

Saint Patrick Catholic Church

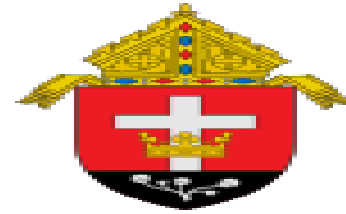
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Mass Schedule: Misas de la Semana

Saturday: 5:00 pm English

Sunday : 9:00 am English
12:00 noon Spanish/Español

Monday: 12:00 English

Wednesday: 6:00 pm English

Thursday: 6:00 pm Español
Holy hour/Hora Santa 6:30 pm –7:30 pm
Confessions Sat: 4:00 pm/Wed: 6:30 pm
Thurs: 6:30 pm

Friday: 12:00 noon Español

Relying on Christ's own words, the Catholic Church has always held that the bread and wine brought to the priest in the offertory procession are changed into Christ's body and blood "by the action of Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit" when, at the consecration of the Mass, an ordained priest says over them the words Jesus said: "This is my body.... This is my blood."

December 1, 2024

First Sunday of Advent

Confiando en las palabras del mismo Cristo, la Iglesia Catolica siempre a sostendo que el pan y el vino llevados al sacerdote durante la procesion del ofertorio se transforman en el cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo por la accion de Jesuscristo y poder del Espiritu Santo, cuando el sacerdote durante la consagracion pronuncia las palabras mismas de Cristo "Este es mi cuerpo ...Esta es mi sangre".

LECTORS & AND COMMUNION MINSTERS FOR WEEKEND MASSES

Date	Lectores	Communion Ministers	Acolytes	Altars Servers
Sat. Nov. 30th -5:00 PM	Irene Arellano	Antonio L. & Irene A.		
Sun. Dec. 1st-9:00 AM	Georgina Barrera	Jessie & Eric Flores		Javier & Maria Torres
Sun. Dec. 1st-12:00 PM	Noemi Hernandez	Luis & Lulu Rosas		
Sat. Dec. 7th-5:00 PM	Gracie Luna	Rosalio & Aurelia Luera		
Sun. Dec. 8th-9:00 AM	Rachel & Isabella Salas	James & Rachel Salas		Maria & Javier Torres
Sun. Dec. 8th-12:00 PM	Alonzo Mejia	Evan & Marley Vargas		

MISA DE LA SEMANA/Week day Mass

- Saturday: 12/30** Mass at 5:00 pm
- Sunday: 12/1** Mass at 9:00 am **First Sunday of Advent**
Mass at 12:00 noon **Primer Domingo de Adviento**
- Monday: 12/2** Mass 12:00 noon ENG/
- Wed: 12/4** Mass 6:00 pm ENG/ Saint John of Damascene
- Thurs: 12/5** Mass 6:00 pm Español
Holy Hour/hora Santa 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm
- Fri.: 12/5** Mass 12:00 noon Español

First Sunday of Advent

What Is the Meaning of Advent?

Preparation for the Birth of Christ: Advent is a time to prepare our hearts and minds to celebrate the arrival of Jesus. We reflect on the Messianic prophecies of the Old Testament, their fulfillment in Jesus our hope (1 Tim. 1:1), and thus the mission of salvation he's given to us as members of the one Church he founded.

A Call to Conversion: It's also a season of introspection and renewal. The liturgical color purple reminds us of our imperfections and the need for repentance. By acknowledging our shortcomings, we open ourselves to God's grace and prepare ourselves to receive the gift of Christ. Also, penance—such as through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving—helps us quiet and discipline our hearts for the joy of Christmas (see Catechism 1434). In that light, without an Advent fast it's harder to prepare for a Christmas.

In essence, this season is a bridge between the past, present, and future. It allows us to look back on the hope for the Savior of the World, experience anew the joy of his arrival and also his reign in the present through his Church, and to prepare ourselves for his glorious return at his Second Coming.

PLEASE REMMBER THOSE THAT ARE SICK IN OUR PARISH

Pauline Gutierrez, Noemi Hernandez, Amanda Rodriguez, Eva Guzman, Lydia Sedeño Yolanda Sedeño Elida Treviño , Diana Treviño, Diana MCarty, Diana & Michael Lopez, Gloria Lopez, Erica Ramos, Elixir, Quiñonez, Sally Regaldo, Eperanza Gomez, Daniel Villagomez, Angela Mendez, Maximo Trevino, Margaret Salas, Jovita Zamora, Jose Salinas Jr. ,Marisol Adame, Ashley Castro, Robert Ramirez, Guillermo& Jose Martinez, Aurora Gutierrez, J Yolanda Roberts, Isaac, Marissa, Sonny & Selayha Reyes, Danielle Trego Piñeda, Adam Orta, Matthew Torrez, Matthew Torrez, Naylie Sanchez, Stephanie Marie Morales, Christy Vasquez, Sergio Baez Lugo, Josie Belgara, Jennifer Belgara

Please call the Church office to remove the names of those that have been cure.



Baptism/Bautismos

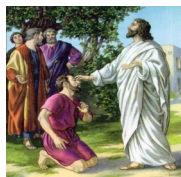
Baptismal Preparation classes will take place on the first Saturday of every Month at 10: am . Baptisms will be held on the third Saturday of the month, or on a date requested by the family. Please call the office to Register. Find more information in our webpage at www.stpatrickclubbock.org



Clases de Bautismo se llevan acabo el primer sabado de cada mes at las 10:00 am. Por favor llame a la Iglesia para registrarse. Para encontrar mas informacion consulte nuestra pagina del web en Stpatrickclubbock.org o llame a la oficina.

Anointing the Sick/ Uncion de Enfermos

Please call the Church office to schedule a time (806)765-5123 for the anointing of the sick . Anointing will also take place on the first Saturday of every month after the evening Mass.



Por favor llame a la Iglesia para hacer una consulta. Tambien habra uncion de los enfermos el primer Sabado de cada mes despues de la misa.

Communion for the Sick/communion para los enfermos

Please call the Church to have a communion minister take communion to the homebound. Favor de llamar a la Iglesia para que se le lleve la comunion a los que no puedan venir a misa.

(806)765-5123

Marriage/Matrimonio

Please call the church to set a meeting with the pastor. Please do not set a date for the wedding until you meet with Pastor.

Por favor llame a la oficina para juntarse con el Sacerdote. Por favor no haga ningun plan para la boda hasta que se junte con el Sacerdote.



Parish News

Collection for this week:	3,743.00
Children collection:	40.00
<u>Grupo Unidos</u>	<u>2059.00</u>
Total:	\$5,842.00

Proverbs 3:9-10

Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the first fruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.

Parish news:

Kitchen for December:

1st- Holy Name

8th-Las Guadalupanas

Church cleaning for
November/December:

Nov. 30th-
Guadalupanas

Dec. 7th- Holy Name



Adoracion del Santisimo cada Jueves de las 6:30 pm hasta la 7:30 pm . Los invitamos a estar con JESUS CRISTO POR 30 MINUTOS

Adoration of the Blessed sacrament every Thursday 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm. JESUS INVITES YOU TO BE WITH HIM FOR 30 MINUTES

COME AND EXPERIENCE THE MIRACLE



When he returned to his disciples he found them asleep. He said to Peter, "So you could not keep watch with me for one hour?"

Matthew 26:40

Around the Diocese

#iGiveCatholic 2024 on Giving Tuesday

Join in the 2024 annual day of giving through #iGiveCatholic, as part of Giving Tuesday, December 3. While the event is scaled nationally, the audience locally will be the 136,000 Catholics who reside in the 25 counties of the Diocese of Lubbock. Donate to your church parish, Catholic school, or favorite non-profit ministry. The Advanced Giving period begins November 18. Visit <https://lubbock.igivecatholic.org> to give.

Upcoming events at Saint Patrick

Advent Retreat November 30/ 9:00 am 12:00 pm

Breakfast with Santa December 7/ 9: am to 12:00 pm



Super Bowl Raffle Sunday, February 9, 2025



1st Prize - \$1,000 gift card

2nd Prize 80" TV

3rd Prize - Super Bowl Party Basket (\$500 value)

4th Prize - Popcorn Maker (with wheels)

5th Prize - \$200 gift card

Drawing at 10:30 A.M. Donation \$5.00 Do not have to be present

Refection for the first week of Advent

The Gospel today urges us to be vigilant and to stay faithful because we will stand before God in judgment much faster than we think. In the early Church, the first Christians believed very strongly that Christ would return very soon after his ascension. We find it in the last book of the Bible, the book of Revelation whose last words are the prayer: 'Maranatha, Come Lord Jesus'. This hope of the Lord's return coloured everything. Now although this high expectation has cooled somewhat in our time, the first half of Advent in particular reminds us that this is still a very important part of our faith – namely that Christ will return one day to judge all humanity and that we must stand ready in patient faithfulness to him in the meantime.

The Gospel passage from St Luke also highlights another aspect of life that we know to be true. Namely that all things pass away and that the only thing that is permanent is God's promises and love. Jesus' words to us today are a bit scary – he speaks of changes in the elements, in the sun, moon and stars to navigate. Stay focused on Him and his kingdom for this is what it means to stay awake and not to be distracted or deflected from what is truly important and the only thing that lasts forever.