

“HAIL,
favored one!
The LORD is
with you.”



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (C) For the sake of the salvation of humankind, Mary of Nazareth has shielded from the influence of sin. Her Son has set all of us free. We welcome his mercy, which allows us to say yes to our ongoing challenge to love when we are not inclined to do so.

LA INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN DE LA BENDITA VIRGEN MARÍA (C) Por el bien de la salvación de la humanidad, María de Nazaret fue protegida de la influencia del pecado. Su Hijo nos ha liberado a todos. Le damos la bienvenida a su misericordia, que nos permite decir sí a nuestro desafío continuo de amar cuando no estamos dispuestos a hacerlo.

MASS INTENTION FOR DECEMBER 7, 2018

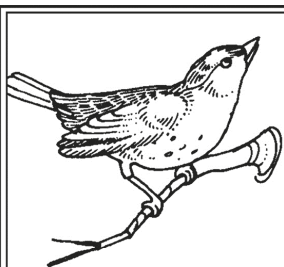
Intentions of Fr. Jeremy by Parishioners

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS FOR DECEMBER 7, 2018

Lector	Mike Crone	Gift Bearers	Sonny Croney Family
Servers	Cayden Rose Dante Breidenstein Lezly Almaraz	Ushers	Don Kolash Toby Fuhrmann

This Saturday, December 8th, is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation. We will have an anticipatory Mass this Friday, December 7th, at 6 p.m.

Este sábado, 8 de diciembre, es la fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción de la Santísima Virgen María, un día de santa de obligación. Tendremos una misa anticipada este viernes, 7 de diciembre, a las 6 pm.



*Cantemos
al Señor
un canto nuevo,
pues ha hecho maravillas.*

There will be **signs**
in the **Sun**, the **moon**,
and the **stars**,
and on earth nations
will be in dismay.

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (C) We may have the feast of the birth of Jesus on our minds. That humble coming of the Savior into the world sets us on course to embrace the entire Christian mystery, including Jesus' bringing all things to completion. We give thanks that we already enjoy the gift of forgiveness.

PRIMER DOMINGO DE ADVIENTO (C) Puede que tengamos la fiesta del nacimiento de Jesús en nuestras mentes. Esa humilde venida del Salvador al mundo nos pone en camino para abrazar todo el misterio cristiano, incluyendo todas las cosas a su finalización. Damos gracias que ya disfrutamos el don del perdón.

*Descúbrenos,
Señor,
tus caminos.*



Please remember in your prayers all the faithful departed, especially Betty Brinkley, who died recently. May she share in the fullness of glory and heavenly peace.

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP FOR NOVEMBER 18, 2018 \$ 1,648.00

STEWARDSHIP FOR NOVEMBER 25, 2018 \$ 1,851.00

May God bless you for your support.

“We know the sacrifice that God gave to us to show how much he loves us. How we use our time, talent and treasure shows God how much we love him.”

Author Unknown

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

We want to wish a happy birthday to all in our parish family celebrating a birthday this week, especially Richi Aguirre on December 3rd, Tamara Lopez and Sophia Salas on December 5th, Arely Juarez on December 6th, and Colton Campbell on December 7th.

There will be a Penance Service this Wednesday, December 5th, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Anne's Church in Sherman. Several priests will be hearing confessions. Advent is considered to be one of the penitential seasons so this is a good time to avail ourselves to the Sacrament of Reconciliation.



Habr  un servicio de Penitencia el mi rcoles, 5 de diciembre a las 6:30 pm en la iglesia de Santa Ana en Sherman. Varios sacerdotes escuchar n confesiones. Adviento es considerado como una de las temporadas de penitencia, as  que este es un buen momento para valernos al Sacramento de la Reconciliaci n.



Christmas Party

St. Francis of Assisi Christmas Party for adults will be at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, December 8th. Ham, tea and coffee will be

provided. Please bring your favorite side dish and/or dessert to complete the meal. You may bring your beverage of choice. Please make sure if you plan to attend that you have signed up so we will know how many to set up for. A sign-up sheet is available after Mass. If you would like to participate in the white elephant gift exchange, please bring a \$15 wrapped, gender-neutral gift. Also, please bring some non-perishable food items for the Christmas food baskets that are being put together for local families in need.

La fiesta de Navidad para adultos de San Francisco de As s ser  a las 6:30 pm el s bado 8 de diciembre. Habr  jam n, t  y caf . Por favor traiga su plato favorito y / o postre para completar la comida. Puede traer su bebida preferida. Por favor, aseg rese de que si planea asistir, que se haya inscrito para que sepamos para cu ntos tendremos que configurar. Una hoja de inscripci n est  disponible despu s de misa. Si desea participar en el intercambio de regalos de elefante blanco, traiga un regalo envuelto de \$15 y sin g nero. Adem s, traiga algunos alimentos no perecederos para las canastas navide as que se est n juntando para las familias locales necesitadas.

MASS INTENTION FOR DECEMBER 9, 2018

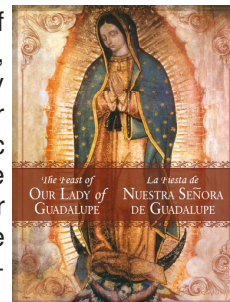
†Vito Calise by Stacey Family

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS FOR DECEMBER 9, 2018

Lector	Rosario Labrada	Servers	Sagrario Labrada Alex Labrada Jesus Labrada
Eucharistic Ministers	Sharon Kirkpatrick Anita Morales Ana Baeza	Ushers	Bobby Jolls Rick Laney
Gift Bearers	Ken Podborny Family	Ministers to Homebound	

We want to wish a happy anniversary to all couples celebrating a wedding anniversary this week, especially Sonny & Nancy Cronney on December 7th.

Please join us in celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe on Wednesday, December 12th, at 7 p.m. for a Rosary Prayer Service and Matachines in her honor, at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church. The Guadalupanas will be serving refreshments immediately after the Rosary in the Parish Hall. For more information please contact Paola at 940-902-1743 or Anita at 903-816-1519.



 nase a nosotros en la celebraci n de la Fiesta de Nuestra Se ora de Guadalupe el mi rcoles 12 de diciembre a las 7 pm para un servicio de oraci n del Rosario y Matachines en su honor, en la Iglesia Cat lica de San Francisco de As s. Las Guadalupanas servir n refrigerios inmediatamente despu s del rosario en el Sal n Parroquial. Para obtener m s informaci n, p ngase en contacto con Paola en 940-902-1743 o Anita Morales al 903-816-1519.

If you would like to have someone remembered in the Christmas Novena of Masses, cards are available at the entrance of the Church. Please return the envelope to the Church office in Sherman by Friday, December 21st. *Si le gustar a tener a alguien recordado en la Novena de Navidad de las misas, las tarjetas est n disponibles en el atrio de la Iglesia. Por favor, devuelva el sobre para el viernes, 21 de diciembre.*



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