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<p>PORT LAVACA CLING</p> <p>John B. Wright, MD Leigh Ann Falcon, MD Destiny Ibram, FNP-C</p> <p>1200 N Virginia Port Lavaca, TX 77979 361-552-6721</p>	<p>Scully's Joseph's Diner & General Store 2011</p> <p>SEAFOOD-WINGS-BURGERS-SALADS & MORE JOIN US FOR LUNCH OR DINNER!! OPEN TUESDAY - SATURDAY @ 11:00 AM 361-482-0691</p>	<p>Our Lady of the Gulf Altar Society</p> <p>Monthly Meetings: 3rd Thursday 6:30 p.m. St. Jude Hall</p>	<p>Knights of Columbus Council No. 3253</p> <p>Monthly Meeting each Fourth Thursday at 7:00 p.m. at St. Jude Hall</p>
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<p>OUR LADY'S Healing Center</p> <p>Contact Us</p> <p>OurLadysHealingCenter.com info@OurLadysHealingCenter.org</p>	<p>JECO'S OUTDOOR SHOP</p> <p>Helm Family, Port O'Connor TX www.jecosoutdoors.com</p>	<p>CALHOUN HOME HEALTH</p> <p>1200 N. VIRGINIA, STE. 0 PORT LAVACA, TX 77979 361-526-6492</p> <p>Tuesday: Belkirk, RN Co-Chair: Farkas, RN ap@calhounhomehealth.com</p> <p>Monday: Luchman, RN Mazgonis, Victoria, RN Refugio Center</p>	
<p>5 Sons RV Park</p> <p>220 Ave. D Port Lavaca</p> <p>Luis or Pam De La Garza 361-482-7810</p>	<p>Russell Witte TRAVEL ADVISOR</p> <p>Russell.Witte@Fora.Travel +1(361)212-4992 @WitteTravel www.foratravel.com</p>	<p>"Looking to buy or sell your home?" Annette Alonzo@ ABR, SRS, GRI, PSA, your local real estate expert, can help! Call 361.676.5305 or visit annettealonzo.portlavacarealestate.net for a free consultation. Special offer for church members: Free home evaluation!"</p>	

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NOVEMBER 30, 2025
FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
(HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)

VIGIL
SUNDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 7
5:30 P.M. - OLG
6:00 P.M. - ST. JOSEPH, PORT O'CONNOR

MONDAY, DECEMBER 8
OLG - 8:05 A.M. AND 6:00 P.M.
12:00 P.M. - ST. ANN, POINT COMFORT
7:00 P.M. - ST. PATRICK, SEADRIFT

OUR LADY OF THE GULF

Monday, December 1

8:05 a.m. Johnny Perez †
by *Nancy Perez*

Tuesday, December 2

8:05 a.m. Frank O. Reyes †
by *Family*

Wednesday, December 3

8:05 a.m. Deceased members
of the Allums Family
by *Mr. & Mrs. Richard Allums*

3:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
followed by Benediction

FIRST THURSDAY, December 4

8:05 a.m. Johnny Perez †
by *Nancy Perez*

7:00 p.m. Hora Santa para Vocaciones

FIRST FRIDAY, December 5

8:05 a.m. In honor of the 38th Wedding
Anniversary of Francisco & Isabel Farias
by *their children*

8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
followed by Benediction

10:00 a.m. @ Nursing Home
Joe Manuel Rodriguez †
by *The Rodriguez Family*

FIRST SATURDAY, December 6

8:30 a.m. Confession
9:00 a.m. Mass in Latin
Loretta Sandoval †

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

5:30 p.m. John Stewart †
by *Carol Stewart420*

Sunday, December 7

8:00 a.m. Mary Sobeida Ramirez †
by *Cynthia, Tina, Joey & Melissa*

10:00 a.m. Living & deceased members of
Our Lady of the Gulf and Her Missions

12:00 p.m. Jaqueline Granados y Familia
de parte de Imelda Anaya

**Vigil of the Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

5:30 p.m. Melissa Weaver †
by *Kenny & Rosy Weaver*

Monday, December 8

**Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:05 a.m. Jesus & Carmen Hernandez †
by *Family*

6:00 p.m. - Living & deceased members of
Our Lady of the Gulf and Her Missions

ST. ANN, POINT COMFORT

Wednesday, December 3

9:00 a.m. NO MASS

Sunday, December 7

10:30 a.m. The Unborn

Monday, December 8

**Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

12:00 p.m. Anna Marie Hlavaty †
by *Jeanette Hlavaty*

ST. JOSEPH, PORT O'CONNOR

Tuesday, December 2

8:30 a.m. Manuel Ramirez † & Josefina Madrigal †
by *Antonio Ramirez*

FIRST THURSDAY, December 4

6:00 p.m. Holy Hour for Vocations

Saturday, December 6

6:00 p.m. Stephen Bell †
by *Pete & Becky Gray*

Sunday, December 7

**Vigil of the Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

6:00 p.m. Josue Jurado †
by *Jesus Jurado*

ST. PATRICK, SEADRIFT

Thursday, December 4

9:00 a.m. NO MASS

Saturday, December 6 (In Vietnamese)

7:00 p.m. Virgil D. Price †
by *Ursula Price*

Sunday, December 7

8:30 a.m. Deceased members of
Knights of Columbus Council 3253
and Catholic Daughters Court 2267

Monday, December 8

**Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

7:00 p.m. Souls of Our Sisters,
parents and benefactors
by *The Dominican Sisters*

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Louis Bonuz, Veronica Aguilar, Mike
Nichols, Teddy Hawes, Leigh Ann
Falcon, Billy & Georgia Mikosh, Ryon
Presler, Janie Segura, Lisa Reyes,
Leslie Sanchez, Benny Thomas,
Amalia Arellano, Yvonne Woods,
Stacey Valentine, Robert Vidaurri,
Josh Cardenas, Mr. Nugyen, Lucy
Piña, Roxanna H. Castillo, Derek
Salinas, Lucy Escobar, Janie Garza,
Whitney McAfee, Alicia Fivecoat,
Socorro C. Gonzales, Jo Ann Evins,
Robert Ondreas, Carolyn Adrian,
Sandy Duncan, Kathy Hollas, Eugene
Menchaca, Wesley Sudderth, Colleen
Eckermann, Carolyn Keil, Lillie Mae
Allen, Patrick Kurtz, Camila Valdivia,
Mary Jo Patschke, Charles W. Cobos,
Fred Hartl, Maureen Head, Socorro
C. Soto, Julieta Alvidres, Louis Rubio,
Ellen Kirby, David Evins, Mary
Chavez, Edgar Staha, James Mertink

Lamp Intention

Week of December 4 - 10
In thanksgiving for Fr. Tommy Chen
by *Friends of OLG*

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

SFC Mark A. Reyes, US Army
Captain Chris Hedrick, USN
SSgt Derek Servantes, USAF
PO Robert Drapela
A1C Isaiah Falcon
SSgt Brandon Hoelscher, USMC
William Grubert, USMC
TSgt Mychal Hamilton
SSgt Michael Dennis
1SG Evan Padron, US Army
William Strauss
Ty De Soto, USMC
PFC Eligio R. Garcia, USMC
SFC Rudolpho Vasquez, Jr.
Alexander C. Castillo, USAF
Nathan Nguyen, US Army
Jordan Dworaczyk II, USAF
CS FCPO Edward Perez, Navy
Melanie King, USAF
Esperanza Martinez, US Army
Luke Green, US Army

READINGS: Sunday, December 7, 2025 SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Reading 1 - Isaiah 11:1-10
Reading 2 - Romans 15:4-9
Gospel - Matthew 3:1-12

FIRST THURSDAY HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS

The Eucharistic Holy Hours to pray for Vocations
will be hosted by a different parish each month.
Please join in whenever you can:
December 4 - 6:00 PM - St. Joseph, Port O'Connor
No Holy Hour on January 1, 2026 - Holy Day of Obligation
February 5, 2026 - 6:00 PM - St. Ann, Point Comfort
March 5 - 6:00 PM - St. Patrick, Seadrift

RETIRO DE ADVIENTO

“Esperando al Señor con Esperanza” El Sabado, 6 de
Diciembre del 2025 de las 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. en el Salon de
San Judas de Nuestra Señora del Golfo. Expositora : Hna
Aracely Lobaton, MCHS. Todos son bienvenidos.

THE MASS INTENTION BOOK will open on Tuesday,
December 9 at 8:30 a.m. for the months of January, February
and March of 2026. Only one Sunday mass per month per
person in the parish office making requests. Requests are not
accepted by phone.

EL LIBRO DE LAS INTENCIONES DE MISAS se abre el dia
martes, 9 de diciembre para los meses de enero, febrero y marzo
del 2026. Cualquiera solicitando una intención puede venir a la
oficina de la parroquia comenzando a las 8:30 de la mañana. Las
intenciones no son aceptadas por telefono.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12

6:00 a.m. Mañanitas a la Virgen
4:45 p.m. Rosary in the church
5:30 p.m. Mass
Festivities will begin after the mass **at St. Jude Hall.**
Everyone is invited!

CELEBRACION DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE, VIERNES, 12 DE DICIEMBRE

6:00 a. m. Mañanitas a la Virgen
4:45 p. m. Rosario en la iglesia
5:30 p. m. Misa
Las festividades comenzarán después de la misa **en el
Salón San Judas.** Todos son invitados!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHRISTMAS GIFT CARD RAFFLE 18 GIFT CARD PRIZES

TOP PRIZE \$1000.00 LOWEST PRIZE \$100.00

Drawing will be held on Saturday, December 13 at St. Jude Hall.
Purchase tickets from any KC member or by calling Miles
Thompson at 361-552-5808.

TARJETAS DE REGALO NAVIDEÑAS DE LOS CABALLEROS DE COLÓN 18 TARJETAS DE REGALO COMO PREMIO PREMIO MAYOR: \$1000.00 PREMIO MENOR: \$100.00

La rifa sera el sábado 13 de diciembre en el Salón de St. Jude.
Compre sus boletos de rifa de cualquier miembro de los Caballeros
de Colón o llamando a Miles Thompson al 361-552-5808.

Help needed for cleaning of the church If you would like to
help please contact the organization leaders for the time in which they
meet to see what works for you. You do not need to be a member of
any organization to help.

Ayuda para la limpieza de la iglesia Si usted esta interesado/a
en ayudar con la limpieza de nuestra iglesia por favor pase en los
dias apundados abajo.

Dec. 1 & 5 - Conquistando Naciones, Olga Sandoval 361-433-3933
December 8 & 12 - Altar Society, Irene Hare at 361- 649-1467
December 15 & 19 - Pan de Vida, Mary Moreno at 361-553-9594

OLG Collections



October 25 & 26 November 1 & 2 November 8 & 9 November 15 & 16

November 22 & 23

OLG \$6,483.00 Jesu Caritas \$1,797.00
St. Ann \$573.00 Jesu Caritas \$54.00
St. Joseph \$474.00 Jesu Caritas \$183.00
St. Patrick \$1,139.00 Jesu Caritas \$128.00

2026 Property Insurance Premiums and

2026 Diocesan Service Appeal (DSA) Amounts Our Lady of the Gulf

Property Insurance Premium \$82,112.32
DSA \$65,818.00

St. Ann, Point Comfort

Property Insurance Premium \$8,446.50
DSA \$9,901.00

St. Joseph, Port O'Connor

Property Insurance Premium \$9,827.87
DSA \$15,375.00

St. Patrick, Seadrift

Property Insurance Premium \$8,561.61
DSA \$11,501.00

SAVE THE DATES:

Saturday, December 6 – 9:00 AM – First Saturday Mass

Saturday, December 6 - 7:00 p.m. - Seadrift Community
Choir Christmas Performance at St. Patrick in Seadrift

**December 8 – IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
(HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)**

VIGIL, Sunday Evening, December 7

5:30 p.m. - OLG

6:00 p.m. - St. Joseph, Port O'Connor

Monday, December 8

OLG - 8:05 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

12:00 p.m. - St. Ann, Point Comfort

7:00 p.m. - St. Patrick, Seadrift

Wednesday, December 10 – 7:00 PM - Service of Lessons
and Carols – Prepare for the celebration of Christmas with
this special service of Scripture and Hymns

Friday, December 12 – OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE –
5:30 p.m. Mass, celebration afterward at St. Jude Hall.

Tuesday, December 16–5:00-7:00PM -Advent Penance Service

Wednesday, December 24 – Thursday, December 25 –
NATIVITY OF OUR LORD – Day of Obligation – (Mass
schedule to come later)

CHRISTMAS AT SEA GIFT BOXES DUE DECEMBER 15

Flyers available in the narthex of the church or parish office
with a list of suggested items to include in the boxes. Please
wrap, do not use a gift bag, use wrapping paper.

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 Monday, December 15.