



16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field. While everyone was asleep his enemy came and sowed weeds."

Matthew 13:24-25



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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 8:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

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

Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Richard Kirkham

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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.

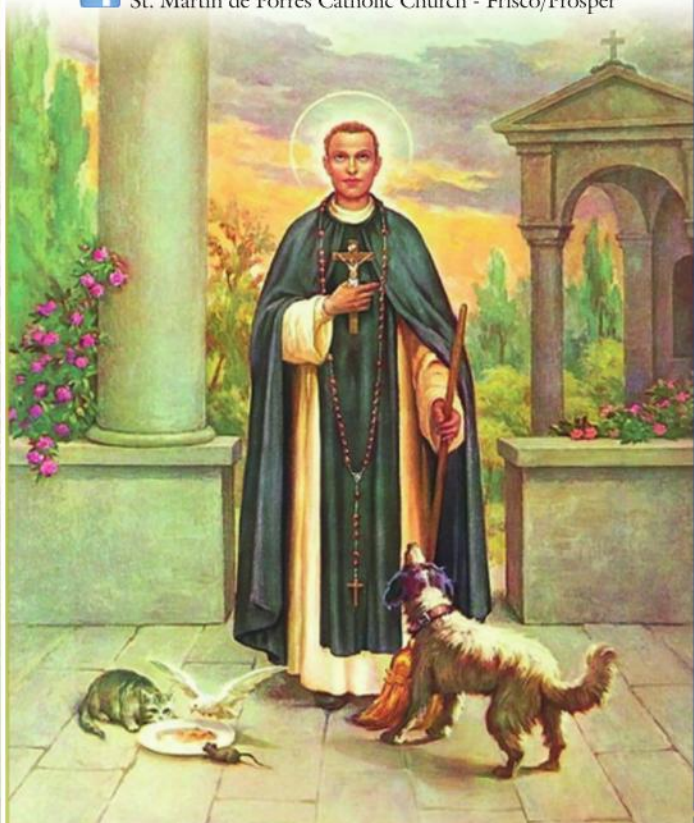
SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

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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Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Today's Readings

Wisdom 12:13, 16-19

Psalms 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16

"Lord, you are good and forgiving."

Romans 8:26-27

Matthew 13:24-43

Welcome, New Parishioners!

Have you registered in our parish yet? If you regularly attend mass at St. Martin de Porres, we encourage you to register as a member of our faith community. Registering in the parish is a declaration of your desire to be a part of our parish family, and to make a commitment to the life of the parish.

**REGISTER
TODAY!**

To register, please pick up a form at the church entrance, or you can download one online by visiting our website, www.saintmartindp.org.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



July 22

Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene

5:00 PM Jim Fox (special intention)
Requested by Dean and Edee Hansen

July 23

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 AM
9:00 AM
11:30 AM Pro Popula
4:30 PM

July 24

Saint Sharbel Makhluf, Priest

8:30 AM

July 25

Saint James Apostle

July 26

Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 PM

July 27

Thursday of the Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM Sean, Katie and Dean (†)

July 28

Friday of the Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:30 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.

meet & greet

Our New Families Committee will be hosting Meet & Greets next weekend after the 5:00 PM Mass on Saturday, July 29th, and the 9:00 AM Mass on Sunday, July 30th. We look forward to welcoming you to our parish family in person!



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!
- If you would like to participate in our music ministry, come see Joe Davisson after Mass, or send him a note (joe@saintmartindp.org).
- A few opportunities remain to advertise in our bulletin! Bill Strait with Trinity Publications is our contact. 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.



Dear Parishioners,

This summer, I pray that you will have some quiet and restful time that includes the love, joy, and peace of being with family and friends. During these summer months, your generosity through *Faith Direct* can help provide the consistent resources we need to operate our parish ministries.

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 Kiehan

Catholic Homeschoolers in Frisco meets the first Friday of every month starting August 4th at 9:30 a.m. at St. Francis of Assisi. This fun-loving group aims to provide support and enrichment for area Catholic homeschoolers and those interested in learning more about homeschooling. All ages are welcome. Please contact **Sarah Foley**, gulfviewsarah@netscape.net or **Emily Tennill**, etennill@gmail.com.

Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal Today!

Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the United States are considered home missions because they are unable to fund essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support funds programs—such as religious education, seminary formation and lay ministry training—to build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Just as a small mustard seed can become a large and elaborate bush, discover how a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) weekend can encourage our marriage to blossom and provide a lifetime of joy.

The next WorldWide Marriage Encounter weekend is August 18-20 2017

To apply for a weekend, go to: <http://www.dfwme.org/apply>.
For questions please email apply@dfwme.org or call 469-444-0904.
Para mas informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a emmdfw@gmail.com o visite <http://www.emmseccion21.org/>

Baptism Announcement



Congratulations to **Emily Ryan Brown** who was Baptized this weekend! Emily is the daughter of Misty and Ryan Brown. Godparents are Anna and Terry Berend.

If you wish to have your child(ren) receive the sacrament of Baptism, please visit www.saintmartindp.org/baptism for important information.

Stewardship News for Week Ending July 16, 2017



Our fiscal year for 2016-17 is completed. Our total contributions for this fiscal year was \$42,261.23, 11.7% over our budgeted contributions. Thank you! As we prepare our 2017-18 parish budget our operating expenses will significantly increase from the previous year. July 1, 2017 begins our new fiscal year. Based on the parish's anticipated growth and the completion of our new church and school building facilities our anticipated weekly need is \$19,393.23.

Weekly Need:	\$19,393.28
Offertory Collection:	\$4,949.95
Year to Date Budget:	\$58,179.84
Year to Date Collected:	\$22,566.67
Under:	\$35,613.17

Special Collection:
\$15.00 (Catholic Home Missions Appeal)

Last Week's Mass Attendance

Saturday, 5:00 PM - 169
Sunday, 7:30 AM - 56
Sunday, 9:00 - 141
Sunday, 11:30 AM - 213
Sunday, 4:30 PM - 101

Total Weekend Attendance: 680

Don't miss out on the blessings of service! At St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church, we encourage EVERYONE to become active in parish life. Our ministries and volunteer opportunities offer many ways for you to get involved, enjoy fellowship, and deepen your relationship with God. **We are in need of volunteers for ALL of our ministries, especially:**

- * Homebound Ministry
- * Ushers
- * Children's Liturgy of the Word



Visit www.saintmartindp.org/ministries to see a list of our available ministries and volunteer opportunities. Ready to get started? Send a note to **Alexis Campbell** (alexis@saintmartindp.org) for next steps and volunteer information. Thank you for sharing your time and talent!

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