

# *Pax Et Bonum* Our Lady of Guadalupe

Fort Worth, Texas

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Office Hours: Tuesday- Friday – 9am-12pm and 1pm – 5pm.

**CLOSED - Saturday, Sunday & Monday**



Fray Jose Feliciano Torres, OFM Cap., Pastor  
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Fray Juan Perez, OFM Cap., Parochial Vicar

**MASSES/MISAS**

Saturday/Sábado 6:00 pm English • 7:30 pm Español

Sunday/Domingo

7:30 a.m. Español • 9:30 am English • 11:30 am Español • 1:30 pm Español

Daily Mass • Misas Diarias

8:30 a.m. Tuesday-Friday • 7:00 p.m. Lunes-Viernes

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Sacramento de la Reconciliación Thursday/Jueves 4:00-6:45 p.m., or in the office by appointment/o por cita en nuestra oficina.

## **Religious Education Schedule**

**Sunday – 11:00am – 12:30pm**

Youth Confirmation  
in English

**Tuesday – 7pm – 8:30pm**

Grades 6-11 / First Communion  
in English and Spanish

**Wednesday's – 7pm – 8:30pm**

Grades 6-11 /  
First Communion Classes for  
Middle School/High School  
in English and Spanish

Monday – All Adult RCIA, OCIA  
7pm in English

Thursday – All Adult RCIA, OCIA  
7:30pm in Spanish

## **Religious Education Schedule**

**Saturday – 9am – 10:30am**

Pre K – 5th / First Communion  
Special Needs Formation / OCIA  
Adapted for Children & Youth,  
in English

**Saturday – 11am – 12:30pm**

Pre-k to 5th Grade,  
First Communion  
in Spanish

Please reach to Virginia Rodriguez  
with any questions  
817-626-7421 x 107

## **SOCIAL SERVICES MINISTRY**

**Hours of Operation:**

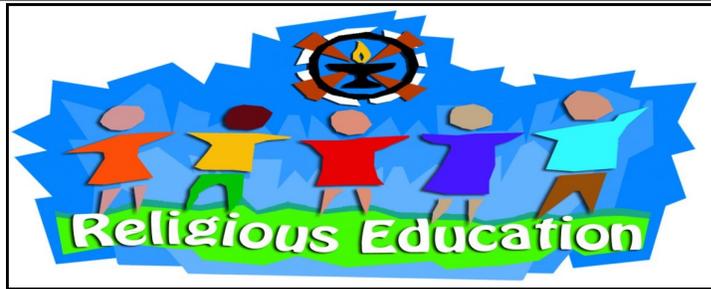
**Tuesdays 4:00-6:00 pm and  
Thursdays 9:00-11:00 am**

Information and referrals, financial assistance and much more. If you have a need, know of someone in need or have questions, we are here to help. For more information, please call us at 817-936-3889 during hours of operation or log onto [www.ourladyguadalupefw.org](http://www.ourladyguadalupefw.org) and click on "services".

## **MINISTERIO DE SERVICIOS SOCIALES**

**Horario: Martes 4:00-6:00 pm y  
jueves 9:00-11:00 am**

Información y referencias, ayuda financiera y mucho más. Si tiene usted una necesidad, conoce alguien en necesidad o si tiene preguntas, estamos aquí para ayudarle. Para más información, favor de llamar durante nuestras horas de servicio al 817-936-3889 o vaya a [www.ourladyguadalupefw.org](http://www.ourladyguadalupefw.org) y oprima "services".



As the 2024–2025 school year comes to a close, we celebrate a year filled with growth, and meaningful connection to our faith. Your continued support and dedication have made a lasting impact on each of us, catechists, volunteers, and students.

Our parish is blessed with the Friars we have supporting and guiding us.

Thank you Fr. Chano, Fr. Beto & Fr. Juan.

This year, we celebrated the diversity of our community through cultural events as they relate to our Catholic faith. The students who participated in the Danzantes for the Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe and the class that sang Christmas carols for each room. These activities and others in individual classrooms demonstrated to our students ways to show our love for Jesus Christ and his Mother, our mother Mary.

We also marked a historic moment in the Church, honoring Pope Francis and welcoming Pope Leo XIV – ushering in renewed hope and leadership for Catholics worldwide.

Looking ahead, for 2026 – Here we are in January ready to welcome our 900 students into the second half of Religious education.

There are students who are preparing to receive the sacraments of Initiation as well as adults who will do so at the Easter Vigil in April.

Our First Communion students in all 11 classes are anxiously awaiting their assessments as we plan their retreats and First Communion masses this spring.

The youth Confirmation dates have been released by the bishops office as June 19 and June 25. Yes, we have two separate services to accommodate our parish.

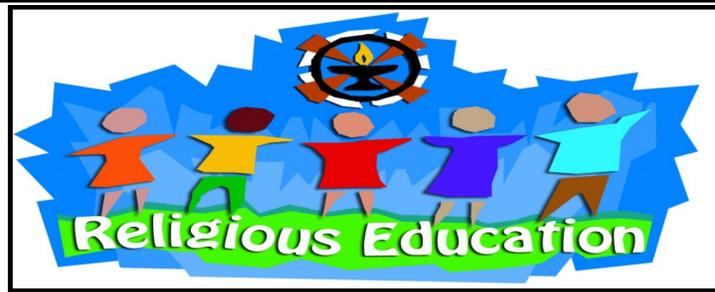
Our adult OCIA catechists and students are preparing for their retreats and dates of their sacraments as well.

The Religious Education program will be busy making sure that all our volunteers are in compliance with Safe Environment.

Still, there is time for ample celebration on the completed year and celebrating the hope and love that this new year brings us.

Happy New Year 2026 to my family of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church.

*Virginia Rodriguez – Director of Religious Education*



El curso escolar 2024–2025 llega a su fin, celebramos un año lleno de crecimiento y de una conexión significativa con nuestra fe. Vuestro apoyo y dedicación continuos han dejado un impacto duradero en cada uno de nosotros, catequistas, voluntarios y estudiantes. Nuestra parroquia está bendecida con los frailes que tenemos apoyándonos y guiándonos. Gracias, P. Chano, P. Beto y P. Juan.

Este año, celebramos la diversidad de nuestra comunidad a través de eventos culturales relacionados con nuestra fe católica, por ejemplo; los estudiantes que participaron en las danzantes de la Novena a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe y la clase que cantó villancicos en cada aula. Estas actividades y otras en aulas individuales demostraron a nuestros estudiantes formas de mostrar nuestro amor por Jesucristo y su Madre, nuestra madre María.

También marcamos un momento histórico en la Iglesia, honrando al Papa Francisco y dando la bienvenida al Papa León XIV, inaugurando una renovada esperanza y liderazgo para los católicos de todo el mundo.

Mirando hacia el futuro, para 2026. Aquí estamos en enero, listos para dar la bienvenida a nuestros 900 estudiantes en la segunda mitad de la educación religiosa.

Hay estudiantes que se preparan para recibir los sacramentos de la Iniciación así como adultos que lo harán en la Vigilia Pascual en abril

Nuestros estudiantes de Primera Comunión en las 11 clases esperan ansiosamente sus evaluaciones mientras planificamos sus retiros y misas de Primera Comunión esta primavera.

Las fechas de confirmación juvenil han sido publicadas por la oficina del obispo como el 19 y el 25 de junio. Sí, tenemos dos servicios separados para acomodar nuestra parroquia.

Nuestros catequistas y estudiantes adultos de OCIA también se están preparando para sus retiros y las fechas de sus sacramentos.

El programa de Educación Religiosa estará ocupado asegurándose de que todos nuestros voluntarios cumplan con Entorno Seguro.

Aún así, hay tiempo para una amplia celebración del año que concluye y para celebrar la esperanza y el amor que nos trae este nuevo año.

*Feliz Año Nuevo 2026 a mi familia de la Iglesia de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.  
Virginia Rodríguez – Directora de Educación Religiosa*



### **Crosses of Love / Cruces de Amor**

The Knights of Columbus invite all parishioners to participate in the “Crosses of Love” campaign, by dedicating a cross in memory of a deceased loved one, offering a scripture quote for someone in need, prayers of healing for family illness, or a simple thank you to someone for helping you through a hard time.

**The Crosses represent millions of babies who have been aborted and remind us as Christians of our responsibility to live the Gospel.**

**The Crosses will be displayed on the grounds of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church from February 9<sup>th</sup> thru February 22<sup>nd</sup>.**

If you would like a cross to be placed on your behalf, the Knights are asking for a voluntary donation. Knights will be in the vestibule of the church on Saturday’s and Sunday’s before and after masses on February 7<sup>th</sup>, February 8<sup>th</sup>, February 14<sup>th</sup> and February 15<sup>th</sup> to accept your donation.

*Thank you in advance - Knights of Columbus Council 16258*

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Los Caballeros de Colón invitan a todos los feligreses a participar en la campaña – “Cruces de Amor”, dedicando una cruz en memoria de un ser querido fallecido, ofreciendo una cita bíblica para fortalecer a alguien que lo necesite, ofreciendo oraciones de sanación por enfermedades familiares, o simplemente dando las gracias a alguien que te ha ayudado en momentos difíciles.

Las Cruces representan a millones de bebés que han sido abortados y nos recuerdan, como cristianos, nuestra responsabilidad de vivir el Evangelio.

Las Cruces se exhibirán en los terrenos de la Iglesia Católica Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe desde el 9 de febrero hasta el 22 de febrero.

Si desea que se coloque una cruz en su nombre, los Caballeros solicitan una donación voluntaria. Los Caballeros estarán en el vestíbulo de la iglesia los sábados y domingos antes y después de las misas el 7 de febrero, el 8 de febrero, el 14 de febrero y el 15 de febrero para recibir su donación.

*Gracias de antemano - Caballeros de Colón Consejo 16258*

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

"Let the Children Come to Me"  
Matthew 19:13-15



This new year for Religious Education begins with several activities scheduled.

This weekend, the first of the Adult Confirmations took place, January 18th. The catechists for this class are Santiago & Virginia Santana. Congratulations to those who were confirmed!

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CHILDREN & YOUTH Empowering Gods Children

This class will be given to all the students from grade 1 through 12<sup>th</sup> as a requirement from the Diocese, the first week of February. The subject of the class is Boundaries. If parents do NOT want their students to attend, an opt out letter will be provided. These letters and instructions will be distributed before February.

**SAVE THE DATE !**

### OCIA RITE OF ACCEPTANCE AND WELCOMING

January 31, 2026,

7:30pm – RITE OF ACCEPTANCE AND WELCOMING FOR ADULTS, both classes .

The catechists will provide more information

February 7, 2026,

RITE OF ACCEPANCE AND WELCOMING FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH ,  
ALL CLASSES. The catechists will provide more information.

**SAVE THE DATE!**

FIRST COMMUNIONS WILL BE HELD ON MAY 2<sup>ND</sup> AND MAY 3<sup>rd</sup>.

SPANISH LANGUAGE : SATURDAY, MAY 2<sup>nd</sup>, 10:00, 12:00PM, 2:00PM

ENGLISH LANGUAGE: SATURDAY MAY 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6:00PM

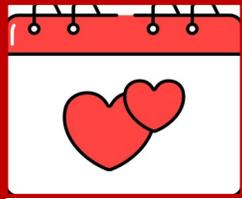
ENGLISH LANGUAGE : SUNDAY MAY 3, 9:30 AM

SPANISH LANGUAGE: SUNDAY, MAY 3 , 11:30 AM

More First Communion details and information will follow.

This is an exciting year for our religious education adult and children and youth programs.

Please pray for our catechists and students.



## MARK YOUR CALENDARS.....

Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish will be participating in the Diocese of Fort Worth Middle School Rally on Saturday, February 14, 2026. This event is open to 6th-8th grade students and includes faith-based talks, music, prayer, inflatables, and games. Contact youth coordinator (Eleazar B. Martinez 817-368-9525) to register.

"Middle schoolers" – mark your calendars for the Middle School Rally on Saturday, February 14! It's a full day of talks, music, games, and inflatables with students from across the diocese. Don't miss out!"

Nuestra parroquia participará en la manifestación de la Diócesis de Fort Worth Middle School el sábado 14 de febrero de 2026. Este evento está abierto a estudiantes de 6º a 8º curso e incluye charlas basadas en la fe, música, oración, hinchables y juegos. Contacta con el coordinador juvenil (Eleazar B. Martinez 817-368-9525) para registrarte.

"¡Estudiantes de secundaria – marcad en vuestro calendario para la manifestación de secundaria el sábado 14 de febrero! Es un día completo de charlas, música, juegos y hinchables con estudiantes de toda la diócesis. ¡No te lo pierdas!"



CATHOLIC DIOCESE  
of FORT WORTH

P R E S E N T S

# MIDDLE SCHOOL RALLY

SATURDAY  
FEBRUARY 14, 2026  
10 AM – 5 PM

IN THIS WAY THE LOVE OF  
GOD WAS REVEALED TO US:  
GOD SENT HIS ONLY SON  
INTO THE WORLD SO THAT  
WE MIGHT HAVE LIFE  
THROUGH HIM.  
1 JOHN 4:10

Nolan Catholic HS  
4501 Bridge St Fort Worth TX

Contact your Youth Minister or DRE for details



FEATURING  
Joe Melendrez

TALKS  
MUSIC  
FUN  
INFLATABLES



*"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."*

*Collection Totals - \$20,270.05 / \$7,404.79*

**PUEDE USAR ESTE CÓDIGO QR PARA HACER SUS DONACIONES.  
YOU MAY USE THIS SCAN CODE TO MAKE YOUR DONATIONS.**



**Happy New Year! - January Kitchen Schedule**

**January 18th – Knights of Columbus /**

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas**

**January 25th – Youth Group.**