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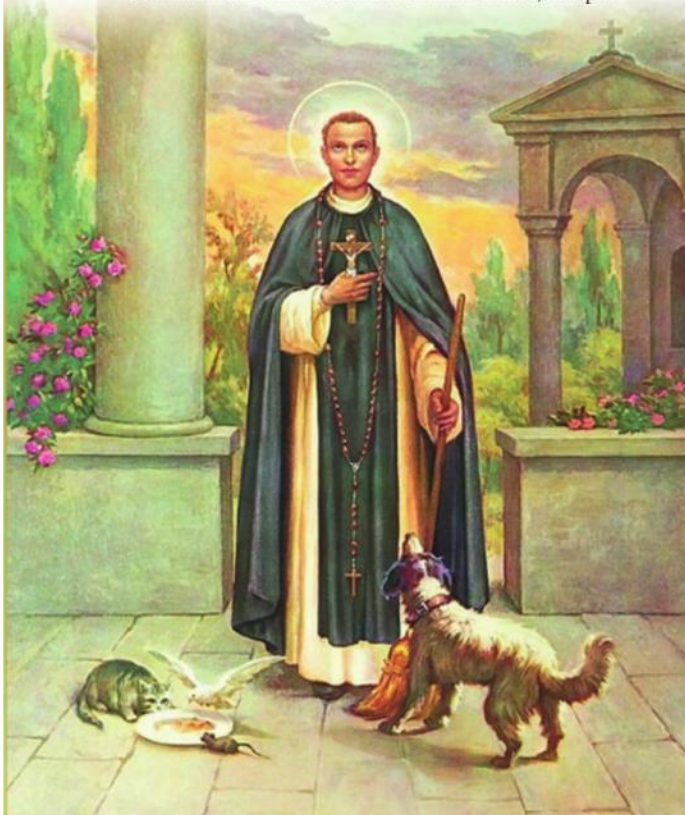
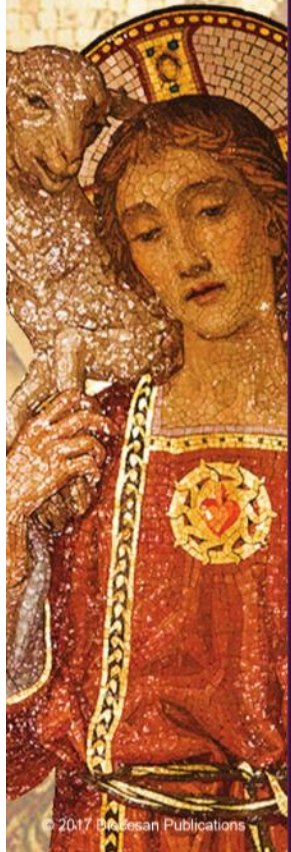


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WELCOME TO SAINT MARTIN DE PORRES CATHOLIC CHURCH!

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

Alexis Campbell, alexis@saintmartindp.org

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Jean-Marie Miesch, jean-marie@saintmartindp.org

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Anne Savoie, anne@saintmartindp.org

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Director of Family Faith Formation

Laura Myers, 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.

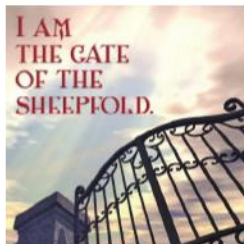
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Fourth Sunday of Easter



Today's Readings

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Psalms 23: 1-3a, 3b4, 5, 6

“Lord, you will show us the path of life.”

1 Peter 2:20b-25

John 10:1-10

Stewardship News for Week Ending April 30, 2017



Weekly Need:	\$6,930.77
Offertory Collection:	\$5,721.50
Children's Offertory:	\$326.00
Total Offertory:	\$6,047.50
Year to Date Budget:	\$304,953.88
Year to Date Collected:	\$336,388.50
Over:	\$31,434.62

Special Collection: \$25.00 (Seminary)

Last Week's Mass Attendance

Saturday, 5:00 PM - 131

Sunday, 7:30 AM - 68

Sunday, 9:00 - 160

Sunday, 11:30 AM - 230

Sunday, 4:30 PM - 115

Total Weekend Attendance: 704

Our Family Faith Formation Program is excited to grow in the Fall! We will have very limited spaces to add additional families, as we will still have space constraint issues to work around. At this time,



our first priority are the families with no other access to faith formation. We will be placing all families on a waiting list to ensure that we can verify that you are a registered parishioner, and that your child is not currently attending a Catholic school. Stay tuned for more updates in the coming weeks!

SPECIAL COLLECTION THIS WEEK

Good Shepherd Sunday: The Seminarian Formation Fund

To support our seminarians, the **second collection for Good Shepherd Sunday is for the Seminarian Formation Fund.** There are currently 28 seminarians studying in seminaries throughout the United States. The Diocese of Fort Worth provides education and formation for each seminarian at an annual average cost of \$52,092. The Good Shepherd Sunday Special Collection assists with funding this annual cost. In addition to the Sunday collection, donations are always being accepted online at www.fwdioc.org. Please give generously.



May 6

Saturday of the Third Week of Easter

5:00 PM Zachary, Vyvien, Brittany, Mary and Richard
Amoedo (special intention)
Requested by Katey Amoedo

May 7

Fourth Sunday of Easter

7:30 AM Pro Populo
9:00 AM The First Communion Class of St. Martin de
Porres Catholic School
11:30 AM Zachary, Vyvien, Brittany, Mary and Richard
Amoedo (special intention)
Requested by Katey Amoedo
4:30 PM

May 8

Monday of the Fourth Week of Easter

8:30 AM

May 9

Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Easter

May 10

Wednesday of the Fourth Week of Easter

6:30 PM

May 11

Thursday of the Fourth Week of Easter

8:30 AM Sean, Katie and Dean (†)
Requested by Ron and Marie Powers

May 12

Saints Nereus and Achilles, Martyrs

9:00 AM Alexis Campbell (special intention)
Requested by Anne Savoie

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.



*Congratulations to these children who were welcomed into our
Catholic Faith this week through the waters of Baptism!*

Anna Penda Sylva

Daughter of Joseph Sylva and Susan Badjan
Godparents are Bernard Gomez and Harriet Badjan

Abigail Marie Nieto

Daughter of Jesus and Angela Nieto
Godparents are Dan and Joann Messina

Alexis Desideria Nieto

Daughter of Jesus and Angela Nieto
Godparents are Dan and Joann Messina

Alivia Anne Nieto

Daughter of Jesus and Angela Nieto
Godparents are Dan and Joann Messina

Our next Baptism Preparation Class will be held on Wednesday, May 17 at 5:00 PM at 303 King Road. If you would like to have your child(ren) baptized, please pick up the Baptism Registration form at the church entrance or on our website, then send a note to Anne Savoie (anne@saintmartindp.org) to register for the class.

Parish Registration is Required for all Baptisms and Baptism Preparation Classes.



To those of you who are new or visiting we want to welcome you to St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church! This is a very exciting time for our parish, and we are thrilled that you have decided to join us.

Our parish was established in February 2015 by Bishop Michael F. Olson to serve the rapidly-growing areas of Frisco, Little Elm, and Prosper in eastern Denton County, Texas. We are part of the Diocese of Fort Worth. This is where we receive the Body and Blood of Christ, listen to the Word of God proclaimed, find forgiveness of our sins through Reconciliation and ways to give life to our Catholic faith.

If you would like to join our parish family, please pick up a Parish Registration Form at the church entrance, or you can download a copy online on our website, www.saintmartindp.org.

In Him,

Rev. Richard Kisham



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2017 College Scholarship Applications

Once again, KoC Council 8493 will be awarding college scholarships to graduating seniors of area high schools. Please contact Harry Agens, Scholarship Committee Chairman, at hca43@aol.com for an application and more information. The Knights Scholarship is open to registered parishioners of Holy Cross, St. Martin de Porres, and St. Sophia Catholic Churches. **The deadline for accepting scholarship applications is May 31, 2017.**

St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church is on AmazonSmile! Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases directly to our Church. Simply enter our parish link (smile.amazon.com/ch/47-3083287) and shop as you normally would. Thank you!



St. Martin de Porres Catholic School serves students in grades PK3, PK4, and Kindergarten-6th. Grade 7 will be added in 2017-2018. We offer a traditional Catholic academic education in partnership with parents. School tours are available by appointment. For more information, please visit the website www.smdpcatholic.org



NEWS & notes

- **Be sure to visit our website, www.saintmartindp.org, and Facebook page (St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church - Frisco/Prosper)** often to see all the latest news, calendar of events, and other important updates!
- Lector Workbooks are in the parish office. **Suggested donation is \$15 per book.**
- **If you would like to participate in our music ministry,** come see **Joe Davisson** after Mass, or send him a note (joe@saintmartindp.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 have an overflow room and a room for families with young children available for your use. **Please remember to be respectful of the classrooms and all school property.**
- 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.
- 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) by Monday at 5:00 PM.



I am thankful for all the generous gifts that you provide to our parish, but I realize that you cannot be with us every Sunday of the year. Please consider using our secure electronic giving program, *Faith Direct*. *Faith Direct* will automatically process any offertory or second collections donations of your choosing.

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: TX706

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

God Bless You,

Rev. Richard Kisham



*Congratulations to the 2017 First Communion Class of
St. Martin de Porres Catholic School!*

*Ryan Thomas Bernard
Maddux Kruz Benitez
Mia Kenly Benitez
Kamden Anthony Campbell
Jack Michael Casey
Isabel Cristina De-Pool Perez
Avery Grace Haeussler
Loren Ryan Haeussler
Monica Alejandra Jimenez
Eva Marie James
Andrew Nicolas Lehman
Nicole Alejandra Matura
Henry Martin Mbeteni
Rylan Grace Miller
James Blake Pratt
Aden Brian Prince
Jacob Thomas Smith
Anna Penda Sylva
Ajimsimbom Nkafor-Ngong Tubuo*

We are so proud of these students who made their First Communion on Saturday, May 6! They all have worked so hard to learn about our Catholic Faith. May God Bless them, and all of those who helped prepare them for this special occasion.

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