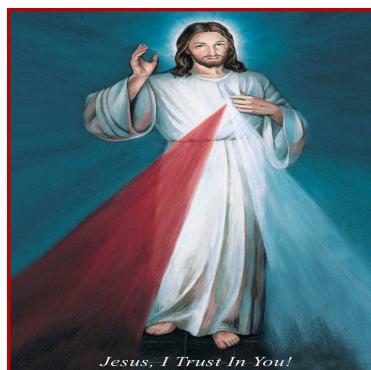




Catholic Church



Mission Statement

Divine Mercy Catholic Church strives to create a parish that reflects unity by witnessing, teaching and proclaiming the love of our Lord Jesus Christ; to educate our community through the teachings of the Catholic Church by spreading the message of mercy; to dedicate ourselves to the mission of Christ through the celebration of the sacraments, evangelization and services to others.

Clergy and Staff

Father Michael A. De Leon. Pastor Father Luis E. Mares. Parochial Vicar **Deacon Mario Guerra Deacon Gerardo Mares Deacon Michael Santasieri**

Aby Acosta Administrative Assistant Imelda Castro Administration / Office Assistant Veronica D Garcia.. Coordinator of Religious Education

Ministries and Organizations

Any information about Ministries, Parish Groups, Organizations or Parish events please call the parish office.



9350 Amber Ave. Laredo TX, 78045

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday to Friday: 6:30 p.m. Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday Vigil Mass (English) Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Mass (English) 12:00 noon Mass (Spanish) 4:00 p.m. Mass (Spanish)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday to Friday: 6:00 p.m. - 6:20 p.m. Saturday: 4:00 p.m. - 4:50 p.m. At other times call for appointment

Sacraments

• Baptisms

By appointment only. On the third Saturday of each month at 10:00 A.M. Contact the Parish Office for more information regarding preparation.

• Marriage:

By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office at least six (6) months prior to the proposed wedding date to avoid any complications or scheduling conflicts.

Ouinceañeras Mass:

By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office at least six (6) months prior to the proposed Quinceañera date. They must have received: Baptism, and First Communion. The also must be enrolled in Confirmation Classes and/or Youth Group.

Anointing of the Sick:

Please call the Parish Office when someone is seriously ill so that we can provide spiritual care.

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Parish Office (956)726-0210 ext. 100 Religious Education Office (956)726-0210 ext. 113

Welcome New Parishioners



We are glad you were led by God to join us! If you are new to Divine Mercy Parish, we invite you to register as a parishioner.

Weekly Schedule 2023

SUNDAY, JULY 02 lÓ:00pm Mass (English) 12:00pm Mass (Spanish) 03:00pm Rezo Coronilía Divina Misericordia & Adoración 04:00pm Mass (Spanish)

MONDAY, JULY 03 No Mass

TUESDAY, JULY 04 06:30pm Mass (Spanish)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 05 06:30pm Mass (Spanish)

THURSDAY, JULY 06 06:30pm Mass (Spanish)

FRIDAY, JULY 07 06:30pm Mass (Spanish) 07:00pm Hora Santa

SATURDAY, JULY 08 05:00pm Sunday Vigil Mass (English) 10:00am Apóstoles de Fátima (Reparación al Inmaculado Corazón de María)

Sunday Readings

FIRST READING 2 Kings 4:8–11, 14–16a Genuine hospitality is highly praised. **RESPONSORIAL PSALM** Psalm 89 "For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord." SECOND READING Romans 6:3–4, 8–11 We must consider ourselves dead to sin. GOSPEL Matthew 10:37-42 Whoever does not take up the cross is not worthy of Christ.

Take home a candle that 🛛 🛸

was lit in the presence

Donation per candle \$6.00 @ the Office

Last Week Offertory Collection

05:00pm Saturday Mass		
10:00am Sunday Mass		
12:00pm Sunday Mass		
04:00pm Sunday Mass		
Sunday Collection Online		
Building Fund		
Online Building Fund		
2nd Collection (non-parochial)		
TOTAL		

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Monthly Dedications (Devotions)



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Three times in today's Gospel Jesus explains how someone can receive a reward. Sounds great, right? In the first reading, a kind and generous woman receives an awesome reward from God for her hospitality to the prophet Elisha. The psalmist sings of the goodness of the Lord. Our greatest reward, though, has already been given to us. As Paul tells the Romans, when we are baptized into Christ, we are baptized into both his death and his new life. Let us listen for what Jesus asks us to do for his sake to receive our reward.

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Tres veces en el Evangelio de hoy Jesús explica cómo alguien puede recibir una recompensa. Suena genial, verdad? En la primera lectura, una mujer amable y generosa recibe una gran recompensa de Dios por su hospitalidad con el profeta Eliseo. El salmista canta la bondad del Señor. Sin embargo, nuestra mayor recompensa ya nos ha sido dada. Como Pablo les dice a los romanos, cuando somos bautizados en Cristo, somos bautizados tanto en su muerte como en su nueva vida. Escuchemos lo que Jesús nos pide que hagamos por él para recibir nuestra recompensa.

Question Of The Week

How is God asking me to sacrifice my will today? Whom can I help carry their cross in an act of Christian solidarity?

¿Cómo me pide Dios que sacrifique mi voluntad hoy? ¿A quién puedo ayudar a llevar su cruz en un actó de solidaridad cristiana?

Cathechists Are Needed!

Serve

Jesus

by

serving

Children

Please prayerfully consider sharing your Faith with our **Children & Youth here at Divine Mercy Catholic Church.** WE CAN NOT DO JESU'S WORK WITHOUT YOU

Please answer the call and contact Veronica D.

Garcia, DRE at (956)726-0210 Ext 113

This Week Observances

Sunday 02	TIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
Monday 03	y 03 St. Thomas, Apostle	
Tuesday 04	Independence Day	
Wednesday 05	nesday 05 St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest	
	St. Elizabeth of Portugal	
Thursday 06	St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr	
Friday 07 First Friday		
Saturday 08	Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
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Mass Intentions SATURDAY, JULY 01 05:00pm Spiritual Blessings Received (A. de G.) Guadalupe Virgin (A. de G.) St. Anthony of Padua (A. de G.) † Sergio Molano Martinez SUNDAY, JULY 02 10:00am Divine Mercy Parishioners 12:00pm David Vargas (B-Day) Dalilah Juarez (B-Day) Alan Jay Urquieta (Health) † Sergio Molano Martinez 04:00pm Virgen Maria (A. de G.) Divina Misericordia (A. de G.) Fam. Moreno-Ramirez (Int. Esp.) Bebé Iris Ramirez (Health) † Mariana Gonzalez MONDAY, JULY 03 No Mass **TUESDAY, JULY 04** 06:30pm Benditas Animas del Purgatorio WEDNESDAY, JULY 05 06:30pm † Arminda Arellano **THURSDAY, JULY 06** 06:30pm Rodolfo Matteo Rios (B-Day) † Dora Elia Marines † Maria Salazar de Martinez [†] Juan Francisco Martinez Hdz. FRIDAY, JULY 07 06:00pm [†] Maria Salazar de Martinez † Juan Francisco Martinez Hdz. † Enedina Vazquez

Sanctuary Candle



Independence Day, Tuesday July 4th, 2023.



Announcements

Welcome Fr. Goby!

iBienvenido Padre Toribio!

Father Toribio "Toby" Guerrero, we give you a cordial and warm welcome, not only because of the weather but also because of

the human warmth that you will find in the hearts of the faithful.

We are a parish that likes the things of God and although we recognize that we are not the best Christians, we fight every day to be better. We are a community that allows itself to be guided and that knows how to walk alongside its pastor and work as necessary for the good of the Church of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Starting today you will be a part of not only this Divine Mercy Parish but also our hearts and souls; we therefore raise our prayer asking God Our Lord to bless you on this new path and continue to give you the Gift of wisdom and strength to lead this new flock that the Lord of Divine Mercy has placed in vour hands.

We invite the entire community to the Welcome Mass for Padre Toribio on Tuesday, July 4 at 6:30pm

Padre Toribio "Toby" Guerrero, le damos una cordial y calurosa bienvenida, no solo por el clima sino también por el calor humano que encontrara en el corazón de los fieles. Somos una parroquia que gusta de las cosas de Dios y aunque reconocemos que no somos los mejores cristianos luchamos día a día por ser meiores, somos una comunidad aue se deia guiar y que sabe caminar al lado de su pastor y trabajar cuanto sea necesario para el bien de la Iglesia de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo.

A partir de hoy será parte no solo de esta Parroquia de la Divina Misericordia sino también de nuestros corazones y almas; elevamos pues nuestra oración pidiendo a Dios Nuestro Señor le bendiga en este nuevo camino y le continúe dando el Don de sabiduría y fortaleza para conducir a este nuevo rebaño que el Señor de la Divina Misericordia ha puesto en sus manos.

Invitamos a toda la comunidad a la Misa de Bienvenida a Padre Toribio el Martes 4 de Julio



