



Second Sunday of Advent

December 8, 2024

Weekend & Weekday Mass Schedule:

Saturday, December 7

4:00 pm

Sunday, December 8 – Second Sunday of Advent

8:30 am – †Joe Dugan

10:30 am – †Ian Mockler (Matthew Burgher)

Noon – Our Parish Family

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Monday, December 9 – The Immaculate Conception

8:00 am

Noon, Hammond

7:00 pm – Our Parish Family

Tuesday, December 10

8:00 am – Joanne Corcoran (Toni Mitchum)

Wednesday, December 11

8:00 am

8:40 – 6:00 pm – Adoration

5:00 pm - Confessions

Thursday, December 12

3:00 pm

Friday, December 13

8:00 am

Saturday, December 14

4:00 pm

Sunday, December 15 – Third Sunday of Advent

8:30 am – Emmanuel Goicochea (Goicochea Family)

10:30 am – Our Parish Family

Noon – Annika Goicochea (Goicochea Family)

A Mass intention may be requested for: a deceased loved one; a living person who is sick or suffering; a living person who is celebrating a birthday, anniversary or other special moment in their life; in thanksgiving to God. One must never forget the infinite graces that flow from the Sacrifice of the Mass which benefits one's soul. The suggested donation for a Mass intention is \$10 per Mass and includes a card if the requester would like one.

♦ Parish Offertory ♦

Sunday, December 1, 2024

Hammond: \$1,335.90

Astoria: 2,836.00

Mail: 375.00

Online: 645.00

TOTAL: \$5,191.90

THANK YOU / GRACIAS!

†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

On December 8, 2024

We will use the 2nd week's schedule:

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

8:30 am – S. Croos

10:30 am – VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Lectors:

4:00 pm, Hammond – Kathleen or Tim Poole

8:30 am – Cindy Van Arsdall

10:30 am – Alice Bell

Altar Servers:

Noon – Diana Alejo, Adrian Diaz Dolores, Ángel Merino-Lucas, and Christopher Tadeo

†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

On December 15, 2024

We will use the 3rd week's schedule:

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

8:30 am – Fergus Loughran

10:30 am – VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Lectors:

4:00 pm, Hammond – Kevin Leahy

8:30 am – Tammy Loughran

10:30 am – Matthew Burgher

Altar Servers:

Noon – Ana Alejo, Alex Alejo, Gabriel Ortuno-Bermudez, and Ángel Velasco-Urbe

Third Sunday of Advent

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1st Reading: Zephaniah 3:14-18a

2nd Reading: Philippians 4:4-7

Gospel: Luke 3:10-18



Young Adult Group to begin!

(ages 20-35)

If you are interested in joining the parish's young adult group, please contact Matthew Burgher. He may be reached at matthewaburgher@outlook.com or 503-298-1208. The group is looking at meeting twice a month.



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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:
Hot chocolate, Pancake mix, & Top Ramen

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

St Vincent de Paul Society is an equal opportunity provider

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  **Wednesday, December 18th** 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, 18 de diciembre para que sus nombres sean impresos en el boletín de navidad. ¡Gracias!

150th Parish Anniversary Christmas Ornaments

We still have ornaments available for \$10.00 each. You may pick one up at the parish office or after Masses at St. Mary's on December 15th.

ST. MARY, STAR OF THE SEA

The Gloisten Giving Fund

Application opportunity

The Gloisten Giving Fund Committee is excited to be accepting grant applications from local charitable and service organizations, from now, November 21, 2024, through January 21, 2025. Organizations which serve our community, in ways that exemplify Don Gloisten's commitment to serving those in need, are invited to apply. The application can be found on our parish website, by visiting the parish office, or by emailing office@stmaryastoria.com. The deadline for submitting applications is January 21, 2025, and successful applicants will be notified no later than February 20, 2025. If you know of worthy organizations in our community, please let them know of this grant opportunity.



St. Francis De Sales /St. Mary Parishioners:

We need your help! We are still preparing the commemorative history book for the 150th of our parish and would love to have special memories of the Hammond Mission as part of the book! Especially if you have historic photos of the original mission chapel.

If you could email Kevin Leahy at kvleahy@yahoo.com with memories you have that span from 1974 to the present, would be great! **Please email me by December 13.**



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UPCOMING EVENTS:

December 7 and 8

Retirement Fund for Religious – 2nd Collection

Support those who have given a lifetime.

Women and men religious have dedicated their lives to service – praying, teaching, and caring for those in need – usually for little or no pay. Your donations provide for the essential needs of thousands of senior women and men religious. Please give generously.

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Monday, December 9th

8:00 AM Mass – St. Mary

Noon Mass – St. Francis

7:00 PM Mass – St. Mary



Women's Wednesday Worship – "Rejoice!"

Please meet in the St. Michael's Room at

4:30 pm on December 11th.



Catholic Daughters of the Americas

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Join us on **Sunday, December 15**, after all **Masses** for coffee and pastries in the auditorium. Cookbooks for sale will be available.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Novena December 8 - 11 at 7:00 pm

On Dec 9th, the Novena will follow the 7 pm Mass

Our Lady of Gaudalupe Celebration

Thursday, December 12th at 7:00 pm

A reception will follow in the auditorium



Posadas December 15 - 23 at 7:00 pm

Begins in St. Mary and ends in the auditorium

ADVENT PENANCE

- Our Lady of Victory, Seaside:
Wednesday, Dec 11th @ 6:00 PM
- **St. Mary Star of the Sea:**
Tuesday, Dec 17th at 6:00 PM
- Sacred Heart, Tillamook:
Wednesday, Dec 18th at 6:00 PM
- St. Mary by the Sea, Rockaway:
Friday, Dec 20th at 5:30 PM

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE:

Vigil of Christmas:

Tuesday, December 24, 2024

4:00 pm Mass

St. Frances de Sales Mission, Hammond

Christmas carols begin at 3:30 pm

6:30 pm Family Mass

St. Mary, Star of the Sea

Midnight Mass

St. Mary, Star of the Sea

Christmas carols begin at 11:30 pm

The Nativity of the Lord:

Wednesday, December 25, 2024

10:00 am Mass

St. Mary, Star of the Sea

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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

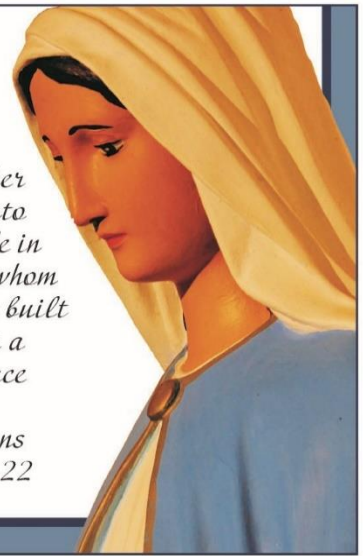
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Saturday 3:00 pm

WELCOME

*Our Mission is to build a
Roman Catholic faith community.
As a sacramental people,
we foster the spiritual growth
and attend to the social needs
of all through prayer, liturgy,
education and service.*

*"In him
the whole
building is
joined together
and grows into
a holy temple in
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

RCIA: 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 Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Call the parish office for more information.

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