

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



3rd Sunday of Easter – April 6, 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.

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

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.

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

Arlington Grandmothers Club

The Arlington Grandmothers Club will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, April 10th at 7PM in Classroom One. We invite all grandmothers to attend our meeting and see what we are all about! Refreshments are served at each meeting. We look forward to seeing you.

 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!**

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.

Earth Day Park Outing -- Sunday, April 20 at 2:00, Dunlop Park

Let's help our kids learn what it takes to keep our environment clean. Join us near the first set of picnic tables at Dunlop Park (on the corner of Green Oaks & Fielder). We will meet to pick up trash, fly kites and play. Bring drinks, snacks, a grocery bag (for the trash you collect) as well as outdoor toys for your family.



AROUND THE DIOCESE

Ulster Project - Arlington

2008 Annual Golf Scramble Tournament
Monday - April 21st - Shotgun start 1pm
WoodHaven Country Club
\$95 per person or \$300 per foursome
Includes greens fee, golf cart, dinner,
and raffle prizes

For more details please call Arlene Smith 817- 478-4382 or Don Fallavollita 817-561-2924. All Proceeds Support the 2008 Summer Project for Northern Ireland & American Teens.

Left to Tell author, Immaculee Ilibagiza, will speak about "Discovering God Amidst the Rwandan Holocaust" at the Frontiers of Flight Museum, 6911 Lemmon Avenue in Dallas, on Wednesday, April 30, at 6:30PM. There will also be a reception and book-signing. General seating is \$35 and the deadline for purchasing tickets is April 23. More information can be found at www.womenthirdmillennium.org or by calling Helen McCleneghen at 972-612-5978.

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. To register, call Angelo & Shanna Nasche, 972-317-2400, or e-mail them at register@dfwme.org.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, April 6

Rosemary Bova †

Monday, April 7

Preston James †

Wednesday, April 9

John Halounek, Sr. †

Thursday, April 10

Mark Schatzman Family

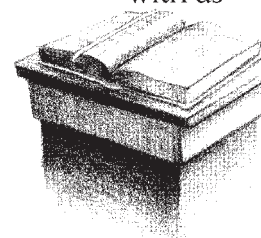
Friday, April 11

Harry Hochstein †

Saturday, April 12

Bob Sign †

Study ^{the 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 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 or call Eileen Finkeneller (817-265-4484) or Chris Jarboe (817-277-8559).

Faith and Fiction

April's book is *My Life in France*, by Julia Child and Alex Prud'Homme. Join us on April 30th 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, April 6

8:00AM	Mass	Sanc
9:05AM	Adult Bible Study	OF
10:00AM	Mass/CLW	Sanc
10:00AM	RE	C4-6
11:15AM	RE	C1-11
11:30AM	Mass	Sanc
12:30PM	Youth Choir	Music
1:30PM	Girl Scouts #1604	C8
5:00PM	RE	Ed, YC, C8-11
7:00PM	Young Apostles	YC

Monday, April 7

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
6:45PM	Girl Scouts #1636	C1
7:00PM	Boy Scouts Troop 545	Hall
7:00PM	Catechism Study	Ed

Tuesday, April 8

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, April 9

6:00PM	Youth	YC/FLC
7:00PM	Mass	Cha
7:30PM	IRPS	Ed
7:30PM	Catholic Sacred Scripture	C2
7:30PM	Bell Choir	Music

Thursday, April 10

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
9:30AM	Tuesday Morning Bible Study	Ed
9:45AM	Catholic Sacred Scripture	C2
6:30PM	Tone Chime Choir	Music
7:00PM	Arlington Grandmothers	C1
7:30PM	MBS Friendship Prayer Group	C8-9
7:45PM	Adult Choir	Music

Friday, April 11

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
7:00PM	Girl Scouts Adult Meeting	C9

Saturday, April 12

3:45PM	Guitar Choir	Music
5:00PM	Mass	Sanc
6:00PM	Cursillo	Ed



Bishop Muldoon to Make Mission Appeal

Bishop Maurus Muldoon, from the Diocese of Juticalpa in Honduras, will be at Most Blessed Sacrament at all Masses on the weekend of April 12/13 to share with us the many needs of his missionary appeal. We welcome Bishop Muldoon as he returns to us in Texas.

St. George School's 3rd Annual Spring Fundraiser

To be held at Nolan Catholic High School Gym

April 19th from 6:30PM-11:00PM

Come enjoy an evening of fellowship with dinner and drink, exciting games and prizes, including silent and live auctions. Tickets are \$30 per person. Call the school office at 817-222-1221 for tickets and info.

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!

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.



Would you like to be a part of the Most Blessed Sacrament Welcome Committee team? It only takes a warm smile and a kind word of welcome to be a member of the Welcome Committee. Experience the gratitude

of a new parish member leaving your presence with a lighter step and a spiritual sense of belonging after receiving an information packet from you. The Committee hands out prepared packets after mass on the 2nd Sunday of each month, September through May, and we need volunteers to hand out the packets. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to build up the Body of Christ in our faith community. Call Frieda Bayer (817-261-7816) or email her at fbayer@tx.rr.com for more information about volunteering for the Welcome Committee team.

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.



Wonderful News for the Catholic Church in America and The Knights of Columbus

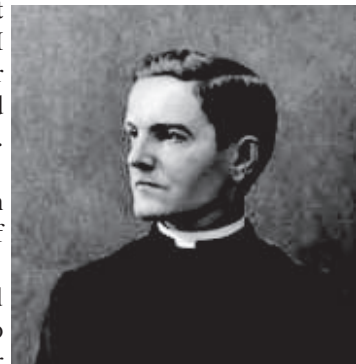
Vatican declares Knights of Columbus founder "venerable" Fr. Michael J. McGivney would be first American-born priest to be declared a saint New Haven, CT - March 16, 2008 - Pope Benedict XVI Saturday approved a decree recognizing the heroic virtue of Father Michael J. McGivney, founder of the Knights of Columbus. The pope's declaration significantly advances the priest's process toward sainthood and gives the parish priest the distinction of "Venerable Servant of God." If canonized, Fr. McGivney would be the first American born priest to be so honored.

"All of us who are members of the Knights of Columbus are profoundly grateful for this recognition of the holiness of our founder," said Supreme Knight Carl Anderson. "The strength of the Knights of Columbus today is a testament to his timeless vision, his holiness and his ideals."

Worried about the religious faith and financial stability of immigrant families, Father McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus with the help of several men of St. Mary's Parish in New Haven in 1882 to help strengthen the faith of the men of his parish and to provide financial assistance in the event of their death to the widows and orphans they left behind. He was also known for his tireless work among his parishioners.

Born in Waterbury, Conn., Aug. 12, 1852, Michael Joseph McGivney, was the first of Patrick and Mary (Lynch) McGivney's 13 children, six of whom died in infancy or early childhood. His parents, natives of Ireland, had immigrated to the United States during the 19th century. Patrick was a molder in a Waterbury brass mill, where Michael himself worked for a brief time as a child to help support his family. From an early age, however, he realized a calling to the Catholic priesthood. After studying in several seminaries, he was ordained in that Baltimore's historic Cathedral by Cardinal James Gibbons Dec. 22, 1877. He took up his first assignment, as curate at St. Mary's Church, New Haven, Conn., Jan. 2, 1878. Father McGivney was named pastor of St. Thomas Church in Thomaston, Conn. in 1884. He became seriously ill with pneumonia in January 1890, and died Aug. 14, 1890 at age 38.

The cause, or process, for Father McGivney's sainthood, was opened by Hartford Archbishop Daniel A. Cronin, in December 1997. The cause was presented to the Vatican in 2000, where it has been under review by the Congregation for the Causes of Saints. With the pope's recent decree, and the authentication of a miracle at Father McGivney's intercession, the priest could be beatified. A second miracle would be required for canonization.



Readings For the Week

Monday • April 7
Saint John Baptist de la Salle,
priest

Acts 6:8–15/Jn 6:22–29

Tuesday • April 8

Easter Weekday

Acts 7:51–8:1a/Jn 6:30–35

Wednesday • April 9

Easter Weekday

Acts 8:1b–8/Jn 6:35–40

Thursday • April 10

Easter Weekday

Acts 8:26–40/Jn 6:44–51

Friday • April 11

Saint Stanislaus,
bishop and martyr

Acts 9:1–20/Jn 6:52–59

Saturday • April 12

Easter Weekday

Acts 9:31–42/Jn 6:60–69

Sunday • April 13

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14a, 36–41

1 Pt 2:20b–25/Jn 10:1–10

"Life is like an onion: You peel it off one layer at a time, and sometimes you weep."

—Carl Sandburg

Epitaph

Here lies the body of
Solomon Peas
Under the sod and under
the trees.
Peas is not here, 'tis
only the pod,
Peas has shelled out and
gone to God.

