The Parish *of* *St. Christopher*

BALDWIN, NEW YORK

December 3, 2023

First Sunday of Advent

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MISSION STATEMENT

"We the People of St. Christopher's Roman Catholic Church, united by faith in one God and Father, nourished by Jesus Christ through the Word and the Eucharist, and anointed with the power of the Holy Spirit, strive to meet the spiritual needs of our parish family and the local community as we journey in faith together through prayer, faith formation, evangelization, stewardship, and fellowship."

MASS TIMES

Saturday: 5:00PM
Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM,
11:30AM, 5:00PM, 7:00PM (Spanish)
Weekdays: 7:00AM & 9:00AM (M-F)
9:00AM (Saturdays)
Holy Days:
Vigil Mass - 7:00PM
Holy Day - 7:00AM, 9:00AM, 12:00PM, 7:00PM

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9 - 4pm
Saturday & Sunday 9 - 1pm
Parish Phone: 516-223-0723
Parish Fax: 516-867-5678
Email: bulletin@stchrisbaldwin.org
Website: www.stchrisbaldwin.org

Reconciliation
Saturday 4:00pm - 4:45pm
Adoration
Mon - Fri 7:30-9am & 2-10pm
Saturday 8am-9am
Sunday 8:15am - 9:30am
Rosary
Monday - Saturday after the 9am Mass
Miraculous Medal Novena
Monday after the 9am Mass

The Parish

CLERGY

Rev. Johnny R. Mendonça, *Pastor*

Rev. Ryan Joseph, Assistant *Parish Priest*

Rev. Anthony Kannampuzha, *Priest-in-Residence*

Deacon Ralph Muscente

Deacon Paul Cavanagh

PARISH COUNCIL

Mrs. Laura Aldorasi

Mr. Joreph Fragola

Mrs. Marie Jose Saint Surin

Mr. Jack Sullivan

Hon. Leo McGinity

Mrs. Rosemarie Scarola

PARISH STAFF

Mrs. Maureen Brady, *Parish Receptionist*

Mrs. Mary Beer, *Parish Receptionist*

Mr. James Montalbano, *Director of Music*

Mrs. Maureen Donnelly *Director of Faith Formation*

Ms. Sabrina Chan, *Faith Formation Coordinator*

Mrs. Julimar Gaffney, *Coordinator: Parish Social Ministry*

Ms. Sara Santana, *Coordinator: Youth Ministry*

PARISH TRUSTEES

Mr. John Kornobis

Mrs. Gail Milne

Please Pray For

The Deceased

Please Pray for all Parishioners born into eternal life. Keep them and their families in your prayers.

Patrick Cashin
Barbara J. Fullerton
Elizabeth Anderson
Edward Olvera
Warren J Pallatto
Paul Richard Malkiewicz

The Sick

Joyce Bunocore
Maureen Carl
Sandra Chan
Zachary Chan
Jeannie Clarke
Jeanette C. Larsen
Alice Fincken
Margaret Healy
Virginia McWalters
Mark Petrasek
Kenneth Tynan
Rose Vrabel
Jennie Yanantuono
Fiona Keogh

Names of the Sick for the bulletin will remain for three weeks unless the Rectory is notified for an extension. Please send all requests to bulletin@stchrisbaldwin.org.

Prayer for Our Troops

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. And give us peace. I ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen

SFC Ralph Pereira
Nick Duran
Rosy Duran
Captain Alexander LeClaire
2nd Lieutenant Jacob Neumann

Kindly only submit the names of deployed troops and the duration of deployment to the bulletin for prayer to bulletin@stchrisbaldwin.org.

Mass Intentions

Week of December 3rd, 1st Sunday in Advent

Bread & Wine

Sanctuary Lamp

Monday		**December 4th**
7:00AM		Jean Eddy Douyon
9:00AM		Nilda Cordero
7:00PM		Mass of Thanksgiving
Tuesday		**December 5th**
7:00AM		Charles G M Thomas III
9:00AM		Maria Roman
7:00PM		Mass of Thanksgiving
Wednesday		**December 6th**
7:00AM		John B Gredys
9:00AM		Sr. Mary
7:00PM		Mass of Thanksgiving
Thursday	*Saint Ambrose*	**December 7th**
7:00AM		Kathy Dara Liv Int
9:00AM		Angelo Graziano
7:00PM	*Vigil Mass*	Marsha Volgyi Birthday Anniversary
Friday	*The Immaculate*	**December 8th**
7:00AM	*Conception Of the*	Thanksgiving to the Holy Mother
9:00AM	*Blessed Virgin Mary*	Frances & Frank DeStefano Dec & Noreen McKenna liv Int
12:00PM		Ava Salonia
7:00PM		Marina E. Diaz
Saturday		**December 9th**
9:00AM		Sabrina Chan, Maureen Donnelly, Anne Soller, Sonia Montanez received into the Carmelite Community
5:00PM		Grace & Frank Murphy Margaret & Jimmy Enright Brian J. Boyle Mary Jo & Frank Segal 50th wedding anniversary Margaret Healy Liv Int
Sunday	*Second Sunday*	**December 10th**
7:30AM	*Of Advent*	People Of the Parish
9:30AM		Marina E. Diaz
11:30AM		Donald Dischner
5:00PM		Virginia Adelaide & Antoine Geraci

The Sacraments
Los Sacramentos

Baptism/Bautismos

Pre-registration is required two months before Baptism for the preparation class and the actual date of Baptism. The required Baptismal Preparation class is held on the first Sunday of each month at 9:30AM Mass in the Church and class to follow in McGoldrick Hall. Baptisms happen the second, third and fourth Sundays of each month at 1pm and the second and third Saturdays at 1pm. Please call the Rectory for more information.

La matriculación para las Clases Pre-bautismales es un requerimiento, con dos meses de antelación a la fecha del bautismo. Estas clases se ofrecen en la parroquia. Le podemos compartir el horario y la ubicación a través de una llamada a la oficina. Los bautismos se llevan a cabo los domingos segundos, teceros y cuartos de cada mes, a la 1pm, y los sábados segundos y teceros de cada mes, a la 1pm. Para matricularse para las Clases Pre-bautismales, por favor llame a la oficina al (516) 223-0723.

Reconciliation/Confesión

Every Saturday from 4PM to 4:45PM in the Church. At other times, please feel free and most welcome to make an appointment with one of the priests by calling the Rectory.

Cada Sábado a la 4PM hasta 4:45PM en la iglesia. Siéntase libre en llamar a la rectoría para hacer una cita en caso de que necesite confesarse a otra hora.

Anointing and Communion for the Sick/Comunión para los Enfermos

Anyone unable to attend Mass because of illness may receive Holy Communion at home on a regular basis. Deacons and Eucharistic Ministers assist the priests in this ministry. Please call the Rectory.

Si no puede asistir a la Misa por enfermedad, puede solicitar que alguien le lleve la Eucaristía a su casa. Por favor llame a la oficina.

R.C.I.A (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)/(Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos)

This is the process for adults wishing to become Catholic, complete their Sacramental initiation, or attain full membership in the Church. For further information on how to join, please contact the Rectory.

Este es el proceso para adultos interesados en convertirse a la fe católica, para aquellos que desean completar los sacramentos de iniciación, y para todo aquel que desea formar parte de la Iglesia Católica. Para más información llame la oficina.

Matrimony/Matrimonio

An appointment should be made to meet with one of our priests or deacons at least nine months before an anticipated wedding date to begin preparations. Either the bride, groom, or the immediate family must be a resident parishioner. Please call the Rectory to set up an appointment and for more information.

Se debe hacer una cita con uno de los sacerdotes con al menos nueve meses de antelación de la fecha de la boda. Por lo menos la novia, el novio, o alguien cercano a la familia debe ser un feligrese de la parroqia. Para más información llame a la oficina.

Banns of Marriage

"Love is patient, love is kind ... Love never fails" 1 Cor . 4a, 8a

My dear Parishioners and Friends,

The celebration of the Solemnity of Jesus Christ - King of the Universe, last Sunday, was the climax of our liturgical year. It was the last Sunday of our Church's calendar. This week we begin our new Church / liturgical year, with the first Sunday of Advent. Advent is a liturgical season meant to be lived with deep spiritual anticipation. It is a time of year in which the Church invites us to look forward to spiritual gifts, "Do not be afraid, for behold, I proclaim to you Good news of great joy that will be for all the people." Lk 2: 10.
Just as John the Baptist anticipated the first coming of Jesus, we are anticipating the Second Coming of Jesus Christ. We know and believe, as we publicly profess every Sunday when we pray the Creed, that at the end of time - Jesus "will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his Kingdom will have no end." And so, in the meantime, just like John the Baptist, we have a mission to fulfill, the mission of spreading the Good news to those around us, through our words and deeds, the message of the Gospel. We are not called to simply sit around and wait for Jesus to come again and put an end to evil and sin. We are called to spread his good news / Gospel, that's part of how we anticipate his Second Coming; it's part of the Christian WAY of waiting.

John the Baptist was given a mission to help prepare the WAY for the people of his time to welcome the coming of the Messiah. As a Christian, I too share in the mission of helping people welcome Christ into their hearts.

- **What am I doing to fulfill that mission? - What can I do during Advent to fulfill it a little bit better?**

Let us take the Parable of the Ten Bridesmaids - Matthew 25, the women wait expectantly for the delayed groom to arrive at an unknown hour of the night. Half the women bring extra oil to fuel their lamps, while the other half bring none. By the time the groom has arrived all their lamps have died out. With not enough to go around, the unprepared bridesmaids are forced to leave their wedding duties in order to buy more oil. The bridegroom represents Christ, and he ends the parable by warning these bridesmaids to **"keep awake... for you know neither the day nor the hour"** - Matthew 25:13.

This parable invites us to recognizes the division in humanity which is represented by the bridesmaids, some wise and some foolish, who wait together for Christ's arrival. "It is quite evident that wisdom lies in careful preparation" because waiting is centered around trust. Firstly, trust in the arrival of the thing or person we are waiting for, in this case the groom, but also trust that those waiting will fulfill their duties and be ready when they are needed most. "Waiting is not a throwaway time", but one of intentionality and preparation for the moments that have not yet arrived and cannot be predicted. The coming of Christ is one of these moments for which we must prepare through the celebration of the Time of Advent.

At Mass, after praying the Lord's Prayer, we hear ". . . as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ." This prayer reminds us that during Advent, we wait in joy, in hope, and in anticipation for the wonderful event we are about to experience—the feast of Christmas, the coming of Christ into our lives in new ways, the return of Christ in glory at the end of time. As the Church, we wait during Advent and look forward to celebrating the fact that God loves us so much that he sent his Son into the world to save us. This waiting is far from empty; rather, it is full of the hope that God promises us as we prepare for coming of the Lord.

This Advent, we can decide to wait through these days of Advent, not demanding answers, but living into this story of God's unexpected breakthrough. We may find ourselves and even discover our true self in this story. It will require the discipline of remembering what happened and what can still happen. It will stretch our attention span, waiting patiently for what will come.

Remember, DON'T RUSH, especially in Advent, TAKE TIME TO THINK AND REFLECT, on the things you are doing. Like the holy family, we can decide to wait, listen and hope. And then we can hear the words "Fear not," for this news will bring great joy.
BLESSED SEASON OF ADVNET TO YOU ALL. God Bless.

Fr. Johnny
Fr. Johnny

Liturgy

The Immaculate Conception Of The Blessed Holy Mary December 8th

In 1854, Pope Pius IX declared the dogma of the Immaculate Conception:
The Most Holy Virgin Mary was, in the very first moment of her conception, by a unique gift of grace and privilege of Almighty God and in view of the merits of Jesus Christ the Redeemer of mankind, preserved free from all stain of original sin." (Ineffabilis Deus, Apostolic Constitution of Pope Pius IX on the Immaculate Conception). Thus, the Church teaches that the Blessed Mother was redeemed by Her Son, just as we are, but by a Divine anticipation of the merits of the Word-made-flesh. Like Eve before her, she was not subject to the Fall and thus to the prince of this world. However, unlike Eve, she would never surrender that freedom which God's grace provided her. The Immaculate Conception indicates that Our Lady was preserved from the penalty of original sin from the moment of her conception. The Virgin Birth means that Jesus was conceived and born, not of man, but by the Holy Spirit.

Reflection
In Luke 1:28 the angel Gabriel, speaking on God's behalf, addresses Mary as "full of grace" or "highly favored". In that context, this phrase means that Mary is receiving all the special divine help necessary for the task ahead. However, the Church grows in understanding with the help of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit led the Church, especially non-theologians, to the insight that Mary had to be the most perfect work of God next to the Incarnation. Or rather, Mary's intimate association with the Incarnation called for the special involvement of God in Mary's whole life.
The logic of piety helped God's people to believe that Mary was full of grace and free of sin from the first moment of her existence. Moreover, this great privilege of Mary is the highlight of all that God has done in Jesus. Rightly understood, the incomparable holiness of Mary shows forth the incomparable goodness of God.

Source: Immaculate Conception | EWTN, Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary | Franciscan Media

Next Sunday's Readings

Readings for the weekend of
December 10th– 2nd Sunday in Advent
Year B

Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11
Psalms 85:9-10-11-12, 13-14
2 Peter 3:8-14
Mark 1:1-8

Mass Ordinaries

Holy	#365
Mystery of Faith	#366
Great Amen	#367
Agnus Dei	#311

Stewardship

Weekly Numbers: "What shall I return to the Lord for all that He has given to me?"

NOV 26 Sunday Collections

	TOTAL	IN-PERSON	ONLINE
2023	$ 16,946	$ 14,866	$ 2,080
2022	$ 16,804	$ 14,283	$ 2,521
+/-	$ (142)		

NOV 19 Sunday Collections

	TOTAL	IN-PERSON	ONLINE
2023	$ 17,147	$ 13,907	$ 3,240
2022	$ 16,807	$ 13,614	$ 3,193
+/-	$ (340)		

NOV 12 Sunday Collections

	TOTAL	IN-PERSON	ONLINE
2023	$ 14,084	$ 12,908	$ 1,176
2022	$ 15,436	$ 12,415	$ 3,021
+/-	$ (340)		

Stewardship Prayer

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,

I come to You in thanksgiving knowing that all that I am and all that I have are gifts from You. Teach me to be generous with these gifts that You have given to me.

I know that You want me to accept these gifts, cultivate them, and return them with increase, and that I may do that only through You. Help me to be Your faithful, evangelizing steward.

Keep me mindful that, as Your disciple, I am called through the Holy Spirit to be an instrument of dramatic missionary growth, radically faithful to participation in the Sunday Mass, deeply devoted to the presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist, and courageous in living the truths of our Faith and sharing the "Good News" with the world.

Make us One Family in Mission so that, through our time and talent, we may ignite our Church with the joy of the Gospel. ***Amen.***

Taken from: Stewardship Office, Diocese of Rockville Centre

Ministry Appeal - 2023

Goal - $117,400.00

# of Gifts		179
Pledged	$	71,000.00
Paid	$	66,581.00
Average gift	$	396.65

61% of Goal

Thank you to our donors for supporting our 2023 Ministry Appeal campaign!

This year, St. Christopher's Parish Catholic Ministries goal is $117,400, of which $71,000 (61%) has been pledged and $66,581 collected. That leaves us with a shortfall of $46,400.

Many thanks to the 179 families whose pledges have carried us this far. If you still need to pledge, we earnestly urge you to complete a form and join this collective effort. Please remember that YOUR participation is paramount to this endeavor! We have over 3,000 registered families. If we all chip in, imagine the difference we'll make in the work of the Catholic Church here on Long Island!

*editor notes, the last two collection numbers were added to this edition sorry for the inconvenience

BEWARE GIFT CARD SCAM

If you receive an email or text message from Fr. Johnny, or any other staff member of St. Christopher's Church requesting a purchase of gift cards or donations, delete it immediately, block the sender's phone number or email address and notify the rectory office as soon as possible. This is a common scam and is not from St. Christopher's. *Please do not reply to the message nor purchase any gift cards prior to calling the office.*

Next Week's Collection

2023 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL
DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE

One Family – Journeying together in Communion, Participation and Mission

HELP US TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Every year through the support and commitment of individuals and organizations, we are able to serve more than 600,000 people in our Long Island community.

The Catholic Ministries Appeal enables our Church to continue to form our youth and adults in the faith, promote the dignity of life, provide quality education to our young people, feed the hungry, and foster vocations to the priesthood.

Your support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal helps our Parish Outreach and Catholic Charities Programs serve people in our community by providing food, clothing, shelter, counseling and care. And most importantly, it lets those we serve know that God loves them and is with them during the difficult times in their lives.

Your generosity helps to make all of this, and so much more, possible!

Thank you for your support.

PLEASE CONSIDER MAKING A GIFT TO THE 2023 Catholic Ministries Appeal! **Every Gift Makes a Difference in the Lives of Others.**

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Catholic Ministries Appeal, Diocese of Rockville Centre, P.O. Box 4000, Rockville Centre, New York 11571 catholicministriesappeal.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

WISHING ALL A HOLY SEASON OF ADVENT

First graders are happy to wear their Advent Wreaths in anticipation of the Birth of Jesus.

Adriana Friedman is sharing the joy of her Baptism into the Catholic Church. Many blessings upon you, Adriana, as you continue your journey in Christ Jesus.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Monster Trucks are starting their engines on the High-way to Heaven. Good luck to all grade level trucks on the race to the Church

Mrs. Scheiner's fourth grade class is visited by Christopher Turkey last week and this week they celebrated a POPCORN PARTY for being our First Place Winners on The Highway to Heaven!

Ministry News

The Church *of* St. Christopher
BALDWIN, NEW YORK

PARISH REGISTRATION

Often Parish members come to the Parish office to request a certificate or letter to confirm their participation.
However, if they are not registered, the request becomes harder for us to fulfill.

Members who come to St. Christopher's and live within the Parish boundaries are encouraged to register with the Parish Office.

Please call or visit us on 15 Pershing Blvd and we will be happy to help you register!

Office Hours:
Monday – Friday: 9am - 4pm
Saturday & Sunday: 9am - 1pm

NOTE: PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED FRIDAY DECEMBER 8TH

Congratulations!

Two members of our parish have made it on to the Honor Roll at St. Anthony's High School!

Annalissa Fuentes
&
Maya Williams

We are proud of you for receiving this honor and pray that you continue to reach your academic goals.
God Bless!

Homebound Ministry

If you know of any member of the Parish who is homebound and who would like to receive visitors, please contact the Parish Office at 516-223-0723 and share the name and contact information with the staff, identifying it as a person for the Ministry for the Homebound. If you would like to be part of this Ministry please give you name and contact number to the Parish Office and Paul Cavanagh will be in touch with you.

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

CURRENT PANTRY NEEDS

- ◊ Canned Chickpeas
- ◊ Small Packet Snack
- ◊ Instant Coffee
- ◊ Cereal
- ◊ Mayonaise
- ◊ Spaghetti sauce
- ◊ Soup
- ◊ Jelly
- ◊ Peanut butter
- ◊ Juice–1/2 gallon
- ◊ Toilet paper
- ◊ Paper towels
- ◊ Soap
- ◊ Toothpaste
- ◊ Size 4,5,6 diapers

Thank you very much for your continuous support in helping us to provide for those in need!
God Bless you all

PLEASE **DO NOT** LEAVE PERISHABLE ITEMS
FOOD PANTRY IS OPEN
TUESDAYS 2:30-4:00PM

The Respect Life Ministry invites you:

Friday December 8th following the 7:00 pm Mass to join them for a holy hour of Prayers for Life.

Immediately following the Mass we will walk to the Adoration Chapel for the service. **All are invited to join.**

Respect Life

Please join us in the Adoration chapel **every Thursday at 7:30pm** for the **Rosary for Life!**

Events

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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ENTER TO WIN THIS NATIVITY SET

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All Proceeds will support St. Christopher's Families in need

All proceeds from the raffle will be used to help those families of our parish in need, especially during the Holiday Season. Please consider participating.

Tickets are $5.00 each or 5 for $20.00

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For more information contact *Mike Brady 516-223-8914 or engboss@optonline.net*

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COFFEE with JESUS

Advent Zoom Webinars

Join Bishop Andrzej

10:00 am on Friday mornings in December:

December 1, 8, 15, 22

Online Advent Reflections

on Scripture Readings

with the special emphasis
on Mary, Joseph and Jesus.

Great opportunity to prepare and nourish your mind and heart, in preparation for Christmas.

To register,
please call Suzanne 516-744-6850
or email westernvicariate@drvc.org.

Once you are registered, you will be emailed the ZOOM Webinar information prior to each session of this Advent series.

KITTY O' HARA'S CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE !

Kitty O' Hara's located on 845 Merrick Rd, Baldwin, will be having their annual all day toy drive on Thursday December 7th! They will be accepting donations of *unwrapped* toys worth *$20 or less* and giving part of the donations to St. Christopher's. Please consider donating and we thank you for your generosity!

If you have any more questions please call them at: (516) 208-5520

Parish Events

Grupo de Oración Renovación Carismática

Sábados a las 7:15PM en
Lawlor Hall

Para información
llame a:

José Molina 516-455-3930
Isidoro Ruíz 516-410-1402

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BASKETBALL

Who: Volleyball - grades 5 through HS.
(CYO now offers boys volleyball, please register if interested.)

Basketball – grades 9 through 12.

When: Volleyball practices will start in January, a 10 game season starts Feb 25th and ends in April.
HS Basketball practices will start immediately,

a 10 game season from January to March.

Register: Sunday 12/3 and 12/10 from 10:30 to 12:00
Monday 12/4 and 12/11 from 6:00 to 7:30

Registration takes place in the gym.

Need more information? Please contact:
John Kornobis 516-754-4414
Joe Pomerico 516-232-6867

Parish Events

CHRISTMAS ANGELS GIFT PROGRAM

Our yearly Angels Gift Program is here! Angels can be found in baskets at all the entrances of the church. Please take one and return it with a gift card to the **Parish Office** at your earliest convenience!

***BEWARE GIFT CARD SCAM

Father Johnny or any other staff member of St. Christopher's will ***not*** text or email you personally requesting gift cards or donations. Delete it immediately, block the sender's phone number or email address and notify the Parish office as soon as possible.

Parish Events

WINTER
Coat Drive

We are collecting New or Like-New winter coats for adults and children of **all** ages

Drop Of Location:
In the church bin located at the main entrance

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

Parish News

2023 - Special Collection for Religious Retirement

The Religious Retirement Collection will take place in all parishes in the Diocese of Rockville Centre on the weekend of December 9th and 10th. Our continued goal is to provide financial assistance for the challenges that our religious face because of the rising cost of healthcare. This collection helps to fund daily essentials like prescription medications and nursing care.

You should have already received materials from the National Office to help facilitate this special collection. In addition, to further assist your efforts, we have a bulletin announcement in English and in Spanish included below.

If you have any questions, or if you do not receive your package with materials, please call Barbara Kilarjian at 516-678-5800 ext. 257 or email her at bkilarjian@drvc.org.

We thank you for all of your support!

Give in gratitude

A donor to the Retirement Fund for Religious writes, "I still remember the lessons the sisters gave us and how they instilled in us the love of our faith." Show your thanks for the prayerful service of elderly Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests. Your gift to next week's second collection helps provide care, medicine, and more. Please be generous.

Donen en agradecimiento

Un donante al Fondo para la Jubilación de Religiosos escribe: "Todavía recuerdo las lecciones que las hermanas nos dieron y cómo nos inculcaron el amor a nuestra fe". Muestre su agradecimiento por la devoción en el servicio de las hermanas, hermanos y sacerdotes ancianos de órdenes religiosas católicas. Su donativo la semana que viene a la colecta ayuda a dar cuidado, medicinas y más. Sean generosos.

Upcoming Parish Events

NOVENA A LA

Virgen de Guadalupe

Con Padre Miguel

Comenzamos con la misa

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