



Second Sunday of Advent

December 7, 2025

Weekend & Weekday Mass Schedule:

Saturday, December 6

11:00 am – Doug Sauvageau Funeral

4:00 pm Hammond – † Kitty Munro (Sharon Davis)

Sunday, December 7 – Second Sunday of Advent

8:30 am – † Joe Dugan

10:30 am – † Holly Ball (George & Lesley Sabol)

Noon – Our Parish Family

Tuesday, December 9

8:00 am – † Jon Englund (Norton Family)

Wednesday, December 10

8:00 am – Michelle Mark (Anita Holdridge)

8:40 am – 6:00 pm – Adoration

5:00 pm – Confessions

Thursday, December 11

3:00 pm, Hammond – † Sergio Vazquez Pelayo
(Vazquez Family)

Friday, December 12

8:00 am – † Sergio Vazquez Pelayo (Vazquez Family)

Saturday, December 13

4:00 pm Hammond - † Donna Van Velzer
(Patti & Jim Carlin)

Sunday, December 14 – Third Sunday of Advent

8:30 am – Emmanuel Goicochea (Goicochea Family)

10:30 am – † Bill Hankel (Jeanne Hankel)

Noon – Our Parish Family

♦ Parish Offertory ♦

Sunday, November 23, 2025

Hammond: \$1,205.00

Astoria: 1,686.00

Mail: 740.00

Online: 604.50

Total: \$4,235.50

Sunday, November 30, 2025

Hammond: \$1,359.00

Astoria: 2,063.00

Mail: 200.00

Online: 239.50

Total: \$3,861.50

Thank you/Gracias!

†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

December 7, 2025

We will use the Week 1 schedule:

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

4:00 pm, Hammond –Debby Bloom

8:30 am – Ralph Mansfield

10:30 am – Joyce Hill

Lectors:

4:00 pm, Hammond –Anita Decker

8:30 am – Dan Zills

10:30 am – Nancy Giasson

Altar Servers:

Noon – Ana Alejo, Gabriel Ortuno Bermudez,
Angel Perez Garcia, Angel Velasco Uribe

†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

December 14, 2025

We will use the Week 2 schedule:

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

4:00 pm, Hammond –Joyce Hill

8:30 am – S. Croos

10:30 am – Dan Sitkowski

Lectors:

4:00 pm, Hammond –Dolores Sharp

8:30 am – Cindy Van Arsdall

10:30 am – Alice Bell

Altar Servers:

Noon – Dina Alejo, Angel Merino Lucas, Aaron Perez
Garcia, Ruth Perez Garcia

Third Sunday of Advent

December 14, 2025

1st Reading: Isaiah 35:1-6a, 10

2nd Reading: James 5:7-10

Gospel: Matthew 11:2-11





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There is an Advent spirit in the heart of every human person. It is one of longing, of yearning for a fulfillment that somehow lies beyond ourselves; for we long for the coming of the Lord.

As you put your gift in the St Vincent de Paul donation box, your heart will discover the true meaning of Christmas as you help our neighbors in need.

Pantry needs for the month of December
– Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate

Food Pantry hours. TUESDAY's 1PM – 3PM ...
FRIDAY's 10AM – NOON

For additional information please call (503) 325-2007
or email stvdpa.storia@gmail.com

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2025 Jubilee Year: Pilgrims of Hope



Did you notice that there is no visible source of power on this boat? No oars, no sail, no motor – yet here we are moving forward. This journey is powered by the Holy Spirit. So often, we think the

Spirit is moving too slowly. But no. This is a time and place of peace, a season to remember the first time the Lord came to live amongst us; and a period of preparation for when He comes again to take us home.

Christmas Flower Offerings

Ofrenda para las Flores de Navidad

Christmas Flower Offering envelopes are available. If you would like to make an offering in memory/honor of a loved one, please make a donation by **Friday, December 19th** to have their names published in the Christmas bulletin. Don't forget to indicate if the names are "in memory" or "in honor". Thank you.



Los sobres para las flores de ofrenda de Navidad están disponibles en las bancas y en la entrada de la iglesia. Si desea hacer una ofrenda en memoria/honor a un ser querido, por favor haga una donación para el viernes, 19 de diciembre para que sus nombres sean impresos en el boletín de navidad. ¡Gracias!

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Monday, December 8th

8:00 AM Mass – St. Mary

Noon Mass – St. Francis

7:00 PM Mass – St. Mary





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UPCOMING EVENTS:



The Knights of Columbus will be serving breakfast after the 8:30 am and 10:30 am Masses on Dec 7th.

Please join us for some good food & conversation!



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Novena December 3 - 11 at 7:00 pm

On Dec 8th, the Novena will follow the 7 pm Mass

Our Lady of Gaudalupe Celebration

Friday, December 12th at 7:00 pm

A reception will follow in the auditorium

Posadas December 15, 17 - 23 at 7:00 pm

Begins in St. Mary and ends in the auditorium

Retirement for Religious

2nd Collection - December 13 and 14

Our senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests need your help. Please give back to those who have given a lifetime.

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES

- **St. Mary Star of the Sea:**
Tuesday, Dec 16th at 6:00 PM
- **Our Lady of Victory, Seaside:**
Wednesday, Dec 17th @ 6:00 PM

St. Nicholas Advent Prayer

Dearest St. Nicholas, we come to you in our humility to ask your intercession for our needs. Your generosity and kindness in your lifetime invites us to implore your favor now. Your life was the embodiment of what the Knights of Columbus aspires to be, so we seek to model our lives after you.

You were most known, as are we, for your Charity, and for your defense of the Faith. You are the patron Saint of charitable fraternities, and so we have a spiritual connection to you and with you.

As we enter this time of Advent, the preparation for the birth of our Savior, we ask that you aid us inviting men to live their lives as you did. With Faith and Charity as our cornerstones, open the hearts of Catholic men to unite with us in following the two principal commandments, love of God and love of our neighbor. With your divine intercession, we can give more men the gift of living their lives with the intent in which they were created; to be better husbands, better fathers, better followers of Jesus Christ.

Leave us not as spiritual orphans but remember our intentions in your heavenly abode. Amen



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SUNDAY MASS

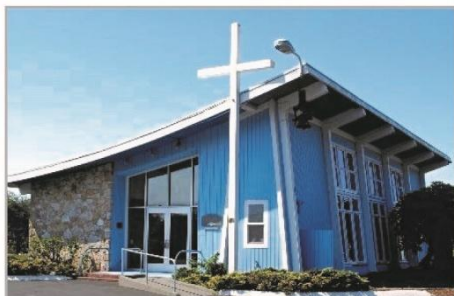
8:30 am and 10:30 am
Noon Spanish

WEEKDAY MASS

8:00 am Tuesday,
Wednesday & Friday

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

8:40 am—6:00 pm Wednesday
First Fri 8:00 pm to Sat 8:00 am



ST. FRANCIS DE SALES MISSION

867 5TH AVE, HAMMOND OR 97121

SATURDAY VIGIL

3:30 pm Confession
4:00 pm Mass

WEEKDAY MASS

3:00 pm Thursday

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Saturday 3:00 pm

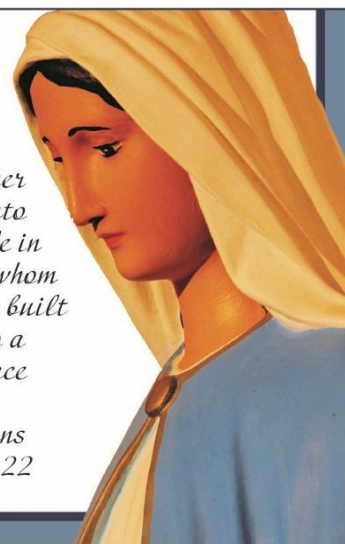
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building is
joined together
and grows into
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the Lord; in whom
you also are built
together into a
dwelling place
for God."*

~Ephesians
2:21-22



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SACRAMENTS

PENANCE/ RECONCILIATION:

St. Mary:
Wednesday 5:00 pm
First Tuesday 8:40 am
or by appt.

St. Francis:
Saturday 3:30 pm

CALL THE PARISH FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Baptism: You must be
registered and active
members in the parish for
a minimum of 6 months
and a Baptism preparation
class is required.

Anointing of the Sick:
Any Catholic can receive
this Sacrament. If you or
someone you know is
hospitalized, homebound,
or having a major medical
procedure, please call the
parish office.

Marriage: Notification is
needed at least 6 months
prior to your prospective
wedding date. Also, to
receive information about
the marriage prep process
and engaged weekends.

EVANGELIZATION & ADULT FAITH FORMATION

OCIA: Have you ever been
interested in learning the
Catholic faith, prayer life,
and liturgical celebrations?
Or, are you Catholic (active
or inactive) and thinking
about strengthening your
faith? Please join Order
of Christian Initiation of
Adults (OCIA). Call the
parish office for more
information.

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—Luke 12:48



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