

PALM SUNDAY OF THE Passion Of The Lord

Pilate again said to them in reply, "Then what do you want me to do with the man you call the king of the Jews?" They shouted again, "Crucify him!" Mk 15:12-13



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www.saintmartindp.org

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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.*

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.

PARISH & SCHOOL STAFF

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Mass Intentions for the Week

March 27

Vigil Mass

5:00 PM Corazon Abella Columna (†)

March 28

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

7:30 AM Robert L. Turner and Family

9:30 AM Walter L. Kuchty (†)

11:30 AM Pro Populo

March 29

Monday of Holy Week

8:00 AM All Souls in Purgatory (†)

March 30

Tuesday of Holy Week

March 31

Wednesday of Holy Week

8:00 AM Fr. Jim Cuneo (†)

April 1

Holy Thursday

7:00 PM Fr. Jim Cuneo (†)

April 2

Good Friday of the Lord's Passion

7:00 PM

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

So far, 44 of our registered families have given \$17,677.00 towards our parish goal of \$51,500



The Annual Diocesan Appeal gives us an opportunity to share our gifts with our brothers and sisters locally in our Diocese, including the formation of our seminarians. Please consider a monthly gift by using the forms available in the Narthex, or **texting ADA to 91999**.



Offertory Information

(new fiscal year began July 1, 2020)

March 20-21 Offertory

Offertory: \$21,423.00

Faith Direct: \$15,307.00

Year to Date Offertory Collected: \$601,686.03

Diocesan and National Collections

Catholic Relief: \$200.00

Rice Bowl: \$125.00

Catholic Charities of Fort Worth: \$644.00

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.

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 St. Martin de Porres!

Rosary 101



Have you discovered the treasures of grace hidden in the Rosary?

Come learn and pray with us! We will practice different ways to meditate on the mysteries and personalize your prayer. If you've never prayed the Rosary before or it's been a long time, this group is for you!

Sundays | 10:45am | School Chapel

March 21	Introduction
March 28	Sorrowful Mysteries
April 18	Glorious Mysteries
April 25	Luminous Mysteries
May 2	Joyful Mysteries

Experienced Rosary pray-ers welcome too. Invite a friend!

faith in action

At St. Martin de Porres, we encourage everyone to be active in parish life. **As we prepare for restrictions being lifted, and as more people are returning to Mass in-person, we are excited for the return of our volunteers!** Our ministries offer opportunities to get involved, enjoy fellowship, and deepen your personal relationship with the Lord. Please prayerfully consider how you can **live out your baptismal call by putting faith into action!** Since we are committed to fostering a culture that ensures the safety and well-being of all who enter our doors, all volunteers must complete the Safe Environment program requirements established by the Diocese of Fort Worth. Information about our upcoming Safe Environment sessions can be found below, or you can reach out to Alexis Campbell at acampbell@saintmartindp.org. Thank you!

SMdP Upcoming VIRTUS Safe Environment Sessions

Protecting God's Children for Adults

For volunteers who-

1. have not been Safe Environment certified in the Fort Worth Diocese
2. are up for renewal who have NOT attended a Virtus Session in the Fort Worth Diocese (may have been certified under the old program, Safe and Sacred)

March 27 - 9:00 AM

April 22 - 6:00 PM

Renewal - Keeping the Promise Alive for Adults

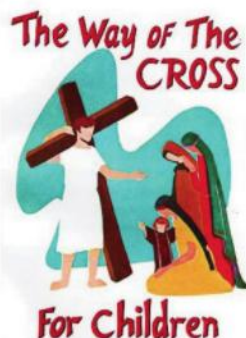
For volunteers who HAVE ATTENDED "VIRTUS PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN FOR ADULTS" in the Fort Worth after July 2018 and are currently up for renewal.

April 10 - 10:00 AM

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED at virtusonline.org

For more information, please visit saintmartindp.org or contact Alexis Campbell acampbell@saintmartindp.org

Children's Stations



Good Friday April 2 | 10am

Come honor the sacrifice of Jesus on this solemn day by walking the Way of the Cross with us.

All ages welcome.
Meet on the school soccer field.
Weather permitting.

Holy Week and Easter

at St. Martin de Porres

Holy Thursday Mass - 7 PM

Good Friday of the Lord's Passion - 7 PM

Holy Saturday Vigil Mass of Easter - 8 PM

Easter Masses - 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM, 1:30 PM

Easter Monday - No Daily Mass or Adoration



DEVOTIONS MINISTRY

Prayer Intentions | prayers@saintmartindp.org

We want to pray for you and your family! Submit prayer intentions via email or drop written intentions in the box in the chapel. Intentions will be kept confidential and silently prayed over at our new Intercessory Holy Hour in April.

Rosary 101 | 5 Sundays 10:45am | School Chapel

Don't know how to pray the Rosary or wish you had a group to pray with? Come learn and pray with us! We will practice different ways to meditate on the mysteries and to personalize your Rosary prayer. Experienced Rosary pray-ers welcome too. We will meet on March 21 (Intro), March 28 (Sorrowful Mysteries), April 18 (Glorious Mysteries), April 25 (Luminous Mysteries), and May 2 (Joyful Mysteries). Join us as often as you can!

Reparation Holy Hour | Tuesdays | 12pm-1pm | Chapel

Make weekly reparation with us for our sins and those of the whole world. The group will pray as follows: 1st Tuesday - Patriotic Rosary | 2nd Tuesday - Our Lady of Sorrows/Divine Mercy Chaplet | 3rd Tuesday - Little Chaplet of the Holy Face | 4th Tuesday - St. Joseph Rosary | 5th Tuesday - St. Michael Chaplet. Worship aids will be provided.

Children's Stations of the Cross | Good Friday | 10am

Meet us on the school soccer field to honor the sacrifice of Jesus by accompanying Him on the Way of the Cross. Weather permitting.

Divine Mercy Sunday | April 11 | 3-5pm | Church

Save the date to celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday with us!

3pm Divine Mercy Chaplet in song
3:30pm Final Mission Talk - Passion, Resurrection & Divine Mercy!
4:00pm Holy Hour for Healing, with confessions available until 5pm

Intercessory Holy Hour | April 18 | 6:30-8pm | Chapel

The evening will include Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Evening Prayer, quiet meditation, instrumental music, special intercessory prayers, and prayer teams available to pray with you. If you feel called to intercede for others, please email devotions@saintmartindp.org.

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Divine Mercy Sunday

Sunday, April 11

I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and a shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners . . . The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment.

Jesus to St. Maria Faustina Kowalska (Diary 699)

To receive the extraordinary graces of this feast, the only condition is to receive Holy Communion worthily on Divine Mercy Sunday (or the vigil celebration) by making a good Confession beforehand and staying in the state of grace, and receive with great trust in Divine Mercy. We also are encouraged to venerate the Divine Mercy Image and perform acts of mercy through deed, word, or prayer. Read more about Divine Mercy Sunday at TheDivineMercy.org/celebrate

Join our parish celebration on Sunday afternoon!

3pm	Chaplet of Divine Mercy in song
3:30pm	Mission Talk: Passion, Resurrection, and Divine Mercy!
4pm	Holy Hour for Healing with confessions available until 5pm

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All aboard for
fun at VBS!

SAVE THE DATE!

JUNE 28-JULY 2

More Information
to Come Soon!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JUNE 28 - JULY 9

We are launching Vacation Bible School for the first time here at SMdP, and we are very excited about it!

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We would like to invite any high school or middle school volunteers to please contact Deacon Andy (athomas@saintmartindp.org) and Alexis Campbell (acampbell@saintmartindp.org) so we can get you the safe environment training you need to help out!

St. Martin de Porres Catholic School



2021

Golf Tournament
Mon., May 3, 2021

The Tribute Golf Links

For sponsorship and player
information, please go to:

<https://one.bidpal.net/smdpgolf>
or scan the QR Code:



Must register by Sun., April 25, 2021

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**

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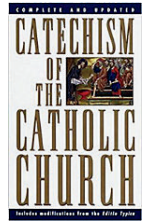
Follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/KofC17304
or visit our kiosk in the Narthex for updates on projects
and happenings within our Council!

Blood Drive: On Sunday, April 18, 2021 from 8am - 2pm, the Knights of Columbus will host Carter Blood Care for a Blood Drive Event. THE NEED IS GREAT! Sign-ups for time slots will be available at the Knights' Kiosk in the Narthex before or after each mass on April 3-4 and April 10-11, or by emailing kofc17304give@yahoo.com for appointment.



Faith Formation and Catechesis

- **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.



- **Children in grades 6-8 have the opportunity to join our Middle School Youth Group called Elevate for fun and fellowship!** *Elevate* will meet on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room at St. Martin de Porres Catholic School. Please give it a try! Contact Deacon Andy Thomas for more information.

Elevate
Middle School Youth Group

- **Youth in grades 9-12 are welcome to join our High School Youth Group, called Amplify!** This is a wonderful opportunity for youth to receive enrichment and affirmation in their Catholic Faith. *Amplify* will also meet on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Choir Room in the St. Martin de Porres Parish Hall. Faith, fellowship, and fun are what we are all about! Please contact Deacon Andy Thomas for details.

AMPLIFY
HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

- **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

WHAT IS THE PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION?

IT SUPPORTS THE PEOPLE OF THE HOLY LAND
AND THE PILGRIMS WHO VISIT

At the request of the Holy Father, the Franciscans of the Custody of the Holy Land promote the Pontifical Good Friday Collection in the United States and other parts of the world. Funds are distributed at the direction of the Vatican's Congregation for the Oriental Churches. A portion of funds are directly allocated to educational and ecclesial projects in the Middle East. The rest of the funds collected in the United States and a number of other countries support ministries and programs entrusted by the Holy See to the Holy Land Franciscans. The Franciscans have served in the Holy Land for 800 years.

The Pontifical Good Friday
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For 800 years, the Holy Land Franciscans have served in the land made holy by the life, suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus. With your support, the Holy Land Franciscans will continue to nourish Christians in the Holy Land with presence, care and service.

This Good Friday, give them more than your prayers.

The contributions you make through the Pontifical Good Friday Collection make possible the programs that support Christians in the Holy Land. Our sisters and brothers there depend on your generosity. This year, more than ever, we ask that you pledge your assistance to the people living there and those ministering in the land that Jesus made holy.



Commissariat of the Holy Land in the United States
1400 Quincy Street N.E., Washington D.C. 20017 MyFranciscan.org

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Simple and easy to use, the ***Breaking Bread 2021 eMissal*** App is perfect for individuals unable to attend Mass in-person and currently participating in live-streamed services. And for those able to attend in-person but avoiding the use of physical resources, the app has also been approved for use in church by the USCCB during the 2021 liturgical year. ***Breaking Bread 2021 eMissal*** App is available for all iOS and Android users on their smartphones and tablets!



**BREAKING
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2021**

eMissal App

As we celebrate Palm Sunday, let us be open to the love from our spouse and God by participating in a virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend.

See our web site to find dates for virtual WWME weekends.

To apply for a weekend go to <http://www.dfwme.org/>.
Questions? - e-mail 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/>



St. Martin de Porres Catholic School



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