



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



Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time * August 25, 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



21st Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

[Jesus] answered them, "Strive to enter through the narrow gate for many, I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough." - Lk 13:24

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 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 and Freddie Deshotel

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

Monday - August 26, 2019

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

Tuesday - August 27, 2019

NO MASS †

Wednesday - August 28, 2019

8:30 a.m. - NO MASS †

Thursday - August 29, 2019

8:30 a.m. - NO MASS †

Friday - August 30, 2019

8:30 a.m. - NO MASS †

Saturday - August 31, 2019

4:00 p.m. - Harry Stuart and Myrtle Breaux †

Sunday - September 1, 2019

7:00 a.m. - Special Intention †

9:00 a.m. - Suzette Butler †

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

THE PASSION OF
Saint John the Baptist

Readings For the Week...

Monday:	1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday:	1 Thes 2:1-8/Mt 23:23-26
Wednesday:	1 Thes 2:9-13/Mt 23:27-32
Thursday:	1 Thes 3:7-13/Mk 6:17-29
Friday:	1 Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13
Saturday:	1 Thes 4:9-11/Mt 25:14-30
Sunday:	Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Lk 14:1, 7-14

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 ...

Privilege of Being Disciples

Today's readings show us that it is not enough to be Christ's disciples in name only. To be a real disciple, we must live for Christ every day and in every aspect of life. This kind of life takes strength and discipline.

Intentionally and consistently offering the Lord the best of our Time, Talent, and Treasure through a stewardship way of life is a form of spiritual discipline. These spiritual disciplines teach us to become ever more aware of God's constant provision for us and they keep us on the narrow path towards the Kingdom of Heaven. The more we embrace this way of life, the more we can be "trained" by the Lord in the ways of true discipleship. Though difficult, these disciplines become a source of spiritual strength.

Our Lord Himself speaks of the difficult path to the Kingdom of Heaven in today's Gospel passage from Luke. He is asked, "Lord, will only a few be saved?" Jesus responds, "Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough." Showing up for Mass on Sunday while living as if Christ is an afterthought the rest of the week does not make us disciples. What's more, this approach to our faith is an unjust and unloving response to our good God who has given us all that we have and are.

Jesus does not want us to merely go through the motions of faith. He wants much more from us and for us. He wants to know us deeply and for us to get to know Him so that we become His holy disciples. This is not a burden; it is a privilege. But it does take discipline, the discipline of a stewardship way of life.

Father Jim



Activities For the Week...

Wednesday - August 28th

- Faith Formation Open House, 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., Formation Bldg.

Sunday - September 1st

- Sunday Rosary, 8:15 a.m., St. Martin dePorres.
- St. Mary's Youth Mass, 11:00 a.m., covered dish will follow in the Parish Hall.
- Gather the Lambs, 11:00 a.m., St. Mary.
- Sunday Rosary, 5:30 p.m., St. Mary.

PRAYER TO VERT HURRICANES

During this hurricane season,
we turn to You, O loving Father.
Spare us from past tragedies
whose memories are so vivid
and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal
with the passing of time.

O, Virgin, Star of the Sea,
Our Beloved Mother,
we ask you to plead
with your Son on our behalf,
so that we are spared
from the calamities common to this area.
Animated with a true spirit of gratitude,
we will walk in the steps of your Divine Son to
reach the heavenly Jerusalem
where a storm less eternity awaits us.

Amen.

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 \$ 4,397.00
Assumption of Mary \$ 970.00
Total Income For Parish.....\$5,367.00

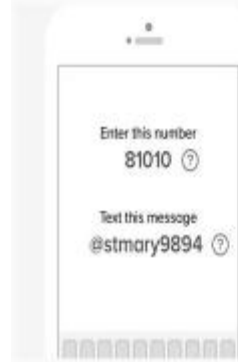
St. Martin Parish Income Needed (Est.) \$ 936.00
Weekly Sacrificial Offerings \$ 1,145.00
Assumption of Mary \$ 53.00
Total Income For Parish..... \$ 1,198.00

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.

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through Remind 101 app

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texts:



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texts:



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 Program

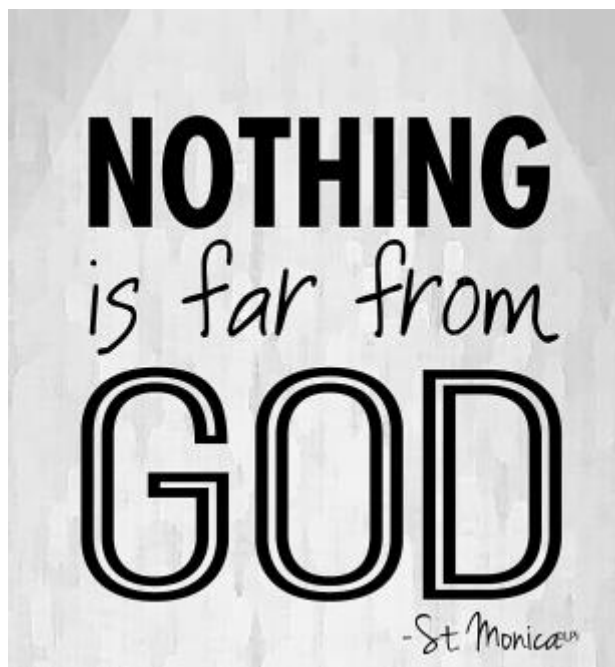
Wed. Grades K-6, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

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

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

PGC Awareness Workshop

There will be a PGC (Protecting Gods 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 Catechist are required to attend..



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..

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.



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

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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.

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