



November 30, 2014

NEW MASS TIMES

Saturday, November 29, 2014  
5:00 PM  
Manuel T. Fagundes (D)  
By Betty Farmer & Family

Sunday, November 30, 2014  
8:00 AM  
Sandra McCafferty (D)  
By Ro/Jay Adolph

9:30 AM  
Daniel Cunha (D)  
By Clarence Santos

PRO POPOLO

11:00 AM  
Apolonia Valenzuela (D)  
De Nietos

WEEKDAY MASSES

7:30 AM  
Monday, December 1, 2014  
Belle Barra (D)  
By Riley Family

Tuesday, December 2, 2014  
Helen Ortiz Pineda (D)  
By George/Dorothy Atkinson

No Mass  
Wednesday, December 3, 2014

Thursday, December 4, 2014  
Michael C. Halpin (D)  
By Denise Correia

Friday, December 5, 2014  
Elsie Correia (D)  
By Correia Family

Saturday, December 6, 2014  
5:00 PM  
Belle Barra (D)  
By Fred/Maxine Machado

Sunday, December 7, 2014  
8:00 AM  
Sandra McCafferty (D)  
By Fr. Jerry/Joanne/Sallie Ann

9:30 AM  
Thomas J. Bispo (D)  
By Mary F. Bispo

PRO POPOLO

11:00 AM  
Newman Gill (D)  
Por Rose Gill y familia

WEEKDAY MASSES

7:30 AM  
*The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

Monday, December 8, 2014  
Dolores Negrete (L)  
By Joe/Mary Rossotti

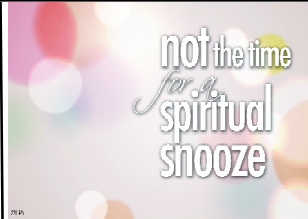
Tuesday, December 9, 2014  
Jesus Vargas (L)  
By Familia Vargas

No Mass Wednesday, December 10

Thursday, December 11, 2014  
Daniel Cunha (D)  
By Clarence Santos

Friday, December 12, 2014  
Jared Badertscher (L)  
By Correia Family

6:00 PM Virgen de Guadalupe



1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

“What I say to you, I say to all: ‘Watch!’” The season of Advent begins with this exclamation from the Lord. He urges us, “Be watchful! Be alert!” This is not the time for a spiritual snooze. Advent is meant to serve as a wake-up call for those of us Christians who have a tendency to start drifting off after a while. We get into our routines, find the patterns that work for us, and then run the risk of just going through the motions. Maybe we say a morning prayer with consistency but have begun to forget to really think about the words. Perhaps we rouse ourselves enough to get to Mass on Sundays, but when we’re there we let our minds daydream. Some of us might have made spiritual resolutions to overcome a bad habit or to begin some regular program of service, but instead of following through with the hard work of perseverance, we gave up the effort and fell back into our previous rut.

Whatever the case, now is the time to shake ourselves free and to ask God to invigorate us once again. Now is the time to stop zoning out and start tuning in. Jesus’ message today has the intention of getting our attention. He’s doing what he can; the rest is up to us. As Advent begins, we would do well to pause for a few moments and reflect. What might be preventing me from being fully awake to my faith? What activities preoccupy my time and my thoughts? What bad habits blur my spiritual vision? How could I really listen to the voice of the Lord this Advent season? Saying a special prayer during these four weeks, committing to some spiritual reading, even simply putting an Advent wreath on the table: any of these things can help us stay awake as we continue watching and waiting for the coming of Christ.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 30, 2014

Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37  
Monday: Is 2:1-5/Mt 8:5-11  
Tuesday: Is 11:1-10/Lk 10:21-24  
Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a/Mt 15:29-37  
Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Mt 7:21, 24-27  
Friday: Is 29:17-24/Mt 9:27-31  
Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8  
Next Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11/2 Pt 3:8-14/Mk 1:1-8

Second collection: Bishop’s Appeal

Last week’s plate collection: \$2,765.50  
Domestic Needs: \$696.00

Next week’s collection: Building Fund

Thank you for your continued generosity.



Let us pray for all who are listed in our Book of Remembrance and all souls. Pray for the sanctification of our priests.

TIME CHANGE FOR MASSES BEGINS NOVEMBER 29 & 30, 2014

St. Jude:

Saturday Mass 5:00 pm  
Sunday Masses: 8:00 am  
Spanish 11:00 am

Our Lady of Assumption:

Sunday Mass only  
Spanish 12:30 am

EASTON FOOD DISTRIBUTION DAY

Food will be distributed on Monday, December 1, 2014 from 1:00 pm-4:00 pm in Easton. We do need and appreciate volunteers to come help at 1:00 pm.

BISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL

Please help St. Jude to reach the goal set for us! Today you have the opportunity to place your pledge in the collection basket this week or next week. Donations may be made online dioceseoffresno.

JOB OPENING

Tribunal Secretary-Confidential (Bilingual) Full time, non-exempt, 40 hours per week, \$12.00-\$14.00 per hour, with competitive fringe benefits. More info: Visit dioceseoffresno.org



1ER DOMINGO DE ADVIENTO

El domingo pasado celebramos a Nuestro Señor Jesucristo como Rey del Universo, terminando así el Ciclo A. Hoy damos comienzo al Primer Domingo de Adviento; empezamos un nuevo año litúrgico Ciclo B. En este tiempo, junto con las lecturas del Evangelio de Marcos, iremos acompañando los misterios de la vida de Jesucristo. Nos preparamos por lo tanto a celebrar y vivir su primera venida entre nosotros. Los tiempos litúrgicos son oportunidades que nos brinda la Iglesia para ayudarnos en nuestra propia renovación de vida cristiana. El misterio pascual de Jesucristo es ahora nuestro propio misterio de vida por medio de nuestro bautismo. Es por eso que el Señor nos invita a estar vigilantes y en espera. Pero, ¿cómo vivir marcados por la espera cuando tenemos todo lo que deseamos en el momento preciso? ¿Cómo poder estar atentos a la voz de Dios cuando estamos completamente bombardeados por la tecnología y por nuestros propios pensamientos y decisiones? ¿Dónde está Dios en todo esto?

El estilo de vida y el contexto en que vivimos demuestran el cómo expresamos nuestra fe. Tratemos de contestar con seriedad las preguntas arriba mencionadas. Quizás estas nos lleven a ver con profundidad nuestro propio modo de pensar y de vivir. ¿Qué significa para nosotros el celebrar el Adviento? ¿Qué significa esperar? ¡Ojalá que aprovechemos bien este tiempo de espera y de preparación! Eso es lo que nos recomienda Isaías en la primera lectura de este Primer Domingo de Adviento: “Señor, tú eres nuestro padre, nosotros somos el barro y tú el alfarero; todos somos hechura de tus manos” (Is 64, 7).



LECTURAS PARA LA SEMANA DEL 30 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 2014

Domingo: Is 63, 16-17. 19; 64, 2-7/1 Cor 1, 3-9/Mc 13, 33-37  
Lunes: Is 2, 1-5/Mt 8, 5-11  
Martes: Is 11, 1-10/Lc 10, 21-24  
Miércoles: Is 25, 6-10/Mt 15, 29-37  
Jueves: Is 26, 1-6/Mt 7, 21, 24-27  
Viernes: Is 29, 17-24/Mt 9, 27-31  
Sábado: Is 30, 19-21. 23-26/Mt 9, 35—10, 1. 6-8  
Domingo siguiente: Is 40, 1-5. 9-11/2 Pe 3, 8-14/Mc 1, 1-8

UNIDOS EN LA FE

Por favor ponerla donacion por esta colecta en la canesta hoy.

Al cenare el Adviento, vigila y espera; estate atento a la manera que Dios viene a tu vida. Acepta la sorpresa. Marcos 13:33-37

RIGHT TO LIFE

You are invited to “O Christmas Tree,” the 26th Annual Christmas Dinner Auction on Friday, December 5th at 5:30 pm at the Fresno Convention Center. Perfect time to do your Christmas shopping! Tickets are \$65 per person. More info, call 229-2229. If you can volunteer either December 3rd, 4th, or 5th to help with this event, please call 229-2229.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

This Specialization Certification Training Workshop is scheduled for Thursday, December 4, 2014 at 6:00 pm at Pastoral Center. The video-conferencing session for all parish Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will be facilitated by Rev. Jean-Michael Lastiri. The hours can be applied for Specialization Certification. Contact School of Ministry 488-7474.

FLOWER DEDICATION

The flower dedication this weekend is in memory of Clemencia Sambrano by Joe and Mary Rossotti.



Advent is a time of watching and waiting. Are you open to the surprising ways God comes to you? Be attentive to God’s call in the ordinary. Mark 13:33-37

CAMBIO DE HORARIO

Hoy, el 1 domingo de adviento, la misa en español sera a las 11:00 am.

DISTRIBUCION COMIDA

Comida sera distrubido el lunes, 1 de diciembre de 1:00-4:00 pm en la esquina de Elm, en frente de la Iglesia Presbyterian en Easton.

NOVENA

Empezamos la novena para la Virgen de Guadalupe el 3 de diciembre hasta 11 de diciembre a las 6:30 pm.



FIESTA

Los invitamos a todos celebrar la Fiesta de La Virgen de Guadalupe el dia 12 de diciembre con el Santo Rosario a las 5:30 pm y la misa a las 6:00 pm. Despues de La Santa Misa una convivencia en el salon. Los que quieran traer flores para la Virgen las pueden traer el dia 12 y no se olviden que la novena empieza el dia 3 de diciembre a las 6:30 pm.

POSADAS

Empezamos 15 de diciembre de 23. Favor de apuntarse con Irene Morales o Stella Ruiz.

Segunda Colecta: Unidos en La Fe

Colecta la semana pasada: \$2,765.50  
Necesidades Domesticas: \$696.00

Proxima semana coleccion: Fondo de Edificio

Mil gracias y que Dios les bendiga por su generosidad.