

# 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



## *Easter – March 23, 2008*

### **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	Father Joe 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
Notre Dame Apprentice	Brad Leeman
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 817-274-2560.



**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 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.

### 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 Lisa Tovar at 817-469-6194.*



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!**

Are you a fan of bingo? Come join us on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Wednesdays of every month at 10AM in the Adult Education Room for fellowship, fun,

and bingo. All ages 50+ are welcome! Bring your friends... Catholic or not. All are welcome!

Want more details? Call Margaret Andrzejewski at 817-627-8054. Don't miss out on the fun!



## AROUND THE DIOCESE

### Married Couples!

Does gardening give you a sense of wonder and fulfillment? On your wedding day, you lovingly planted the seeds of a lifelong relationship. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will give you the "gardening tools" you need to help your marriage grow and blossom!

Upcoming Weekends & locations:

April 18-20, 2008 @ Hilton Garden Inn in Irving. Registration is limited. For more information or to register, call Angelo & Shanna Nasche, 972-317-2400, or e-mail them at [register@dfwme.org](mailto:register@dfwme.org).

### Bishop's Annual Catholic Pro-Life Dinner

This 15th Annual Dinner benefiting the Respect Life Ministry of the Diocese of Dallas will take place on Saturday, April 5, at the Hilton Anatole Dallas, 2201 Stemmons Freeway. A Silent Auction and Exhibits begin at 5:00 PM followed by dinner at 6:30 PM. The keynote speaker is Fr. Frank Pavone, National Director of Priests for Life. For ticket information and reservations call 972-267-LIFE or go online to [www.prolifedallas.org](http://www.prolifedallas.org).

Visit the diocesan website at: <http://www.fwdioc.org>

### Picturing the Bible: The Earliest Christian Art

The Kimbell Art Museum in Fort Worth has assembled a one-time-only exhibition of 3rd to 6th Century Christian art from several different countries and museums. This amazing exhibit will be at the Kimbell only through March 30. For more information go to [www.kimbellart.org](http://www.kimbellart.org) or call 817-332-8451.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Sunday, March 23

Winford Corzine †

### Monday, March 24

Doug Gates †

### Wednesday, March 26

Mark Schatzman Family

### Thursday, March 27

Robert Love †

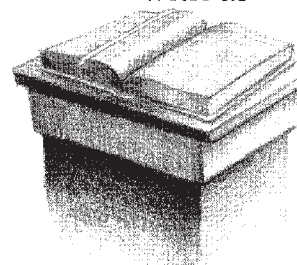
### Friday, March 28

Terry Quinn †

### Saturday, March 29

Terry & Ruthie Quinn †

Study <sup>the Bible</sup> 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 your fellow parishioners 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 Sacred Scripture

This year we are studying The Acts of the Apostles on Wednesdays (7:30 - 9:00PM) or Thursdays (9:45 - 11:15AM) in 28 lessons through April. For more information, check the website, [www.mostblessedsacrament.org](http://www.mostblessedsacrament.org) or call Eileen Finkeneller (817-265-4484) or Chris Jarboe (817-277-8559).

### Faith and Fiction

March's book is *Away*, by Amy Bloom. Join us on March 26<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 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, March 23

8:00AM	Mass	Sanc
9:05AM	Adult Bible Study	OF
10:00AM	Mass/CLW	Sanc
11:30AM	Mass	Sanc

## Monday, March 24

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
7:00PM	Boy Scouts Troop 545	Hall
7:00PM	Catechism Study	Ed

## Tuesday, March 25

8:45AM	Communion Service	Cha
9:15AM	Bible Study	Ed
6:30PM	Girl Scouts #1610	C11
7:00PM	RCIA	Ed
7:00PM	Rosary	Cha

## Wednesday, March 26

10:00AM	Faith & Fiction	C1
6:00PM	Youth	YC/FLC
6:45PM	RE/Sacramental Prep	C8-12/Hall
7:00PM	Mass	Cha
7:30PM	Catholic Sacred Scripture	C2
7:30PM	Bell Choir	Music

## Thursday, March 27

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
9:45AM	Catholic Sacred Scripture	C2
7:00PM	St. Bernadette's Guild	Ed
7:30PM	MBS Friendship Prayer Group	C8-9

## Friday, March 28

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
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## Saturday, March 29

8:00AM	Partners in Ministry II	Ed
9:00AM	The "Left Behind Alternative"	Hall
5:00PM	Mass	Sanc



## 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.

The Community Service Committee extends heartfelt thanks to all our parishioners who donated socks, underwear and t-shirts for the children in the elementary schools we support. We sincerely appreciate your contributions to the neediest among us. God bless the Most Blessed Sacrament parishioners for their generous hearts.

## It's Never too Late to "Come Home"

The Come Home Ministry is an open door to all inactive Catholics and provides a safe, accepting environment where a new journey can begin toward resuming your relationship with the Catholic Church. For more information, please contact either JoAnne Collmar at 817-274-0530, email joannecollmar@tx.rr.com or Jim Johnson at 817-265-0004, email jimago@sbcglobal.net.



## A Note to say Thank You

Speer Elementary School would like to thank the MBS Community Service Committee **and parishioners** for their generous donation of socks and underwear as well as a gift card for other needed supplies. Many students will benefit from your wonderful gift. Thank you so much!

## Discovery Center Registration

Pre-registration for the Fall & Summer Session of our Discovery Center Program (formally PDO) will continue throughout the month of March for students in ages 1 through 4 years (as of September



1.) Persons interested may stop by the Parish Office to pick up a registration form,

or see Kathy Griffin, PDO Director, on Tuesdays or Thursdays, during regular Discovery Center hours of operation. For further information, call Kathy Griffin at 817-460-2751 or 817-881-5560.

Enrichment+ is a one-day program in the fall, for three and four year olds. It will be held on Wednesday from 9AM TO 2:00PM. The curriculum will focus on various activities such as science, cooking, pre-school learning and etc. If interested call 817-860-2688 or stop by the Parish Office.

## The Church Office will be closed Monday, March 24th.

## The "Left Behind" Alternative: A Workshop on Apocalyptic Literature

Sr Dorothy Jonaitis will present Catholic teaching on apocalyptic texts as literature of "hope" rather than dread.

When: Sat. March 29th 2008: 9am-3:30pm

Where: MBS Parish Hall

Cost: \$20

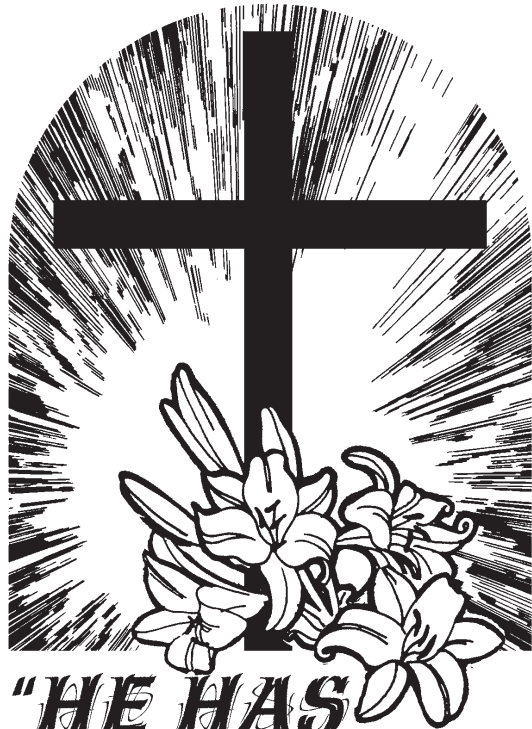
Flyers are available at church doors and office.

March 23, 2008

The Resurrection of the Lord • Acts 10:34a, 37–43/Col 3:1–4 or 1 Cor 5:6b–8 Jn 20:1–9 or

Mt 28:1–10 or Lk 24:13–35

Alleluia!



"HE HAS RISEN!"

### Church Picnic

The "Old Fashioned Parish Picnic" is BACK! The Parish Picnic is planned to be at Most Blessed Sacrament on Sunday, October 12, 2008 from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Mark your calendars! We plan on having hamburgers, hot dogs, and other food, including ice cream for dessert. We need many volunteers to help make this a great afternoon of fun activities, food, and fellowship. Please contact the Picnic Committee Co-Chairs Terry Johnson (817)861-0679 or Mary Beth Mayer (817)465-3295 to make any suggestions, volunteer, or be a part of this picnic tradition.



# Good News!

March 23, 2008

EASTER

Acts 10:34a, 37–43, Col 3:1–4 or 1 Cor 5:6b–8, Jn 20:1–9 or Mt 28:1–10 or Lk 24:13–35

Twenty centuries after the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus, it is tempting to wish we had been among the first witnesses.

What if we had heard Jesus preaching? What if we traveled to Galilee, anticipating the arrival of the teacher who is in every town's gossip, and then actually heard and saw him?

What questions do his disciples face? Are we among the "blessed poor"—those who will see the reign of God? Are we among those who weep now but will laugh again? What if we were sitting on a hill near Bethsaida, shocked to find there was bread for us, too, in a huge crowd of people Jesus taught about the reign of God and then fed? Would faith be easy then? What brings faith? What brings doubt?

After following him into Jerusalem, Jesus' disciples met violence, confusion, and a fear that made them run from him when he died. Right there with him, they had to face doubt and pain and fear, and they could not do it by themselves.

So what changed them? What made this bunch of frail human beings walk back into the center of the town they had fled, start preaching about the man who had been killed, and talk about him as if he were the God of life itself?

In every account of the resurrection, the story of the witnesses is strange. They have trouble recognizing Jesus. Witnesses are surprised, sad, mistaken, and shocked—and then they are struck with wonder and realization. A different sort of recognition is called for. Jesus is changed. He is the man they knew, yet he has become something else.

They are changed. They met him alive again. We were not there. Can we take their word for what happened? Do we dare believe them? If they are right, if he does live, we can meet him too.

Dan Finucane

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Readings  
For the Week

**Monday • March 24**

Octave of Easter  
Acts 2:14, 22–33/Mt 28:8–15

**Tuesday • March 25**

Octave of Easter  
Acts 2:36–41/Jn 20:11–18

**Wednesday • March 26**

Octave of Easter  
Acts 3:1–10/Lk 24:13–35

**Thursday • March 27**

Octave of Easter  
Acts 3:11–26/Lk 24:35–48

**Friday • March 28**

Octave of Easter  
Acts 4:1–12/Jn 21:1–14

**Saturday • March 29**

Octave of Easter  
Acts 4:13–21/Mk 16:9–15

**Sunday • March 30**

Second Sunday of Easter  
Acts 2:42–47/1 Pt 1:3–9  
Jn 20:19–31