



*St. Mary Catholic Church
of Fannett and
St. Martin de Porres Mission
of Cheek*



Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time * August 18, 2019

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Mass Times

Monday 7:15 am Communion Service St. Martin
Wednesday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. St. Mary
Saturday, 4:00 p.m. St. Mary
Sunday, 7:00 a.m., St. Mary
Sunday, 9:00 a.m. St. Martin dePorres
Sunday, 11:00 a.m. St. Mary



20th Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!" - Lk 12:49

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 to 3:30 p.m. or
by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism

September 11th, 7:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Marriage

Needs to be arranged at least six months in
advance. Please contact Pastor for appt.

Vocations

Interested in Priesthood or Religious Life
Contact Rev. Tino 409-924-4360

Devotions and Activities

First Friday Adoration
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Sunday Rosary: 8:15 a.m. St. Martin
Sunday Rosary: 5:30 p.m. St. Mary

Mass Intentions

Saturday - August 17, 2019

4:00 p.m. - Elray Sensat †

Sunday - August 18, 2019

7:00 a.m. - Special Intention †

9:00 a.m. - Suzette Butler †

11:00 a.m. - All Parishioners (St. Mary/St. Martin)

Monday - August 19, 2019

7:15 a.m. - Communion Service @ St. Martin dePorres

Tuesday - August 20, 2019

NO MASS †

Wednesday - August 21, 2019

8:30 a.m. - Annie Mae Cooper †

Thursday - August 22, 2019

8:30 a.m. - Special Intention †

Friday - August 23, 2019

8:30 a.m. - Lloyd Burns †

Saturday - August 24, 2019

4:00 p.m. - Effie Anderson †

Sunday - August 25, 2019

7:00 a.m. - Little Debbie Peltier †

9:00 a.m. - Mary and Jocelyn Lemelle †

11:00 a.m. - All Parishioners (St. Mary/St. Martin)



Readings For the Week...

Monday:	Jgs 2:11-19/Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday:	Jgs 6:11-24a/Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday:	Jgs 9:6-15/Mt 20:1-16
Thursday:	Jgs 11:29-39a/Mt 22:1-14
Friday:	Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Mt 22:34-40
Saturday:	Rv 21:9b-14/Jn 1:45-51
Sunday:	Is 66:18-21/Lk 13:22-30

Baptismal Preparation Class

The Baptismal Preparation class is scheduled for Wednesday, September 11th at 7:00 p.m. at the Religious Education Building. Parents are required to attend one instruction class prior to the Sacrament. Please call the Parish Office to register.

From the Pastor ...

Making Saints

Today's readings set a high bar for us Christian disciples, reminding us that a discipleship way of life is meant to be a challenging way of life.

In the second reading, from the Letter to the Hebrews, we are told to live as Christ lived. And how did Christ live? "For the sake of the joy that lay before Him He endured the cross." If we are tempted to complain about the sufferings we must endure in living as Christ's disciples, we are told, "In your struggle against sin you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding blood." In other words, "If you're not bleeding, what are you complaining about?" That is quite a high bar!

The Gospel reading from Luke continues this challenging theme. Our Lord tells His disciples "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing." A couple of verses later Jesus adds, "Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division."

Jesus's life on this earth and the message He brought were not meant to simply make us feel good. In fact, His words can make us downright uncomfortable at times. That's because His Good News (and it is indeed good news!) is meant to change us, to make saints of us.

The discipleship way of life sets a high bar indeed. But deeply embraced, this way of life focused on God and others will make us the saints we are called to be.

Father Jim



Activities For the Week...

Wednesday - August 21st

- Teachers In Service., 6:00 p.m., Formation Bldg.
- Faith Formation Registration, Formation Bldg., 3:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Sunday - August 25th

- Sunday Rosary, 8:15 a.m., St. Martin dePorres.
- St. Martin's Youth Mass, 9:00 a.m., covered dish will follow in the Parish Hall.
- Sunday Rosary, 5:30 p.m., St. Mary.
- Confirmation I and II Parent and Student meeting, 6:00 p.m., Parish Hall

Going on Vacation

Being able to go on vacation is wonderful. We hope that you have a safe and enjoyable time. However, remember that your parish is here with the same bills whether you come or not. Don't forget to continue to support your parish. Have a "God filled vacation."

BFA Intentions Mass

The community will come together to pray for the intentions of the faithful and to give thanks for the many gifts God has given us, Thursday, August 22nd at St. Anthony Cathedral Basilica beginning at 6:30 p.m. We will also pray for the many ministries that continue to serve the community in Southeast Texas by continuing to do the work of our Lord and Savior. Light buffet supper will follow in the Cathedral Center. Please join us. RSVP to BFA@dioceseofbmt.org or 409-924-4302 no later than August 14th. If you haven't filled out an Intention/Pledge card, you may also email our intention to BFA@dioceseofbmt.org.

Pray For the Sick

*Mae Ella Alford *Sandra Bertrand *Lon Ray Bianco *Janice Bivins *Yvonne Duhon Brack *Robert Coleman *LeaAnn Cossey *Willie Davis *Samantha Diaz *Jim Dismukes *Linda Domingue *Gaspard Family *John Hubert *Jessie Judice *Jeybeon Johnson *Anita Kiker *Gary Kotz *John McGee *Regan Millican *Jenny Olbrich *Annie Phillips *Shantale Pousson *Beth Rach *Mary Richards *Lucille Allen Smith *Cathy Tompkins

St. Mary Parish Income Needed (Est.)..... \$ 6,691.00
 Weekly Sacrificial Offerings \$ 5,040.00
 Contingency and Development Fund \$ 345.00
 Total Income For Parish.....\$5,385.00

St. Martin Parish Income Needed (Est.) \$ 936.00
 Weekly Sacrificial Offerings \$ 735.00
 Contingency and Development Fund \$.00
 Total Income For Parish..... \$ 735.00

Daily Mass Schedules

If you would like to place a special intention or a mass schedule in memory of a loved one, please contact the Parish Secretary. A donation for each mass intention is \$5.00.

Anointing of the Sick

If you are ill or planning to enter the hospital and wish to be anointed, please call the Parish Office and make an appointment for anointing before you enter the hospital. Remember, once you have been anointed, you do not need to be anointed again during the same illness unless several months have passed.

Hospitalization

If you wish to receive the Sacraments of Anointing of the Sick, Reconciliation (Confession) and Holy Communion: (1) At Catholic hospitals, please register as a Catholic and notify the Spiritual Care Department; (2) At Commercial Hospitals, please register as a Catholic (so the Catholic Chaplain will know you are there); (3) At Denominational Hospitals, please register as a Catholic and ask the Pastoral Care Department to notify the Catholic Chaplain.

2019 BFA Report

St. Mary
 Total Pledges Received \$ 66,908.00
 Total Payment Received \$ 38,158.00
 # of Pledges 113
 # of Households 573

St. Martin dePorres
 Total Pledges Received \$ 15,320.00
 Total Payment Received \$ 9,353.00
 # of Pledges 41
 # of Households 102

Faith Formation

Faith Formation Program

Wed. Grades K-6, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Wed. Grades 6-8, 6:45 to 8:00 p.m.

Sun. Confirmation I & II, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Faith Formation Registration

It's time to begin registration for the upcoming year, 2019-2020. You can either register on line (stmaryandstmartin.com) or in person at the Faith Formation Building on Wednesday, August 21st from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Faith Formation Program

HELP NEEDED!

We are planning for the 2019-2020 Faith Formation Program. We are looking for a Third Grade Teacher and Aides for each class. If you are interested in helping this year, please contact the Faith Formation Office. This is a very rewarding opportunity to share your faith with our children. Please be in prayer for our program and our youth.

CATECHIST WORKSHOP

There will be a Catechist Workshop held Wednesday, August 21st beginning at 6pm in the Parish Hall. The evening will include:

- *a small supper*
- *a look through new curriculum*
- *scope and sequence of upcoming year*
- *work in classrooms*
- *to renew our commitment to our Lord*

Please reserve this date for a very informative gathering! Come share your ideas and help make the 2019-20 Faith Formation Year an exciting one!

Youth News



Open House

First Faith Formation class begins with Open House and Family Night, Wednesday, August 28th from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Come out and visit your child's classroom and meet their Teacher.

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Attention Married Couples

Married couples who will be celebrating 25th, 50th or 50th + wedding anniversary in 2019: Bishop Curtis J. Guillory and the Office of Family Life Ministry invite you to attend the annual diocesan ceremony honoring your commitment to the Sacrament of Marriage on Sunday, October 20th at 2:30 p.m. at St. Anthony Cathedral Basilica. The ceremony will include Mass, Renewal of Marriage Vows and Presentation of Certificates. A reception will follow in the Cathedral Center. Deadline for forms to be turned in, Friday, September 20th.

Married Outside the Church?

If you cannot receive the sacraments due to marriage outside the Church, and you wish to return to the Eucharist, please make an appointment with Father Jim or Deacon Allan to determine what canonical process may be possible to remedy your situation. Your priest will be happy to provide you with information on the church's process of annulment for a marriage which has failed and is now divorced. Sometimes a Catholic enters a second marriage outside the Catholic church because of belief that an annulment is not possible for himself/herself or for one's spouse (Catholic or non-Catholic). Sometimes grounds for a church annulment do, in fact exist.

RCIA

Are you feeling called to deepen your relationship with God?

Are you seeking answers to questions about becoming Catholic?

Are you baptized Catholic and want to receive the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation?

If so, we invite you to journey with us in RCIA.

Sessions will be held on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. in the Religious Education Building and will go until Easter.

Please contact the Parish Office to register.

Classes begin September 5th

PGC Awareness Workshop

There will be a PGC (Protecting God's Children) Awareness Workshop on Sunday, September 15th at 5:00 p.m. in the Faith Formation Building. Any person working with children is encouraged to come. All new Catechists are required to attend.


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