



THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

~ GAUDETE SUNDAY ~

December 17, 2023

This Week's Mass Intentions:

Saturday, December 16

4:00 pm Mass, Hammond – Annika Goicochea
(Jose & Berta Goicochea)

Sunday, December 17

8:30 am Mass – Fr. Sam Sturm
(For a quick recovery)

10:30 am Mass – † Dan Alexander

Noon Mass, Spanish – Our Parish Family

Tuesday, December 19

8:00 am Mass

Wednesday, December 20

8:00 am Mass

8:40 am ~ 6:00 pm – Weekly Adoration

Thursday, December 21

3:00 pm Mass - Hammond

Friday, December 22

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, December 23

4:00 pm Mass, Hammond – † Barbara Wohlmaker
(Sister, Ann Farley & Family)

Sunday, December 24

8:30 am Mass – † Milagrosa Fortunato
(Suzanne Strauss)

10:30 am Mass – † Tim Wilker (Jim & Molly Kernan)

Noon Mass, Spanish – Religious Education Teachers
(Toni Mitchum)

4:00 pm – Hammond – Our Parish Family

6:30 pm – The children, young people & elderly of the
Middle East

Monday, December 25

12:00 am – Midnight – All the people in the world

10:00 am Mass – Peace in the world

☞ *Parish Offertory* ☞

Sunday, December 10, 2023

Hammond:	\$ 780.00
Astoria:	\$2,534.00
Mail:	\$ 845.00
Online:	\$1,600.00
<u>Immaculate Conception</u>	<u>\$ 913.00</u>
Total:	\$6,672.00

Thank you so much!

†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

On December 17, 2023

We will use the **3rd** week's schedule:

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

8:30 am – Fergus Loughran

10:30 am – **Volunteer needed.**

Lector

4:00 pm, Hammond – Dolores Sharp

8:30 am – Tammy Loughran

10:30 am – Matthew Burgher

†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

On December 24, 2023

We will use the **4th** week's schedule:

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

8:30 am – Fergus Loughran

10:30 am – Dan Sitkowski

Lector

4:00 pm – Hammond – Kathleen & Tim Poole

8:30 am – Ed Johnson

10:30 am – Ellen K-Bewley

†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

Christmas Ministries

December 24 & 25

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

4:00 pm – Hammond

6:30 pm – Fergus Loughran

12:00 Midnight – Mr. Croos

10:00 am – Christmas Day – Ralph Mansfield

Lector

4:00 pm – Hammond

6:30 pm – Tammy Loughran

12:00 Midnight – Cindy Van Arsdall

10:00 am – Christmas Day – Cindy Van Arsdall



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1st Reading: Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Gospel: Mark 13:33-37

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 24th, 2023

1st Reading: 2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16

2nd Reading: Romans 16:25-27

Gospel: Luke 1:26-38



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COFFEE AN'

December 17 ~ **TODAY**

AFTER ALL THE Masses

All are Welcome.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD AT THE VIGIL MASS

December 24th, 2023

1st Reading: Isaiah 62:1-5

2nd Reading: Acts of the Apostles 13:16-17, 22-25

Gospel: Matthew 1:1-25 or 1:18-25

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD AT THE MASS DURING THE NIGHT

December 25th, 2023

1st Reading: Isaiah 9:1-6

2nd Reading: Titus 2:11-14

Gospel: Luke 2:1-14

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD AT THE MASS DURING THE DAY

December 25th, 2023

1st Reading: Isaiah 52:7-10

2nd Reading: Hebrews 1:1-6

Gospel: John 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14



RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS

TODAY

Support a lifetime of service.

Women and men religious have spent their lives serving others in prayer, ministry, education, and care for those in need – usually for little or no pay. Today, their religious communities do not have enough retirement savings. As they age, they require essential care and medications. Please support them by giving to the Retirement Fund for Religious. Your donations makes a difference for nearly 25,000 senior men and women religious. Please give generously.



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Christmas Flower Offerings

Ofrenda para las Flores de Navidad

Christmas Flower Offering envelopes are now available. If you would like to make an offering in memory/honor of a loved one, please make a donation by **Wednesday, December 20th** 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 miércoles, **20 de diciembre** para que sus nombres sean impresos en el boletín de navidad. ¡Gracias!



Posadas

December 15 – December 23

7:00 pm

Rosary in the church, then process to the auditorium.

Rosario en la iglesia, luego procesión hacia el auditorio.



There **will not** be any Religious Education Classes on December 24th and December 31st. Have a blessed Christmas with your families. See you back in class on January 7th.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

“Let us keep this lamp always lit in our hearts.”
St. Vincent de Paul (1581-1660)

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

Food Pantry hours:
Tuesdays: 1PM – 3PM
Fridays and December 9th 10AM – NOON

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

St Vincent de Paul Society is an equal opportunity provider.



*The Parish Office will be closed for Christmas, December 25th – 27th
Merry Christmas and God Bless*