OUR LADY OF THE GULF CATHOLIC CHURCH

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

NOVEMBER 28, 2021

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Reverend Tommy Chen, Pastor Reverend James Dvorak, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Nazario Hernandez Deacon Richard Barfield

Our Lady of the Gulf

Monday, November 29
8:05 a.m. Ashley Duenez †
by Steve & Irene De La Cruz

Tuesday, November 30
8:05 Dominic Nguyen & Peter Nguyen †
by Vu Family

7:00 p.m. - Rosary followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & continuous Adoration to pray for an end to abortion.
(Continues thru Wednesday, December 1 at 8:30 p.m.)

Wednesday, December 1
8:05 a.m. Delfina Servantes †
by Frank & Lupita Reyes

6:00 - 7:00 p.m. - Confessions

8:30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, December 2
8:05 a.m. Crystal Alvarado (Birthday Intention)
by Margaret Escalante

Friday, December 3 **First Friday**
8:05 a.m. Avous Greenly †
by Family

10:00 a.m. NH - Lillian Elder †
by Bobby Meyer

Saturday, December 4 **First Saturday**
8:30 a.m. Confessions

Latin Mass 9:00 a.m.
Pedro Montenegro, Daniela & Consuelo Moreno †

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Confession

5:30 p.m. Larry Stavinoha †
by Glenda Stavinoha

Sunday, December 5
8:00 a.m. Roman Mendoza, Enedina Diaz & Patricio Mendoza †

10:00 a.m. Deacon Alonzo Calzada †
by Family

12:00 p.m. Los niños no nacidos y proteccíon de todos niños

St. Ann, Point Comfort

Wednesday, December 1
9:00 a.m. Raymond Peña, Jr. †

Sunday, December 5
10:30 a.m. Francis Francisco Xavier Nguyen†

St. Joseph, Port O'Connor

Tuesday, November 30
8:30 a.m. Eugene & Margaret Barefield †

Saturday, December 4
6:00 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Gulf and Her Missions

St. Patrick, Seadrift

Thursday, December 2
9:00 a.m. Minerva Torres †
& Lilliana Torres †

7:00 p.m. First Thursday Holy Hour for Vocations

Sunday, December 5
8:30 a.m. Minerva Torres
& Lilliana Torres †

10:30 a.m. - Vietnamese Mass
Helen Gohlke †

Readings:

Sunday, December 5, 2021
Second Sunday of Advent
Reading 1 - Baruch 5:1-9
Reading 2 - Philippians 1:4-6, 8-11
Gospel - Luke 3:1-6

Prayer Requests

Louis Bonuz, Veronica Aguilar, Carolyn Orta, Josephina Velasquez, Mike Nichols, Diane Billings, Linda Stringo, Helen Thomas, Teddy Hawes, Edwin Anderle, Robert Hilscher, Georgia Mikosh, Gary Weaver, Frances Benavides, Pat McGrath, Leigh Ann Falcon, Billy Mikosh, Easton Burns, Chantal Hawes, Mary De La Garza, Rogelio Sanchez Jr., Minerva Piña, Joe Piña, Irma Hughes, Claudine Saenz, Zachary De La Rosa, Dora De La Rosa, Victoria Michalik, Dora Alicia Sanchez, Claudio Gonzales, David Farmer, Stephen Burke, Yolanda O'Riley, Ismael Ramirez, Josephine Novak, Ryon Preslar, Pattie Barrava, Linda Mooney Garcia, Dolores Cuellar, Marya Beard, Doug Schiller, Juan Cantu III, Annette Lujano, Beverly Rodriguez

Lamp Intention
Week of November 24 - December 1
Carlos Falcon †
By Family

Pray for Our Military

Sergeant First Class Mark A. Reyes, Lieutenant Commander Chris Hedrick, Senior Airman Derek Servantes, Petty Officer Robert Drapela, A1C Isaiah Falcon & Senior Airman Xaviar Archangel, Lieutenant Kevin Stransky, Sergeant Brandon Hoelscher, William Grubert, Staff Sergeant Mychal Hamilton, 3rd Petty Officer Shane A. King, Jr., Sergeant First Class Michael Dennis, Staff Sergeant Evan Padron

PLEASE REMEMBER SATURDAY CONFESSIONS ARE FROM 4:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

ADVENT CONFESSIONS

Each Wednesday, December 1, 8, 15 & 22
from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. in the church.

CONTINUOUS ADORATION TO PRAY FOR AN END TO ABORTION

Tuesday, November 30 at 7:00 p.m. thru Wednesday, December 1 at 8:30 p.m. in the church.
We will begin with a rosary at 7:00 p.m.

THE MEN OF ST. JOSEPH

Thursdays at St. Sharbel from 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Come join us for a brief time of prayer and encouragement as we become stronger with our friends, our families, our church and our Lord.

First Saturday Latin Mass
December 4, 2021

2022 Latin Mass Dates:
Jan 1, Feb 5, Mar 5
Make time to attend the 9:00 AM Mass on First Saturdays to honor and console the Immaculate Heart of our Blessed Mother.
Confessions before Mass at 8:30 a.m.

SAVE THE DATE:
Ordination of Deacon Richard Barfield to the Priesthood
Saturday, January 8, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.
The Cathedral of Our Lady of Victory
1309 E. Mesquite Victoria, TX
Parish reception on Sunday, January 9, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.
RSVP required, call the office to rsvp before December 1.

RESERVA LA FECHA:
Ordenación al sacerdocio del diácono Richard Barfield
Sábado 8 de enero de 2022 a las 10:00 a.m.
La Catedral de Nuestra Señora de la Victoria
1309 E. Mesquite Victoria, TX
Recepción parroquial el domingo 9 de enero del 2022 a las 5:00 p.m. ***Se requiere reservacion,*** por favor llame a la oficina parroquial para reservar antes de diciembre 1.

ADVENT SALE!

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The Mass Intention Book will open on TUESDAY, January 4, 2022 at 8:30 a.m. for the months January, February and March of 2022. Any one person may schedule a maximum of two (2) weekday (Monday - Friday) Mass intentions per month and no more than one (1) weekend (Saturday or Sunday) Mass intention per month. Requests by phone are not accepted on opening day.

El Libro de intención de misa se abrirá el MARTES 4 de enero del 2022 a las 8:30 a.m. para los meses de enero, febrero y marzo de 2022. Cualquier persona puede solicitar un máximo de dos (2) intenciones de Misa entre semana (de lunes a viernes) por mes y no más de un (1) fin de semana (sábado o domingo) de intenciones de Misa por mes. Las intenciones no son aceptadas por teléfono por este dia.

Monthly Baptism Class: December 2, 2021

Deadline to register for this class is Monday, November 29, 2021
The Sacrament of Baptism will be scheduled only after all of the required documentation has been received in the parish office. For more information call 361-552-6140 ext. 3.

El Consulado General de Mexíco en Houston, Texas anuncia que llevará a cabo el Consulado Movil en la cuidad de Port Lavaca para atender a la comunidad mexicana que está requiriendo pasaportes y matriculas consulares. El Consulado Móvil estara en el salon de San Judas en 300 Austin Street de Port Lavaca el Sabado 11 de Diciembre. Solo se atenderán a las personas que obtengan cita previa en el telefono 1-877-639-4835 o por internet mexitel.sre.gob.mx.

Christmas at Sea Gift Boxes **DUE TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30**.
Shoebox types that are acceptable are cardboard or plastic but not a boot box or children's shoe box size. Christmas can be such a lonely time for them, especially being isolated because of the Covid-19 pandemic, and that they are also hundreds of miles away from home. Flyers available in the narthex of the church or parish office with a list of suggested items to include in the boxes.

The Christmas Flower Envelopes Offerings in honor or in memory of loved ones are used to decorate the OLG and Mission Churches at Christmas. Envelopes may be placed in the collection baskets or brought to the office by Thursday, December 16.

City of Point Comfort Parade! Everyone is invited to the parade at the Bayfront park on Thursday, December 9 at 6:00 p.m. For more information call Point Comfort City Hall at 361-987-2661.

2nd Annual Nativity Exhibit The community is invited to come out to the Red Barn 3187 Hwy. 35, Port Lavaca to view the exhibits. This event will be held on December 3, 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. and December 4 & 5, 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Anyone wishing to display a Nativity may call 361-935-8032 or 361-550-8620.

Help needed for cleaning of the church. You do not need to be a member of any organization to help. Contact any member listed below.
Ayuda para la limpieza de la iglesia. No es necesario ser miembro de una organización para ayudar. Para más información, comuníquese con cualquiera de los miembros en la lista siguiente.
November 29 & December 3 - Altar Society
Contact Tracie Massey at 361-935-7121
December 6 & 10 - Pan de Vida
Contact Mary Moreno at 361-553-9594
December 13 & 17 - Conquistando Las Naciones
Contact Juana Salinas at 361-746-3285

SAVE the DATES:

December 7, Tuesday - Vigil of the Immaculate Conception
5:30 PM - OLG
6:00 PM - St. Joseph

December 8, Wednesday - Holy Day of Obligation
Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
8:05 AM - OLG
12:00 PM - St. Ann
7:00 PM - St. Patrick
7:30 PM - OLG

December 12, Sunday - Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe
5:00 AM - Mañanitas
3:00 PM - Fiesta at old Knights of Columbus Hall in Six Mile

December 14, Tuesday - 5:00-7:00 PM - Advent Penance Service

December 24, Friday - Vigil of Christmas
5:00 PM - OLG
6:00 PM - St. Joseph

December 25, Saturday - Christmas Day - Holy Day of Obligation
12:00 AM - Midnight Mass - OLG
8:30 AM - St. Patrick
10:00 AM - OLG (Bilingual Mass)
10:30 AM - St. Ann

December 25, Saturday - Vigil for Sunday
NO 4:00 PM CONFESSIONS AT OLG
5:30 PM - OLG
6:00 PM - St. Joseph

December 26, Sunday - Feast of the Holy Family
Sunday schedule of Masses the same as regular Sundays

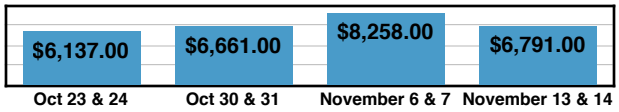
December 31, Friday -
Vigil of the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God
5:30 PM - OLG

January 1, Saturday - Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God
(NOT a day of obligation this year)
9:00 AM - Solemn High Mass in TLM

January 8, Saturday – 10:00 AM – Priestly Ordination of Deacon Richard Barfield at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Victory in Victoria

January 9, Sunday – 5:00 PM – Parish dinner reception for Fr. Richard Barfield *(Please call the church office to reserve your place for the dinner by December 1)*

OLG Collections



November 20 & 21

OLG $6,211.00 St. Ann $1,125.00
St. Joseph $ 548.00 St. Patrick $846.35
Catholic Campaign for Human Development $1,551.85
OLG Capital Campaign Loan Balance - $175,500.36

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Monthly Meetings:
3rd Thursday
6:30 p.m. St. Jude Hall

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Meet each Monday
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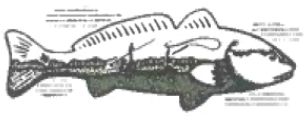

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