



*St. Mary Catholic Church
of Fannett and
St. Martin de Porres Mission
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First Sunday of Advent * November 29, 2020

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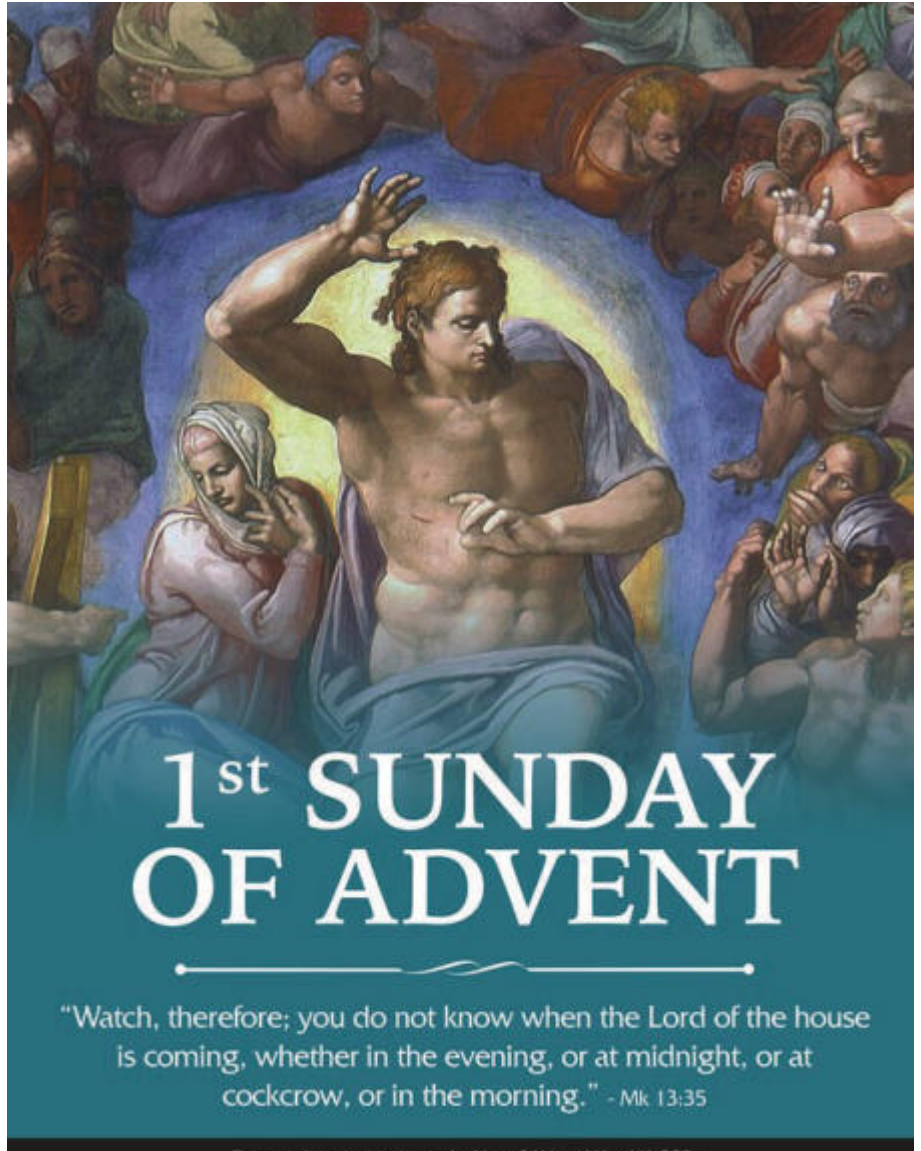
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Mass Times

Monday 7:15 am Communion Service St. Martin

Saturday, 4:00 p.m. St. Mary
Sunday, 9:00 a.m. St. Martin dePorres
Sunday, 11:00 a.m. St. Mary



Sacrament of Reconciliation

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

Sacrament of Baptism

Monday, November 30th, 6:30 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

Sunday Rosary: 8:15 a.m. St. Martin

Mass Intentions

Saturday - November 28, 2020

4:00 p.m. - Lena Bordes †

Sunday - November 29, 2020

9:00 a.m. - Leroy Lemelle Sr. †

11:00 a.m. - For all St. Mary/St. Martin Parishioners

Saturday - December 5, 2020

4:00 p.m. - Irene Geheb †

Sunday - December 6, 2020

9:00 a.m. - Cleveland and Hazel Thomas †

11:00 a.m. - For all St. Mary/St. Martin Parishioners



Pray For the Sick

*Mae Ella Alford *Sandra Bertrand *Lon Ray Bianco *Janice Bivins *Roland Blanchard *Yvonne Duhon Brack *Robert Coleman *LeaAnn Cossey *Willie Davis *Melissa Deshotel *Mitchel Deshotel *Samantha Diaz *Linda Domingue *Gaspard Family *Dominic Faraci *Dixie Ferguson *Jessie Judice *Jeybeon Johnson *Gary Kotz *Liz Lavergne *John McGee *Regan Millican *Eric Neal *Jenny Olbrich *Beth Rach *Rocky Sewell *Lucille Allen Smith *Alzada Stansbury *Peggy Swafford *Delton and Margaret Terro *Sandra Edger Wieder * David and Drusilla Woods

Readings For the Week...

Monday: Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22
Tuesday: s 11:1-10/Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a/Mt 15:29-37
Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday: Is 29:17-24/Mt 9:27-31
Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Mt 9:35—10:1
Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Mk 1:1-8

From the Pastor ...

Living the Advent Season

Today we begin the beautiful and holy season of Advent. With all that we have going on this time of year, it's no wonder Advent that does not always seem to get the attention it deserves. But if we will commit to living this season well, we will experience a deeper conversion to Christ and find real transformation in our lives as Christian disciples. Why? Advent calls us not only to look back in grateful contemplation of Christ's first coming, but it also calls us to look forward in preparation for His Second Coming. Advent is a time to reset and regroup, to repent over any misplaced priorities, to turn our minds and hearts back to God while we still have time. We do so not out of fear or guilt, but rather, out of gratitude for Love Incarnate lying in a manger bed. Whatever we feel God calling us to do this Advent — committing to a daily Gospel reflection, visiting a lonely neighbor, or donating money to those in dire need — there is no time to waste. Jesus makes this clear in our Gospel passage from Matthew. He tells the parable of a man going off on a journey. Before he leaves, he “places his servants in charge, each with his own work.” We, of course, are the servants in this parable, each with a mission to accomplish in building the Kingdom of God. Jesus warns us over and over in this passage to remain vigilant to the work He has given us to do because we do not know when we will be called to give an account for it. Our lives are a gift. This holy season is a gift. Let us recommit to living the disciple's way of life. Love came down to us as a Baby. And He is coming again. Be watchful!

Father Jim



Activities For the Week...

Monday - November 30, 2020

- Baptismal Preparation class, 6:30 p.m., Faith Formation Building.

Wednesday - December 2, 2020

- Faith Formation Classes for K-5th, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
- Jr/Hs Faith Formation 6th-8th, 6:45 to 8:00 p.m.

Sunday - December 6, 2020

- Gather the Lambs, 9:00 a.m.
- Gather the Lambs, 11:00 a.m.
- St. Mary's Youth Mass, 11:00 a.m.



2020 BFA Report

St. Mary

Total Pledges Received	\$ 54,720.00
Total Payment Received	\$ 36,380.00
# of Pledges	114
# of Households	550

St. Martin dePorres

Total Pledges Received	\$ 11,532.00
Total Payment Received	\$ 6,240.00
# of Pledges	41
# of Households	91



Rededication Mass

St. Mary Catholic Church

We will joyfully be back in our church after fourteen long months due to Hurricane Imelda's massive flood. A Rededication Mass at St. Mary's Catholic Church has been scheduled for **Monday, December 7th** at 6:00 p.m. Presider: Most Rev. David L. Toups S.Th.D. Due to Covid regulations, there will be limited seating. Over seating will be set up in the Parish Hall live stream. There will be a listening session regarding the ministries of the Diocese following mass.

St. Martin de Porres

There will be a separate meeting for St. Martin de Porres with Bishop David Toups on Thursday, December 10th. Actual time to be announced.

Funerals

All funeral services to be held at St. Mary or St. Martin dePorres will require seating limitations due to Covid restrictions. ONLY immediate family will be allowed at funerals.

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2nd and 4th Grade Level - 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
 5th and 6th Grade Level - 6:45 to 7:45 p.m.



new Every Sunday at 11am mass
 & 1st Sunday of the month at 9am mass

Gather the Lambs
 2 year old-1st grade



Drop off children in the primary hall
 of faith formation Building before mass
 for an age appropriate gospel lesson.

**CONFIRMATION
 CLASS DATES**

NOV 15
NOV 29
DEC 6
DEC 13

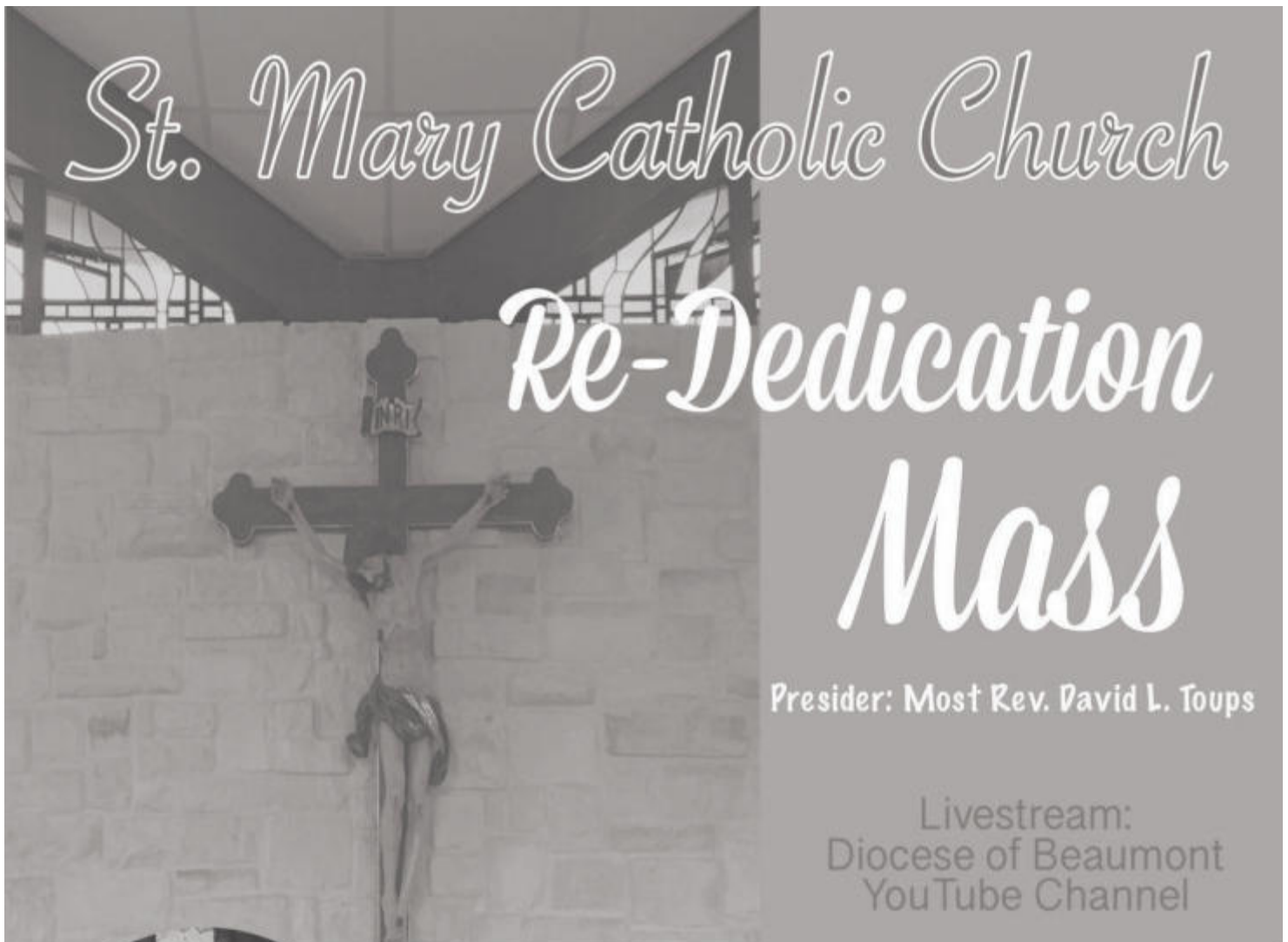
SUNDAYS 5:30-8:00PM

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Angel Tree

Please remember when taking an Angel from the tree, to tie the angel to your package instead of tape to prevent tearing. Wrapped gifts must be returned by Wednesday, December 16th in order to sort and deliver the gifts. Thank you for your generosity and cooperation.




St. Mary Catholic Church

Re-Dedication

Mass

Presider: Most Rev. David L. Toups

Livestream:
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6pm


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