

Holy Apostles

Catholic Church

Bulletin

December 8, 2024

Second Sunday of Advent

WELCOME TO HOLY APOSTLES

We the members of Holy Apostles Catholic Church as disciples of Jesus Christ are called to build and active and welcoming community dedicated to faith, hope and charity. Through the Roman Catholic traditions of worship, Christian education, sacraments and prayers. We are called to worship God and be his instruments in transforming our community so that the love and mercy of God are present to all.

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MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY
 9:00 AM ENGLISH MASS

TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY
 6:00 PM SPANISH VIGIL MASS

SATURDAY;
 5:00 PM ENGLISH VIGIL MASS

7:00 PM SPANISH VIGIL MASS

SUNDAY / DOMINGO
 9:00 AM ENGLISH
 12:00 PM SPANISH
 5:00 PM SPANISH

Office Hours:

Monday-Friday
 9:30am - 12:00pm
 1:00p - 5:00pm

Wednesday Closed

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SACRAMENTAL LIFE - UIDA SACRAMENTAL

Reconciliation:

Saturday 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm
 or by appointment.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church:

Thursdays after 9:00am
 Mass until 6:00 pm.

Last Saturday of the month
 from 8:00 pm. until
 7:00 am Sunday.

Anointing of the Sick/ Unción de los Enfermos:

1st Friday of the month/
 Primer Viernes 9:00a.m.

CHARITY OFFICE HOURS

TUESDAY AND THURSDAY

2:00 PM TO 5:00 PM

help with utilities, rent, and

to

FILL US ALL WITH

Peace

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Dear Padre,

If Christmas is on December 25, why is the Immaculate Conception on December 8, rather than sometime in March?

The doctrine of the Immaculate Conception asserts that Mary was free of the stain of original sin from the time she was conceived in her mother's womb. Jesus was also free of the stain of original sin and his conception by Mary is referred to as the Incarnation of Christ. Mary's Immaculate Conception is often confused for Christ's Incarnation.

In the Church's liturgical calendar, Mary's conception is celebrated on December 8; her birthday is celebrated exactly nine months later on September 8. Likewise, Christ's conception is celebrated on March 25 on the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord; his birthday is celebrated exactly nine months later on December 25.

Mary's Immaculate Conception was celebrated many centuries before Pope Pius IX defined it as dogma on December 8, 1854: "The doctrine that maintains that the Blessed Virgin Mary in the first instant of her conception, by a unique grace and privilege granted to her by Almighty God, in consideration of the merits of Jesus Christ the Savior of mankind, was preserved free from all stain of original sin, is a doctrine revealed by God and therefore must be firmly and constantly believed by all the faithful" (*Ineffabilis Deus*). In fact, eight years before, in 1846, the bishops of the United States had already adopted the Immaculate Conception as the patronal feast for Catholics in this country.



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION BY PHILIPP VEIT (1830) RENATA SEDMAKOVA / SHUTTERSTOCK

Fr. Byron Miller, CSSR / DearPadre.org

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
December 9 <i>Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> Gn 3:9-15, 20 Eph 1:3-6, 11-12 Lk 1:26-38	December 10 <i>Advent Weekday</i> Is 40:1-11 Mt 18:12-14	December 11 <i>Advent Weekday</i> Is 40:25-31 Mt 11:28-30	December 12 <i>Our Lady of Guadalupe</i> Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47	December 13 <i>St. Lucy, Virgin and Martyr</i> Is 48:17-19 Mt 11:16-19	December 14 <i>St. John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church</i> Sir 48:1-4, 9-11 Mt 17:9a, 10-13	December 15 <i>Third Sunday of Advent</i> Zep 3:14-18a Phil 4:4-7 Lk 3:10-18



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

By calling us to conversion, John urges us to go "beyond" where we presently are; to go beyond what our instincts tell us.... Let us ask for the grace to believe that with God things really do change, that he will banish our fears, heal our wounds.... Let us ask for the grace of hope....

HOMILY, ATHENS, DECEMBER 5, 2021



Jerusalem, take off your robe
of mourning and misery;
put on forever the splendor
of glory from God.

BARUCH 5:1



Coming Home

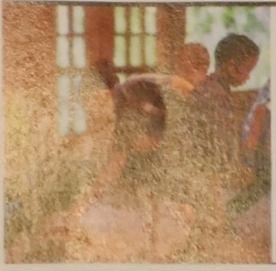
FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Coming home can take place in many varied ways. Sometimes it's at the end of a long day when we come home to where we can be ourselves without any pretensions. Sometimes it's going back to the neighborhood we grew up in, to the old haunts that remind us of the dreams we had and how they now seem tucked in every niche. Sometimes coming home is what happens after many wanderings, after we've sown our oats and harvested little and now have nowhere else to go. That too is a coming home, back to where it all began, back to where we dare to hope that life might begin again.

All of this is how the Hebrew people found themselves coming home to Jerusalem after eighty years of exile, coming back to start anew with the hope that their God would once again be proud of them, back to where they could be as God intended them to be. All of that is what we do when we decide we will try to be the sort of person we'd always hoped to become. It's when we attempt a second effort at making a marriage work, or a job productive, or maybe simply putting the pieces of our lives back in some sort of order. It's all about coming back home to God's dream for us, a kind of second Advent, when God comes into our lives and is born once again. ●

Reflect

Have you wandered too far from the values of your true home? Can you find your way back?



collection last week

\$8,758
regular Collection

\$2,487 Charity

Thanks for Your

pray for recently departed

*Mary Cazzanigi
George Komro
Carmen E. Bedoya
Brian Ward*

Giving Tree for Christmas is here. cards are for ages 5-12 years old. Cards for cash donations for Seminarians *Children in Colombia. Please wrap gifts or out in gifts bags be sure to attach-card to gift

YLI YOUNG LADIES INSTITUTE

MONDAY DECEMBER 9, IN FATHER O' DEA HALL MEETING 11:00 AM

Celebrating Feast of the Immaculate Conception The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, which is the patronal feast of the United States and a holy day of obligation, will be celebrated on Monday, December 9. In keeping with past practice, Bishop Joseph Tyson is dispensing the Faithful from the obligation to attend Mass this day. He encourages us nonetheless to honor the Blessed Mother by attending Mass on December 9, or on December 12, the Feast of our Lady of Guadalupe, or on both days.



9:00 am English Mass
6:00 pm Spanish Mass



Novena in Honor of our Lady of Guadalupe from December 3 To December 12 Daily Mass and Novena 6:00 pm. MANANITAS DECEMBER 12, 2024 4:00 AM AND 6:00PM



from December 17 to December 23 Posadas navidenas are going to take place at Holy Apostles at 6:00 pm

December 16, 2024
6:00PM Holy Apostles Church

December 17, 2024
6:00PM our Lady of assumption (cashmere)

December 18, 2024
6:00PM St Joseph Wenatchee

CONFESSION
SERVICE SCHEDULE FOR ADVENT