



Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church

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Closed for Lunch

Friday: 9:00 am-Noon

PARISH MINISTRIES

Lectors	Melinda Ledesma
Altar Servers	Bryan & Jannie Wilkerson
Eucharistic Ministers	Dcn. Daniel Romo
Greeters	Jesse Valerio
Media, Power Point	Maria Kopel
Religious Education	
Adult Formation-OCIA	Melinda Garcia
EDGE & LifeTeen	Mark Esparza
Confirmation	Dcn. Ted Hernandez
Elementary	Esmeralda Torquemada
Meditation Groups	Sr. Antonieta Salazar
Funerals	Dcn. Joe Morin
Quinceañera Classes	Dcn. Joe Morin
Marriage Preparation	Dcn. Daniel Romo
Pastoral Council	Rolando Rodriguez
Finance Committee	Adolfo Varela
Guadalupanos	Johnny Ramirez
Guadalupanas	Margie Olivarez
ACTS	Dcn. Ted Hernandez & Alice Camacho
Jail Visitation	Dcn. Manuel Lopez, Jr
Girl Scouts	Margie Olivarez
Cursillo Movement	Monica Cedillo
Ultreya	Tuesdays, 7:00 pm
WTOS	Ruby Gonzalez

REPORTING ABUSE OR NEGLECT It is the policy of the Diocese of Lubbock to report any allegations of sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to law enforcement. (More information online) Information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to Victims Assistance Coordinator Oscar Reyes at (806) 543-9178 or to diocesan officials.



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil	5:30 pm	Español
Sunday	8:30 am	English
	11:00 am	English

Monday 11:30 am
Tuesday No Daily Mass

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 11:30 am

Please call the parish office or check Facebook for unexpected Mass changes.

CONFESSION

Saturday 4:30 pm
and by appointment

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Rudolf Crasta, Pastor
Sr. Antonieta Salazar, MCSCJM
Rev. Mr. Joe Morin
Rev. Mr. Manuel Lopez, Jr.
Rev. Mr. Daniel Romo
Rev. Mr. Ted Hernandez
Rev. Mr. Ernest Hernandez (Ret.)

PARISH OFFICE STAFF

Maria Marin & Irma Galvan, Reception
Karen Macha, Finance

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Our Parish Family works to create a greater love for Christ and His Church by: building community, growing faith in all generations, caring for the most vulnerable, and extending the Mercy and Love of God to all.

We are One Church, One Family

Please come by the parish office
to place your Mass Intention.

INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Saturday, April 15, 2023

5:30 pm Mass for the People

Sunday, April 16, 2023

8:30 am † Timoteo Lara ER

11:00 am † Johnny Hernandez ER

Monday, April 17, 2023

11:30 am

Wednesday, April 19, 2023

11:30 am

Thursday, April 20, 2023

11:30 am

Friday, April 21, 2023

11:30 am

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Eternal Rest

Ricardo Rodriguez David H. Ureste
Kristian Contreras Juan Garcia

Intentions for Healing

Juan Oyervidez	Juanita Lopez
Jeri Trejo	Mona Oliva
Blas Gutierrez	Raymond Janssen, Jr.
Aron Pena	Evelyn Williams
Johnny Olivarez	Marina Gloria
Antoinette Flores	Jovita Zamora
Tommy Gomez	Belinda Perez
Candice Shaver	Chris Gayton
Diana Sanchez	Aavian Hernandez
Jesse Aguilar	Jimmie Arbuckle
Sierra Cruz	Clarisse Oliva
Blanca Herron	Norma Foster
Connie Herron	Benito Ortiz
Jesus Ledesma	Maya Rose Navarro
Armida Montenegro	Juan Gutierrez
Eric Gutierrez	Liza Martell
Teodoro Gutierrez	Randy Sosa
Gorgonio Marin	Evangeline DeLaRosa
Nena Cabrera	Sofia Herrera
Ramona Morin	John Castillo
Enes Vasquez	Robert Ford
Sylvia Saucedo	Deana Morin
Mary Helen Rodriguez	Daniel Olivarez
Josie Castro	Letitia King
Teresa Morin	San Juanita Herrera
	Meg Elmore

In loving memory of Timoteo Lara



All our love...
your wife, Paula
your children,
+Joe Lara, +David Lara,
Rosey Lara, +Roy Lara,
Jane Lara Cruz and
Steve Lara, and
your grandchildren and
great grandchildren.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK —

Week of April 16, 2023

Divine Mercy Sunday: Acts 2:42-47;
Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 Pt 1:3-9;
Jn 20:19-31

Monday: Acts 4:23-31; Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9;
Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5;
Jn: 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9;
Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18,
19-20; Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14;
Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19;
Jn 6:16-21

Third Sunday of Easter: Acts 2:14, 22-33;
Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; 1 Pt 1:17-21;
Lk 24:13-35

Weekly Collections

Easter Sunday, April 9, 2023

\$ 5,945.00 Envelopes

\$ 6,004.00 Loose

\$ 11,949.00 Total

Easter, 2nd Collection, April 9, 2023

\$ 1,691.00 Total

Holy Thursday, April 6, 2023

\$ 1,355.00

Good Friday, April 7, 2023

\$ 588.00

April 2, 2023

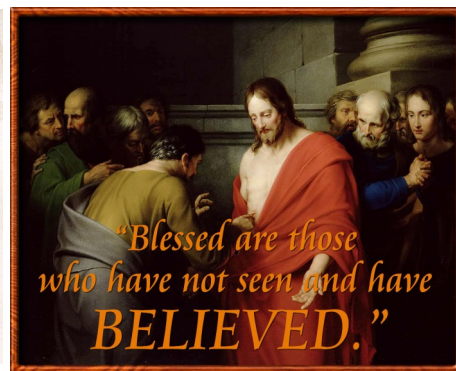
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\$ 7,775.00 Envelopes

\$ 2,834.12 Loose

\$ 10,609.12 Total

\$ 488.00 Altar Flowers



ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Friday in the Chapel

The Blessed Sacrament
will be exposed for
Adoration every Friday,
after the 11:30 a.m. Mass.



BENEDICTION BEGINS AT 5 P.M.

Melinda Garcia and OCIA candidates
are grateful to Fr. Rudi for his support
and celebration of the sacraments on Holy
Saturday Vigil Mass and
for the deacons who spoke at their retreat.
Also, special thanks to Chelsea Guitron and
Miranda Constancio for helping
with the retreat.

JAMAICA MEETING

(note time change)

Sunday, April 16th—3:00 p.m.

**FOR BOOTH VENDORS &
ANYONE INTERESTED IN
HAVING A BOOTH.**

Grupo Las Estaciones— para 60 o mas años de edad

**Miércoles — 19 de abril
a las 10 a.m.**



Tema: Pascua

"Por supuesto nos quitaremos toda la pelusa."

THIS SUNDAY

Breakfast Martinez Family

Coffee Felix Gonzales' Group

NEXT SUNDAY

Breakfast Guadalupanos' Group

Coffee Joe Rodriguez's Group

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER ~ DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



John 20:19-31

The Gospels tell us that Jesus appeared to the disciples on several occasions after they discovered that his tomb was empty. Part of the mystery of Jesus' Resurrection is that he appeared to his disciples not as a spirit but in bodily form. The bodily form was not one that the disciples recognized though. In John's Gospel, Mary of Magdala does not recognize that the figure standing before her is Jesus until he speaks to her. In Luke's Gospel the disciples who meet Jesus on the road to Emmaus do not recognize him until he breaks bread with them. The resurrected Jesus had a physical presence, but the disciples couldn't recognize Jesus unless he allowed them to. His resurrected body, nonetheless, showed the marks of his crucifixion.

From readings such as today's Gospel, we also see that in his resurrected body, Jesus seems to be free of physical constraints. He appears to the disciples despite the fact that the doors were locked.

Jesus greets his disciples with the gift of peace and the gift of the Holy Spirit. In doing so, Jesus commissions his disciples to continue the work that he has begun: "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." During the meeting, Jesus also shows the integral connection between forgiveness of sins and the gift of the Holy Spirit.

The story of Thomas illustrates our Christian experience today: We are called to believe without seeing. In fact, all Christians after the first witnesses have been called to believe without seeing. Thomas's doubt is hardly surprising; the news of Jesus' appearance was incredible to the disciples who had seen him crucified and buried. Thomas's human nature compelled him to want hard evidence that the Jesus who appeared to the disciples after his death was indeed the same Jesus who had been crucified. Thomas is given the opportunity to act on that desire. He is our witness that Jesus is really risen.

Our faith is based on the witness of the Church that has preceded us, beginning with Thomas and the first disciples. Through Baptism we receive the same Holy Spirit that Jesus brought to the first disciples. We are among those who are "blessed" because we believe without having seen.

Sunday Connection, Loyola Press



GUADALUPANAS

- Sunday, April 16, 2:00 p.m.—
Meeting. All members are invited.



~ Women's Conference ~
Sunday, April 23rd—
3:00 -5:00 p.m.

Registration begins at 2:45 p.m.

Topic: Arthritis, Pain & General Wellness

All women are invited ~ Bring a friend

Guadalupeano Scholarship Applications
are currently being accepted. Applications
forms are available at the parish office.

Graduating high school seniors may apply.

Deadline to submit application is April 28th.

MEETING 1st & 3rd Thursday of every month—
7:30 to 8:30 p.m.



Contact Mark Esparza, 806-632-0251 or
EDGE.OLG.LBK@GMAIL.COM

**UNDERSTAND
THE CHURCH, BIBLE,
&
MEET FELLOW YOUNG
CATHOLICS**

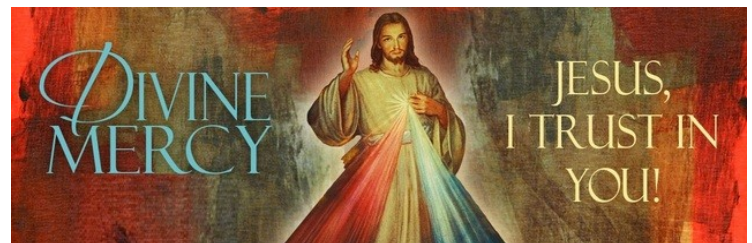


A study and fellowship group for
18-21yrs

Join us every Tuesday @6:30 in
Buxkemper hall
starting April 11th

for more information contact

Mark Esparza: 806 632 0251 : edge.olg.lbk@gmail.com



Come out and watch priests, deacons and
consecrated women play kickball against the
youth of the diocese.

Food and baked goods will be sold at the event.

**Kickin' It
WITH THE Hokies**
Friday, April 23-- 5:00 p.m.
at Holy Spirit Catholic Church **Kickball Game**