob as he searched frantically on his dimly lit desk for the current electric bill. "I know I put it right on top of these papers this morning!" Growing in frustration and bordering on anger, he flies stuff around, moves books and opines why simple tasks need to be so hard. Enter his wife, who calmly says, "Maybe it would help if you put the light on, dear." The desk light goes on and lo and behold, there is the electric bill right where Bob left it earlier. All it took was a little light!

We stubbornly refuse to turn on the lights! Either we are distracted, determined, disinterested, preoccupied, stubborn, apprehensive, or all of the above. Or perhaps, we fail to do the obvious. We would rather live our lives with the dimmest of lights or even in total darkness.

Why are we afraid to do something so that we can actually see? It might help us to find quicker and better answers to problems, the meaning of life, relationships, happiness, and what is ultimate truth. Yet, we stumble along, moving things from one side to the other, getting angry, feeling cheated, being unsettled, resigning ourselves to the agony of defeat once again.

"And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was." The light has come into the world in the person of Jesus Christ! We no longer have to fumble in the darkness. We have been gifted with the illumination we need to see our way through things and find what we really are looking for. All these years later, however, so many are still reluctant to accept him. Perhaps they are unconvinced, disinterested, preoccupied, stubborn, apprehensive, or all of the above. Everyone has their own reason for not wanting to turn on the switch.

But there are so many answers to so many of our problems in this humble Child of Nazareth. A simple birth teaches us about God's tender wedded relationship with humanity. It speaks to the expanse of God's salvation across the globe, and the incarnate Divine wonders and blessings that are a part of our life moment to moment. It calls us to understand the design of world order God intended as found in the Beatitudes, the sacredness of every human life and all of creation and the meaning of things we struggle with most, like suffering and death. We have a lot of Good News to share, not just with a privileged few but with all the world. All races and creeds can receive God's healing word. God continues to manifest himself even now! Use the light to find what you are really looking for!