

### ALTAR FLOWERS

If you are willing to contribute towards the altar flowers please pick-up a Flower Donation envelope, fill out the requested information and drop the envelope in the collection basket, You can also contact the parish office for more information.

<b>APRIL</b>	In Memory of Maria Gomez (Solis Family) In Memory of Guadalupe & Margarita Bazan In Memory of Victoria M Arredondo In Memory of Victor & Irene Rojas
<b>MAY</b>	In Memory of Epifanio Hinojosa Jr. In Memory of Severo A Perales In Memory of Irene Rodriguez In Memory of Irene A Vargas
<b>JUNE</b>	In Memory of Javier Martinez (Armando Garcia) In Memory of Juan G Gonzales (Jessie Gonzales)
<b>JULY</b>	<b>OPEN</b> <b>OPEN</b>

### A PRAYER FOR RAIN

O God, in Whom we live and move and have our being, grant us rain, in due abundance, that being sufficiently helped with temporal gifts, we may seek with more confidence those that are eternal. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.



SCAN THIS QR CODE TO BE TAKEN TO OUR PARISH WEBSITE'S ONLINE GIVING PORTAL



Apr. 4/5	Lector	Extra Ordinary Ministers	Apr. 11/12	Lector	Extra Ordinary Ministers
<b>8:00PM</b>	Jesus, David, Tori, Alma, Amelia	Juan, Louis	<b>5:30PM</b>	Alma	Amelia, Tori, Alma
<b>8:00AM</b>	Armando	Carmen, Janie	<b>8:00AM</b>	Elisa	Lucinda, Armando, Carmen
<b>10:00AM</b>	Jesse L	Gabriel, Cindy	<b>10:00AM</b>	Brenda	Terri, Ophelia, Raymond
<b>12:00PM</b>	Lupe A	Jesse C., Josie	<b>12:00PM</b>	Patricia	Lupe, Jesse C., Andrew

<b>Baptisms:</b> By Appointment only Contact Parish office for	<b>Reconciliation</b> Confessions are heard on Saturdays from 4-5pm and on request	<b>Marriage</b> By appointment only: Contact parish office at least 6 months prior to	<b>Quincerañeras</b> Must be enrolled and actively participating in Religious Education Classes	<b>Anointing of the Sick</b> Anytime: contact the parish office	<b>Communion to the Sick / Homebound</b> Pastoral Visit: 1st Friday of the Month / Contact the parish office
--	---	---	--	--	---

### HOLY WEEK & EASTER SCHEDULE

<b>Mon. Mar. 30th - Holy Monday</b> 5:30PM - Mass	
<b>Tues. Mar. 31st - Holy Tuesday</b> 8:30AM Mass (Spanish) <i>Note No 5:30PM Daily Mass at Parish</i> 6:30PM - Chrism Mass @ Most Precious Blood Pro-Cathedral	
<b>Wed. Apr. 1st - Holy Wednesday</b> 8:30AM - Mass	
<b>Thur. Apr. 2nd - Holy Thursday — NO 8:30AM Daily Mass</b> 6:00PM - Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00PM - 12:00AM - Eucharistic Adoration (in St. Joseph Chapel)	
<b>Fri. Apr. 3rd - Good Friday</b> 12:01AM to 7:00PM - Eucharistic Adoration 3:00PM - Divine Mercy Chaplet (Novena day 1) 3:15PM - Stations of the Cross 6:00PM - Good Friday Liturgy; Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross & Distribution of Holy Communion	
<b>Sat. Apr. 4th - Holy Saturday</b> 3:00PM - Divine Mercy Chaplet (Novena day 2) 5:00PM - 6:00PM - Confessions 8:00PM - Easter Vigil Mass - (NO 5:30PM Mass)	
<b>Sun. Apr. 5th - Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord</b> 8:00AM - Mass (Spanish) 10:00AM & 12:00PM - Mass (English) 3:00PM - Divine Mercy Chaplet (Novena day 3)	
<b>Mon. Apr. 6th - Fri. Apr. 10th - Weekdays of the Octave of Easter</b> 2:30PM - Masses (No 5:30PM Tuesday, or 8:30AM Wed-Fri Masses that week) 3:00PM - Divine Mercy Chaplet (Novena Days 4-8)	

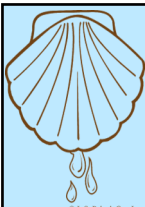
### BIBLE STUDY

Have questions on your Catholic faith? Join us for Bible study, Martes en Espanol y Thursdays in English at 7:00PM This week bible study theme is: Martes 31 de marzo: *Semana Santa* Thursday April 2: *NO CLASS*



### BAPTISMAL CLASS

We will be having our next baptismal class here on **Wednesday, April 8th at 6:30PM.** You **Must** register for the class at the parish office, to attend.



# Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

March 29, 2026



## Immaculate Conception Church

Roman Catholic Diocese of Corpus Christi

Rev. Roy J Kalayil  
*Pastor*

David D. Solis Jr.  
davids@icgregory.org  
*Administrative Assistant*

John Womack & Co.  
*Bookkeeper*

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday:**  
12:30PM - 5:00PM  
**Tuesday - Friday:**  
9:00AM - 12:30PM &  
1:30PM - 4:00PM

**FAITH FORMATION**  
Noreen Saenz  
reoffice@icgregory.org  
*Director of Religious Ed.*

David D. Solis Jr.  
*Asst. Director of Religious Ed.*

**Religious Ed. Office Hours**  
Wednesdays 10:00am - 8:45pm

### WEEKEND MASSES

**SATURDAY (Vigil)** 5:30PM  
**SUNDAY (en Español)** 8:00AM  
10:00AM & 12:00PM

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday (in English) 5:30PM  
Tuesday (en Español) 5:30PM  
*First Tuesday of the Month in the Chapel*  
Wednesday - Thursday 8:30AM  
Friday 5:30PM

### WEEKLY PARISH ACTIVITIES

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET**  
Daily 3:00 pm Chapel

**ST. JUDE NOVENA**  
Tuesdays 6:00 pm

**BIBLE STUDY**  
Tuesdays 7:00PM (Español)  
Thursdays 7:00PM (English)  
R.E. building

**NEW TO THE PARISH?**  
Interested in registering with us? Ask the ushers for a registration form, welcome to the parish. If you would like to become involved with one of the ministries or organizations here, you can find contact numbers on this bulletin

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
*ALL Mass intention requests should be submitted to the parish office.*  
For Intentions to appear in the Bulletin they must be submitted the week prior to requested date. *Donation of \$5 per intention is suggested.*

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL**  
The Chapel is available to anyone 24/7 if you would like to spend time to visit with Jesus in the Eucharist. To get the door code contact the parish office.

**STEWARDSHIP COORDINATOR**  
Mike Lopez 438.9054

**CHOIR COORDINATOR**  
Naida Rios 774.3778

**EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS/LECTORS**  
Jesus Garza 704.2269

**ALTAR SERVERS**  
David D. Solis Jr. 643.4505

**ALTAR SOCIETY**  
Nena Garcia 774.2604

**USHERS**  
Ramiro Peña 222.8857

**BLESSED MOTHER SOCIETY**  
Sylvia Gomez 228.0822

**COMMUNICATIONS**  
Rudy Rivera 877.7533

**DIVINE MERCY APOSTLES**  
Sonya Torres 730.6165

**HOUSE OF FAITH FOOD PANTRY**  
Diana Moreno 765.7696

**Adriana Bernardo** 543.7642

**MAINTENANCE**  
Belen Moreno 558.4320

**SACRED HEART SOCIETY**  
Amelia Flores 443.9811

**ST. MARTHA'S MINISTRY**  
Aurora Leal 229.6956

**ST. JUDE NOVENA**

**ST. CARLOACUTIS YOUTH MINISTRY**  
Jesus Garza 704.2269

**VOCATIONS MINISTRY**  
Lino Solis Jr. 413.8991

**FINANCE COMMITTEE**  
Sylvia Zuniga 813.3023

**PASTORAL COUNCIL**  
Jesse Moreno 443.9917

At the name of Jesus every knee should bend... and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord. *Philippians 2: 10, 11*



107 Church Street PO Box 108 Gregory, TX 78359

facebook.com/ICGregory

www.icgregory.org

Parish Office: 361-643-4505



# Mass Intentions For The Week



**SATURDAY March 28, 2026**  
**5:30PM:** †Diana Schicker (Family)  
 †Johnnie Bill (Rose De La Cruz)  
 †Lupe V Moreno (Rudy & Family)  
 †Aurora Flores (Family)  
 †Dora Tagle (Family)  
 †Esteban & †Candelaria Ortiz (Esteban & Lydia)  
 †Margarito, †Alejandra Guerrero, †David Sanchez (Family)  
 S.I. for Lisa Garcia [birthday]  
 S.I. for Sophia Ortiz (Esteban & Lydia)

**SUNDAY March 29, 2026**  
**8:00AM:** †Eloisa Lozano (Family)  
 †Jose Vasquez (Familia Vasquez)  
 †Gumerindo Montes & †Carmela Solis (Family)  
 †Jose Javier Mendoza, †Mathias Cardoza Jr, †Alvaro Cardoza

**10:00AM:** †Estefana Menchaca (Rene Menchaca & Family)  
 †Guadalupe Ortiz Jr (Family)  
 †Maria Heuston (Sandra Rocha & Family)  
 †David Solis Sr. (Pat, David Jr. & Gabby)  
 †Irene Rodriguez (Rodriguez Family)  
 †Rene O Rios (Melinda, Faith & Hope)

**12:00PM:** †Lelia Guzman (Family)  
 †Juan C Flores Jr. (Juan & Josie Flores & Family)  
 †Ramon Pena & †Emilio Pena Sr. (Lucy & Family)  
 †Adrian G Flores (Family)  
 †Ray Villarreal Sr. & Jr. (Family)  
 †Aurora P Leal (Family)

**MONDAY March 30, 2026**  
**5:30PM:** for the people of Immaculate Conception

**TUESDAY March 31, 2026**  
**8:30AM:** †Cora Hernandez (Family)

**WEDNESDAY April 1, 2026**  
**8:30AM:** for the sick and homebound

**THURSDAY April 2, 2026**  
**6:00PM:** Souls in Purgatory

**FRIDAY April 3, 2026**  
**6:00PM:** *Good Friday Liturgy*

**SATURDAY April 4, 2026**  
**8:00PM:** †Lupe V Moreno (Rudy & Family)  
 †Aurora Flores (Family)  
 †Jose & Guadalupe Lopez (Dora Torres)  
 †Esteban & †Candelaria Ortiz (Esteban & Lydia)  
 †Jose, †Elodia, †Joey & †Elva Valencia (Family)

**SUNDAY April 5, 2026**  
**8:00AM:** †Eloisa Lozano, †Javier Martinez (Family)  
 †Jose Vasquez (Familia Vasquez)  
 †Richard Ortiz Sr (Janie & Family)  
 †Irene Rodriguez (Family)  
 †Gumerindo Montes & †Carmela Solis (Family)  
 †Jose Javier Mendoza, †Mathias Cardoza Jr, †Alvaro Cardoza

**10:00AM:** †Estefana Menchaca (Rene Menchaca & Family)  
 †Guadalupe Ortiz Jr (Family)  
 †Rene O Rios (Melinda, Faith & Hope)  
 †Severo Perales, †John David Ruiz (Elvira Hinojosa)  
 †Tim Rivera, †Maria Gomez (Family)

**12:00PM:** †Lelia Guzman (Family)  
 †Juan C Flores Jr. (Juan & Josie Flores & Family)  
 †Adrian G Flores (Family)

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP	
Envelope Collection	\$3,168.00
Loose Collection	\$969.00
Children's Collection Offering	\$23.00
Building Maintenance Fund	\$50.00
Altar Flowers	\$55.00
Easter Flower Offering	\$247.00
Online Giving	\$325.00
<b>Collection Total - Mar. 21/22</b>	<b>\$4,837.00</b>

*Thank you for your faithfulness, your generous support, and sharing of your gifts with Immaculate Conception Church. May God bless you now and forever.*

### Special Collections for the Month of April

- 3 (Good Friday)- Holy Land Collection**
- 11/12 - Building Maintenance Fund**
- 25/26 - Catholic Home Missions Appeal**



The Sanctuary Lamp which burns near the tabernacle as the reminder of our Lord's presence in the Most Holy Eucharist burns for:

**Special Intentions for Lisa Garcia (Church)**  
**Special Intentions for Lisa Garcia (Chapel)**

If you would like to donate for the sanctuary lamp, please call the parish office to schedule.

**† Belief - Trust - Faith †**

**Prayer is the most powerful against trials, the most effective medicine against sickness and the most valuable gift to someone we care for. Please pray for the sick of the parish, especially:**

*Names remain on the prayer list for two (2) months; after which they are removed, to add/remove a name contact the parish office.*

Rosa Barrera,	Fermin Hernandez,	San Juanita Saenz,
Albert Cavazos,	Jorge Hernandez,	Matthew Salinas,
Elisa Claudio,	San Juanita Hinojosa,	Bernice Sanchez,
Pedro Costilla Sr.,	Guadalupe Z. Lucio,	Adan Salazar,
Johnny Cruz,	Larry Kalich,	Gracie Salazar,
Adela Escobedo,	Jim Malloy,	Raymond Smith,
Anna Flores,	Adolfo Menchaca Jr.,	B Solis,
Christopher Flores,	Kasen Merrill,	Masiela Tijerina,
Eudelia Flores,	Alicia Martinez,	Gloria Treviño,
Guadalupe Flores,	Lupe Moreno,	Joe Treviño,
Juanita Flores,	Hector Muñoz,	Lile Trevino,
Luis Flores,	Angie Ochoa,	Manuel Treviño Jr.,
Mari Flores,	Ramiro Perales,	Nancy Trevino
Flora Garcia,	Julia Rodriguez,	Sara Treviño,
Danny Garza,	Lorena Rodriguez,	Polly Wright,
Agustin Gomez,	Sergio Rodriguez,	Gerri Zambrano,
Isaias Gonzales,	Yolanda G. Rodriguez,	Gracie Zepeda
Esmeralda Hernandez,	Noreen Saenz,	

## THANK YOU FOR JOINING US THIS WEEKEND

### FROM THE PASTORS DESK

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we enter into the most sacred time of the Church year, **Holy Week**, my heart is filled with gratitude and hope for each one of you. This is not just another week—it is the **greatest week of grace**, where we walk closely with Jesus through His passion, death, and resurrection.

Through our **prayer, fasting, and almsgiving**, we have been preparing during Lent. Now the Church invites us to enter deeply into these holy days—not as spectators, but as participants in the mystery of our salvation.

On **Holy Thursday**, we celebrate the beautiful gift of the **Holy Eucharist and the Priesthood**. On that night, Jesus gave us His Body and Blood and entrusted His presence to the Church. He also showed us what true love means through humble service. Let us come with grateful hearts and renew our love for the Eucharist.

On **Good Friday**, we stand at the foot of the Cross. We meditate on the **saving suffering of Jesus**, who gave His life out of love for us. It is a solemn day, inviting us to reflect, repent, and recognize how deeply we are loved by God.

And then comes **Easter**, the day of victory and hope! Jesus rises from the dead, reminding us that **sin and death do not have the final word**. No matter what we carry in our hearts, Christ brings new life, new beginnings, and unshakable hope.

My dear parish family, I warmly invite you to **participate in all the Holy Week celebrations as much as possible**. Make time for the Lord. Come as a family. Walk this journey together. These days are powerful moments of grace that can truly transform our lives.

Let us not miss this opportunity. Let us walk with Jesus... so that we may also rise with Him.

You are all in my prayers.

With love in Christ,

**Fr. Roy**

### PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

My God, sometimes I feel as if you've abandoned me. My cross seems too heavy to bear, but I continue to walk on because I know you will redeem this moment. Today, open my heart as I realize you must've felt the same way as you carried your cross, walking to your death on Calvary. It was excruciating, but you did not give up out of love for me. As I face my personal crucifixion, help me to hope for the Resurrection. Amen.

### CHALLENGE FOR THE WEEK

Pray through the Stations of the Cross this week. You can do it on your own in a chapel, or you can look online to find a service near you. Meditate on what Christ endured and why. If you want to try something a little different, look online to find reflections for the stations through the eyes of Mary.

### DESDE EL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR

Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

Estamos entrando en la semana más importante del año—**la Semana Santa**. Mi corazón está lleno de alegría y esperanza por cada uno de ustedes. Esta no es una semana cualquiera, es un tiempo especial de **gracia y bendición**, donde caminamos con Jesús en su pasión, muerte y resurrección.

Durante la Cuaresma hemos preparado nuestro corazón con **oración, ayuno y caridad**. Ahora la Iglesia nos invita a vivir estos días con más profundidad—no solo mirando, sino participando con fe.

El **Jueves Santo** celebramos el gran regalo de la **Eucaristía y el Sacerdocio**. Jesús nos dejó su Cuerpo y su Sangre, y nos enseñó el amor verdadero sirviendo con humildad. Vengamos con corazones agradecidos.

El **Viernes Santo** recordamos el sufrimiento de Jesús en la cruz. Es un día para reflexionar, arrepentirnos y entender cuánto Dios nos ama. Jesús dio su vida por nosotros.

Y luego celebramos la **Pascua**, el día de la victoria y esperanza. Jesús resucitó, y nos recuerda que el pecado y la muerte no tienen la última palabra. Con Él, siempre hay **vida nueva y esperanza**.

Querida familia parroquial, los invito de todo corazón a **participar en todas las celebraciones de la Semana Santa**, si es posible. Tomen tiempo para Dios. Vengan en familia. Caminen juntos con Jesús.

No dejemos pasar esta oportunidad de gracia. Caminemos con Cristo... para también resucitar con Él.

Cuenten con mis oraciones.

Con cariño en Cristo,  
**P.Roy**

### Parish Office Holy Week and Easter Schedule

The Parish Office will be CLOSED on

- Thursday, April 2 for Holy Thursday
- Friday, April 3 for Good Friday
- And Monday, April 6 for Easter

### Special Prayer Intention of Pope Leo XIV for April

*For priests in crisis*  
 Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

