

# Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

2100 North Davis Drive - Arlington, Texas 76012

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Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 9:00am-5:00pm Fri: 9:00am-1:00pm

## 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 – February 25, 2007*

### **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 Director of Liturgy 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; and Youth Ministry - Call Becky Lucas, DRE.**
- **Adult Faith Formation, including RCIA - Call Beverly Corzine, Pastoral Assistant.**

### **Sacrament of Holy Orders and Consecrated Life:**

**For more information, please call Father Anh Tran at (817) 560-3300, ext. 106, email [atran@fwdioc.org](mailto:atran@fwdioc.org).**

### **Parish Staff**

Pastor	Father Joe Scantlin
Deacon	Deacon Jim Blackmore
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
Notre Dame Apprentice	Brad Leeman
Plant Manager	Buzz Simonini
Secretary	Karen Kunkel
Parents Day Out 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 as 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 817-274-2560.



**COUNSELING**

**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 SOCIAL 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.*

March 17 St. Patrick's Day pot-luck gathering & planning meeting @ Pete & Lauren's house. Starts at 7PM. Please RSVP.

April Plans for a social gathering are ongoing. A sponsor and date, time and place to be announced.

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

### Community Service Committee

The Community Service Committee will have its regular meeting on Thursday, March 1, 2007, at 7:00 p.m. in Classroom 1. Guests are invited and always welcome.

### 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 Shirley Gladbach at 817-274-7471.*

**Easter Egg Hunt Planning Meeting — Saturday, March 10 at 3:00PM**

Meet in the parish hall to discuss details of this fun event and to work on signage. The gym will be open for the kids to play!

**Elsie Odum Kite Festival — Saturday, March 17 at 10:00AM**

Meet in front of the event area at 10:00. \$5 per entry, can be paid on the spot — contests will be categorized by age. Registration and kite building begins at 11:00. Hope to see you there!



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!**

## AROUND THE DIOCESE

### Evening of Inquiry

Immaculata Fraternity of the Secular Franciscan Order will host an Information and Inquiry Evening on April 20th in the St. Francis room of the St. Maria Goretti Holy Family Life Center at 1200 S. Davis Drive in Arlington beginning at 7:00 pm. Those interested in learning more about Franciscan Spirituality and the Secular Franciscan Order are invited to join us. For more information call 817-465-5180.

### Men's Purity Group

The St. Augustine's Men's Purity Group holds meetings on Sundays at 7:00PM at 1301 Paxton Ave. (Padre Pio House) in Arlington. This group provides a safe anonymous place for men who struggle with sexual purity issues. More information about the group and its meetings can be found at [www.sampg.org](http://www.sampg.org).

### Open House at

**The Pines Catholic Camp:  
Sunday, April 15th 12-4PM**

Preview Summer Camp 2007 at The Pines. Tour the campsite, meet the summer staff and enjoy lunch and snacks in the Dining Hall. RSVP to the Business Office via phone or e-mail. Include your name and number in your party. We can't wait to see you at The Pines!

### Interested in Adoption?

If your family is considering adoption, the next Adoption Orientation by Professional Counseling and Children's Services (Catholic Charities) will be held Wednesday, February 28th at our Main Office Conference Room from 7:00PM-9:00PM at 3725 Blackburn, Dallas. This orientation is free and open to the public. Please call 214-526-2772 or 1-800-CARE-002 for more information.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Sunday, February 25**

Luis Lozano †

**Monday, February 26**

Ray Kieffer †

**Wednesday, February 28**

Enriqueta Faraklan †

**Thursday, March 1**

Joe Elizondo †

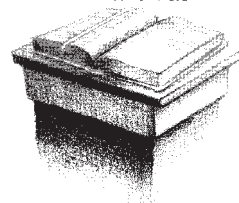
**Friday, March 2**

Emilia Amigo †

**Saturday, March 3**

Eileen Brown

Study <sup>the</sup> Bible  
with us



### 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.

### Sunday Adult Bible Study

Join Deacon Jim Blackmore for an adult Bible study class after 8:00AM Mass. This informative study and discussion is becoming popular. So join us every Sunday from 9:05-9:50AM in the Overflow Room. You won't want to miss it.

### Catholic Scripture Study

This year we will study the Gospel of Matthew in 28 lessons from Sept. through April. Classes meet on Wednesdays 7:30PM-9:00PM or on Thursdays 9:45AM-11:15AM. Visit [www.mostblessedsacrament.org](http://www.mostblessedsacrament.org) for more info.

### Faith and Fiction

February's book is *The Known World*, by Edward P. Jones. Join us on February 28<sup>th</sup> at 10AM or March 1<sup>st</sup> at 7PM 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 or Brad Leeman, Notre Dame Apprentice 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, February 25

8:00AM	Mass	Sanc
9:05AM	Adult Bible Study	OF
10:00AM	Mass/CLW	Sanc
10:00AM	RE	C4-6
11:15AM	RE	C1-12
11:30AM	Mass	Sanc
12:30PM	Youth Choir	Music
5:00PM	RE	Ed, YC, C8-12

## Monday, February 26

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
7:00PM	Echoes of Faith	Ed

## Tuesday, February 27

8:45AM	Communion Service	Cha
9:15AM	Bible Study	Ed
7:00PM	RCIA	Ed
7:00PM	Rosary	Cha

## Wednesday, February 28

10:00AM	Faith and Fiction	C1
6:00PM	Youth	YC/FLC
6:45PM	RE 1st Eucharist Prep	Hall/C8-12
7:00PM	Mass	Cha
7:30PM	Bell Choir	Music
7:30PM	Catholic Scripture Study	C2-3

## Thursday, March 1

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
6:30PM	Tone Choir	Music
7:00PM	Faith and Fiction	C1
7:00PM	Community Service Comm.	C2
7:00PM	North Arlington Little League	Hall
7:30PM	MBS Friendship Prayer Group	C7
7:45PM	Adult Choir	Music

## Friday, March 2

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

## Saturday, March 3

3:45PM	Guitar Choir	Music
5:00PM	Mass	Sanc



Have you left something behind after Mass? Check out the table in the front of the church. It's filling up with toys, hats, glasses, jackets, etc!



Please join the Knights of Columbus Friday, March 2nd, after Stations of the Cross for a fish fillet dinner prepared by our own Chef Eddie. Bring the family and enjoy a Lenten meal with your fellow parishioners. We start serving at around 7:30PM in the Parish Hall.

## Lenten Quiet Day

All are invited to come to a "Lenten Quiet Day," sponsored by the Carmelite Auxiliary on Tuesday, February 27th from 10:00AM-2:00PM at the Carmelite Monastery, 5801 Mt. Carmel Drive in Arlington. Fr. James Morman, TOR, will lead the day of quiet reflection with prayer, meditation, and confessions for participants. Those attending are asked to bring a sack lunch. Drinks will be provided. For additional information, please contact Kay Fuhrman at 817-763-8981.



## MBS Adult Formation Lenten Programs

The first session of our MBS Lenten Study Series "*Echoes of Faith*" will be presented Monday, February 26th from 7:00 to 8:30PM in the Adult Education Center. Please Join Us.

## Do you wish that you could

### "Come Home" to the sacraments?

While anticipating the promise of a new year, we long for a deeper experience of Christ's presence in our lives. Have you or your spouse felt alienated from the Church after a divorce and remarriage, or do you know someone in this situation? Many have found healing and peace by seeking what is called a "decree of invalidity" through the annulment process. No fee is required. For additional information about beginning your journey home, please call the parish office and ask for information about how to begin the annulment process.

## 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.

## St. Joseph's Lenten Mission

Our friends at St. Joseph's Catholic Community invite us to their annual Lenten Mission, which **starts this Sunday** and continues through Wednesday, February 28th. The theme is the "*Beatitudes*" a practical guide for daily living. Father Richard Parks, a Passionist Priest, leads this year's Mission. It starts promptly at 7PM in the St. Joseph's worship space. The Knights of Columbus will offer a meat free meal from 5-6:45 in the Miller Center. Come break bread with our Catholic family at St. Joseph's, then spend an hour growing in the Lenten spirit with Fr. Richard's inspiring presentations.

## Knights Commit \$1 Million to National Shrine

**Incarnation Dome project continues Order's long history of support.**

The Knights of Columbus on Dec. 8 announced a \$1 million gift to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. The contribution makes the Order the lead donor of a 3,780 square-foot mosaic dome in the Shrine's Great Upper Church, which will depict themes relating to the incarnation of Jesus Christ.

The donation continues the Knights' historic relationship with the National Shrine. In 1959, the Order donated \$1 million for the construction of the Shrine's majestic bell tower. Known as the "Knights' Tower," it contains a carillon of 56 bells, also a gift of the Knights of Columbus.

In the 1980s, the Knights established, and have continually funded and maintained, a Knight-staffed usher ministry at the National Shrine. The Order also created a \$1 million memorial endowment, named in honor of Past Supreme Knight Luke E. Hart, to promote Marian devotion at the National Shrine and to preserve and maintain the Shrine structure. Since 1989, the Order has regularly funded televised liturgies or other spiritual broadcasts from the National Shrine.

The Knights conducted the largest pilgrimage ever hosted by the National Shrine during the Jubilee Year 2000. The event drew 12,000 Knights and their family members from across North America and the Philippines to Washington. The Knights also sponsored Eucharistic Congresses at the Shrine in 2001 and 2003.

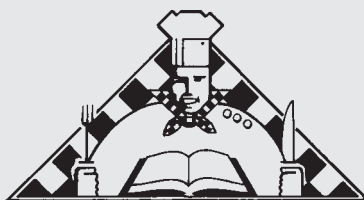
"The Knights have the highest regard for the National Shrine as the preeminent Marian shrine and pilgrimage site in the United States," said Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson. "This gift reaffirms our long-standing relationship with the Shrine and will add to the beauty and distinction of its sacred art."



Whoever you are and wherever you come from, you are welcome! May the presence of the Almighty bless and comfort you, so that you leave here renewed and prepared for the week ahead.

## Lenten Meals at MBS

Please join us Friday nights during Lent for dinner prepared St. Bernadette's Guild, St. Cecilia's Guild, the Knights of Columbus or our own MBS Youth. Dinner will be served in the Parish Hall immediately following Stations of the Cross (at around 7:30PM.) The following meals are planned for the Fridays during Lent:



<b>March 2</b>	<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	<b><i>Fish Fillet Dinner by Chef Eddie</i></b> Proceeds go to Wheelchair Foundation
<b>March 9</b>	<b>St. Bernadette Guild</b>	<b><i>Casseroles, Pastas and Salads</i></b> Proceeds goes to Habitat for Humanity
<b>March 16</b>	<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	<b><i>Pasta Array and Salad Dinner</i></b> Proceeds go to Deaf Ministries
<b>March 23</b>	<b>MBS Youth</b>	<b><i>To Be Determined</i></b> Proceeds go to Youth Ministries Mission Trip
<b>March 30</b>	<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	<b><i>Chowder and Salad Dinner</i></b> Proceeds go to Priest and Seminarian Fund

## Readings For the Week

### Monday • February 26

*Lenten Weekday*

Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Mt 25:31-46

### Tuesday • February 27

*Lenten Weekday*

Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15

### Wednesday • February 28

*Lenten Weekday*

Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32

### Thursday • March 1

*Lenten Weekday*

Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12

### Friday • March 2

*Lenten Weekday*

Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26

### Saturday • March 3

*Lenten Weekday*

Dt 26:16-19/Mt 5:43-48

### Sunday • March 4

*Second Sunday of Lent*

Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Phil 3:17—4:1

or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36