

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT



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www.smdpcatholic.org

*We are so glad you are here, and invite you to become involved in our parish.
To become a parishioner, please call the parish office or download a form online by visiting our website.
If you would like to volunteer in our parish, please send a note to volunteer@saintmartindp.org.
New parishioner welcome receptions are held several times throughout the year.*

He made a whip
out of cords and
drove them all
out of the temple
area. "Take these
out of here, and
stop making my
Father's house
a marketplace."

John 2: 15,16

CELEBRATION OF THE MASS

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 am
Monday 8:00 am
Wednesday 8:00 am
Thursday 8:00 am
Friday 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 2:30-4:30 pm (school lobby)
Monday 7:00-9:00 pm (parish hall)

ADORATION

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday
8:30-12:00 noon & 7:00-9:00 pm
Sunday Holy Hour for Healing will be
offered on the 2nd Sunday of
every month from 6:30-8:00 pm

REQUESTS FOR EUCCHARIST FOR THE SICK, HOMEBOUND & HOSPITAL VISITS

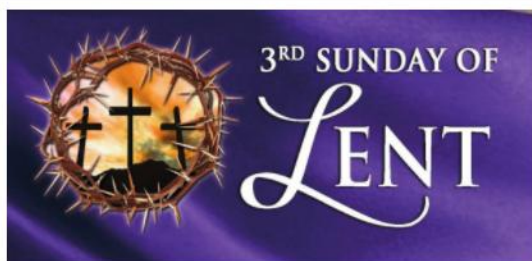
Please call the parish office at 469-287-7624.

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Today's Music

Entrance: We Belong to You #635
Kyrie: Chant Mass #855
Responsorial Psalm: *If today you hear his voice, harden not your heart.*
Gospel Acclamation: *Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ, King of Endless Glory.*
Offertory: Endless is Your Love #487
Eucharistic Acclamations: Chant Mass
Sanctus: #857
Post Consecrationem: #858
Amen: #859
Agnus Dei: #861
Communion: Come to me and Drink #354
Recessional: *Leave in Silence*

*Interested in joining our Music Ministry? We are always looking for cantors, choir members, and instrumentalists! Please see our Music Director, **Joe Davisson** after Mass, or send him a note at jdavisson@saintmartindp.org*

Mass Intentions for the Week

March 6

Vigil Mass

5:00 PM Robert L. Turner and Family

March 7

Third Sunday of Lent

7:30 AM Pro Populo
 9:30 AM Susan Colson
 11:30 AM Andrew Shea

March 8

Monday of the Third Week of Lent

8:00 AM Donna Siller (†)

March 9

Tuesday of the Third Week of Lent

March 10

Wednesday of the Third Week of Lent

8:00 AM Billy Canale

March 11

Thursday of the Third Week of Lent

8:00 AM Antony Family

March 12

Friday of the Third Week of Lent

8:00 AM Mary Men Cao (†)

The practice of requesting a Mass to be offered for loved ones is a beautiful and wonderful part of our Catholic tradition. Mass Intention forms can be found in our parish office, or online at www.saintmartindp.org/intentions-and-prayers

Offertory Information

(new fiscal year began July 1, 2020)

February 27-28 Offertory

Offertory:	\$5,125.00
Deficit Reduction:	\$520.00
Faith Direct:	\$16,424.06
Year to Date Offertory Collected:	\$532,117.60

Diocesan and National Collections

Priest Care:	\$20.00
Black & Indian Missions:	\$190.00
Rice Bowl:	\$80.00

Safe and Secure Online Giving:

- 1) Simply text the amount you want to give to 469-217-6310.
- 2) Visit faith.direct/TX706 and set up your account online.

This time last year, the full scope and inherent dangers of COVID-19 were becoming clear. Our world was brought to a standstill. Recurring gifts helped sustain our parish in unprecedented times, and continue to be a vital source of support. **To help make a difference in 2021, we prayerfully request that you consider signing up for eGiving.** Enrolling is fast and simple, and you can set up both recurring donations or make a one-time gift. To set up your account, please visit faith.direct/TX706, or you can text 'Enroll' to 469-217-6310. The more people use eGiving, the stronger foundation we will have for our ministries that bring hope in times of uncertainty. Thank you for your support of our parish!

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St. Martin de Porres Catholic School, a ministry of our parish, offers a classical education rooted in Gospel values and the teachings of the Catholic Church for students in PreK3 through 8th Grade.

We offer a Christ-centered learning environment with a low student/teacher ratio, and foster the development of leadership, self-confidence, service to others, and academic achievement.

For more information, visit:
www.smdpcatholic.org

Tuition assistance is available, based on need

Parish Outreach

MARCH



most needed items:

Masa	Deodorant (Men & Women)
Canned Soup	Razors
Toilet Paper	Diapers: 2T-3T, 4T, 5 & 6
Bars of Soap	Baby Wipes
Shampoo	

always needed:

Canned Chicken/Tuna	Flour
Canned Fruit	Peanut Butter
Canned Corn/Peas/Mixed Veggies	Jelly/Jam
Canned Beans (NO green beans)	Pasta
Bagged Rice & Beans (2 lb bags)	Pasta Sauce
Canned Tomatoes	Toothbrushes
Macaroni & Cheese	Toothpaste
Vegetable Oil	

NO CANNED GREEN BEANS, SODA OR JUNK FOOD PLEASE

Please drop off all items in the outreach carts throughout the month of March

PLEASE JOIN US FOR LIGHT
FOOD & DRINKS

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONER EVENT

SATURDAY, MARCH 20TH, 2021
10:30 AM TO 11:30 AM
ST. MARTIN DE PORRES CATHOLIC
SCHOOL COLONADE/LOBBY

VISIT WITH FATHER STEPHEN &
FELLOW PARISHIONERS

FOR LENT FOR LIFE



This Lent, commit to our global human family through

- Daily prayer
- Weekly fasting
- Almsgiving

Jesus asks us to care for our sisters and brothers and to recognize him in them. With CRS Rice Bowl as our guide, we can answer to this Gospel call.

What you give up for Lent changes lives.

CRS RICE BOWL

"You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything..." Exodus 20:4

How many "gods" do you put before God? "Idols" do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot like pride, power, ego, time, comfort or health. Pray for God's help to prune our vices and to grow in virtue.



Parish Events and Ministries

You're invited to join us for an SMdP M.O.M. Playdate! We will meet Tuesday, March 16th at 10am at Hope Park in Frisco. This will be a wonderful opportunity to meet other mom's of the parish for fellowship while we let the littles play! We will grab a picnic table outside of the play area for us all to meet and congregate. Please contact us via e-mail at moms@saintmartindp.org with any questions!

To keep up with all of the projects and happenings for our Council, visit our Kiosk in the Narthex, or follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/

- The Vocations Chalice (sponsored by the Knights of Columbus) will be travelling with the Rebollar and Parkes families this month. Interested families are asked to take the Chalice home and pray over it for a week in order to promote vocations. If your family is interested, please sign up online at: bit.ly/SMdPVocationChalice
- Our **monthly meeting will take place on Monday, March 8th at 6:00 PM** in the Choir Room (second Monday of the month).
- The Knights are sponsoring a **Lenten Fish Fry To Go!** Meals can be ordered online, and picked up by the Daily Mass Chapel doors on **Fridays between 5 and 7 PM. You can order up to a week in advance, or by 4 PM on Friday for same-day pickup!** Meals will include fried cod fish, french fries, hushpuppies and coleslaw with proceeds going to various KoC charitable events benefitting our parish.

To order and pay for your meal, visit:
form.jotform.com/smdpknights/fish-fry
or scan the QR code



**FRIDAY
NIGHT
LIVE**



Virtual Silent/Live Auction
March 26, 2021, 7 PM
Benefiting
**St. Martin de Porres
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Order your Catered "To Go" Dinner and purchase a Golden Ticket now at
<http://bidpal.net/fridaynightlive> or use the QR code:



Information regarding the Silent/Live Auction to follow



Special Collection March 13-14, 2021: Catholic Relief Services

This Lenten season, we have an opportunity to help our brothers and sisters in Christ, to serve Jesus in disguise, through **The Catholic Relief Services Collection**. Catholic Relief Services (CRS) provides for families who face the unimaginable struggles of war, natural disasters, political strife, human trafficking, and extreme poverty in the United States and around the world.

One fourth of the funds collected will stay in the Diocese of Fort Worth to support poverty efforts in our area. When you support The Catholic Relief Services Collection, you answer the door for and serve Jesus in disguise among us. You can give through Faith Direct, online at bit.ly/DioceseSpecialCollections, or with your special envelope.

To learn more about the work of Catholic Relief Services and the people who benefit, visit: www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.





MEET OUR CATECHUMENS AND CANDIDATES!

Nikitha Bolla

Nikitha is a junior in high school and hopes to attend law school in the future. She was born in Memphis, Tennessee, and moved to Texas about seven years ago. Nikitha is currently involved in a mock trial and yearbook club at her school. Nikitha says that she loves eating food and taking naps in her free time!



Rachel Barrett

Rachel is a teacher, police wife, and new mother expecting her son in June. She is excited to meet other Catholic wives and mothers with whom she can relate with. Her favorite devotion is the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, and her confirmation saint will be Saint Monica!



*RCIA stands for "Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, and is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about the Catholic faith with others who are interested in coming into full communion with the church. **We meet every Wednesday evening from 7:00 to 8:30 PM in the narthex of the Parish Hall.** All who are interested, please contact Deacon Andy in the parish office, ext. 182, or via email: athomas@saintmartindp.org. We'd love to have you journey with us!*

The clergy of St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church are continuing their presentations on a series of talks within the context of Adoration/Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on Sundays during Lent.

This is an opportunity to explore our beautiful Catholic Tradition with regard to prayer and devotions.



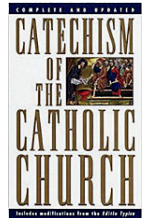
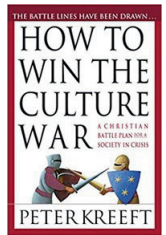
Each Holy Hour will take place on Sundays from 5:00 to 6:00 PM in the Parish Hall

3/7/21 – *Pange Lingua and St. Thomas Aquinas*
3/14/21 – *The Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary*
3/21/21 – *The Power of the Intercession of the Mother of God*
3/28/21 – *St. Joseph: Guardian of the Universal Church*

These talks are being live-streamed on our YouTube Channel for those who can't attend in person: bit.ly/SMdPYoutubeChannel

Faith Formation and Catechesis

- **Are you shocked and anguished at the rapid decline of morality in our culture today?** Most Catholics don't fully understand the forces that are weakening the morality in our society. Come join us in our six-week book study: *How to Win the Culture War: A Christian Battle Plan for a Society in Crisis* by Peter Kreeft. We will discuss what Catholics face on the spiritual battlefield where the real enemy is trying to destroy our souls. We will learn how to see through the deception with the eyes of our faith. We will meet on Thursdays from 7:00 to 8:30 PM in the Choir Room during Lent. If you are interested in participating, please contact Deacon Andy at athomas@saintmartindp.org.
- **Study the Catechism with Deacon Andy: ALL ARE WELCOME!** We continue to meet every Tuesday from 9:30 to 10:30 AM in the Choir Room in the morning, and 6:00 to 7:00 PM in the evening also in the Choir Room. You can join us at any time! Deacon Andy will take you through this important resource to bring clarity to the theology of the Catholic Church and the beauty of her teachings. No registration is necessary. All who would like to come and participate are welcome at any time!
- **St. Joseph Holy Hour for Families:** Every second Monday of the month, we will be praying the St. Joseph Rosary in the context of benediction/adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM. All are welcome to attend as we pray for all our family needs.
- Our **Genesis to Jesus** bible study takes place on **Sundays** from **10:45 AM to 12:15 PM** in the multipurpose room of the school! If you are interested in joining us, please contact Deacon Andy at athomas@saintmartindp.org.
- Calling all Men of St. Martin de Porres! Our **Men's Fellowship Ministry** meets every **Saturday morning from 7:30 to 9:00 AM in the choir room**. There will be opportunities for prayer, enrichment and discussion, and refreshments will be offered. We also pray the rosary before our meeting at 7:00 AM in the Daily Mass Chapel, and you are welcome to join us for that as well. For additional information, please contact Deacon Jack Gardner at DeaconJack@saintmartindp.org.



- **Prayers of Reparation and Tuesday Holy Hours:** Every Tuesday we will have a Holy Hour from noon to 1:00 PM in the Chapel including different devotions. Please spend time with Our Lord and offer prayers of reparation in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world! The schedule is as follows:

First Tuesday of the Month: The Patriotic Rosary

Second Tuesday of the Month: Our Lady of Sorrows/Divine Mercy Chaplets

Third Tuesday of the Month: Little Chaplet of the Holy Face

Fourth Tuesday of the Month: St. Joseph Rosary

Fifth Tuesday of the Month (if applicable): St. Michael Chaplet



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