

# HOLY REDEEMER

CATHOLIC PARISH

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## OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (June & July)

### Sacrament of Baptism

You must be registered parishioner for 3 months prior to baptism. Private baptisms are on the first Saturday of the month at 3:00 p.m. Baptisms during Mass are on the first weekend of the month at rotating Masses.

### Sacrament of Confirmation

Confirmation is a two year program beginning in 9th grade. Contact the DRE for more information.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Contact the parish office to schedule an initial meeting with the Pastor or Deacon 9-12 months before the wedding date. Pre-Cana and NFP must be completed before the wedding date.

### Marriage Tribunal

If you were previously married and wish to inquire about an annulment or would like your current marriage blessed, please call Deacon Scott France.

### Communion for the Sick and Shut-ins

If you or a member of your family is unable to receive communion at Mass due to sickness or other disability, please call the parish office.

### Parish Registration

Welcome to our parish! Please pick up a welcome packet located in the Narthex and complete the registration form inside and return to the office.

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## MASS TIMES

Saturday..... 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday..... 9:30 a.m.  
Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession: Saturday at 4:30 p.m.

### Are You Interested in the Catholic Faith?

If you are non-baptized or baptized in another denomination and are interested in exploring our faith, please consider joining our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) program. Contact DRE for more information.

### Holy Orders and Religious Life

For information on the Sacrament of Holy Orders and/or Religious Life, please contact Fr. Jonathan Wallis, Director of Vocations, 817-945-9321 or email [vocations@fwdioc.org](mailto:vocations@fwdioc.org).

### Adoration for Vocations

The first Sunday of each month, for one hour, after the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

### Bulletin Deadlines

Articles for the bulletin should be submitted a week in advance. Friday is the deadline. Phone the parish office or email the office.

**No First Sunday of the Month:** *Mass of Healing* ...5:30 p.m.

## Our Parish Mission Statement

*To all who need comfort...*

*To all who are lonely and need companionship...*

*To all who seek sheltering love...*

*To all who sin and need a Redeemer...*

*To all who offer praise to the Lord...*

*To all who long for peace...*

*To those who would serve a living God...*

*To all who come, from near or afar*

*this church opens wide its doors*

*and in the name of Jesus says:*

*Welcome*

ONE NATION

*Under God*

**Readings and Mass Intentions**

**SUNDAY, JULY 5**

**NO 8:00 a.m. Mass**

**9:30 a.m. Mass...John & Catherine Carroll**

Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

**MONDAY, JULY 6**

Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

**TUESDAY, JULY 7**

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-38

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 8**

**NO Mass**

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7

**THURSDAY, JULY 9**

**NO Mass**

Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15

**FRIDAY, JULY 10**

**NO Mass**

Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-23

**SATURDAY, JULY 11**

**5:30 p.m. Mass**

Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

**HOLY REDEEMER'S PRAYER INTENTION BOOK**

Please continue to remember and pray for all those listed in our prayer intention book.

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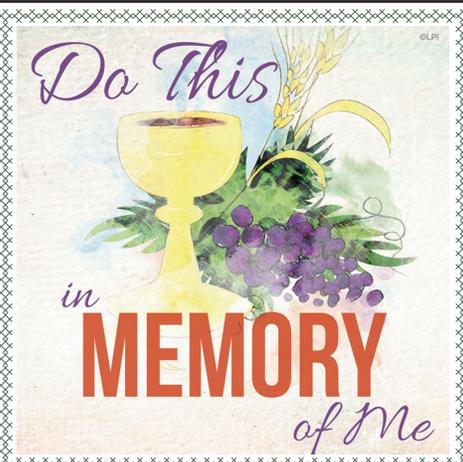
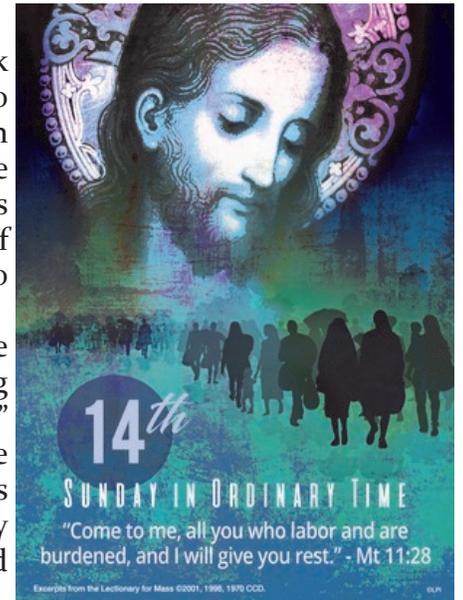
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**Light Burdens**

Sometimes we are tempted to think that it would be so much easier to believe in Jesus if we were living when he was on earth. Maybe ... but maybe not. Today's Gospel tells us that it has never been easy to understand all of Jesus's teachings, even for those who heard him in person.

"What, for instance, would the disciples have made of the saying "My yoke is easy and my burden light?" It's unlikely that they would have immediately understood what he was talking about. After hearing Jesus say these things, they probably discussed the teachings among themselves, puzzling over what he was truly saying. How can one man make everyone's burden light? What is the yoke he is talking about?

In some ways, today we have it easier than they did because we know from Church teaching that Jesus was referring to the "yoke of faith," which makes our other burdens including illness, finances, difficult life circumstances, and anxiety easier to bear. It's not always easy to have faith, but when we bring our burdens to the Lord in faith, meekness, and humility, Jesus helps us carry them - and in doing so, they become lighter and more bearable. The yoke of faith gives us rest from the cares of the world, and allows us to live more peacefully as children of God in the Kingdom of God.



**July 24, 2020**  
6:30pm-9:30pm

**July 25, 2020**  
8am-3pm

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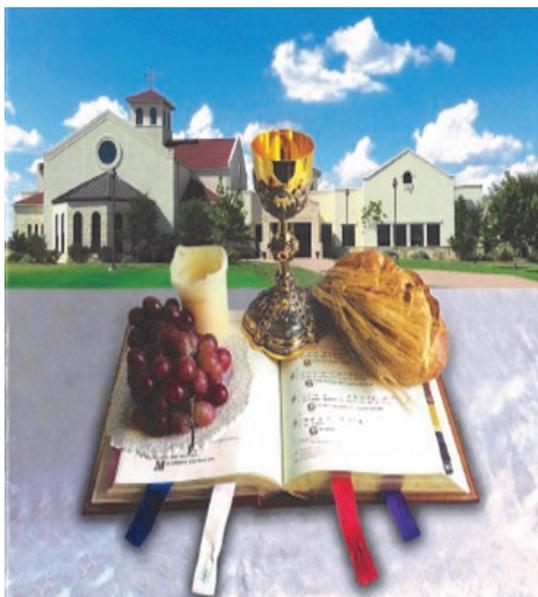


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## An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are truly Present in the Holy Eucharist.  
 I love You above all things,  
 And I desire You into my soul.  
 Since I cannot receive You sacramentally,  
 Come at least spiritually into my heart.  
 I embrace You as if You were Already there and untie myself Wholly to You. Never permit me To be separated from You. Amen.

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### DAILY PRAYER LIST FORT WORTH SEMINARIANS 2019-2020

**A Prayer for a Seminarian**

God our Father,  
 Thank you for calling [name] to prepare for the priesthood. Grant him the grace to grow closer to You through daily prayer. Help him form his personality as a credible witness to others. Bless him while he studies Your word and the teachings of the Church, and give him a generous heart to serve Your people. We ask this through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our great High Priest. Amen.

Day of the Month	Thank you for your support and generosity. Please pray for the following seminarians:
1	Deacon Pedro Martinez
2	Deacon Thomas Jones
3	Deacon Samuel Maul
4	Deacon Brett Metzler
5	Deacon Jason Allan
6	Deacon Linh Nguyen
7	Deacon Joseph Moreno
8	David LaPointe
9	Austin Hoodenpyle
10	Brandon LeClair
11	Eric Flores
12	Benjamin Grothouse
13	Diego Soto Deniz
14	Joseph Hoffschwelle
15	Jacob Daniell
16	Austin Evans
17	Kyle Lange
18	Blake Winn
19	Blake Thompson
20	Isaac McCracken
21	Paul Trinh
22	Brandon Woolums
23	Miguel De La Torre
24	Michael Marincel
25	Isaac Acuña
26	Joseph Cochran
27	Javier Escutia
28	Jesus Segura
29	For seminarians to grow in self-awareness as they continue to discern Jesus Christ's call
30	For seminarians to have the grace of perseverance
31	For seminarians to find joy in sacrificing personal gain for the service of others

### Protocols For Attending Mass in Person

- If sick or exhibiting symptoms of any illness. Stay home.
- If over the age of 60, you are encouraged to stay home. Due to the COVID-19 there is no obligation to attend Mass.
- In the obligation of charity to our neighbors, it is required that people in attendance at Mass wear masks or scarves over the nose and mouth inside the church.
- Children under the age of two (2-years-old) are not required to wear masks in keeping with [CDC recommendations](#).
- Sanitize hands before entering the church.
- The number of people who attend Mass will be limited to 200 and are seated in designated seats in the church to keep social distancing.
- Our Sunday 9:30 a.m. Mass is Live Streamed for those who cannot be present.
- Holy Communion will be received in the hand.
- All parish meetings, events, and gatherings remain canceled until further notice.

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