## OUR LADY OF CONSOLATION CHURCH-VATTMANN

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**ONLINE GIVING:** Look for the Online Giving banner on our website

Rev. Andy Sensenig OMI, Pastor Michael Valenzuela, Deacon

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Office Hours: Tues/Thurs 11:00am-3:00pm Office is closed on Mondays for Fr. Andy's day off.



Our Lady of Consolation Church—Vattmann

Mass Times

Sunday Mass: 8:00am

Daily Mass

Mon-Sat: 8:00am

Holy Hour & Confessions Saturdays 3:00pm



Sacred Heart Mission Ricardo

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00pm



Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission—Riviera

Sunday Mass 12:00 noon

#### Confessions

### Saturday

Our Lady of Consolation 3:00pm-4:00pm, During Adoration,

&

Available before all Masses or by appointment.

| Mass Intentions |          |                        |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Sat.            | 12-13-25 | 5:00pm<br><b>SHM</b>   | People of the Parish  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sun.            | 12-14-25 | 8:00am<br><b>OLC</b>   | In Thanksgiving for All Parishioners—by Gwen Rudellat †Marvin Schonefeld—by the Wendler Family †Jack Turcotte—by Vern & Therese Crocker †Norman Beadle—by John & Tracy Beadle |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sun.            | 12-14-25 | 12 noon<br><b>OLGM</b> | People of the Parish  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mon.            | 12-15-25 | 8:00am<br><b>OLC</b>   | Seth Crocker—by Therese & Vern Crocker  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tues.           | 12-16-25 | 8:00am<br><b>OLC</b>   | Gwen Rudellat (bday)—by Lucille Rodebaugh<br>†Tony Dietz, Sr.—by Therese & Vern Crocker   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wed.            | 12-17-25 | 8:00am<br><b>OLC</b>   | †Coleman Burris—by Therese & Vern Crocker<br>†Tony Dietz, Sr.—by Chuck & Amy Schultz  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thu.            | 12-18-25 | 8:00am<br><b>OLC</b>   | †Shelley Turcotte Rivers—by Therese & Vern Crocker  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fri.            | 12-19-25 | 8:00am<br><b>OLC</b>   | †Lois Bush—by John & Tracy Beadle<br>†Van Crocker—by Therese & Vern Crocker   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sat.            | 12-20-25 | 8:00am<br><b>OLC</b>   | T.J. Poyner—by Tony Dietz, Sr. Family<br>†Tony Dietz, Sr,—by Therese & Vern Crocker   |  |  |  |  |  |  |

#### Week of December 14th—Third Sunday of Advent

#### Scriptural Readings

**Isaiah 35: 1-6, 10** The desert will bloom. "Here is your God, he come with vindication; the blind will see, the lame will leap." **Psalm 146** Lord, come and save us.

James 5: 7-10 Like the farmer, be patient. Make your hearts firm because the coming of the Lord is at hand. **Matthew 11: 2-11** "Are you the one who is to come?" Jesus answered, "Tell John what you see: the blind regain sight, the lame walk...None born of woman is greater than John, yet the least in the kingdom is greater than he."

#### Catechism References

**59-64** God choose Abraham and forms Israel. **541-550** The kingdom of God is at hand. Proclamation and signs of the kingdom. **717-720** John: precursor, prophet, Baptist.

#### **WEEKLY PARISH PRAYER EVENTS**

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DAY & TIME: Rosary and Prayer at Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission in Riviera each Wednesday at 6:00pm

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** Thurs at 6:30pm, silence & prayer with anointing & confession available when you leave. Adoration will be Thursday, Dec 4th at OLC in Vattmann. \*\*Prayer works.†\*

#### **PARISH PRAYER LIST**



†Nita Hubert Yaklin, †Tony Dietz, Sr., John Taggart, Pauline Taggart, Jim Bryant, Juana Garcia, Fred Yaklin, Noe Pena, Gerald & Marian Unterbrink, Sophia Munson, Michelle Newton, Jan Yaklin, Priscilla Pena, Deacon Michael Valenzuela, Cecelia Castillo, Geraldine Kuntscher, Shane Leone, Sylvia Molina, David M. Sensenig, Jr., Alfredo Garcia Jr., John Cumberland, Helena Sanchez, Dakota Blea, Goldia Hubert, Jerry Cumberland, Fr. Jim Chambers, OMI, Debbie Unterbrink

#### Please keep everyone on our Prayer List in your prayers

#### **Upcoming Feasts & Events for the Month of December 2025**

December 14—Third Sunday of Advent

Special Collection - Retirement Fund for Religious
\*\*\*OLGM Raffle Drawing after Mass at noon\*\*\*

December 21—Fourth Sunday of Advent

\*\*\*Annual Parish Christmas Party at OLC Vattmann\*\*\*
December 24—Christmas Eve

December 25—The Nativity of the Lord

December 26—Saint Stephen, the First Marty

December 27—Saint John, Apostle, Evangelist December 28—The Holy Innocents, Martyrs

December 29—The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Today we celebrate "Gaudete Sunday" from the Latin word "gaudeamus" or "let us rejoice." Rose is the color of the priest's vestments and the third candle of the Advent wreath, replacing the deep violet of the previous Sundays.

'Awaken! Remember that God comes!

Not yesterday, not tomorrow, but today, now!



# to our Parish Christmas Breakfast

December 21, 2025 immediately after 8:00am Mass Our Lady of Consolation Parish Hall

All Parishioners from Our Lady of Consolation,
Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission,
and Sacred Heart Mission are invited!!!
Children can meet and take pictures
with Santa starting at 9:30 am
Join in and sing Christmas Carols

# OLGM Riviera Raffle December 14th

Tickets

One for \$5, Five for \$20 Lots of Great Prizes Purchase from any OLGM Parishioner

Drawing Dec. 14 after the Noon Mass

See complete list of prizes at olcvattmann.org



HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS: Office hours will be irregular December 14-January 4th For Assistance, please call Barbara (956) 433-1625

#### **SECOND COLLECTIONS for DECEMBER**

**RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS** The second collection today, **Sunday, December 14, 2025** is for the Retirement Fund for Religious. Please donate to help thousands of elderly religious individuals retire with dignity. **CHRISTMAS COLLECTION** 

In your giving envelopes, you will find a special envelope for our Christmas Collection. Please give generously.

| <u>WEEKLY OFFERINGS</u>           |      |         |     |           |     |            |                  |            |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|------|---------|-----|-----------|-----|------------|------------------|------------|--|--|
| ;                                 | SHM  | Ricardo | OLG | M Riviera | OLC | : Vattmann | Total            |            |  |  |
| Week of Nov 30th                  | \$   | 517.50  | \$  | 558.00    | \$  | 1,737.00   | \$2,812.         | 50         |  |  |
| Online Giving                     | \$   | 80.00   | \$  | 55.60     | \$  | 964.60     | \$1,100.         | <u> 20</u> |  |  |
| WEEKLY TOTAL                      | \$   | 597.50  | \$  | 613.60    | \$2 | 2,701.60   | \$3,912.         | 70         |  |  |
| <b>Annual Cemetery Collection</b> | n \$ | 121.00  | \$  | 32.00     | \$  | 910.00     | <b>\$1,063</b> . | 00         |  |  |



Door Prizes will be awarded

Scan the QR Code to give Today!



**Our Lady of** 

#### Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission



Sacred Heart Mission

