

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



Palm Sunday – April 5, 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.

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



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.

Welcome 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.

Saturday, April 25th. at 7:00 PM

The MBS Couples will meet at the Sukhothai restaurant, a popular neighborhood "Mom and Pop" restaurant at 423 Fielder North Plz, Arlington, TX 76012. Please RSVP to the Yahoo group or by phone, 817-265-4836.

For additional information call Pete and Lauren @ (817) 543-0831, or via email at Peteandlauren@tx.rr.com.



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 Margaret Janda @ 817-543-0542.

Sunday, April 12th- after the 10am and 11:30 masses

Easter Egg Hunt at the back of the church (behind the gym) and in the playground, weather permitting. If bad weather strikes, we will have the hunt inside the building in specially designated classrooms. We need volunteer families to help stuff eggs and to coordinate the egg hunts after Easter Mass. Email vfernandez@tx.rr.com if you are able to help!

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Watch 1 Hour With Me

On Good Friday, April 10th from noon to 1:00PM, listen and meditate upon the beautiful words of the classic narrative poem, A Woman Wrapped in Silence by John W. Lynch. This is the story of Jesus' passion and death, told from the point of view of Mary, his sorrowful mother. The familiar events of Good Friday will take on deeper meaning for you, during this "holy hour," led by Sr. Patrice Sullivan, CDP. The Catholic Renewal Center (4503 Bridge St., Ft. Worth, 817-429-2930, next to Nolan HS) is honored to provide this opportunity for you to "come aside awhile" with our Lord. Please arrive by 11:45AM in order to preserve a reverent silence.

Rachel Ministries

To equip Therapists, Clergy, Pastoral Counselors and those involved in abortion recovery ministry with the tools they need to help clients deal with grief issues following pregnancy termination. A Conference will take place on Friday, May 1, from 8:30am to 5:00pm at the Fort Worth Botanic Garden, 3220 Botanic Garden Blvd. For a list of scheduled workshops and to register for this 2009 Conference, visit www.racheltx.org or call 817-923-4757.

Diocese of Fort Worth 40th Anniversary Rome Pilgrimage

It is hard to describe Rome in a few words; a city so vast and rich in art, monuments and exquisite views, a historic city, which has preserved its charm and independence throughout the centuries. Rome's history can be read in every monument and palazzo. The city could be described as a gigantic open-air museum, visited each year by millions; scholars and pilgrims from all over the world. Please join **Bishop Vann** and the Diocese of Fort Worth as we embark on a faith filled journey **November 9-16, 2009** to the eternal city.

For more information and registration forms, please contact Barbara Boone at: diocesanpilgrimage@gmail.com.

First Monday Holy Hour

The Respect Life Office of the Diocese of Fort Worth is sponsoring a Holy Hour this Monday, April 6, from 7:30pm to 8:30pm at St. Patrick Cathedral, 1206 Throckmorton St. 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.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, April 5

Rosemary Bova †

Monday, April 6

John Zaiger †

Wednesday, April 8

Winford Corzine †

Thursday, April 9

Anna Smiga †

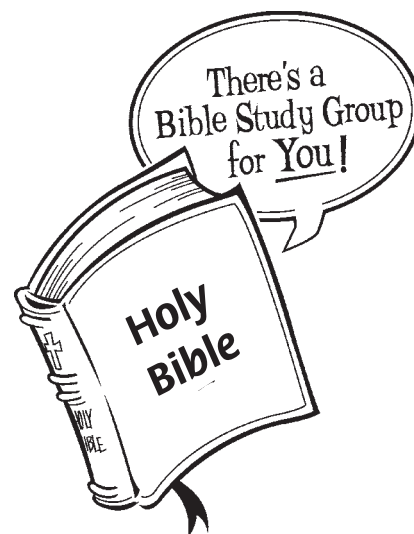
Friday, April 10

Margie Maenza †

Saturday, April 11

John Petrelli, Sr. †

Donald Kennedy †



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.

Faith and Fiction

April's book is *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society* by Marry Ann Shaffer and Annie Barrows. Join us on April 29th 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.

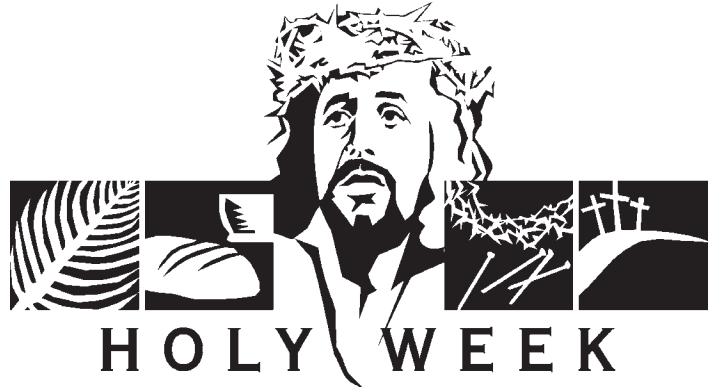
CALENDAR

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, April 5		Palm Sunday
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
2:30PM	Liturgy Committee	C1
Monday, April 6		
8:45AM	Mass	Cha
6:00PM	Brownies	C2
6:30PM	Girl Scouts #1661	C1
7:00PM	Boy Scout Troop 545	Hall
7:00PM	Lenten Bible Study	Ed/C8
Tuesday, April 7		
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, April 8		
4:15PM	Girl Scouts	C1
6:00PM	Youth	YC/FLC
7:00PM	Mass	Cha
7:30PM	Catholic Scripture Study	Ed
7:30PM	Bell Choir	Music
Thursday, April 9		Holy Thursday
9:30AM	Bible Study - St. Paul	Ed
9:45AM	Catholic Scripture Study	C8-9
7:00PM	Mass	Sanc
8:00PM	Quiet Prayer and Adoration	OF
Friday, April 10		Good Friday
Noon	Stations of the Cross	Sanc
7:00PM	Liturgy of the Word/Veneration	Sanc
Saturday, April 11		Holy Saturday
8:00PM	Mass	Sanc



**The Church Office will be closed
 Thursday, April 9th through
 Monday, April 13th.**



HOLY WEEK

Worship Schedule

HOLY THURSDAY

7:00PM Mass

8:00PM Quiet Prayer and Adoration

GOOD FRIDAY

Noon Stations of the Cross

7:00PM Liturgy of the Word/Veneration

HOLY SATURDAY NIGHT

8:00PM Easter Vigil Mass of Resurrection

EASTER SUNDAY

8:00AM Mass

10:00AM Mass

11:30AM Mass

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

MBSBulletinEditor@sbcglobal.net

10 days in advance!



Easter Egg Donations

The MBS families group is "EGGCITED" to be hosting our annual Easter Egg Hunt after the 10:00am and 11:30am masses on Sunday, April 12th. We are asking for individually wrapped candy (no chocolate, please), small trinkets as well as empty plastic eggs donations. Please drop off your donations, throughout the month of March and until Sunday, April 5th, in the boxes located at the side doors of the Church. Thank you for your support!

Rosary Vigil for Life

Catholics United for Life and Mother & Unborn Care will hold their 24th Annual Rosary Vigil for Life at the Planned Parenthood Abortion Center, 301 South Henderson in Fort Worth, from 1:00PM to 2:30PM on Good Friday, April 10th, so that we can raise our voices in humble supplication to Almighty God on behalf of all our precious pre-born brothers and sisters who die by abortion before they ever see the light and love of this world.

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.

April 5, 2009

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion • Mk 11:1–10 or Jn 12:12–16/Is 50:4–7/Phil 2:6–11/Mk 14:1—15:47 or 15:1–39

Notice Golfers

SAVE THE DATE
Monday, April 27th

6th Annual Shamrock Classic Scramble
Benefitting the Ulster Project - Arlington

GREAT SOUTHWEST GOLF CLUB
1PM Shotgun Start
3 Blind Flights

Dinner and Awards Ceremony following

Single \$95
Foursomes \$300

Registration forms will be available soon

For Sponsorship Information call or email
Jody Woods 817-939-3979/Jody_S_Woods@tx.rr.com or
Don Fallavollita 817-561-2924/textfalls@tx.rr.com

As we remember our Lord Jesus' riding into Jerusalem on a donkey, we invite everyone to hail him joyously. You are all sincerely welcomed and invited to participate fully in this time of worship.

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 joanecollmar@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!

Lent and repentance

Lent is a season of repentance. But for many of us, "repentance" is an offensive word. It sounds so remorseful.

In reality, it isn't remorseful at all. The root word for "repentance" is the Greek word metanoia, from which our word "metamorphosis" comes. The great image of this is the butterfly emerging from its cocoon; the caterpillar being transformed into new life.

No one is remorseful about that! Nor should we be with repentance, which involves leaving the past and emerging into new life.



“When I stand before God at the end of my life, I would hope that I would not have a single bit of talent left and could say, ‘I used everything you gave me.’”
—Erma Bombeck

Readings For the Week

Monday • April 6

Holy Week
Is 42:1–7/Jn 12:1–11

Tuesday • April 7

Holy Week
Is 49:1–6/Jn 13:21–33, 36–38

Wednesday • April 8

Holy Week
Is 50:4–9a/Mt 26:14–25

Thursday • April 9

Holy Thursday
Chrism Mass
Is 61:1–3a, 6a, 8b–9
Rv 1:5–8/Lk 4:16–21

Evening Mass

Ex 12:1–8, 11–14/1 Cor 11:23–26
Jn 13:1–15

Friday • April 10

Good Friday of the Lord's Passion
Is 52:13–53:12/Heb 4:14–16; 5:7–9
Jn 18:1–19:42

Saturday • April 11

Holy Saturday
Gn 1:1–2:2 or 1:1, 26–31a
Gn 22:1–18 or 22:1–2, 9a, 10–13, 15–18
Ex 14:15–15:1/Is 54:5–14/Is 55:1–11
Bar 3:9–15, 32–4:4/Ez 36:16–17a, 18–28
Rom 6:3–11/Mk 16:1–7

Sunday • April 12

Easter Sunday
Acts 10:34a, 37–43/Col 3:1–4 or
1 Cor 5:6b–8

Jn 20:1–9 or Mk 16:1–7

Afternoon or Evening

Lk 24:13–35