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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday - Vigil Mass - 4:45 p.m.
Sunday - 9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday - 8:15 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday Morning - 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon

BAPTISMS

Registered parishioners. Preparation Programme required before a date will be set. Contact the Office.

MARRIAGE

Registered parishioners. Marriage Course required. Set no date before meeting with the priest. The Bishop must be consulted in the case of a previous marriage.

CARE OF THE SICK

Communion for the homebound upon request. Anointing of the Sick with the seriously ill, or those undergoing surgery. Call the Office.

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ADORATION CHAPEL

Seven days a week - 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Mass Intentions



for the Week

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| 8:15am | Dec 12 | Mon | +Madeline Luard |
| 8:15am | Dec 13 | Tue | Liz & Brendan Yeung |
| 8:15am | Dec 14 | Wed | Msgr. Paul Zimmer |
| 8:15am | Dec 15 | Thu | +Josephine & Lefty Connell |
| 8:15am | Dec 16 | Fri | Fr. John Croal |
| 8:15am | Dec 17 | Sat | +Deceased members of the Camilleri, Grech & Grima families |
| 4:45pm | Dec 17 | Sat | +Leonard & Sheila Penney |
| 9:30am | Dec 18 | Sun | Parishioners |
| 11:30am | Dec 18 | Sun | +Deceased members of the de Souza & Rebeiro families |

IS IT PINK? OR IS IT ROSE?



our Advent Wreath. You decide the truth of the matter!

On Gaudete Sunday the violet of Advent gives way to a lighter, brighter, liturgical colour. The Church calls it **Rose**. Most say **Pink**. The priests and deacon wear **rose** coloured vestments, and we light the **pink** candle on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2022
FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
Patroness of the Americas

**OUR
LADY
OF
GUADALUPE**



**National Day of Prayer in
Solidarity with Indigenous Peoples**
Join Us for Mass at 8:15 a.m.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

For

+Gertrude Nusdorfer



FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

- Monday (12):** Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas
Tuesday (13): St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr
Wednesday (14): St. John of the Cross, Priest & Doctor

GAUDETE SUNDAY – REJOICE AND BE GLAD

Rejoice!

The Third Sunday of Advent is traditionally called **Gaudete Sunday**. This Latin title is an invitation to rejoice. The name was borrowed from the Entrance Antiphon which reads **“Rejoice in the Lord always; Again, I say, rejoice”**. It’s a day of anticipation. **“Indeed, the Lord is near”**.

SHIFTING LITURGICAL GEARS

The Advent weekdays from December 17th to December 24th are intended as a direct preparation for Christmas. Except where special devotion exists, all memorials of Saints are omitted, and the Advent Mass is celebrated. The Gospel readings chosen for each day, speak of the events leading up to the birth of Jesus. The first readings highlight important prophecies about the Messiah.

NOT HO, HO, HO – BUT OH, OH, OH

The Gospel Acclamations for the preparation days before Christmas (Dec. 17-24) all begin with a resounding **“Oh”**. They are titles given in Sacred Scripture to the long-awaited Messiah. The well-known hymn, **“O Come, Emmanuel”** is based on these antiphons, and fittingly used at Mass.



PARISH CHRISTMAS SOCIAL – NEXT SATURDAY!



Be our guests at the St. Clement Parish Christmas Social. Join us on **Saturday evening, December 17th at 6:00 p.m.** in the parish hall. No reservations or tickets needed. Finger foods, desserts, tea and coffee will be served. Featuring Christmas music by the Panache Steelband.

2023 SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES



Sunday Offering Envelopes for 2023 are available this weekend. There are no pre-assigned numbers. Pick up any box and fill in the first, gray envelope. That's your parish registration.

Begin using these envelopes on January 1st.

2022 CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve – Saturday, December 24th
5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
(No 8:15 a.m. Mass on Christmas Eve)

Christmas Day – Sunday, December 25th
9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

ADVENT CHRISTMAS CONFESSIONS

Saturday, December 10th
9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, December 17th
9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Thursday, December 22nd
7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Friday, December 23rd
7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

2023 NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

New Year's Eve
Saturday, December 31st at 4:45 p.m.

New Year's Day – Sunday,
January 1st at 9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

CHAPEL VISITS IN ADVENT

When the pre-Christmas rush starts to get on your nerves take a break. Drop in to St. Clement Adoration Chapel, and spend some quiet time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. **The Chapel is open every day from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.** It's a safe haven in a world gone mad.



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