



He will baptize you
with the Holy Spirit
& Fire LUKE 3:16

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church

Sunday, January 12, 2025

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Welcome to Our Parish!

We are delighted to serve you and keep you in our prayers.
May your visit today bring you peace and inspiration.
We hope to see you again soon, embracing the warmth of
our faith-filled fellowship.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil

4:30 p.m. (English)

6:45 p.m. (Spanish)

Sunday

7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 3:00 p.m. (English)

6:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Monday - Saturday

8:30 a.m. (English)

+ Tuesday

8:30 a.m. (Spanish)

6:30 p.m. (English)

+ Wednesday

12:10 p.m. (English)

Office Hours

Monday - Friday

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Closed 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. for lunch.

Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday

3:30 p.m.

Wednesday

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Or by appointment

Adoration

Tuesdays 9:00 a.m. - Wednesdays 9:00 p.m. (Chapel)

Night of Worship 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

(First Wednesday of the month)

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 11, 2025
4:30 pm +Patsy Espino

6:45 pm Darcy Richardson
+Guillermo Ramirez

Sunday, January 12, 2025
7:30 am Richard & Helen Garcia and family, +Father
Herbert Glugla

10:00 am Celia De la Cruz,
+Jesse Martinez

12:30 pm Carl & Leticia Eads

3:00 pm June Strunk,
†John & +Patricia Kraus

6:00 pm Kendra Gutierrez,
Kayla Gutierrez

Monday, January 13, 2025
8:30 am Emmett Clarson

Tuesday, January 14, 2025
8:30 am Rose Dillard y familia,
Shirley Domyancic y familia

6:30 pm +Rosemarie Rippel,
+Peter Van Alstine

Wednesday, January 15, 2025
8:30 am Living & Deceased members of Our Lady of
Guadalupe Parish

12:10 pm Figueroa kids and grandkids

Thursday, January 16, 2025
8:30 am +Rosalio Luis Avila

Friday, January 17, 2025
8:30 am Edgardo Jimenez, +Leonila Caharian

Saturday, January 18, 2025
8:30 am Living & Deceased members of Our Lady of
Guadalupe Parish

4:30 pm +Silvina Mendez,
+Tila Padilla

6:45 pm +Jesus Navarro,
+Lupita Rodriguez

Sunday, January 19, 2025
7:30 am +Omahar Aranda

10:00 am Elva Hernandez Flores,
+Jesse & +Teresa Cerna

12:30 pm +Gabriel Olay

3:00 pm Living & Deceased members of Our Lady of
Guadalupe Parish

6:00 pm Miembros y Vivos de la familia Botello,
+Rosa Delia Cadena

L & D = Living & Deceased

**The Pope's Intentions for January : For the right to an
education**

Let us pray for migrants, refugees, and those affected by
war, that their right to an education, which is necessary
to build a better world, might always be respected.

Scripture Readings



For the Week of January 12, 2025

Sunday Baptism of the Lord

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 29-1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30; Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Monday

Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday

Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6, 7, 8-9; Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday

Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 1:29-39

Thursday

Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11; Mk 1:40-45

Friday Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbot

Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8; Mk 2:1-12

Saturday

Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mk 2:13-17

Sunday Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

New Parish Office Hours



Office will be closed from 12-1pm for lunch

SAINT HILARY (c. 315-367)*January 13*

Born in Poitiers, France, whose populace would later elect him bishop, Hilary, married and a father, was converted from paganism to Christianity through his reading of scripture. The focus of his prayerful study was the Prologue to the Gospel according to John, which portrays Jesus as the divine Logos, eternally begotten of the Father. As a result, Hilary became in the words of the biblical scholar Jerome, “the Latin Trumpet against the Arians,” heretics who believed Jesus to be merely human, not divine. In defense of Christ’s divinity, Hilary was not only eloquent in debate but utterly fearless in the face of relentless persecution and even exile. Thus by the witness of his own discipleship, Hilary taught that faith in Jesus as the divine Son of God has consequences. Reflecting on Jesus’ challenge to his disciples, “You are the salt of the earth” (Matthew 5:13), Hilary notes that, as salt both preserves from corruption and adds savor to food, so must the faithful disciple bear a witness that, by word and example, leads others to immortality and virtuous living.

—Peter Scagnelli

Jubilee Year**Pilgrims of Hope**

The Jubilee Year 2025, proclaimed by Pope Francis and themed “Pilgrims of Hope,” is a profound opportunity for spiritual renewal and unity. Beginning December 24, 2024, with the opening of the Holy Door at St. Peter’s Basilica, this special year invites us to deepen our faith, embrace God’s mercy, and foster community. Here in the Archdiocese of San Antonio, designated pilgrimage sites, including San Fernando Cathedral and Mission San José, will host events such as Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, and special Jubilee Masses. These acts of devotion provide opportunities to obtain plenary indulgences and draw closer to God.



Our Lady of Guadalupe – Helotes encourages all parishioners to participate actively in the Jubilee celebrations. From attending Archdiocesan Jubilee Masses for groups such as youth, families, and the sick, to engaging in the Day of Prayer and Reconciliation on October 25, 2025, this year is a time to grow in faith and community. Join us in making pilgrimages, performing acts of mercy, and celebrating this journey of hope and renewal. Stay tuned for updates on local events and opportunities to be part of this historic occasion!

Weekly Calendar

Monday, January 13

6:30PM Edge

Tuesday, January 14

9:00AM Eucharistic Adoration Begins

10:00AM AMSIF Meeting

5:30PM Take Heart Grief Support Group

6:30PM St. Vincent de Paul Membership Meeting

Wednesday, January 15

9:30AM MOMS Group

7:00PM Confession

9:00PM Eucharistic Adoration Ends

Thursday, January 16

10:00AM Stitching 4 Outreach Meeting

7:00PM Women's Group

Friday, January 17

7:30PM Cenaculo de la Divina Voluntad

Saturday, January 18

Sunday, January 19

12:45PM Confirmation

4:15PM LifeTeen

View All Parish Events
on our **Website**
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SUNDAY
COMICS



Thank You from St. Vincent de Paul

The members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Helotes Conference would like to thank you for all of your help last year. Your support and generosity helped us feed and provide utility support to struggling families in our community.

Together, we were able to assist our neighbors in need throughout the year and during the holiday season. The recent success of our Thanksgiving Food Drive and Christmas Gift Card programs would not have been realized without your compassion and desire to help those most in need. We thank you for opening your heart to our ministry. May the Lord continue to bless you and your families in the new year!

Important Notice: Beware of Scam Messages

We want to alert all parishioners to be cautious of scam texts or emails claiming to be from Fr. Scott. These fraudulent messages may ask for help or even request money. Please be assured that Fr. Scott will never contact parishioners via email or text to ask for money or any personal assistance. If you receive such a message, please block the sender and report it immediately. Your vigilance helps protect our parish community from these deceptive schemes. Thank you for your attention to this matter and for helping us maintain a safe and trusting environment.

Next Baptism Prep Class

Join us **Thursday, January 16, from 6:30–8:00pm** in the main church. This class is for parents and godparents. No RSVP or registration required. Please note, nursery or childcare will not be available.

Upcoming Parish Office Closure

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed on **Monday, January 20th**, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Regular office hours will resume on Tuesday, January 21st. Thank you for your understanding!

Next Children's Bible Story Time

Children's Bible Story Time is a fun and faith-filled event where our church's youngest children learn about God's love through stories and crafts. This is a free event for children ages 0 to 5 years old. No signup is required, simply come in and attend this fun-filled hour. Parent must be present, no child drop offs and daycare will not be available. Our next class is **Thursday, February 13th at 10am** in the Parish Hall!

LoveStrong Marriage Retreat

Weekend event with NO OVERNIGHTS! **Feb. 14 – 16, 2025** at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, Helotes, at The Annex Family Center, 11762 FM 1560, Helotes, TX 78023.

Registration opens December 2024 & will be ongoing -- Register at <https://lovestrongmarriage.com>. (Click on "Retreat Details", then find "Spring 2025 Feb. 14-16 @ Our Lady of Guadalupe...Helotes, TX") – Call (210) 262-0088 / Maria Cortes or (210) 262-0087 / Mike Cortes, Co-Lead Couple or Email cortesmmem@gmail.com for more information. Space is limited to 33 couples!

The Baptism of Our Lord


“John answered them all, ‘I baptize you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming...he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit...’” - Luke 3:16

The Catholic Catechism states that “Jesus’ immersion in the water is a sign for all human beings of the need to die to themselves to do God’s will.” In other words, as baptized Catholics there is only one gift that we need to give to Jesus – the gift of ourselves. Surrender yourself to God, place your trust in Him and allow the Holy Spirit to work through you for the greater glory of God.

The Baptism of the Lord

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Fr. Mike reminds us that living generously and intentionally not only helps others but also deepens our relationship with God.

Scan the QR code to watch this impactful video and be inspired to make stewardship a meaningful part of your life!



Weekly Collection & Mass Attendance

Thank you for your patience as we undergo restructuring at our parish. We will be providing collection and mass attendance information in upcoming bulletins. We appreciate your continued generosity in support of our Church.

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Do Your Children See You Give? Every parent wants to raise children who share and give generously. When our children someday meet God face to face we want to know that they will hear Jesus say to them the same words the master said to those who used their talents wisely, "Well done, my good and faithful servant...Come, share your master's joy." (Matt 25:21) However, raising a generous child is a challenge in a society that constantly teaches children to want more and more things for themselves. One of the key factors in teaching children to be generous is to let them see you giving. After all, children mimic what they see, not what they hear. Today many donations to the parish Offertory may be made electronically, monthly, quarterly, or via mail. Thus, children may never actually see their parents give. A child who never sees a parent place an envelope in the Offertory could grow up thinking, "My parents never gave any support to the Church. Why should I?" Therefore, it is important that parents talk with children about the charitable gifts the family makes. If you would like to increase your giving you might even ask your kids about ways the family budget could be adjusted so that there is more to share with God. Their suggestions might surprise you!

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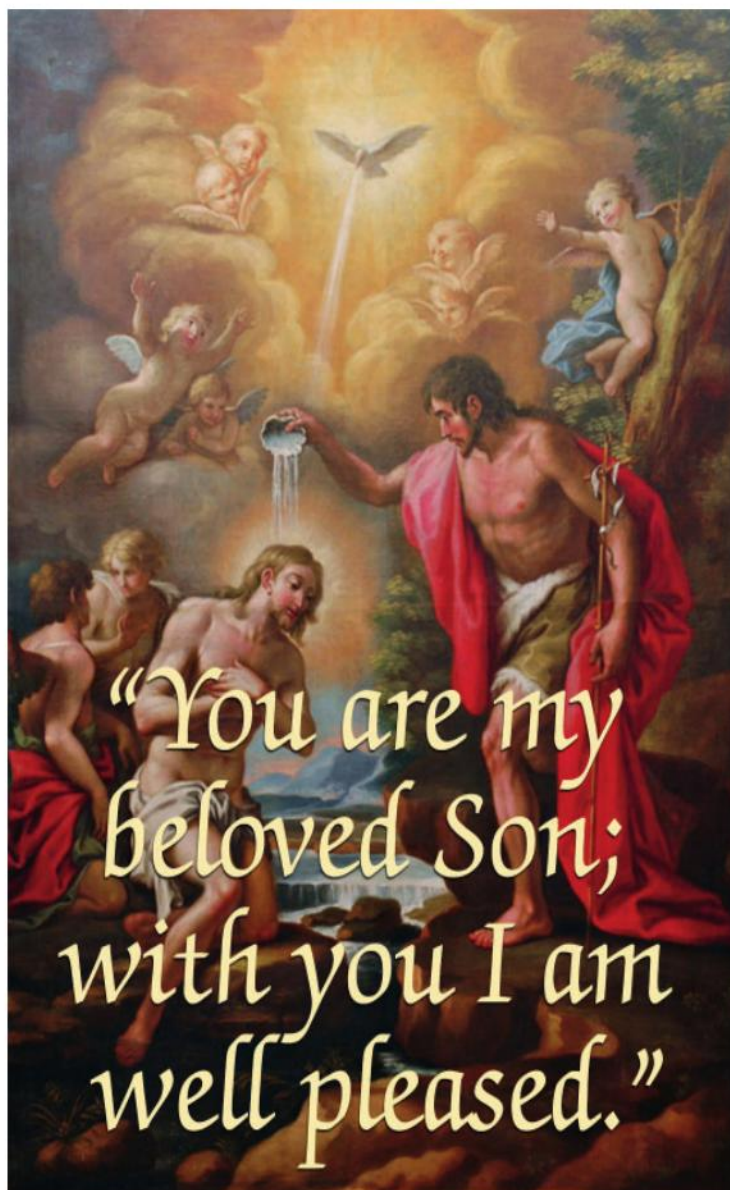
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