



The Catholic Church of Saint Mary the Virgin

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Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity (The Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time) August 30, 2015

DIVINE WORSHIP: ORDER OF HOLY MASS

Low Mass 8:00 am, Solemn Mass 10:30am, Low Mass 6:00 pm

See Mass card or Mass booklet

Collect

Almighty and merciful God, of whose only gift it cometh that thy faithful people do unto thee true and laudable service: grant, we beseech thee; that we may so faithfully serve thee in this life, that we fail not finally to attain thy heavenly promises; through the merits of Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

First Reading

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8

Moses spoke to the people, saying, "Now, O Israel, give heed to the statutes and the ordinances which I teach you, and do them; that you may live, and go in and take possession of the land which the LORD, the God of your fathers, gives you. You shall not add to the word which I command you, nor take from it; that you may keep the commandments of the LORD your God which I command you. Keep them and do them; for that will be your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, 'Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.' For what great nation is there that has a god so near to it as the LORD our God is to us, whenever we call upon him? And what great nation is there, that has statutes and ordinances so righteous as all this law which I set before you this day?"

PSALM

15:2-5

R/. O Lord, who shall sojourn in your tent?

He who walks blamelessly, and does what is right,
and speaks truth from his heart;
who does not slander with his tongue. **R/.**

Who does no evil to his friend,
nor takes up a reproach against his neighbor;
in whose eyes a reprobate is despised,
but who honors those who fear the LORD. **R/.**

Who does not put out his money at interest,
and does not take a bribe against the innocent.
He who does these things shall never be moved. **R/.**

Second Reading

James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27

My dearest brethren: Every good endowment and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. Of his own will he brought us forth by the word of truth that we should be a kind of first fruits of his creatures. Receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls. But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God and the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world.



Alleluia.

V/. Of his own will he brought us forth by the word of truth that we should be a kind of first fruits of his.
Alleluia.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

At that time: When the Pharisees gathered together to Jesus, with some of the scribes, who had come from Jerusalem, they saw that some of his disciples ate with hands defiled, that is, unwashed. (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they wash their hands, observing the tradition of the elders; and when they come from the market place, they do not eat unless they purify themselves; and there are many other traditions which they observe, the washing of cups and pots and vessels of bronze.) And the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, "Why do your disciples not live according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with hands defiled?" And he said to them, "Well did Isaiah prophesy of you hypocrites, as it is written, 'This people honors me with their lips, but their heart is far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines the precepts of men.' You leave the commandment of God, and hold fast the tradition of men." And he called the people to him again, and said to them, "Hear me, all of you, and understand: there is nothing outside a man which by going into him can defile him; but the things which come out of a man are what defile him. For from within, out of the heart of man, come evil thoughts, fornication, theft, murder, adultery, coveting, wickedness, deceit, licentiousness, envy, slander, pride, foolishness. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a man."

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MUSIC

Prelude.....*Trio*, Francois Couperin
Entrance Hymn..*Hail Holy Queen (congregation sings refrain)*
KYRIE.....S91
GLORIA.....S202
Offertory Hymn.....498
SANCTUS.....S114
Our Father.....S119
AGNUS DEI.....S158
Communion Hymn.....315
Anthem.....*Ecce Sacerdos Magnus*, Edward Elgar
Closing Hymn.....366, Vss. 1-4
Postlude.....*Postludium*, Flor Peeters

The Prayers of the People: Form III, page 9

Reader: Let us pray to the Lord.

Response: Lord, have mercy

For those celebrating anniversaries: *Sunday:* Irma Jimenez [B]; Anne Pierce [B]; *Monday:* Colleen Ahern [B]; Danny Jones [B]; Paul Vinson [B]; *Tuesday:* Julissa Ruiz [B]; Duane Steward [B]; Monroe Cook [B]; Rick & Julissa Ruiz [W]; *Wednesday:* Ellen Thomas [B]; *Thursday:* Jeremiah Lindmark [B]; Michael Pratt [B]; *Saturday:* Madeleine Marlatt [B]; Stacie Sanchez [B].

For those serving in our armed forces: Luke; Tommy; Christian; Chelsey; Dillon; Mathew; Alton; Annie; Josh; Sebastian; Brandon; James; Jacob.

For those expecting children: Julie & Christopher; Rebecca & Thomas; Shelby & Ryan; Mary Elizabeth & Danny; Mary Pat & Sam; Angie & Chris.

For those in special need: Peter; Amy; Chaires family; Buckner family; Zachary; Tyler; Leonard; Thomas; Tim; Reagan; Joe; Jason; Margie; Chuck; Reba; Linda; Bruce; Carol; Michael; Rosemary; Quin; Louise; Sadie; Christi; Tom; Emma; Beverly; Shelli; Ray; Echo.

For the faithful departed:

Anniversaries of Death: *Sunday:* Thresa Amama; *Tuesday:* Mary M Fischer; Rose Seely; Linda Snyder; Betty C. Osborne Parham; Matthew Hines; Rebecca Shiflett; Lillian Shiflett; Chrissy Willis; *Wednesday:* William D Woods; Sarah Miller; Deudedis Diaz; Harold Wark; Perry LeBlanc; *Thursday:* Hazel Medd; *Saturday:* Elsie Pesenecker; Robert P Shaver.

A. M. D. G.

Flowers: Terry & Craig Southard *in loving memory of Waurine Cox.*

Sanctuary Light: Enrique & Julissa Ruiz *in celebration of 25th wedding anniversary.*

Lamp at the Crucifix: Enrique & Julissa Ruiz *in celebration of 25th wedding anniversary.*

Lamp at the Shrine of Our Lady: The Thomas family *for Ellen and her intentions.*

Lamp at the Shrine of Joseph: SMV *for the people of the parish.*

Lamp at the Shrine of St. Therese: Enrique & Julissa Ruiz *in loving memory of Betty Parham*

Lamp at the Shrine of Blessed Charles I: SMV *for the people of the parish.*



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Adoration occurs every Friday after the 9:00 a.m.

Mass and continues throughout the day until Evening Prayer at 6:00 p.m.

The Blessed Sacrament is not to be left alone at any time. If you cannot attend at the scheduled time, you must arrange for your own substitute.

If you have questions or desire more info, please contact

Ilene Watts, at
tomilenew@yahoo.com or
(817) 277-4859

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Those who are scheduled to serve but unable to carry out the assignment are asked to arrange substitutes and contact the Parish Office (817.460.2278) ASAP.

August 30

8 am	Altar Server	Nick Pratt
	Ushers	Nance FitzGibbon/Gloria Vera
10:30 am	Master of Ceremonies	John Williams
	Thurifer	William Morris
	Crucifer	Joseph Schmitt
	Torchbearers	William Crawford / Martin Morris
	Boat Boy	John Paul Morris
	First Reading	Ginny Wetzstein
	Intercessory Prayers	Megan Schmitt
	Oblationers	The Vaughan Family
	Ushers	Brinton Smith / Stephen Schmitt
6:00 pm	Altar Server	Adrian Medrano / Thomas Beyer (C)
	Ushers	Carol Denning / Christy Assid
	Office Help	Ben Oliver



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/ CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Religious Education and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

classes will begin the weekend of Sept 12th. Please contact **Megan Schmitt** at smv.dre@gmail.com for more information or to register.

The Couple to Couple League will present classes in Natural Family Planning on **Sun, 9/13, 2:00 p.m. at The U of D, Irving, Sat, 9/19 at 9:30 a.m. at St. Maria Goretti CC, Arlington, NEW: CLASSES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE ONLINE. GO TO www.ccli.org**

“Live the Love” with NFP classes. Couples work toward building a better marriage. It also has the benefit of being highly effective in achieving or avoiding pregnancy. NFP is morally acceptable to the Catholic Church and free from medical side effects. The instructions include a series of three monthly classes. Cost of the course is \$150. **Pre-registration is preferred** two weeks before class begins. Register online at www.ccli.org. Limited financial assistance may be available. For more info or if financial assistance is needed, call the instructor assigned to the class before registering.

Instructors: Jerry & Mary Claire English, 817-393-1051 for both classes.

NEWS AND NOTES

Ladies' Guild

The SMV Ladies' Guild will meet on the second Sunday of every month, beginning Sept 13th. Meetings will be held in the parish hall after the 10:30 mass.

Please join us!

Do You Shop Online?

If so, you can help the Knights and yourself by going to www.shop.com/KC13363 and shopping through that website. The Knights get a percentage of sales, at no cost to you, and you get year-end cash back. For more information, contact **Ben Oliver** at 682.553.4653 or **John Williams** at 817.422.6232 and they can help you get set up on the program!



Adult Choir meets Sunday at 9:30 am
Youth-Children Choir—
There will not be practice today or next Sunday.

The Diocesan Deaf Ministry Program is pleased to offer a **Basic Sign Language Course** this fall at **St. Peter the Apostle Catholic School, Fort Worth** from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The classes are from **Tues, Sept 15th - Tues, Nov 17th**. Advanced registration is required. **The cost is \$65.00 and includes the book and all course materials.** The 10 week course will give students' an interactive experience in sign language including small group and hands on activities. **Students will learn basic vocabulary, rules of grammar and cultural aspects of the deaf community and the history of American Sign Language.** Contact **Connie Martin** at cmartin@fwdioc.org or 817-945-9381 for more info or to register.



ST. MARY'S THIS WEEK

If our Priest cannot offer the Mass you have scheduled due to an emergency or other commitment, your Mass intention will be said elsewhere or at another Mass. Any questions, please call the Parish Office.

Sunday, August 30

Mass at 8:00am, 10:30am, 6:00pm
Lessons from the Lectionary at 9:15 am
Open Forum with the Pastor at 9:15 am
Youth / Children Choir Rehearsal at 12:15 pm

Monday, August 31

Fr. Day Off

Tuesday, September 1

Mass at 7:00 pm
S.I. Deann, Bryce, Zachary, Alex & Anibelle Ziba

Wednesday, September 2

Mass at 12:00 Noon
Confessions at 11:00 am

Thursday, September 3

Mass at 12:00 Noon

Friday, September 4

Mass at 9:00am
S.I. Dave & Joanne Vina

Saturday, September 5

Mass at 10:00am
S.I. Rubye Musser

Sunday, September 6

Mass at 8:00am, 10:30am, 6:00pm
Lessons from the Lectionary at 9:15 am
Open Forum with the Pastor at 9:15 am
Adult Choir Rehearsal at 9:30 am

**Next Sunday is
The Twenty-Third Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Miss us while you're traveling?

Go to thecatholicdirectory.com and sign up to have the SMV bulletin delivered to your inbox on Sunday mornings!

The Parish Offering

Weekly Offertory Forecast.....	\$6,000.00
Actual Offertory Collected.....	\$7,894.00
Variance.....	+ \$1,894.00

Thank you for your loving support.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

All attorneys, judges, and public officials, along with their staff members, and spouses are cordially invited to attend the **Tenth Annual Red Mass at 5:30 p.m.** on Thursday **September 17,** at St. Patrick Cathedral, 1206 Throckmorton St. Fort Worth. The Mass will be concelebrated by Bishop Michael Olson and Archbishop Jermone ListECKi of Milwaukee, WI. The homilist will be Archbishop ListECKi. Please RSVP to Dave Pels by **Sept 10** at dpels@shannongracev.com or at (817) 877-8141 if you plan to attend the Red Mass or the reception. For more info go to fortworthredmass.org.



The John Paul II Institute lay ministry formation classes will be starting in September. New sites for English formation are: St. Maria Goretti, Arlington; St. Catherine, Carrollton; OLQP, Wichita Falls; and via Internet. Inquire at the parish office for more info.

You may also check **the diocesan website** at fwdioc.org, call 817-945-9354 or email cmele@fwdioc.org

Knights of Columbus Council #9299

Invites you to "Swing into Fall" on **Saturday, September 19th, in the parish hall at Most Blessed Sacrament, Arlington.** A barbecue dinner will be followed by dancing to Western Swing and jazz standards with the Billy Briggs Trio.

Festivities **begin at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$15 in advance, \$25 at the door. To purchase contact Dennis Volz and 817.915.0550 or dvolz@sbcglobal.net.**

Rachel's Corner

Abortion promises to relieve the burdens, pain, and anxiety of facing a child before a man is ready to be a father. Abortion keeps that promise, only to leave the man with a whole new set of burdens.

You are not alone. We can help you find peace and restoration from your pain.

Rachel Ministries
817-923-4757

Next Retreat September 11