

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

1st Sunday of Advent

# Advent

· A Time of Preparation ·



# Adviento

· Un tiempo de preparación ·

1º Domingo de Adviento

**Parish Vision Statement**

Behold the face of God in the present and in the future.

**Parish Mission Statement**

Through the power of the Holy Spirit and the grace of Jesus Christ, the parish seeks to transform people fully into sons and daughters of God.

**Masses / Misas**

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm

Sunday / domingo:

8 am & 9:30 am (English)

11:30 am & 1:30 pm (Español)

5:30 pm (Bilingual), (bilingüe)

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 12:15 pm

Thursday/Jueves 7:00 pm en español

**Reconciliation / Confesiones**

Tuesday / martes : 5-6 pm

Thursday / Jueves: 5-6 pm

Saturday / sábado: 3:30-5 pm

First Friday of the month/

cada primer Viernes del mes: 11-12pm

Other times by appointment / si desea otro horario de confesión, por favor saque una cita.

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Rev. Steve Antes, Parochial Vicar

Retd. Deacon Lewis Palos

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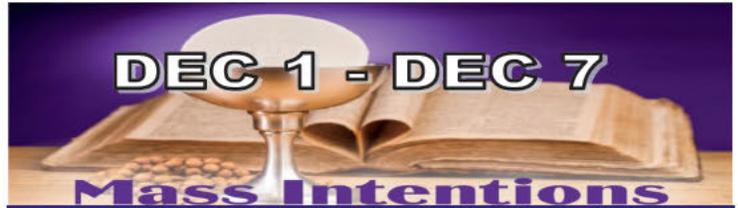
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**EUCCHARISTIC LAMP IS LIT  
THE WEEK OF NOV 30**

**For TJ & Dottie Brown**

**By Cozart & Brown children**



**Monday, Dec 1**

12:15 pm - For all souls in purgatory by Maria Suaste

**Tuesday, Dec 2**

12:15 pm - For all souls in purgatory by Maria Suaste

**Wednesday Dec 3**

**Thursday, Dec 4**

12:15 pm + Lucila Quintero Garcia by Garcia Family

7:00 pm + Maria Celia Martinez Loeza

**Friday, Dec 5**

8:00 am + Angelina Espinoza by Alvarado Family

12:15 pm + Rufino Espinoza by Alvarado Family

**Saturday, Dec 6**

5:30 pm + Gerado Alvarado by Alvarado Family

**Sunday, Dec 7**

8:00 am + John Palos Sr.  
- Deacon Lewis Palos

9:30 am - Pro populo

11:30am - Jose Guadalupe Quiroz Torres

1:30 pm + Gloria Rubio by Herrera Family  
+ Francisco Muñoz  
+ Laura Suaste

5:30 pm + Manuela Sanchez



**Pray for our Sick, Homebound  
and Deceased**

Dr. Dave Campbell, John Tierney, Ramon Alba, Beth Barrows, Yaretzi Castro, Lisa Cantu, Vickie Wright, Marjorie Avery, Juan Carlos Monreal, Charley Smith, Barbara Palos, Luka Chaparro, Betty Carpenter, Miriam Jasmin Santos, Abel Aguilar, Elvira Rosas Pineda, Jose Luis Aguilar, Guadalupe Aguilar, Martha Julia Herrera, Maria Consuelo Luna, Sheryl Maddox, Dennis Paradoski, Michael Pelzel, Jaime O'Donell, Baby Mari O'Donell, Michael Robbins, Rosario Gonzalez, Wayne Blackman, Alma Rosa Rodriguez.

For all those who have died, especially Job Rocha, Oraldo Saucedo, Augustin Aguilar and Felipa Velasquez, that they may find eternal rest in Christ. May the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

## First Sunday of Advent

# Upcoming

EVENTS

At Immaculate Conception

### Monday, Dec 1

8:30AM - 5:00PM Parish Office closed  
12:15PM - Mass  
6:00PM - Reunión de Casitas de Oración (en la escuela)

### Tuesday, Dec 2

12:15PM - Mass  
5:00PM - Confessions

### Wednesday, Dec 3

No Mass

### Thursday, Dec 4

12:15PM - Mass  
5:00PM - Confessions  
7:00PM - Misa

### Friday, Dec 5

8:15AM - School Mass  
12:15PM - English Mass

### Saturday, Dec 6

3:30PM - Confessions  
5:30PM - Mass

### Sunday, Dec 7

8:00AM - English Mass  
9:30AM - English Mass  
11:30AM - Misa en español  
1:30PM - Misa en español  
5:30PM - Bilingual Mass / misa bilingüe



BOOKING MASS INTENTIONS FOR  
THE MONTHS OF JAN, FEB & MAR.

**(First come First serve)**

RESERVE AHORA LAS INTENCIONES DE  
LAS MISAS PARA LOS MESES DE ENERO,  
FEBRERO Y MARZO.

**(Primero en llegar, primero en ser atendido)**

### **Eucharistic Adoration    Adoración Eucarística**

Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
is on Friday from  
1 to 9 pm only  
with Holy Hour  
every First Friday of  
the month from  
7 to 9 pm.



La exposición del  
Santísimo  
Sacramento es los  
viernes de 1 a 9  
pm, con hora santa  
todos los primeros  
viernes del mes de  
7 a 9 pm.

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# Clase De Tamales

Sábado, 6 Diciembre 2025  
Comienza 10:00Am  
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- Zumba
- Botanas y vino
- Karaoke
- Cocina tu propina docena de tamales y llévalos a casa

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THE CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS  
OF THE AMERICAS  
ANGEL TREE

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ANGEL TREE

Angel Tree is ready with tags for adults and children who will be assisted during the Christmas Season. One side of the tag will identify the recipient as an adult male or female, or a child and their age; the other side of the tag will list gift suggestions.

El árbol de ángeles ya tiene las etiquetas para adultos y niños que recibirán ayuda durante la Navidad. Un lado de la etiqueta identificará al destinatario como adulto (hombre o mujer) o niño (y su edad); el otro lado incluirá sugerencias de regalos.

Please return the Angel tags along with the unwrapped gifts on or before December 12, 2025 and place them under the tree. Gifts will be distributed on December 19, 2025.

Por favor, devuelva las etiquetas de Ángel junto con los regalos sin envolver, debajo del árbol antes del 12 de diciembre de 2025. Los regalos se distribuirán el 19 de diciembre de 2025.

\*In addition, we are asking for donations of large Christmas gift bags and tissue. These donations can also be placed under the Angel Tree.\*

\*Además, solicitamos donaciones de bolsas de regalo navideñas grandes y papel de seda. Estas donaciones también se pueden dejar debajo del Árbol de los Ángeles.\*



Thank you for your generosity and support.

Gracias por su generosidad y apoyo.

# Youth Group Shirt

Support our Teens as they attend our DCYC retreat by wearing our shirts designed by them on our theme for the year.

**T-SHIRT**

**DESIGN**

**BLACK SHIRT, WHITE**

**DESIGN**



You can turn in money with Carolina Hernandez or in the office before December 13th. Check needs to be made out to Immaculate Conception (Memo line Youth Group Shirt)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of shirts: \_\_\_\_\_ Sizes: \_\_\_\_\_

# CENA PARROQUIAL

## VIGILIA DE LA INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN

DOMINGO, 7 DE DICIEMBRE A LAS 6:30  
P.M.

TRAIGA SU PLATILLO FAVORITO PARA  
COMPARTIR Y DISFRUTAR DE UNA  
NOCHE CON OTROS FELIGRESES.



# PARISH POTLUCK

## THE VIGIL OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

SUNDAY, DEC. 7TH @6:30PM

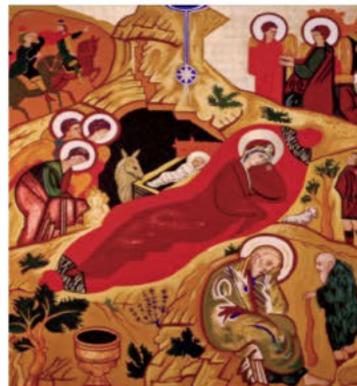
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## *Villancicos de Navidad*

Una Noche de Oración y Alabanza  
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Date: 12/19/2025 Time: 7:00 p.m.



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## *CHRISTMAS CAROLS*

A night of Prayer & Praise  
Location: Immaculate Conception Catholic Church  
Address: 3000 W State Hwy 22, Corsicana, TX 75110  
Date: 12/19/2025 Time: 7:00 p.m.



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First Sunday of Advent

A Message from Father Juan Carlos



Mensaje del Padre Juan Carlos

Dear parishioners of Immaculate Conception, May the grace and peace of God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you. This is the fourteenth reflection on the Jubilee Year of Hope. Another way to gain the plenary indulgence during this Jubilee, is to "participate in popular missions, spiritual exercises, or formation activities on the documents of the Second Vatican Council and the Catechism of the Catholic Church, held in a church or other suitable place, according to the mind of the Holy Father," with devotion (Decree on the Granting of Indulgence during the Ordinary Jubilee Year 2025 called by His Holiness Pope Francis). This is a great way to grow in our understanding of our beautiful and rich Catholic Tradition. It is necessary to fulfill the other requirements to gain an indulgence. The Solemnity of Christ the King marks the end of Ordinary Time and the liturgical year. This week is a good time to prepare for Advent.

In Christ,  
Father Juan Carlos Marín Cortés

Queridos feligreses de la Inmaculada Concepción, La gracia y la paz de Dios Padre y del Señor Jesucristo estén con ustedes. Esta es la decimocuarta reflexión sobre el Año Jubilar de la Esperanza. Otra forma de obtener la indulgencia plenaria durante este Jubileo es participar "en las Misiones populares, en ejercicios espirituales u otros encuentros de formación sobre los textos del Concilio Vaticano II y del Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica, que se realicen en una iglesia u otro lugar adecuado, según la intención del Santo Padre." Decreto sobre la Concesión de la Indulgencia Durante el Jubileo Ordinario del Año 2025 Convocado por Su Santidad el Papa Francisco). Esta es una excelente manera de profundizar en nuestra comprensión de la hermosa y rica Tradición Católica. Es necesario cumplir con los demás requisitos para obtener la indulgencia. La solemnidad de Cristo Rey marca el final del tiempo ordinario y del año litúrgico. Esta semana es un buen tiempo para prepararnos al adviento.

En Cristo,  
Padre Juan Carlos Marín Cortés

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**Prayer to ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL**  
St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the divine power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen. - Ric and Phyllis Pallanich

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