

# Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

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Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 9:00am-5:00pm Fri: 9:00am-12:00pm

## Mass Schedule

Saturday

5:00pm

Sunday

8:00am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Weekdays

Mon, Thurs, & Fri at 8:45am

Weds at 7:00pm

*There is a Communion Service on Tuesday at 8:45am*

Holy Days

See bulletin for times



## 1st Sunday of Lent – March 1, 2009

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:30pm – 4:30pm or by appointment.

### Sacrament of Baptism:

Baptismal Preparation classes, required by the diocese, are held monthly. Call the Pastoral Assistant to register.

### Sacrament of Matrimony:

Couples planning marriage need to contact the parish at least six months before scheduling a wedding date. An orientation for Marriage Preparation is held every two months. Call the Director of Liturgy for details.

### Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick:

Call the parish office to be put in contact with a priest who will administer the Anointing of the Sick.

### Faith Formation and Youth Ministry:

- Children's Religious Ed- (Pre-K - Grade 12); RCIA-Adapted for Children; Sacramental Preparation; - Call Becky Lucas, DRE.
- Youth Ministry - Call Thanh "Tom" Nguyen
- Adult Faith Formation, including RCIA - Call Beverly Corzine, Pastoral Assistant.

### Sacrament of Holy Orders and Consecrated Life:

For more information, please call Rev. Kyle Walterscheid at (817) 560-3300, ext. 110, email [kwalterscheid@fwdioc.org](mailto:kwalterscheid@fwdioc.org).

### Parish Staff

Pastor	Rev. Msgr. Joseph S. Scantlin
Deacon	Deacon Michael Krempp
Pastoral Assistant	Beverly Corzine
Business Manager	Annie McCue
Director of Religious Education	Becky Lucas
Director of Liturgy	Michele Grim
Director of Youth Ministry	Thanh "Tom" Nguyen
Plant Manager	Buzz Simonini
Secretary	Karen Kunkel
Children's Discovery Center Program	Kathy Griffin
(817) 860-2688	

### RCIA

Do you know someone who has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Would you like to know more about the Catholic faith? If you are not Catholic, have you thought of becoming a Catholic yourself? If the answer to any of these questions is a "yes" or a possible "maybe," then call Beverly Corzine, Pastoral Assistant at 817-460-2751, ext. 31 for more information about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

**RCIA Classes meet Tuesday evenings from 7:00-9:00PM in the Adult Education Room.**

Counseling services are now being offered through an inter-parish collaboration between St. Maria Goretti, St. Matthew, St. Vincent de Paul, Most Blessed Sacrament, St. Mary the Virgin, St. Joseph, St. Jude



**COUNSELING**

and Catholic Charities Clinical Counseling Program. Services include individual, marital, family, child, and group counseling and will be conveniently offered in the Arlington parishes. Fees are determined on a sliding scale basis. For more information, please contact Catholic Charities at 817-534-0814.

**W**elcome to all who are new to our parish. Please sign the Newcomers Book in the foyer of our church. You will be sent a registration form and a Newcomers Information Packet. **AGAIN...WELCOME!!** We are glad you have chosen Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church as your parish family.

## PARISH MINISTRIES

### MBS Couples

*The MBS Couples group welcomes married and engaged couples of all ages to join us for social and fellowship activities. Our events are intended to build friendships within the parish family and are intended for adults only. Please join us.*

For additional information call Pete and Laureen @ (817) 543-0831, or via email at [Peteandlaureen@tx.rr.com](mailto:Peteandlaureen@tx.rr.com).

#### Check Out the Parish Website at:

[www.mostblessedsacrament.org](http://www.mostblessedsacrament.org)  
for more information on parish ministries.

### St. Cecilia's Guild

We will be meeting to celebrate our March birthdays at TGI Fridays at Lincoln Square on Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:00PM.

### MBS Families

*The MBS Families Group offers Catholic families an opportunity to develop relationships in a social environment with other families who share a common faith. If you are interested in joining the MBS Families, please contact Vanessa Fernandez @ 817-649-2654, or email her at [vfernandez@tx.rr.com](mailto:vfernandez@tx.rr.com).*

Saturday, March 14th - 5PM-8PM

St. Patrick's Day Potluck in the Parish Hall (dinner will be served at 6PM.) Bounce house, crafts, contests and more for kids! Email [mjwalter03@yahoo.com](mailto:mjwalter03@yahoo.com) and let her know what dish you will bring for the potluck!

### Community Service

The Community Service Committee will have its regular meeting on Thursday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00PM in Classroom 1. Guests are invited and always welcome.

## AROUND THE DIOCESE

### Lenten Quiet Day of Reflection

The Carmelite Auxiliary will hold its annual Lenten Quiet Day of Reflection on Tuesday, March 3, 2009 at the Carmelite Monastery, 5801 Mount Carmel Drive in Arlington from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Fr. George Foley of St. Jude's in Mansfield will lead the day with quiet prayer, meditation, and confessions. A pantry shower for the benefit of the Nuns will also be a part of the day's activity. Attendees are asked to bring a sack lunch and items for the Nun's pantry. Please remember that the Nuns do not eat meat. All are welcome.

For additional information, please call Debbie Kerschen at 817-925-5605.

### Mother-Daughter Tea

The Spring Mother-Daughter Tea will be held on Sunday, March 29 in Arlington at St. Maria Goretti Center from Noon - 4 PM. Girls, ages 10-13, are invited to come with their mother, grandmother, or special woman in their lives to spend an afternoon sharing experiences and the satisfaction of being female, as well as the special gifts and qualities we have received from our Creator to function in this role. The cost is \$12.50 per person. For reservations call Kathy Stojak at 817-773-8096. They will be accepted on a first call basis as space is limited. If you would like to help with this event or need more information you may also call Kathy at 817-773-8096.

### Divine Affair Fundraiser for the Carmelite Nuns

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with the Col Ceathar Irish Dancers and help support the Discalced Carmelite Nuns in Arlington. The Auxiliary of the Discalced Carmelite Nuns will hold their annual Divine Affair fundraiser to benefit the Carmelite Nuns on Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup> from 11AM-2PM at the Hilton Arlington Grand Ballroom. A short auction, before the lunch, will include an exquisite petit point needlework done entirely by the Carmelite Nuns for this year's fundraiser. Please plan to come with family and friends to enjoy the auction, lunch and Irish entertainment. The cost is \$40 per person. If you have any questions, please contact Evelyn Breaux at 817-738-8638 or Aileen Neil at 817-923-9301.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Sunday, March 1

Ron Hake, Jr. †

Jay & Beatrice Grudzien †

### Monday, March 2

Anna Smiga †

### Wednesday, March 4

Mary Sheehan †

### Thursday, March 5

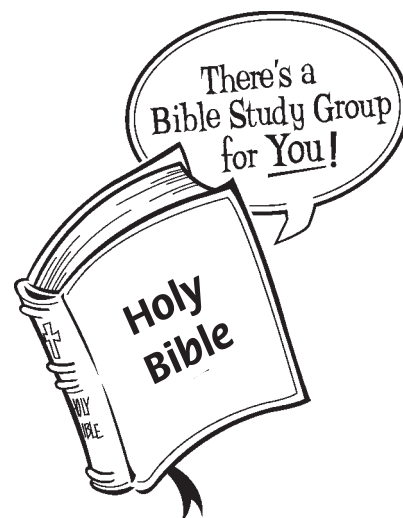
Hershel Conner †

### Friday, March 6

Anna Smiga †

### Saturday, March 7

Lillian Meyer †



### Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Tuesday Morning Bible Study: 9:15am-10:30am, is a group of MBS parishioners that gather almost every week to break open the Lectionary readings in preparation for our Sunday Liturgy. Printed information is available from the church office.

### Catholic Scripture Study

The Book of Genesis is studied on Wednesdays, 7:30pm - 9:00pm, and Thursdays, 9:45am - 11:15am, through the first week of May. If you would like to visit a class or for more information, call Eileen Finkeneller (817-265-4484). Information may also be found on the parish website, [www.mostblessedsacrament.org](http://www.mostblessedsacrament.org).

### Faith and Fiction

February's book is *One Vacant Chair* by Joe Coomer. Join us on March 25<sup>th</sup> at 10AM in Classroom #1 to meet with friends and engage in conversations on Spirituality and Imagination. For other information about Faith and Fiction, contact Beverly Corzine, Pastoral Assistant at 817-460-2751.

# CALENDAR

**Hall** = Parish Hall    **C** = Classroom    **FLC** = Family Life Center  
**Music** = Music Room    **Cha** = Chapel    **OF** = Overflow  
**Sanc** = Sanctuary    **Conf** = Conference Room    **YC** = Youth Center  
**Ed** = Education Center    **CLW** = Children's Liturgy of the Word

## Sunday, March 1

8:00AM	Mass	Sanc
10:00AM	Mass/CLW	Sanc
9:30 AM	RE	C4-6
10:15AM	Youth Choir	Music
11:15AM	RE	C1-11
11:30AM	Mass	Sanc
12:30PM	Jr & Sr High RE	C8-11/YC

## Monday, March 2

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
6:00PM	Brownies	C2
6:30PM	Girl Scouts	C7
7:00PM	Boy Scout Troop 545	Hall
7:00PM	Lenten Bible Study	Ed

## Tuesday, March 3

8:45AM	Communion Service	Cha
9:15AM	Bible Study	Ed
7:00PM	Rosary	Cha
7:00PM	RCIA	Ed
7:30PM	Knights of Columbus	C1

## Wednesday, March 4

9:30AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry	C11
10:00AM	Young at Heart	Ed
6:00PM	Youth	YC/FLC
7:00PM	Mass	Cha
7:00PM	Girl Scouts #1618	C1
7:30PM	Bell Choir	Music
7:30PM	Catholic Scripture Study	Ed

## Thursday, March 5

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
9:45AM	Catholic Scripture Study	C8-9
6:30PM	Girl Scouts #1601	C11
6:30PM	Tone Chime Choir	Music
7:00PM	Community Service Committee	C1
7:30PM	MBS Friendship Prayer Group	C7-8
7:45PM	Adult Choir	Music

## Friday, March 6

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
7:00PM	Stations of the Cross	Sanc
7:30PM	Lenten Meal	Hall

## Saturday, March 7

4:00PM	Guitar Choir	Music
5:00PM	Mass	Sanc



## First Monday Holy Hour

The Respect Life Office of the Diocese of Fort Worth will sponsor a monthly Holy Hour at St. Patrick Cathedral, 1206 Throckmorton St., on the first Monday of each month beginning March 2<sup>nd</sup>. The hour will start with a rosary and be followed by silent Eucharistic Adoration. All are invited to come and pray for an end to abortion and all offenses to the sanctity and dignity of human life.

## Soup Supper

St. Cecilia's Guild will be hosting our annual Soup Supper on Friday, March 6<sup>th</sup> after the Stations of the Cross. Please join us for all-you-can-eat of a huge variety of delicious soups, plus bread and desserts, for only \$5/adults and \$2/children. Proceeds will be used to help pay for music CDs to be given to the 150+ children attending Vacation Bible School this summer.

## Lent, A Time to Come Home

Is Lent a time for you who are estranged from the Church to consider coming back? You need Christ and His Church, so if you need someone to help you Come Home, we want to assist you in anyway we can. Call JoAnne Collmar at 817-274-0530, email joannecollmar@tx.rr.com or call Jim Johnson at 817-265-0004, email jamigo@sbcglobal.net. We will help you to find your way back in a non-judgmental way, gentle and loving way. We are His guides. Please give us a try!



## Bishop's Annual Pro-Life Dinner

Bishop Kevin Farrell will host the 16th Annual Catholic Pro-Life Dinner benefiting the Respect Life Ministry of the Diocese of Dallas on March 28<sup>th</sup>, at the Hilton Anatole Dallas. The event begins at 5:00PM and the keynote speaker is abortion survivor Gianna Jessen. For more information visit [www.prolifedallas.org](http://www.prolifedallas.org) or call 972-267-5433.

## Part-Time Administrative Assistant

The Diocese of Fort Worth seeks a *Part-time Administrative Assistant* to help in the Office of Child and Youth Protection at the Catholic Center. For a full job description and application, visit [www.fwdioc.org](http://www.fwdioc.org). The Diocese of Fort Worth offers excellent pay and benefits to our employees. If interested, email a resume and completed job application to [msimeroth@fwdioc.org](mailto:msimeroth@fwdioc.org) or fax to (817) 244-8839, attention Mark Simeroth, Director of Human Resources. **Application due date is March 6, 2009.**

## MBS Facilities

Please call or come by the Church office to fill out a **ROOM REQUEST FORM** to schedule any activity requiring the use of a room. The ROOM REQUEST FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED AT LEAST **10 DAYS IN ADVANCE**. No sales or solicitations of any kind should be done without prior approval.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Please submit your bulletin items to the Church office by **12PM Thursday**, or e-mail your news to:

[MBSBulletinEditor@sbcglobal.net](mailto:MBSBulletinEditor@sbcglobal.net)

**10 days in advance!**



## Catholic Radio

The Guadalupe Radio Network will hold their 'Light of the World' Spring Radiothon this week, Tuesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> through Friday, March 6<sup>th</sup> from 8am-7pm each day on KATH 910 AM. Please tune in this week to find out how you can help keep Catholic Radio on the air across North Texas. Each day thousands of people grow closer to Christ and more knowledgeable about the Catholic faith simply by tuning into KATH 910 AM. For more information, please call GRN General Manager Dave Palmer at 214-951-0132 x 1 and visit [www.grnonline.com](http://www.grnonline.com).

## Lenten Vocation Awareness Program Single Men and Women Discerning Between Single, Married, and Religious Life

The Vocations Office of the Diocese of Ft. Worth, with the endorsement of Bishop Kevin Vann, is presenting a Lenten Vocation Awareness Program held at St. Patrick's Cathedral, 1206 Throckmorton St., Ft. Worth, Texas 76102. It begins on Monday, March 2 from 6-9 p.m., for six consecutive Mondays. This program is designed to help discern: What is my purpose in life? How do I realize my calling from God? A comparative look at single, married, and religious life. Addressing fears associated with saying Yes to God's call. Ages 18-50, 15-17 with parental support. Come for an evening of prayer, reflection, presentations, discussions and a free dinner. There is no cost and it isn't necessary to make all six meetings. For more information, please go to the Ft. Worth Diocese Website on Religious Vocations at <http://www.fwdioc.org> or call Father Kyle Walterscheid at 817-560-3300, ext. 110 or [padrekyle@gmail.com](mailto:padrekyle@gmail.com).

### Monday • March 2

*Lenten Weekday*

Lv 19:1–2, 11–18/Mt 25:31–46

### Tuesday • March 3

*Lenten Weekday*

Is 55:10–11/Mt 6:7–15

### Wednesday • March 4

*Lenten Weekday*

Jon 3:1–10/Lk 11:29–32

### Thursday • March 5

*Lenten Weekday*

Est C:12, 14–16, 23–25/Mt 7:7–12

### Friday • March 6

*Lenten Weekday*

Ez 18:21–28/Mt 5:20–26

### Saturday • March 7

*Lenten Weekday*

Dt 26:16–19/Mt 5:43–48

### Sunday • March 8

*Second Sunday of Lent*

Gn 22:1–2, 9a, 10–13, 15–18

Rom 8:31b–34

Mk 9:2–10

Readings  
For the Week

## A prayer request

In Dr. Burns' Prescription for Happiness, comedian-actor George Burns wrote that after he played "God" in a movie, he received a letter simply addressed to "God — Beverly Hills, California." It was from a 6-year-old boy who asked "God" to keep it from raining on the day of his baseball team's championship game. The boy ended by saying, "Don't forget; it's this Sunday."

Burns said he guessed it didn't rain that day because he later received another letter from the boy that read, "Thanks, but we lost."

- "The average pencil is seven inches long, with just a half-inch eraser. Remember that, in case you thought optimism was dead."

—Robert Brault

- "Practical prayer is harder on the soles of your shoes than on the knees of your trousers."

—Austin O'Malley

- "The difference between the right word and the almost right word is the difference between lightning and a lightning bug."

—Mark Twain



## Ulster Project – Arlington

Presents

### St. Patrick's Day

### Dinner Dance

Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup>

At Elks Lodge #2114

\$25 per person in advance, \$30 at the door

Contact Arlene Smith

7005 Calendar Rd, Arlington, TX 76001

817-478-4382