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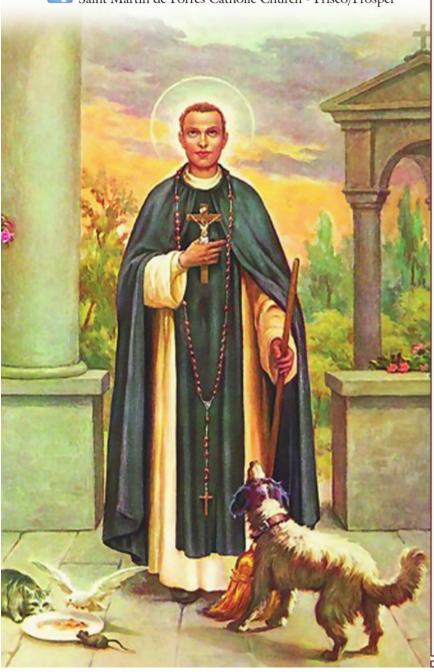
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WELCOME TO SAINT MARTIN DE PORRES CATHOLIC CHURCH!

We invite you to become involved in our parish. If you wish to become a member, please complete a Parish Registration Form. Forms are available after all Masses and can also be found on our website.

Celebration of the Mass

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

7:30, 9:00, 11:30 a.m. Sunday

9:00 a.m. Monday Wednesday 6:00 p.m. Thursday 9:00 a.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m. (with school students)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:15-4:45 p.m. Saturday or by appointment

Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Richard Kirkham Administrative Assistant & Bookkeeper

Rose Burke, rose@saintmartindp.org

Communications & Sacramental Coordinator Anne Savoie, anne@saintmartindp.org

Music Ministry

Joe Davisson, joe@saintmartindp.org Director of Family Faith Formation Laura Myers, laura@saintmartindp.org

REQUESTS FOR EUCHARIST FOR THE SICK, HOMEBOUND & HOSPITAL VISITS

Please call the parish office at 469-287-7624.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated by appointment. If you wish to have your child baptized, please contact our Sacramental Coordinator, Anne Savoie. Parents and godparents are required to attend a pre-baptismal class, which are held the third Wednesday of each month.

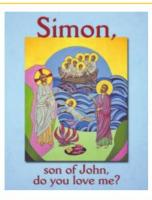
SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Those wishing to marry should contact the Sacramental Coordinator as soon as possible, but at least six months prior to anticipated date of marriage.

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Third Sunday of Easter

Today's Readings:

Acts of the Apostles 5:27-32, 40b-41 Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 "I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me."

> Revelation 5:11-14 John 21:1-19

Mass Intentions for the Week

April 9

Saturday of the Second Week of Easter 5:00 PM

April 10

Third Sunday of Easter

7:30 AM

9:00 AM Pro Popula 11:30 AM Donitta Cole (†)

April 11

Memorial of Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr

9:00 AM No Daily Mass

April 12

Tuesday of the Third Week of Easter

April 13

Wednesday of the Third Week of Easter 6:00 PM No Daily Mass

April 14

Thursday of the Third Week of Easter 9:00 AM No Daily Mass

April 15

Friday of the Third Week of Easter 9:00 AM

If you or someone you know is in need of prayers, and/or you would like to have a Mass dedicated to someone, please call or visit the parish office. You can also download and print a Mass Intention Form by visiting our website, www.saintmartindp.org.

Upcoming Mass Schedule Changes

There will be no daily Masses on the following dates:

Monday, April 11 Wednesday, April 13 Thursday, April 14

Please note that beginning on April 20, all Wednesday evening Masses will begin at 6:30 PM.

Weekly Offering

Please make checks out to Saint Martin de Porres Catholic Church

Week ending April 3, 2016

Weekly Need: \$5,000.00
Weekly Offering: \$3,965.00
Fiscal Year* Need to Date: \$215,000.00
Fiscal Year Collection to Date: \$227,045.00

\$12,045.00

* Fiscal Year: July 1, 2015—June 30, 2016

Mass Attendance

Saturday, 5:00 PM: 127 Sunday, 7:30 AM: 47 Sunday, 9:00 AM: 159 Sunday, 11:30 AM: 184 Total Mass Attendance: 518



Dear Parishioners,

Is spring cleaning on your mind? Looking for ways to simplify your week? eGiving through Faith Direct can help! Consider enrolling today by visiting www.faithdirect.net and using our church code: TX706. Your gifts through Faith Direct will help stabilize our parish finances, help you to get rid of the clutter of offertory envelopes in your home, and give you one less thing to worry about on Sunday mornings. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family with your time and talents, as well as treasure!

God Bless You, Rev. Richard Kirkham



- Welcome to those who have recently joined our parish family! What a blessing it is to see so many new faces. If you have not yet registered in our parish, please pick up a Parish Registration Form at the church entrance. New parishioners, please check in the parish office for your set of contribution envelopes if you asked to receive them.
- Do you receive our emails? If not, you may be missing out on events and important information! Send a note to Anne Savoie (anne@saintmartindp.org), and ask to be added to our mailing list. Also, if you move or otherwise change your contact information, please let us know.
- Looking for a way to grow in your faith? Consider joining our Saint Martin de Porres prayer group 15 minutes before three of the daily masses: Monday 8:45 AM; Wednesday 5:45 PM; and Thursday 8:45 AM. Shorter Christian Prayer booklets are available, or you are welcome to bring your own.
- If you would like to participate in our music ministry, come see Joe Davisson after Mass, or send him a note (joe@saintmartindp.org). Rehearsals take place on Thursdays from 7-9:00 PM in the church.
- ALL Liturgical Ministers are asked to check-in 15 minutes before Mass.
- Children's Liturgy of the Word takes place during the 9 and 11:30 AM Masses, and is designed for a PreK through 1st Grade age range. Children who have already made their First Communion should stay in Mass with their family.
- We sometimes take photos at church events to use on our website and Facebook page. If you prefer not to have your photo posted, please call the parish office.
- In light of the new state law that enables individuals to openly carry guns, Bishop Michael F. Olson has established a "Firearms and Weapons Policy." The policy bans firearms and weapons in all diocesan locations, including churches, schools and all other facilities that are located on parish or diocesan sites. To view the policy, visit: www.fwdioc.org.

If you have a submission for the bulletin, please contact Anne Savoie (anne@saintmartindp.org) by Monday at 5:00 PM.

Darish School News

St. Martin de Porres Catholic School proudly serves students from PreK3 to fifth grade. We will add sixth grade for the 2016-17 school year, and will eventually go through eighth grade. We offer a traditional Catholic academic education in partnership with parents. To schedule a tour, get enrollment information, or ask about volunteer opportunities, please call the Principal, Nancy Kirkpatrick, at 469-362-2400, or visit www.smdpcatholic.org.



Are you interested in volunteering for our church or parish school? We offer many opportunities to get involved, enjoy fellowship, and deepen your relationship with God. We are asking ALL NEW AND CURRENT volunteers to

visit our website, and fill out the short form: www.saintmartindp.org/ ministries. This will help us create the monthly schedule, and ensure we are putting your God-given talents to good use. A Ministry Training Session is in the works. Safe Environment Training is required for ALL volunteers, in any capacity. For those who need training, the next session will be held on Tuesday, April 12 from 6:30-8:30 PM. Please let Gail Knobbe (gknobbe@smdpcatholic.org) or Rose Burke (rose@saintmartindp.org) know if you plan to attend.



Looking for a Summer Day Camp? Le Broom is pleased to offer our summer program for current SMdP students and parishioners ages 3-12, right here at St. Martin de Porres! We will offer a wide variety of academic experiences, and work to instill Afterschool Center a love of Jesus Christ in the hearts of our young

students. We are offering two sessions - May 30 through July 1, and July 11 through August 12. The hours of operation are 7:30 AM-6:15 PM, Monday through Friday. The tuition for each session is \$650, with a Summer Activities Fee of \$50 per session. There is a daily drop-in option as well for your convenience, at a rate of \$45 per day. For more information, please call Francine Lane, Director, at 972-804-4979.



We are taking part in a raffle fundraiser with the Monsignor King Outreach Center in Denton! The raffle is in conjunction with their annual fundraiser: Shelter Thy Neighbor Week, May 9-16, 2016. If we sell 100 tickets

or more, St. Martin de Porres will get half of the proceeds from ticket sales, which we plan to use for our religious education programs. Raffle tickets are \$10 each, and are available for purchase in the parish office. There are some great prizes, including a \$1,000 Visa gift card, a flat-screen TV, and 100 gallons of gas! This is a great way to help our neighbors in need and our church at the same time. Please contact Rose Burke (rose@saintmartindp.org) for more information.

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Family Faith Formation is a parish-based faith formation for young people and their parents. The next class date is April 17 from 6-8:00 PM. Registered families are encouraged to join our Facebook group! Find us at "SMdP Family Faith Formation." If you have any questions about our program, please contact Laura Myers, Director of Faith Formation at laura@saintmartindp.org.

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