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Call Noemi Aguilar at 361-960-1786 for more information.

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA

There will be several Wreaths Across America ceremonies honoring our deceased Veterans on **Saturday, December 13**th, at the following times and locations:

10:00 Oakville Cemetery

11:00 George West Cemetery

12:00 Gussettville Cemetery

1:00 St. George Cemetery

2:00 Clegg Cemetery

If you would like to sponsor a wreath for a loved one or donate to this wonderful event, please contact the following:

St. George Cemetery: Orlean Henicke – 361-816-8171
Gussettville Cemetery: Tisha Williams – 830-534-8245
Oakville Cemetery: Peggy Skoruppa – 361-728-4321
George West Cemetery: Robin McKinney – 361-492-9301
Clegg Cemetery: Barbara Barcak 713-819-0168

Thank you for your support.





"Be Perfect as Your Heavenly Father is Perfect" Go to Resources, then select week. You can look for:

- 12-8 Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
- 12-9 Saint Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin
- 12-12 Our Lady of Guadalupe

Contact: Mark Brown at 361-343-3969 Understand, Live, and Share Your Faith The **Second Week of Advent** invites us all to open up our hearts to **peace**—not simply the absence of conflict, but the deep, steady peace that comes



from trusting God's presence. As the candles of our wreath grow brighter, Christ calls us to quiet our anxieties, surrender our worries, and make space for the peace only He can give. Let us pray as we welcome His calming presence into our home and heart:

Come, Lord Jesus. Fill my heart with Your peace as I continue this Advent journey with You.

LECTORS-THIS WEEKEND

Sat 5:00 pm Kyle Pate
Sun 7:30 am Letha Thompson
Sun 9:00 am Maria Tellez
Sun 11:00 am Bert/Gloria Ruiz



LECTORS—NEXT WEEKEND

Sat 5:00 pm Mary Pate
Sun 7:30 am David Williams
Sun 9:00 am Maria Tellez
Sun 11:00 am Amy Clark

Church Decorating

We'll be Decorating the Church on Friday, Dec. 12th, at 10AM. We need lots of helping hands.

All are welcome



Please note: On Thursday, Dec. 11th, Daily Mass will be at 4PM (no 7AM).

ALTAR SERVERS—THIS WEEKEND

DEC 6

SAT

Sat 5:00 pm Gabby & Graham Reed / Ethan & Aubree Robinson

† Leonard Pawlik

Sun 7:30 am Julie Campos / Clara & Thomas Wilburn

Sun 9:00 am Melany Serna / Isabella & Julieta Rodriguez

Sun 11:00 am Henry & Karlene Poole / Ben Clark

5:00 PM

ALTAR SERVERS: For weekly Altar Server and Altar Server Training scheduling, please reach out to Lisa Henicke at 979-204-4220.



Attar Society Meeting

There will be an Altar Society Meeting on Wednesday, December 10th, at 6PM in the Conference Room.

Senior Citizen Luncheon

There will be <u>no</u> Senior Citizen Luncheon this month.

By Marie & Rob Madden

Sunday Readings: Isaiah 11:1-10 | Romans 15:4-9 | Matthew 3:1-12

			† Becky Pawlik	By Her Family
			† Orlando, † Antonio, & † Belisario Guerrero	By Connie Guerrero & Family
			Stephanie Caron (Healing)	By Mom & Dad
			† Raul, † Virginia, † Dinky & † Aaron	By Rudy, Irma & Wally
			† Mary Repka Wharton	By Jeanette & Tommy West
			† Pat Troell Holland	By Cindy & Charles Snider
SUN	DEC 7	7:30 AM	Missa Pro Popula	
			Bill Holland (Healing)	By His Family
		9:00 AM	Spanish Mass	
		11:00 AM	† Robert Garcia	By Kathy & Rodney Kolb
			† David Thoms	By His Family
			† William Doblar	By Tessie & Bill Doblar
			Ena & Simon Pena, Sr. (62nd Wedding Anniversary)	By Simon Pena, Jr.
			† Vidal Molina	By The Molina Family
			† Cecil Williams	By Tisha & Kyle Williams
			† Minnie Henicke	By Orlean & Willie Henicke
			† Olga Diaz	By Christine & Louie DeLeon
MON	DEC 8	7:00 AM	† Eva Gonzalez	By Virg Crawford
		12:00 PM	Special Intention	By Anonymous
		5:30 PM	Special Intentions	By The Lewinksi Family
TUES	DEC 9	7:00 AM	No Mass	
WED	DEC 10	5:30 PM	† John G. Weber	By Pat Weber
THURS	DEC 11	4:00 PM	† Stephanie Sanchez	By Virg Crawford
FRI	DEC 12	6:00 PM	† All Poor Souls in Purgatory	
			† Maria Luz Hernandez	By Mr. & Mrs. Frank Alaniz
SAT	DEC 13	5:00 PM	† Leonard Pawlik	By Gladys Stearns
			† David Zapata	By His Family
			† Marcelino & † Eugenia Lazo	By Ruben Lazo
			† Margi Bledsoe	By The Scotty Bledsoe Family
			† Simon, Jr. & † Simon Reyna, III	By Lupe Reyna & Family
			† Emma & † Victor Juarez	By Jason & Olga Garcia
			Stephanie Caron (Healing)	By Mom & Dad
SUN	DEC 14	7:30 AM	† Robert Garcia	By Pearl Dean Kaatz
			† Jim Freiley	By His Family
			† Manuel Chapa, Jr.	By Eloisa Chapa
			† Laura Snider	By Cindy & Charles Snider
		9:00 AM	Spanish Mass	
		11:00 AM	Missa Pro Popula	

Mass Intentions

CHURCH COLLECTIONS

 Collection Baskets for:
 November 30, 2025
 \$4,421.75

 Children's Collection
 \$37.00

 Our Lady of Guadalupe Collection
 \$596.75

This weekend, our 2nd Collection with be for our Christmas Flowers. Next weekend, the 2nd Collection with be for the Retirement Fund for the Religious. Thank you.



FAITH FORMATION

"Always be ready to give an explanation...for a reason for your hope" 1 PETER 3:15

Each Faith Formation Sunday is kicked off with breakfast in the Parish Hall from 8:30 am to 9:00 am. Then, classes for PreK-4 thru Confirmation students run from 9:00 am to 10:30 am.

In Christ, *The Faith Formation Team*St. George Catholic Church

Upcoming Classes:

December 7 – Class

December 28 – No Class

December 14 – Class

January 4 – Class

December 21 - No Class

January 11 - Class

Pilgrim Passport-Jubilee Year of Hope



To get a copy of the Pilgrim of Home Passport, go to <u>diocesecc.org/hope</u> then click on Passports or scan the QR code to be directed there. Coloring sheets available.



Pray for the sick of Our Parish

Kelsey Holmquest, Elisa Valadez, Laura Carbajal,
George Valverde, Robert G. Cruz, Sr., Dolores Molina,
Lorenzo Garcia, Sr., Ruben Saenz, Albert Briseno, Rene Serna,
Stephanie Caron, James Stanley Pawlik, Ryan Parker, Charles Selke,
Becky DeLeon, Ramona Torres, Jesse Valverde, Arturo & Estelle
Gonzalez, Beth McArthur, Michael Hooper, Ysidra Lopez, Charles Snider,
Maria Marroquin, Yvonne Godwin, Kathy Menager, Angel Morin,
Elodia Flores, Gloria Valadez, AliceMary & Allyn Weber, Barbara Davis,
Andrea Emilia Bernabey, The Caceres Family, Gustavo Caceres,
Maria G. Carranza, Larry Jurica, Simon Pena, Stephanie Trbula,
Carmen Molina, Luis A. Cortez, Mariella Garcia, Roberto Medina,
Leonard Tupa, Helen Troutman, Terry Curry, Kayla Sheffield,
Robert Repka, Jr., Aaron Guerrero, Barbara Hamrick, J.W. Garcia,
Beva Ponce, Juan Perez, Derilynn Huff, Amelia Salas,
Fidel Salas, Javier Gonzalez, Julie Wasicek, and Noelia Martinez

Rest in Peace

Esperanza Alaniz Enriquetta Bernal William Skoruppa If your loved one still needs to be on the prayer list, please call the parish office or email us at: info@saintgeorgecatholicchurch.net

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception

A Holy Day of Obligation

Monday, December 8th
Masses: 7AM, 12NOON & 5:30PM



On December 8, 1854, Pope Pius IX declared and defined that the Blessed Virgin Mary "in the first instance of her conception, by a singular grace and privilege granted by Almighty God, in view of the merits of Jesus Christ, the Savior of the human race, was preserved free from all stain of original sin, is a doctrine revealed by God and therefore to be believed firmly and constantly by all the faithful." Mary's focus is to fulfill God's plan. She is a model for all of us who seek to do the will of God.

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Friday – December 12th Mass at 6PM

The Catholic Church commemorates the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, patroness of the Americas, on December 12. Besides this Marian feast day and devotion to the Blessed Mother carrying special significance for many immigrants in the United States, Our Lady of Guadalupe is also known as patroness of the unborn after appearing to Saint Juan Diego as a pregnant mother.

Celebration to follow in Parish Hall after the Mass.

LOOKING AHEAD

Spring Festival & Raffle is coming....

SUNDAY - MARCH 29, 2025

Keep your eyes open for more information regarding our Spring Festival & Raffle. Most Sold Tickets prizes and raffle ticket winner prizes to be posted soon.





St. George Catholic Church

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Sunday, December 7, 2025 - Second Sunday of Advent

OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Thurs: 9AM—12NOON; 1:00PM—5:00PM | Closed for Lunch: 12:00—1:00PM & Fridays

P	ARISH	1 & F	RECTORY	STAFF

Pastor: Fr. Romeo Salinas

rsalinas@saintgeorgecatholicchurch.net

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Custodian: Norma Zuniga

Groundskeeper:

MASS TIMES

Saturday 5:00 PM 7:30 AM Sunday

Sunday *9:00 AM *Spanish

Sunday 11:00 AM Monday 7:00 AM

5:30 PM Wednesday

Thursday 7:00 AM Friday 7:00 AM

1st Saturday 7:00 AM

For bulletin in full-color, please visit our parish website at: st-george-parish.org

SACRAMENTS

Adult Sacraments: Please contact Cherish at the Parish Office.

Infant Baptism: Please contact Virg at the Parish Office.

Holy Matrimony: Make arrangements with Father Romeo at least six (6)

months in advance.

Reconciliation/Confession: Wednesday, 4:30—5:30PM; Saturday, 3:30—

4:30PM; or call the Parish Office for an appointment. **Adoration:** Wednesday, 4:30—5:30PM; Thursday, 6AM-6PM.

Holy Day of Obligation: 7:00AM, 12:00 NOON & 6:00PM.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Society: Meets as needed.

Building Committee: Meets as needed.

Catholic Daughters of America #2528: Meets on the 2nd Sunday of the

month unless announced otherwise.

Food Pantry: Monthly handout every 4th Saturday at 8AM, Jan-Oct; call parish office or see bulletin for Nov/Dec dates; workday on the

Thursday prior to handout.

Knights of Columbus Council #3499: Every 1st Wednesday of the

month at 6:15PM.

Parish Finance Council: Meets four times each year.

Pastoral Council: Meets 3-4 times each year.

Adult Bible Study: Meets Fall to Spring, 9:15AM; see FF calendar dates.

EN ESPANOL

Sundays—Misa para 9:00 AM.

1st Friday—Adoración al Santismo en la Chapel. Every Thursday—Rezo el Rosario en Español.

Welcome, new parishioners! If you are new to our parish, please fill out a

Parish Registration form and

turn into the office. Newcomer packets can be found in our church foyer and parish office. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office staff during business hours. Thank you and welcome!