



# St. Joseph Catholic Church

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## II Sunday of Advent, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022

### Parish Directory

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Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group: Fri. 7:00 pm  
Nocturnal Adoration: 3rd Saturday, 9:00 pm  
Saint Joseph Marriage Group: Tuesdays 7:00 pm  
Knights of Columbus : Second Wednesday 7:00 pm  
Youth Group: Wednesdays 7:00pm — 9:00p  
Catholic Christian Family Movement USA: 303-999-7653

### Parish Schedule

**Office Hours:**  
Tuesday –Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
**Office Closed for Lunch from 12:30pm-1:30pm**  
**Mass Times:**  
Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. English  
**At the Convent of the Missionaries of Charity on  
633 Fox St., right next to the parish office building**  
Saturday (Anticipated) 6:00 p.m. Spanish  
Sunday 9:00 a.m. English  
11:00 a.m. Spanish  
1:00 p.m. Spanish  
6:00 p.m. Spanish  
**Confessions:**  
Friday 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.  
Saturday 4:30 – 5:45 p.m.  
**Holy Hour :**  
Friday 6:00— 7:00 p.m.

# Peace

A voice of one  
crying out  
in the desert,  
Prepare the way  
of the Lord

Matthew 3:3

### Weekly Offertory

You will be made rich  
in every way so that you can  
be generous on every occasion,  
and through us your generosity  
will result in thanksgiving to God.

2 CORINTHIANS 9:11-12

November 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>  
Weekly Offertory: \$ 4,408.04

# Announcements

## SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASS AT 8 AM IN THE CHURCH



### O GOD OUR CREATOR,

from your provident hand we have received our right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. You have called us as your people and given us the right and the duty to worship you, the only true God, and your Son, Jesus Christ.

Through the power and working of your Holy Spirit, you call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel to every corner of society.

We ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty.

Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith.

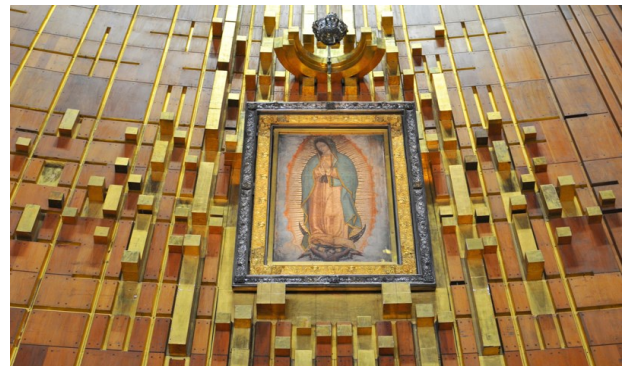
Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father, a clear and united voice to all your sons and daughters gathered in your Church in this decisive hour in the history of our nation, so that, with every trial withstood and every danger overcome— for the sake of our children, our grandchildren, and all who come after us— this great land will always be “one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.” We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



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From Pope Francis on Advent (Angelus, November 27, 2022)

“The Lord is coming to be with us, marking the foundation of our hope, a fact that should give us consolation even in the most difficult times of our lives. The Lord is close to us. He makes Himself close, and will return at the end of time to welcome us in His embrace. But we naturally ask ourselves, how will the Lord come to visit us and how will we recognize and welcome Him? We must be awake, alert, vigilant. Jesus warns us: there is the danger of not realizing His coming and being unprepared for His visit. I have recalled on other occasions what Saint Augustine said: ‘I fear the Lord who passes by’... that is, I fear that He will pass by and I will not recognize Him!” Advent is the time we can be shaken out of our lethargy and awakened from our slumber to be vigilant always. We can ask ourselves if we are alert and vigilant, and if we recognize God’s presence in daily situations because if we are unaware of this reality today, we will be unprepared when He arrives at the end of times. May we be helped by the Holy Virgin, Woman of waiting, who knew how to perceive the passing of God in the humble and hidden life of Nazareth and welcomed Him in her womb.”



## Sunday December 11: Eve of the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Our celebration begins at 7pm

The history of the apparitions of our Lady of Guadalupe (Play) – Hall

Matachines (children)

Solemn Rosary and blessing of the altar of Our Lady of Guadalupe (Church)

Serenade to Our Lady of Guadalupe (Community and Mariachi)

Festival with food, music, dances and music.

## Monday 12- Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

6:30 pm Rosary

7:00 pm: Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass

Reception in the hall follows after Mass.