

# THE SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS

## THE COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED



The  
Communion  
of Saints  
is the  
spiritual solidarity  
which binds together  
the faithful on earth,  
the souls in purgatory,  
and the  
saints in heaven  
in the organic unity  
of the same  
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under Christ  
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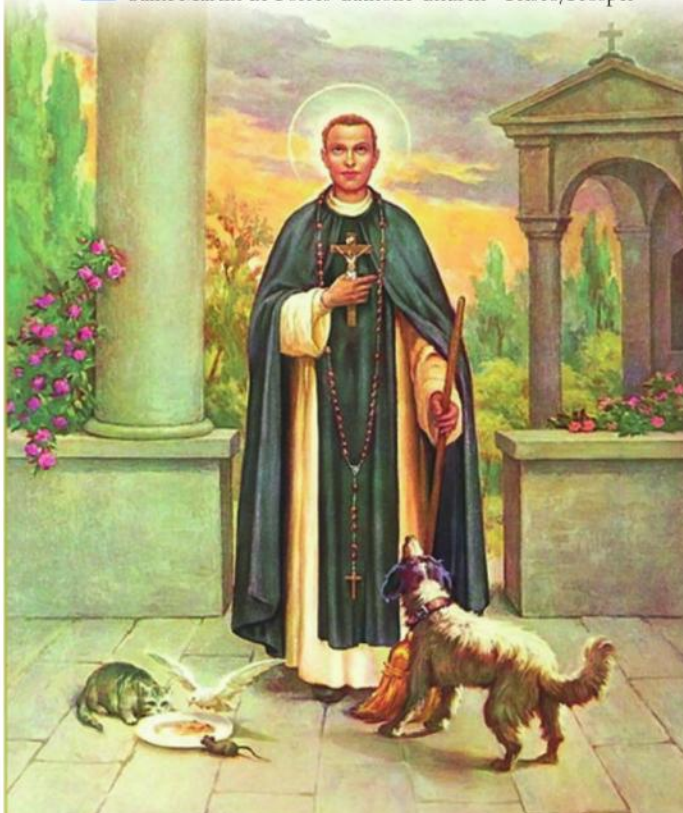
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### WELCOME TO SAINT MARTIN DE PORRES CATHOLIC CHURCH!

*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.  
Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 11:30 a.m., 4:30 p.m.  
Monday 8:30 a.m.  
Wednesday 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday 8:30 a.m.  
Friday 9:00 a.m. (with school students)

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

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

#### Parish Staff

**Pastor:** Rev. Richard Kirkham

**Administrative Assistant & Bookkeeper**

Rose Burke, [rose@saintmartindp.org](mailto:rose@saintmartindp.org)

**Communications & Sacramental Coordinator**

Anne Savoie, [anne@saintmartindp.org](mailto:anne@saintmartindp.org)

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**Director of Family Faith Formation**

Laura Myers, [lauramyersoll@gmail.com](mailto:lauramyersoll@gmail.com)

**Parish office hours at 303 King Road in Frisco**  
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Monday - Thursday.

**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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Of Man  
came to  
seek and  
save*

*that which  
was lost.*

## Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Today's Readings:

Wisdom 11:22-12:2

Psalms 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14

"I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God."

2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2

Luke 19:1-10



Tuesday, November 1 is the Solemnity of All Saints - a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be at 9am (with school students) and 7pm.



Family Faith Formation will meet again on Sunday, November 13.

### Last Week's Mass Attendance

Saturday, 5:00 PM: 102

Sunday, 7:30 AM: 50

Sunday, 9:00 AM: 153

Sunday, 11:30 AM: 209

Sunday, 4:30 PM: 146

**Total Mass Attendance: 660**



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### October 29

*Saturday of the Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time*

5:00 PM (Sunday Vigil Mass)

### October 30

*Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 AM

9:00 AM

11:30 AM Pro Popula

4:30 PM

### October 31

*Monday of the Thirty-first Week in Ordinary Time*

8:30 AM

### November 1

*Solemnity of All Saints*

9:00 AM

7:00 PM

### November 2

*The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls)*

6:30 PM Our Deceased Loved Ones

### November 3

*Saint Martin de Porres*

8:30 AM

### November 4

*Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop*

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](http://www.saintmartindp.org).*

### Stewardship News for Week Ending October 23, 2016



|                         |                   |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Weekly Need:            | \$6,800.00        |
| Offertory Collection:   | \$4,030.50        |
| Year to Date Need:      | \$115,600.00      |
| Year to Date Collected: | \$109,397.60      |
| Total Under Budget:     | <b>\$6,202.40</b> |

*Next week our parish will take up a Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (AMS). The AMS relies solely on private donors in support of its mission, "Serving those who serve."*

**A HUGE thank you to all of the volunteers who have completed the Safe and Sacred online training!** We have had tremendous response to the Diocesan-mandated program.

If you are a new volunteer, or if it is time to renew your volunteer training, please send a note to **Rose Burke** ([rose@saintmartindp.org](mailto:rose@saintmartindp.org)) or call 469-287- 7624 to get instructions on completing this mandatory volunteer training.



Dear Friends in Christ,

With the arrival of autumn, I'd like to invite you to join Faith Direct, our parish's electronic eGiving program. Our to-do lists can get lengthy this back-to-school season, but Faith Direct's eGiving program will give you one less thing to remember each week - no more envelopes to find and checks to write before you go to Mass. Visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our church code: TX706

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

God Bless You,  
Rev. Richard Kirkham



Congratulations to the three children who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend!



**Jack Baker**, son of Adam and Katie Baker (Saturday at 5pm)

**Carina and Sergio Urquidez**, children of Carlos and Erika Urquidez (Sunday at 11:30am)



If you are interested in **RCIA**, becoming Catholic and receiving the Sacraments, please send a note to **Anne Savoie** ([anne@saintmartindp.org](mailto:anne@saintmartindp.org)).

## St. Martin de Porres Catholic School



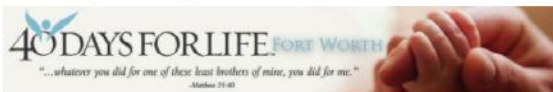
We are excited to have partnered with Bubb Fundraising in The Ultimate Recycling Program! Clean out your garage, tackle those closets, and bring your used or unwanted items to support your parish school. We are accepting everything from electronics to clothes to musical instruments to office equipment to clothes and jewelry. Non-perishable and canned foods, too! **Items may be in any condition—damaged, non-working, or fully operational.** Pick up a flyer, or call the parish office for a full list of acceptable items. **You can bring your items to the school parking lot on Saturday, November 5th from 9am to 1pm.**



Each December on National Wreaths Across America Day, our mission to *Remember, Honor and Teach* is carried out by coordinating wreath-laying ceremonies at Arlington National Cemetery, as well as over 1,100 additional locations in all 50 U.S. states, at sea, and abroad. Next week, our fantastic ushers will be handing out order forms for Wreaths Across America after every mass. **We hope to find sponsors for at least 750 wreaths, but 1,000 is our ultimate goal! The annual wreath laying ceremony will be held at DFW National Cemetery on Saturday, December 17, and all parishioners are encouraged to join in.**

## October is Respect Life Month

Rachel Ministries is offering a confidential weekend retreat for healing after abortion in **Burkburnett** on November 4-6<sup>th</sup>. If you regret a past abortion, we will help you experience the mercy, forgiveness and healing love of our Lord. For more information, please contact Rachel Ministries at 817-923-4757 or email [forgiveness@racheltx.org](mailto:forgiveness@racheltx.org). All inquiries are confidential.



40 Days for Life takes a determined, peaceful approach to showing local communities the consequences of abortion in their own neighborhoods, for their own friends and families. It kicked off on September 28, and goes through Sunday, November 6. For more information, please visit [www.40DaysFortWorth.com](http://www.40DaysFortWorth.com), Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/40DaysForLifeFortWorth> OR contact **John Ringhofer** at [630.235.7335](tel:630.235.7335).

Thank you to everyone who has responded generously to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. **To date, we have raised \$4,865 from 22 donors.** For more information about the appeal, visit

[www.advancementfoundation.org/ada-about](http://www.advancementfoundation.org/ada-about).



*The flowers on the Altar were donated by Betsy Moore, in loving memory of her husband, John Moore.*

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

- **Be sure to visit our website, [www.saintmartindp.org](http://www.saintmartindp.org), and Facebook page (Saint Martin de Porres Catholic Church - Frisco/Prosper)** often to see all the latest news, calendar of events, and other important updates!
- A few opportunities remain to advertise in our bulletin! **Bill Strait with Trinity Publications is currently working on renewals and new sponsors.** He can be reached at [972-743-3864](tel:972-743-3864), or [bstrait@trinitypublications.com](mailto:bstrait@trinitypublications.com).
- **If you would like to participate in our music ministry,** come see **Joe Davisson** after Mass, or send him a note ([joe@saintmartindp.org](mailto:joe@saintmartindp.org)). Rehearsals take place on Thursdays from 7-9:00 PM in the church.
- **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. Please visit our website, and fill out the short form: [www.saintmartindp.org/ministries](http://www.saintmartindp.org/ministries).
- We are still taking **donations for Father's Wish List.** We will put your donation towards items we are purchasing for the altar or church. All of the items we purchase for the wish list will go with us when we move. **If you wish to donate to the Building Fund, please be sure to write a separate check.** Please do not combine Building Fund donations with your offertory contributions.
- We have an overflow room and a room for families with young children available for your use. **Please remember to be respectful of the classrooms.**
- 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.

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





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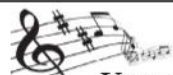


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