



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Catholic Parish

REV. PRABHU AROCKIASAMY, PASTOR
ED CONNICK, DEACON

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION,
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION AND MASS

SCHEDULES

SATURDAY 3:15PM
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
& CONFESSION

3:30 PM – HOLY ROSARY
4:00 PM – HOLY MASS

SUNDAY

8:00 AM – EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
8:30AM- HOLY MASS

10:30 AM – EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
11:00AM- HOLY MASS

REGULAR WEEKDAYS

MONDAY- COMMUNION
SERVICE TUESDAY- FRIDAY

8:00 AM – HOLY MASS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please Advertise and publicize our Magi Market 12/4/2022

Christmas and New Year Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve Mass

24 December 3:30 pm & 5:30pm

Christmas Day Mass

25 December 9:30am

New year Eve Mass

31 December 2022 @ 4:00 pm

New year day Mass

1 January 2023 @ 9:30am

WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday 27 Is 2:1-5
Rom 13:11-14
Mt 24:37-44
First Sunday of Advent

Monday 28 Is 4:2-6
Mt 8:5-11
Monday of the First Week of Advent

Tuesday 29 IS 11:1-10
LK 10:21-24
Tuesday of the First Week of Advent

Wednesday 30 Rom 10:9-18
Mt 4:18-22
Feast of Saint Andrew, Apostle

Thursday 1 Is 26:1-6
Mt 7:21, 24-27
Thursday of the First Week of Advent

Friday 2 IS 29:17-24
MT 9:27-31
Friday of the First Week of Advent

Saturday 3 IS 30:19-21, 23-26
MT 9:35-10:1, 5A, 6-8
Memorial of Saint Francis Xavier, Priest

Collection details: 20
November 2022—
\$ 2918

Campaign for human
de- velopment \$ 358



KNIGHTS OF COLUBUS AND- LADIES AUXILIARY #8740



In the beginning was the word...



Our Lady of Lourdes Liturgy



Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall
Tuesday at 6PM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stella Maris, Mobile Catholic Maritime Ministry Archdiocese of Mobile requests your donations for Ditty Bags. Their wish lists Hats and scarves in dark colors, work socks, work gloves, Mini Sewing kit, Pens & writing Paper, Nail clippers, ChapStick, Ra- zors & Shave cream, Shampoo, Comb, Toothpaste, toothbrush, Deodorant, playing cards, hand lotion, hard or boxed candy, gum, cough drops, Full Sizes, Please, for toiletries.

Contact Dn. John Archer: (925) 548-5388 or (251) 432-7339
Income & expense for benefit night will be presented as soon as all checks clear

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 26
4:00 PM
MR ALBERT WASHINGTON & MRS WASHINGTON 56TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY 8:00 AM
+ CHRISTOPHER MACHEN 11:00 AM
ALL SOULS

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 29
8:00 AM
ALL SOULS

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 30
8:00 AM
ALL SOULS

THURSDAY DECEMBER 1
8:00 AM SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF FR. PRABHU

FRIDAY DECEMBER 2
8:00 AM SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF DN. ED CONNICK

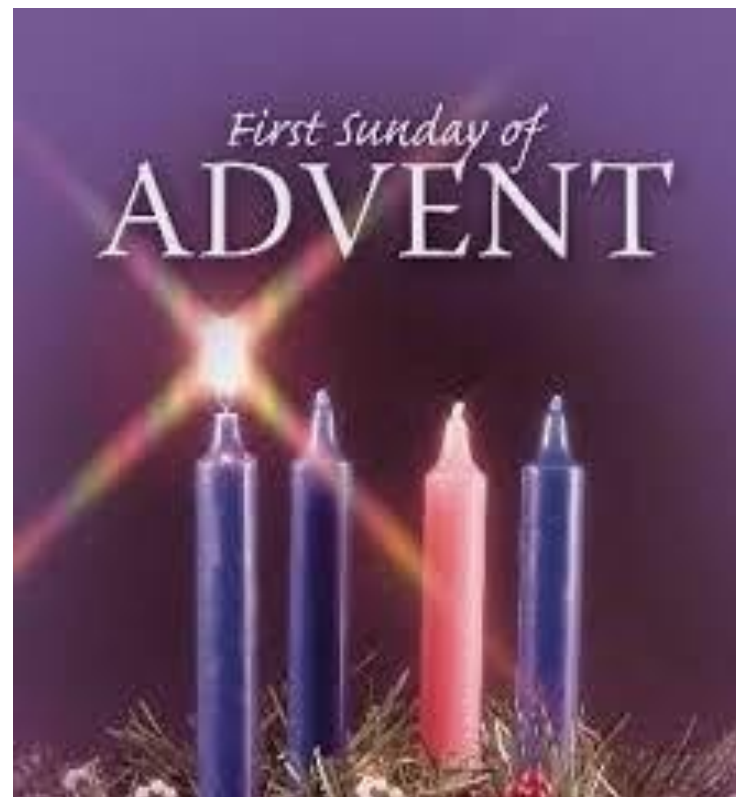
SATURDAY DECEMBER 3
4:00 PM
+ LUCILLE KENNY SUNDAY DECEMBER 4
ALL SOULS

11:00 AM
ALL SOULS

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Monday : Office Closed Tuesday—
Friday : 9AM to 1PM SATURDAY &
SUNDAY : OFFICE CLOSED

BENEFIT NIGHT WINNERS

<u>DRAWING</u>	<u>TICKET # 176</u>	<u>Winner(s)</u>
First Drawing—CK # 1053		Willie & Jessica Kenny
First Drawing—CK # 1052	31	Christa Kay Campbell
Second Drawing—CK # 1057	328	James Lawson
Second Drawing—CK # 1054	133	Fr. Prabhu
Third Drawing—CK # 1056	179	Dine Pools
Third Drawing—CK # 1055	211	St. Mary Catholic Facility
Fourth Drawing—CK # 1059	236	Clay Barclay
Fourth Drawing—CK # 1058	90	Mena Anderson
Fifth Drawing—CK # 1049	230	Don Stokely
Fifth Drawing—CK # 1051	352	Berry Wiese
Split the Pot 400.00	172134	David Rogers
Basket of Cheer	133793	Justin Tillman
Final Drawing—CK # 1040	74	Betty Nolan
Consolation Drawing 347	347	Clay Barclay
350 Ticket	708952	

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Gospel Reflection

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ Jesus, Today is the first Sunday of Advent, which is also the first Sunday of a new liturgical year for the Church. The Advent season includes the four Sundays that precede Christmas. It is a time of preparation for the coming of the Lord. In this season, we recall two central elements of our faith: the final coming of the Lord in glory and the incarnation of the Lord in the birth of Jesus. Key themes of the Advent season are watchful waiting, preparation, and justice. In this new liturgical year, the Gospel of Matthew will be the primary Gospel proclaimed (Lectionary Cycle A). In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus speak about the need for wakefulness, for watchful waiting, for the coming of the Son of Man.

Matthew's Gospel is dated by most scholars after 70 A.D. Most believe that Matthew wrote for a primarily Jewish community, but one that was no longer centered on the Temple in Jerusalem. These were Jewish Christians trying to come to terms with their relationship to Judaism in a new situation: Judaism after the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem. There may have been Christians who believed that the events of the world around them gave evidence of the imminent return of the Lord in glory.

The passage from Matthew we read today is rather straightforward. No one knows the precise time of the coming of the Lord in glory, so watchful waiting and vigilance are required. The passage speaks to the uselessness of looking for signs; there will be none. As a thief sneaks in during the night, so will the Lord's coming in glory be. The question for us as members of the Christian community, then, is how do we prepare for this? Today's passage speaks more about the manner of waiting, rather than the details of the preparation. Jesus compares the vigilance required of Christians to the vigilance of a homeowner who knows the plans of the thief. If one knows that the thief's action is imminent, one remains watchful. As Christians, we know that our Lord is coming even if we cannot know the precise timing. Jesus calls us to be watchful and vigilant, like the homeowner. If we become lax in our Christian living, we may be caught unprepared.

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit- Amen

Rev. Prabhu Arockiasamy

PRAYER LIST

Anita Barclay, Campbell Berger, Katherine Berger, Bethany Ann Boltz, Roy Williams, Logan Bowers, Jerry Boyes, Patrick Webb Brownlie-Carey, Noli Causay, Teresa Coleman, Lee Cooley, Peter Cooley, Anita Cowart, Anne Davidson, Daniel Dorriety, Marquitta Dukes, Dodie Dumas, Louise Frontz, Janet Gafford, Tony Golemon, Mary Ann Keith, Dennis Keith, Liz Kilborn, Edward Kimbrough, Debora Klaus, Steven Kuszynski, Shirley Lacy, Michael Langan, Alfred Leonard, Margie Lord, Rodney Lundy, Mary McKeough, Patricia McRoy, Craig Miley, Archie Moore, Elaine Moore, Wally Neese, Kenny Nixon, Tiffany Neese, Darlene O'Rourke, James M. O'Rourke, Alex Paneda, Lita Paneda, Scott Peck, Ursula Quintana, Kaitlyn Reynolds, Simon Schum, Cindy Snow, Mandy Spotswood, Curtis Steiner, Rita Steiner, Todd Stringfellow, Barbara Thomas, Katelyn Tillman, Tyler Upton, Norma Villanueva, Anna Visperas, Rudy Visperas, Melanie Wacker, Albert Washington, Heather Washington, Darlene Watson, Lou Watt, Brad Wells, Bubba Williams, Bobby Zarate, Diane Little, Joyce Ladnier, Roy Still, William Patrick A, Fred L. Lorge, Joan A. Lorge, Barbara Smith, Frank Seltzer, Dennis Cottrell, Pete, Sam Barksdale, Joey Murphy, Chuck Simmons, Damian Turk, John O'Conner, Fr. Francis J. Sofie Jr, Megan, Stephen Wiese, Matthew wiese, Raymond Floyes, Kay K Shaw, Lloyd J. Thompson, Ruby P Thompson, George E. Merren, Jr, Flora Decker, Mary Ann Fletchery, Pat McKeough, Mathew Wilson, Eddie Booth Jr, Helen Bender, Paige Ellis, Eunice Miles, Gloria Leslie, Diana Holifield, Bea Burton, Janet & John Frazier, Henry Hoven, Mark Westbrook, Ronnie Hudson, Jewanda Taylor Jowe, Nicholas Balch, Jean Stanley, Colleen O'Rourke, Perry Hockaday, David Curtis, Kristi D Young.

MASS OPENINGS

December Mass Openings
6, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18,
20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 27, 30, 31

Happy wedding anniversary
MR ALBERT WASHINGTON & MRS
SALLY WASHINGTON 56TH WED-
DING ANNIVERSARY