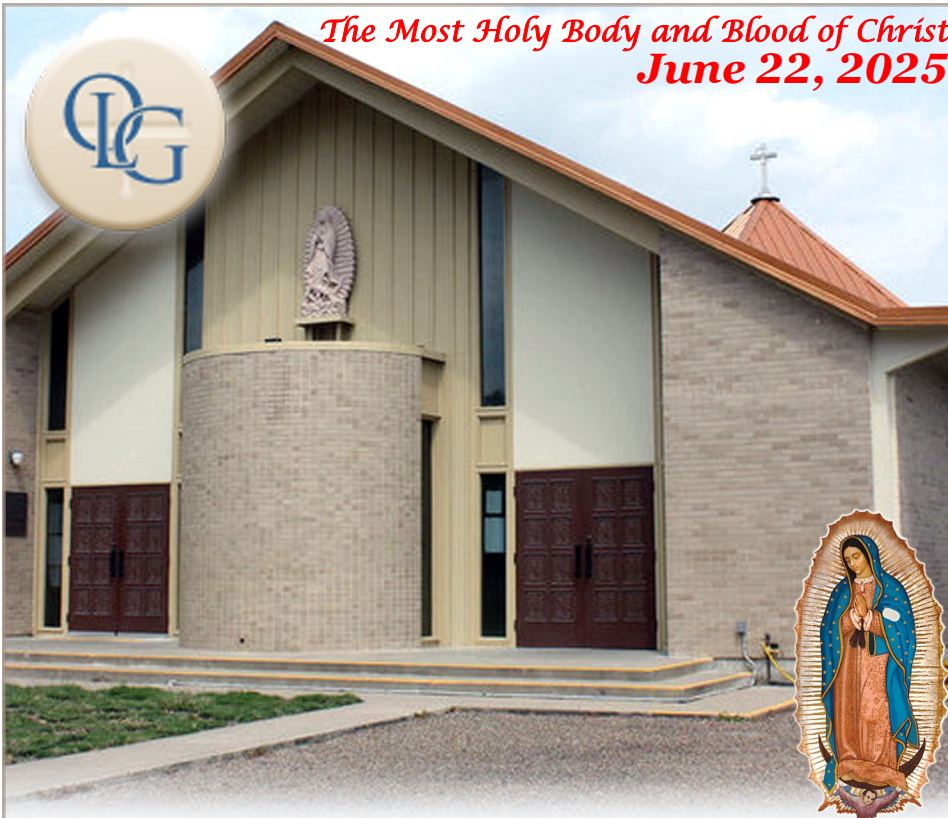




The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
June 22, 2025



Our Lady of Guadalupe

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 pm	OLG, Spanish
Sunday	7:25 am	SNDA
	9:30 am	OLG, English
	11:30 am	OLG, English
Monday & Tuesday	6:00 pm	
Wed., Thurs., & Fri.	12:05 pm	
ADORATION	Tuesday	after 6:00 pm Mass
CONFESSION	Saturday	4:00-5:00 pm, or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE 1300 Guerra St., Phone: 361-664-2953
Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00 am-12:00 noon and 2:00-5:00 pm (Closed every Tuesday)

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

To honor the Lord as Servants of Christ and Stewards of the mysteries of God by spreading his message of Love, Hope, Faith and Respect. In trusting his message, our diverse community will always remain united and be guided by the Holy Spirit, to encourage and support the development of the Sacramental Life and by being a community open to others that are coming in search of Christ's love and teachings.

GOSPEL REFLECTION

The solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ (*Corpus Christi*), which the Church celebrates today, reminds us all of the beautiful gifts of God to us through Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. While the primary focus of this solemnity is on the spiritual nourishment that Christ gives us, its secondary focus is on the Body of Christ, which is the Church.

The Body and Blood of Christ (the Eucharist) is the most excellent gift ever given to us by Christ. It also shows how much God loves and cares for both our temporal and spiritual welfare.

We believe in the "Real Presence" of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist because 1) Jesus promised it after miraculously feeding the 5000. 2) Jesus instituted the Holy Eucharist during his Last Supper. 3) Jesus commanded his disciples to repeat it in his memory. 4) "Nothing is impossible for God" (Lk 1:37)

We explain the real presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist by: "transubstantiation" which means that the *substance* of the consecrated bread and wine is changed to the *substance* of the risen, living Jesus in His glorified Body and Blood by the action of the Holy Spirit, while the *accidents* (like color, shape, taste, etc. of the consecrated bread and wine), remain unchanged.

In the gospel, Jesus says to Andrew and his colleagues, "Give them something to eat!" We can imagine the thoughts that went through their minds: "We don't have enough bread for ourselves, and now we are supposed to think about others? Why do we have to give them something to eat, if they came to hear our Teacher? If they didn't bring their own food, let them go back home, it's their problem; or else give us some money to buy food". This way of thinking is not wrong, but it isn't the way Jesus thinks.

The Lord does great things with our littleness, as he did with the five loaves. He does not work spectacular miracles or wave a magic wand; he works with simple things. God's omnipotence is lowly, made up of love alone. And love can accomplish great things with little. The Eucharist teaches us this: for there we find God himself contained in a piece of bread. Simple, essential, bread broken and shared, the Eucharist we receive allows us to see things as God does. It inspires us to give ourselves to others.

So, when we draw them closer to Christ, we bring them to the banquet table of Christ, who feeds and nourishes them with His body and blood. Therefore, we must be hospitable enough to help the weak, the spiritually hungry, and the thirsty to participate in the great feast of the Body and Blood of Christ.

Christ offers us his body and blood, real food and drink, which is the mystery and core of our faith. In the Holy Eucharist, Christ draws us closer to himself. Christ is present with us in the Holy Eucharist as the head of the Church.

So, today's celebration provides us an opportunity to thank and adore Christ present in the Most Holy Sacrament. So, let us adore Christ saying, "O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament divine all praises and all thanksgiving be unto you." Amen.

June 22, 2025 Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 21, 2025

Vigilia del Santísima Cuerpo y Sangre de Cristo

5:30p.m. † Rudy Ramirez, Jr. (B-day Rem.) - by Parents
† Ricardo Saenz - by Family
† Guadalupe Rios - by Deacon Emede & Nora Gonzalez

Sunday, June 22, 2025

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

7:25a.m. † Romeo Trejo, Jr. - by Emma Trejo & Family
† Aurora Barrera - by Juana & Alfredo Garcia, Jr.
† Alvaro Perez - by Juana & Alfredo Garcia, Jr.

9:30a.m. † Arturo Contreras - by M/M Steve Contreras
† Raul Villagran (B-day Rem.) - by Consuelo Villagran & Family
† Tracy Casas (4th Ann.) - by Guerrero & Casas Children
† Narciso T. Sanchez - by Sonia Trevino & Family
† Jane Stehle - by Deacon Emede & Nora Gonzalez

11:30a.m. † Carlos Salinas (21st Ann. & Bday Rem.) - by Alicia & CJ Salinas
† Juanita Silva-Perez - by Bruno Perez & Family
† Santiago G. Chapa - by Tony & Jesusa Vera
† Estella Nava (1st Ann.) - by Lole Charles & Charles Family

Monday, June 23, 2025

6:00p.m. Communion Service

Tuesday, June 24, 2025

6:00p.m. Communion Service

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

12:05p.m. Communion Service

Thursday, June 26, 2025

12:05p.m. Communion Service

Friday, June 27, 2025

12:05p.m. Communion Service

Saturday, June 28, 2025

Vigilia de Los Santos Apóstoles Pedro y Pablo

5:30p.m. † Elena G. Juarez (3rd Ann.) - by Roberto Juarez

Sunday, June 29, 2025

Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

7:25a.m. † David Vela - by Vela Family
† Selena Vela Ramirez - by Vela Family
† Emilia Vela - by Vela Family

9:30a.m. † Ovidio Escamilla, Sr. (B-day Rem.) - by Jennifer
‡ & Kadence Escamilla
† Maria Herminia Rodriguez (B-day Rem.) - by Jennifer
‡ & Kadence Escamilla
† Elena G. Juarez - by Roberto Juarez
† Narciso & San Juana Gonzalez - by Narciso & Barbara Gonzalez
In Thanksgiving of 48th Wedding Anniversary for
Deacon Emede & Nora Gonzalez

11:30a.m. † Ronaldo Escobar (17th Ann.) - by Escobar Family
† Juanita Silva-Perez - by Bruno Perez & Family
† Isaiah James Joslin - by Ruben & Suzanne Joslin
† Ramiro Villarreal, Sr. - by CDA

June 08, 2025

OLG

Envelope Collections	\$2,334.00
Loose Collections	1,767.50
Flowers for all occasions	00.00
Childrens' Collections	00.00
Total	\$4,101.50

Second Collections:

Flowers for all Occasions	00.00
Catholic Communications Campaign	00.00
Faith Formation Ministry	1.00
Teen Ministry	569.01
Total 2nd Collections	\$ 570.01

SNDA

Envelope Collections	\$ 85.00
Loose Collections	238.00
Total Deposit	\$ 323.00

II Collections

June 22nd - Bishop Stewardship Appeal
June 29th - Peter's Pence
July 6th - Faith Formation
July 13th - Charitable Works
July 20th - Solidarity for Church in Africa
July 27th - Teen Ministry
August 3rd - Bishop Stewardship Appeal
August 17th - Faith Formation
August 24th - Teen Ministry
September 7th - Catholic University



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Mass Intention Deadline

All mass intentions will be celebrated at mass.
All information to be printed in the bulletin must
be submitted 14 days prior to the bulletin date.

This includes intentions, anniversaries
and birthday celebrations.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any
questions please contact the parish office.

Lectors and EMHC– 2025

September 08, 2024
6:00p.m. Mass

Training to begin after mass
All those who would like to serve as EMHC
or Lector at OLG, please be present.

VBS @ OLG
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Mark your calendar
(new date)
July 7-11, 2025
8:00 am - 12:00 pm

VBS Meeting

June 26, 2025
CCD Building
5:30 PM



ATTENTION PARENTS

Faith Formation Registration
Kickoff Party

In the Parish Hall
August 31, 2025
10:30 am—1:30 pm



Men's F.L.A.M.E. Retreat

August 21 - 24, 2025
For more info contact
Director Gap Lopez 361-415-5616
Co Director Henry Riojas 361-701-3175
Co Director Esteban Contreras 361-389-4366



Diocese of Corpus Christi Youth Ministry

Youth Ministers Retreat
August 2, 2025
@ Spirit Center

Meditated Rosary of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

08/02/2025 at 8:00 AM

*The Holy Rosary is a powerful prayer that can bring
blessings and peace into one's life.*

OCIA Registration

OCIA is a process of conversion that provides
faith formation, instruction, spiritual enrichment and
preparation for the sacraments of initiation for adults:
Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist.

Those who have not received their sacraments are
encouraged to sign up for our next class. Registration is on
August 31, 2025 in the Parish Hall from 10:00 am-1:00 pm.

Please contact the parish office for additional information.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish Bingo

Sunday, September 14, 2025

Time: 2:00 pm—6:00 pm

Location: KC Hall, Alice, Texas

Donation.....\$20 per Ticket

Specials will be sold for \$1.00

Doors open at 12:30pm

Food and drinks will be sold during Bingo

Come to me all you who are
weary and burdened, and I
will give you rest. Mt. 11:28



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CHURCH, ALICE
Eucharistic Adoration with Healing Prayers (Advent)

Saturday, September 20, 2025
8:00 AM

Celebrated by Fr. James Thoompunkal HGN