

12.3.2023 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



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SECOND COLLECTION

This week's second collection will be for the continued repairs for the parish. Next week's second collection is an Archdiocesan Collection for the Retired Fund for the Religious.

CUPOLA

Envelopes are on the table in the rear of the church for donations to help pay for the scaffolding for the repair, cleaning, and painting of the Coppola above the Altar. Thank you to all who have contributed to this much needed project.

GRAND HALL MARKET

The next Grand Hall Market is Sunday, December 10, 2023 from 10 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Come down and look around for some bargains. Anyone interested in renting a table please call the office at 212-674-3266.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

The Feast of The Immaculate Conception is Friday, December 8th a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be 9 a.m. (Bilingual) and 12:00 p.m. (English).

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE COMMITTEE

Sunday, December 3rd in the Grand Hall Coffee Shop Authentic Mexican tamales will be sold to help defray the cost of the celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

The Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be celebrated on Tuesday, December 12th with Mariachis and Las Mañanitas at 6:00 A.M. followed by bread & hot chocolate in the Grand Hall. There will be a Mass at 7:00 P.M. in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe also followed by Food & Dancing of the Elders in the Grand Hall.

Giovanni Bellini, "The Agony in the Garden," c. 1465)

CHRISTMAS FLOWER ENVELOPES

Christmas Flower envelopes are on the table at the rear of the church to defray the cost of the flowers. Please be as generous as your means will allow. Thank You!



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CHRISTMAS GIFT ENVELOPES

Christmas Gift Envelopes are on the table at the rear of the church. Thank you for your generosity.

CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES

Christmas Eve Masses for Sunday, December 24th are 8:30 A.M. (English) and 11:00 A.M. (Bilingual). A 5:00 P.M. (Bilingual) Christmas Eve Vigil Mass will be celebrated to fulfill the Christmas Day Obligation.

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES

Christmas Day Masses will be Monday, December 25th at 8:30 A.M. (English), and 11:00 A.M. (Bilingual).

NEW YEAR'S EVE MASSES

The New Year's Eve Masses Sunday, December 31st are 8:30 A.M. (English) and 11:00 A.M. (Bilingual). A 5:00 P.M. (Bilingual) New Year's

Eve Vigil Mass will be celebrated to fulfill the Christmas Day Obligation.

NEW YEAR'S DAY MASS

New Year's Day is a Holyday, The Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God. New Year's Day Mass is Monday, January 1, 2024, 9:00 A.M. (Bilingual).

EVENING CONCERT AT ST. MARY'S

Our very own Doug Balliet and his chamber ensemble, Theotokos, will be giving a concert at St. Mary's on Thursday, Dec. 7 at 7:30 pm, as part of the 5 Boroughs Music Festival. Tickets are pay-as-you-will and can be reserved at https://5bmf.org/events/theotokos/. All proceeds benefit St. Mary's and 5BMF

MASS SCHEDULE DECEMBER 2, 2023 - DECEMBER 9, 2023

SATURDAY 12/2

5_{pm}

- † Mercedes Durán & Pedro Páez/
- † All Souls in Purgatory/

MARIA KOSMAN FOR HEALTH/PETER HASELMAN FOR HEALTH & RECOVERY/

SUNDAY 12/3

8:30am

- † Patricia Sanabria/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Haydie Roldan/

10am

- † Carmen de Jesus Genao/Juana Torres/
- † Todas las Almas de Purgatorio/
- † Felice Antonio Bueno/Othacilo Espinal/
- † Rafaela Antonia Espinal/Alejandro Almonte/
- † Evangelista Almonte/Sagrado Corazon de Jesus/
- † Jose Miguel Santana Sanchez/Aurelia Bourdon/
- † Angelina Ureña/

12pm

- † Dennis Parisi/Julio Carrion/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Raul Ramirez (3rd. yr. Anniv.)/ JAYDEN F. CASTO FOR HEALTH/

MONDAY 12/4

9am

- † Hirba Riera/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Rafael Riera/Alejandro Riera/
- † James McLaren, Jr./Maria Jaquez/
 DOMINGO RODRIGUEZ POR LA SALUD/ZHENG CHAI BLESSINGS/

TUESDAY 12/5

9am

- † Cristino Lopez/Vera DeStefano/Maria Jaquez/
- † All Souls in Purgatory/Domingo Rodriguez/
- † Jacinta de Jesus Rodriguez/
- † Jesus Maria & Crecercia Echevarria/

ZHENG CHAI BLESSING/

Wednesday 12/6

9am

- † Pablo Oxciri Santana/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Domingo Rodriguez/Ventura Garcia (H.B.H.)/
- † Maria Jaquez/

ANA RIVERA POR LA SALUD/NIVIA & SERGIO MENDEZ/FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH/

THURSDAY 12/7

9am

- † Miguel Angel Rodriguez/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Melinda Gonzalez/Domingo Rodriguez/
- † Maria Jaquez/

IN HONOR OF THE BLESSED MOTHER/

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION FRIDAY 12/8

9am

- † Maria Ilundain/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Ernesto Hernandez, Jr./Domingo Rodriguez/
- † Janet Ruggiero/Maria Jaquez/
- † Alejandro & Cecilio Acevedo IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/

12pm

† Bruno Pugni/Perrone Pagano Family/

SATURDAY 12/9

9am

- † Domingo Rodriguez/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Maria Jaquez/Juan Jose Galvan/