

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH  
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1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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**MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday	December	12	5:00 a.m.	Parish (Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration)
			6:00 p.m.	+Jose Herrera by Fam. (Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration)
Tuesday	December	13	8:00 a.m.	+Freddie Eggemeyer by James & Patsy Gibson
Wednesday	November	14	8:00 a.m.	+James Rother by Rosemary Newlin
Thursday	December	15	8:00 a.m.	+Dolores Wallis by Raul & Carolyn Villarreal
				+Robert Duran by Viola Duran & Family
			7:00 p.m.	Holy Hour - Adoration
Friday	December	16	8:00 a.m.	Socorro Cruz for well-being
Saturday	December	17	6:00 p.m.	+Manuel & Maria Uribe by Family
Sunday	December	18	9:30 a.m.	Parish
Domingo	Diciembre	18	11:00 a. m.	+Cayetano Paniagua by Family

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**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

Saturday, December 17, 2016  
6:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 18, 2016

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Sacristan:	Bonnie V.	Bryan T.	Graciela P.
EMHC:	Deacon V.	Deacon V.	Graciela P.
Lector:	Virginia S./Mary D.	Bonnie V./Irene P.	Mayra M./Yanet C.
Altar Servers:	Landen S./Daniel & Victoria C.	Chanh N./Noah W./Dax J./Xavier O.	Teresita & Abraham L./Emily & Juliette P./Alex E.

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

Prayerful reading and study of the Bible

- Deeper understanding and appreciation of the Holy Eucharist

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Holy Hour Thursday: 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**BAPTISM:** By appointment. One month notice necessary.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Six months notice necessary.

**RECONCILIATION (Confession):** Saturday 5:00 p.m. – 5:40 p.m. and by appointment

**QUINCEAÑERA:** Five months notice necessary.

**ANOINTING & COMMUNION TO THE SICK:** Call the RECTORY when a family member is sick and would like a visit or would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick. If any family has a relative at the nursing home, homebound or admitted to the Hospital, **Please let Father know.**

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** Adela Farley, Maria Garcia, Miguel Zamora, Rebeca Collins, Alejandro Ramos, Hellon Holder, Amanda Hasselo, Teresa Blackwell, Leonel & Dominga Gonzalez, Douglas Hlavaty, Kathie White, Viola Duran, Gerardo Flores, Jackie Acosta, Edward Serna, Wayne Hunter, Esthela Alamia, Jay Guerrero, Helen Littlefield, Tom Navarro, Dorothy Baros, Vic Kahlich, Mary Duran, Christopher Duke, Elvira Ortiz, Debbie Barnett, Robert Swire Jr, Florence Adamitis, George Capak, Sylvia Davalos, Ramiro Arroyo Sr, Richard & Juanita Duran, Rosie Aguilar, Judy Chavez, Alexis Garcia, Charles Johnston, Stacy Watkins, Herbert Ressler, Jacob Thomas, Clint Kochn, Calvin Hill, James Milam, Esthela Vasquez, Ken Leck, Willo Rodriguez, Carolyn Into, LaNoe Gibson, Jackie & Larry Flores, Michael Fonseca.

**Pray for those in the Military:** Lee Cink, Sharon Lamorie Jones, Steven Page, Darron May, Vincent Garcia Jr., Jorge Gonzalez, Ryan Malek, Esteban Jimenez, Angel Zamora, Noah Seaman, Ariel Robins, Bianca Piña, Jason Nguyen, Jason Hurtado, Henry Molina, Gilberto Hernandez.

**Pray for the Seminarians of the Diocese of Victoria:** Chase Goodman, James Dvorak, Ryan Kapavik, Deacon Stephen Vacek, Deacon Jacob Mendoza, Dalton Ervi, Nick Aparicio, Jordan Morgan, Tran Dinh, Philippe Dubourdieu, Aaron Padilla.

**Sacred Relics in Hallettsville:** The sacred relics exposition mentioned in last week's bulletin will be at Sacred Heart, Hallettsville on December 11. A presentation will be given by Father Carlos Martins in church at 2:00 pm. The relics will be on display in the Sacred Heart gym after the talk and will run from 3:00 p.m. till? There will be over 150 relics, some as old as 2000 years.

**Advent Penance service in the Area**  
 Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> – 5:30 pm. OLG – Port Lavaca  
 Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>- 4:30 & 6:30 pm. OLG – Bay City  
 Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> – 5:30 pm. Assumption – Ganado  
 Tuesday, December 20 – 6:30 pm. Holy Cross – Bay City.

**Christmas Pageant**  
 The Vigil Mass for the Nativity begins with a Christmas Pageant put on by our youth. If your child would like to be in the play please note these rehearsal times: December 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

**CCD NEWS**  
 Classes will meet at their regular time on Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup> and then take time off for Christmas Break. We will resume Classes on Wednesday, January 4<sup>th</sup> at the regular times.

**Thank you** to all the Parishioners and CCD students for their donations of non-perishable food items for the Robert Duran Food Pantry. God bless you all.

**TEEN L.Y.F.E Upcoming Events:**

- Operation Santa Clause: December 12-14<sup>th</sup> from 8AM-5PM @ Rec Center
- Teen L.Y.F.E. Christmas Party on Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30PM
- Teen L.Y.F.E. Meet on Sunday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, @ 4PM in the T.L. Room
- Bay Villa Health Center Visitation on Tuesday, December 20<sup>th</sup>, @ 12PM Noon.

Church Support for 12/4/2016..... \$3,805.80  
 Thank you for your generosity! May God bless you.  
 Gracias por su generosidad! Que Dios los bendiga.

**Special Confession Time**  
 During Adoration on Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, Father will hear confessions for all those that still need to prepare for Christmas he will start hearing confessions at 6:30 pm.

**ATTENTION: St. Anthony's Parishioners**  
 During the Advent Season Father will be hearing Saturday, Confessions beginning at 4:00 p.m. At his request, Father Dominic, is making his cell number available to everyone cell # 361-660-8590.

**Next weekend Blessing of expectant parents after all the Masses.**

**St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church**  
 Celebrates  
*Our Lady of Guadalupe*  
 Fiesta Guadalupana Monday, December 12, 2016  
 We going to start the day with mañanitas and Mass at 5:00 am. Afterwards we will have sweet bread, chocolate and coffee.  
 In the afternoon we will meet here in the church, to start the procession at 5:00 pm., immediately after the procession, we will celebrate Mass with danzas and the drama.  
**ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE CELEBRATION**  
 We will have a covered dish reception at the Family Center, we are asking everyone to bring a covered dish.

**Christmas Flower Offering**

<b>In memory of:</b>	<b>By:</b>
Jimmie & Carmen Rivera	Arthur & Rosie Rivera
Deceased members of Sanders & Hafernick Families	Gary & Peggy Hafernick
Martin & Elvira Garza, Rutilo & Elia Sanchez, Fr. Dan Morales,	Martin & Julia Garza
Lidia & Diana Gonzalez	Ray & Liz Guerra
Armando Espinosa Sr.	



**St. Anthony's 7<sup>th</sup> Winter Gala**  
 February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017  
 Silent Auction Items Needed!!!!