

ST. MARK CHURCH

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Confession: Sunday 8:00-8:45a or by appointment. Adoration 8:00-8:45a

Mass Times and Intentions

Day		Time	
Sun 11	St Mk	9:00 AM	Saffold requests
	HC	11:15AM	
Mon 12	St Mk	5:30 PM	Stewart request
Tue 13	St Mk	5:30 PM	Marcantel requests
Wed 14	St Mk	5:30 PM	Mitchell requests
Fri 16	St Mk	5:30 PM	Weih requests
Sat 17	St Mry	5:00 PM	
Sun 18	St Mk	9:00 AM	
	HC	11:15AM	

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19; 12:1-6, 10; Jdt 13:18-19; Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47,

or any readings from the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary, nos. 707-712

Tue: Zep 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps 34:2-7, 17-19, 23; Mt 21:28-32

Wed: Is 45: 6-8, 18, 21-25; Ps 85:9-14; Lk 7:18-23

Thu: Is 54:1-10; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; Lk 7:24-30

Fri: Is 56:1-8; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Jn 5:33-36

Sat: Gn 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8, 17; Mt 1:1-17

Sun: Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-6; Rom 1:1-7; Mt 1:18-24

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sun: 3rd Sunday of Advent

Mon: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Tue: St. Lucy

Wed: St. John of the Cross

Fri: Las Posadas begins Rights Day

Prayer Concerns: Stephanie Coleman; Phyllis Cox; Jordan Smith; Brian Smith; Candice Carter; Genesis Chua; Heidii Chua; Doronia Dantin; Pam/James Guanzon; Cindy Theriot; Marilyn Weih; Edward and Susan Carmine; Steven Mahanes; Steve Hartness; Charlotte Roberson.

Collections Last Week

Regular Collection \$ 2,540.03

Second Collection 740.00

December 11, 2022

* The CCD students will perform a **Christmas skit** on Dec. 18. A donut social will follow.

* The church will be **decorated** on Dec 18, following Mass. We can use your help.

Please join us for an **Advent Retreat** on Saturday, December 17, 9am-2pm at St. Mark. Lunch will be provided. Fr. Eddie D’Almeida will lead the retreat which will include the Sacrament of Reconciliation. There is sign up on the credenza.

Mark you calendars for the St. Mark International Dinner on Saturday, January 28, 2023.



Christmas Eve: Mass is at 8:00 PM at St. Mark. 5:00 PM at St. Mary’s (McGehee)
Christmas Day: Mass is at 9:00 AM at St. Mark. 11:15 AM at Holy Child (Dumas)

The Parish Office will be closed the week of Christmas. Bulletin information for Dec 25 and Jan 1 should be in the office by Dec. 20.

The collection at all masses on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day will be for the **Clergy Welfare Fund**. This fund provides retirement and health care benefits to retired and infirm priests around our diocese. These priests have dedicated their lives serving throughout our diocese and are continuing to serve in whatever ways possible. Your contributions make our priests’ retirement possible. Please share with them the generosity that they continue to share with us. The entire collection at the Christmas

Day and Christmas Eve Masses will go to the Clergy Welfare Fund- no matter what envelope they are in. Since the office will be closed the last week of December, and the collection on Dec 25 will be sent to the Clergy Welfare Fund, if you want to make a 2022 contribution to the **parish**, it must be in the collection on Dec 18, or brought to the parish office by Dec 23.

La colecta en todas las misas en Nochebuena y Navidad será para el Fondo para el Bienestar del Clero. Este fondo provee beneficios de jubilación y cuidado de salud a los sacerdotes jubilados y enfermos en nuestra diócesis. Estos sacerdotes han dedicado sus vidas sirviendo en toda nuestra diócesis y continúan sirviendo de cualquier manera posible. Sus contribuciones hacen la jubilación de nuestros sacerdotes posible. Por favor compartan con ellos la generosidad que ellos continúan compartiendo con nosotros.

Dec 11	Lector	Ushers	Eucharist	Altar Servers	Offertory	Counting
Sun	Pricila	Ray, Jerry	Joe, Craig, David M	Jose, Chuey, Emma	Confrm. Class	B

THIRD SUNDAY OF



DECEMBER 11, 2022

“Go and tell John what you hear and see: the blind regain their sight, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the poor have the good news proclaimed to them.”

MATTHEW 11:4-5

