



THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN

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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) SEPTEMBER 27, 2015

DIVINE WORSHIP: ORDER OF HOLY MASS

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

See Mass card or Mass booklet

Collect

Lord, we pray thee that thy grace may always precede and follow us: and make us continually to be given to all good works; through 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

Numbers 11:25-29

In those days: The LORD came down in the cloud and spoke to Moses, and took some of the spirit that was upon him and put it upon the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did so no more. Now two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested upon them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp." And Joshua the son of Nun, the minister of Moses, one of his chosen men, said, "My lord Moses, forbid them." But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the LORD's people were prophets, that the LORD would put his spirit upon them!"



PSALM

19:7,9,11-13

R/. The precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart.

The law of the LORD is perfect,
reviving the soul;
the testimony of the LORD is sure,
making wise the simple. **R/.**

The fear of the LORD is clean,
enduring for ever;
the ordinances of the LORD are true,
and righteous altogether. **R/.**

Moreover by them is your servant warned;
in keeping them there is great reward.
But who can discern his errors?
Clear me from hidden faults. **R/.**

Keep back your servant also from presumptuous sins;
let them not have dominion over me!
Then I shall be blameless,
and innocent of great transgression. **R/.**

Second Reading

James 5:1-6

Come now, you rich, weep and howl for the miseries that are coming upon you. Your riches have rotted and your garments are moth-eaten. Your gold and silver have rusted, and their rust will be evidence against you and will eat your flesh like fire. You have laid up treasure for the last days. Behold, the wages of the laborers who mowed your fields, which you kept back by fraud, cry out; and the cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. You have lived on the earth in luxury and in pleasure; you have fattened your hearts in a day of slaughter. You have condemned, you have killed the righteous man; he does not resist you.

Alleluia.

V/. Your word, O Lord, is truth;
sanctify us in the truth.

Alleluia.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

At that time: John said to Jesus, "Teacher, we saw a man casting out demons in your name, and we forbade him, because he was not following us." But Jesus said, "Do not forbid him; for no one who does a mighty work in my name will be able soon after to speak evil of me. For he that is not against us is for us. For truly, I say to you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ, will by no means lose his reward. Whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him if a great millstone were hung round his neck and he were thrown into the sea. And if your hand causes you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than with two hands to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than with two feet to be thrown into hell. And if your eye causes you to sin, pluck it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than with two eyes to be thrown into hell, where their worm does not die, and the fire is not quenched."



MUSIC

Prelude.....	<i>Prelude BWV 539, J.S. Bach</i>
Entrance Hymn.....	574
KYRIE	S91
GLORIA	S202
Offertory Hymn.....	635
SANCTUS	S114
Our Father.....	S119
AGNUS DEI	S158
Communion Hymn.....	309
Closing Hymn.....	344
Postlude.....	<i>Presto from the Organ Concerto, Op. 4, No. 5,</i>G.F. Handel



Adult Choir rehearses
Wednesdays, 7:00 pm.
Children-Youth Choir rehearses
Sundays after the 10:30 Mass.

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:* Cathy Ferrar [B]; Derek Histen [B]; Mary Vinson [B]; *Monday:* Alice Hager [B]; Eileen Hager [B]; *Tuesday:* Julia Lillian Smith [B]; *Wednesday:* John Paul Harris [B]; Charles Heitzenrater [B]; *Thursday:* Michael Winward [B]; *Friday:* Joseph Schmitt [B]; Josh Vina [B]; I.B. & Gloria Vera [W]; *Saturday:* Peter Horan [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: Megan & Bart; Julie & Christopher; Rebecca & Thomas; Shelby & Ryan; Mary Elizabeth & Danny; Mary Pat & Sam; Angie & Chris.

For those in special need: Marion; Brenden; Gina; Nina; Truy; Chiem; Christine; Soan; Peter; Amy; Chaires family; Buckner family; Zachary; Thomas; Joe; Margie; Chuck; Linda; Bruce; Rosemary; Quin; Louise; Sadie; Christi; Tom; Emma; Beverly; Shelli; Ray; Echo.

For the faithful departed:
Anniversaries of Death: *Sunday:* Mary Wright; *Monday:* Philip Smith; Helen Adamson; *Wednesday:* Esther Holtz; *Thursday:* John Harold Russell; *Friday:* Raeburn Simpson Hawkins; Mari-on E. Williams; *Saturday:* Stephen Clay; Nicholas E. Creaturo.

A. M. D. G.

Flowers: SMV in honor of Pope Francis' visit to the U.S.

Sanctuary Light: Maria Zichichi in loving memory of Nicholas Zichichi.

Lamp at the Crucifix: The Brignac family in celebration of Joey's birthday.

Lamp at the Shrine of Our Lady: Gerro Hayden in celebration of Jason Jones' birthday.

Lamp at the Shrine of Joseph: Gerro Hayden in celebration of Kieran Jones' birthday.

Lamp at the Shrine of St. Therese: The Oliver family in celebration of Kacy Smith's birthday.

Lamp at the Shrine of Blessed Charles I: The Heitzenrater family in celebration of Charles' birthday.

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
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(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.

September 27

8 am	Altar Server Ushers	Nick Pratt Nance FitzGibbon/Gloria Vera
10:30 am	Master of Ceremonies Thurifer Crucifer Torchbearers Boat Boy First Reading Intercessory Prayers Oblationers Ushers	Craig Southard William Morris Josh Vina Nicholas Naifeh / Joseph Morris Tristan Naifeh Helen Mitchell Rease Parton The Tullis Family Stephen Schmitt / Bill Thomas
6:00 pm	Altar Server Ushers Office Help	Paul Denning / John Mota (C) Charlene Schwartz / Mike Bucek TBD



"The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart." Let your marriage be filed with joy. Deepen your communication, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending one of the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekends.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are October 2-4 & November 6-7. Dates fill fast. To apply, visit www.dfwme.org/apply. For more info, email apply@dfwme.org or call 469-444-0904.

Join Johnnette Benkovic & international retreat master, Fr. Philip Scott, FJ, Dr. Paul Thigpen & Dr. Monica Miller, **Oct 23-25 for the 2015 Women of Grace National Conference to be held at St. Francis of Assisi, Grapevine.** Be inspired & encouraged as you explore the theme, "Woman's Influence, Effect, and Power: Reclaiming the Feminine Ideal." This power-packed weekend will include dynamic teachings, special liturgies, a healing prayer service, a spiritual warfare speaker's panel, inspiring music & much more. The conference is preceded by the Benedicta Leadership Institute for Women on October 22nd and 23rd. **For info & to register, go to womenofgrace.com or call 1-800-558-5452.**



NEWS AND NOTES

Daily Mass at St. Mary the Virgin will be cancelled from Tuesday, 9/29 through Friday, 10/2.

PLEASE NOTE THAT ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT WILL ADHERE TO ITS REGULAR SCHEDULE ON FRIDAY, 10/2.

So that you are still able attend Daily Mass in the area, local Mass times are listed below.

**Most Blessed Sacrament,
2100 N. Davis Dr., Arlington**

Mon: 8:45 AM

Wed: 7:00 PM

Thurs: 8:45 AM

Fri: 8:45 AM

St. Maria Goretti, 1200 S. Davis Dr., Arlington
Monday-Friday at 8:00 AM

**Immaculate Conception,
610 NE 17 St., Grand Prairie**
Wednesday & Thursday at 7:00 PM

Interested in becoming one of Gabriel's Angels??

Gabriel Project, a ministry reaching out to women experiencing a crisis pregnancy, **will offer training sessions Saturday, Oct. 10 from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM and Saturday, Oct. 17 from 12:30 PM to 6:00 PM at St. Rita Catholic Church, 5550 E. Lancaster Ave., Fort Worth.** To be commissioned as an Angel, participants **must attend both days of training.** For more information, **contact Angela Walters at 817-247-5615 or 800-545-5935.**

Cistercian Preparatory School Open House

Cistercian Preparatory School will hold its Fall Admissions Open House on **Tuesday, October 6**, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:40 p.m. Cistercian educates boys grades 5 – 12 in an academically rigorous Catholic tradition. Call 469-499-5402 for information on admission requirements, application, and financial aid, or see the school website www.cistercian.org.

It's Fall - fund raiser season!

The SMV Ladies Guild is doing a fund raiser and would appreciate the support of every family in the parish. Please check out the information in the Narthex and/or Parish Hall.

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, September 27

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
 Religious Ed Classes at 9:15 am
 Youth/Children's Choir Rehearsal at 12:15 pm
 K of C Meeting at 12:15 pm

Monday, September 28

Fr.'s Day Off

Tuesday, September 29

No Mass

Wednesday, September 30

No Mass
 Confessions Cancelled
 Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 pm

Thursday, October 1

No Mass
 Adult Catechesis at 7:00 pm

Friday, October 2

No Mass
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins at 9:30 am

Saturday, October 3

Mass at 9:00am
 Confessions at 10:00 am
 CGS Class at 9:00 am

Sunday, October 4

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
 Religious Ed Classes at 9:15 am
 K of C Meeting at 12:15 pm
 Youth/Children's Choir Rehearsal at 12:15 pm

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

The Parish Offering

Weekly Offertory Forecast.....	\$6,000.00
Actual Offertory Collected.....	\$4,800.00
Variance.....	— \$1,200.00

Thank you for your loving support.

A NOTE FROM FR. TOM

Chyrel and I wish to take this opportunity to thank our Church Family, St. Mary the Virgin, for your warm welcome. We truly do feel like we are at home and you are the reason.

Many thanks to everyone who came to the Ordination to the Diaconate and Priesthood. And a special thank you for the receptions.

Most especially, I wish to thank Fr. Timothy and you, the Congregation, for allowing me the privilege of saying a Catholic Mass. Mass is the source and summit of our lives and it humbles me to be able to celebrate it. May God continue to bless us as we continue to move forward.

Fr. Tom

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The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for Children Who Died Before Baptism

will be celebrated by The Most Reverend Bishop Michael Olson at **St. Patrick's Cathedral, 1206 Throckmorton, FW, on Sat, Oct. 10 at 10:00 AM.** Mass will be followed by a reception & light lunch in the parish hall. The intention of this Mass is to help the healing process for parents who have lost children before Baptism, through miscarriage, still birth, or abortion. Roses will be provided for those parents who wish to place them at the Virgin Mary's altar in memory of their children, after the Prayers of the Faithful. Reservations are requested but not required. **For more info or reservations, call 817-738-1086.** Sponsored by Catholics United for Life of North Texas and Mother and Unborn Baby Care.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY ALL PRIESTS, DEACONS, CONSECRATED RELIGIOUS, AND

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 FORT WORTH

ARE INVITED TO JOIN
 BISHOP MICHAEL OLSON
 FOR MASS IN PREPARATION FOR
 WORLD MISSION SUNDAY
 OCTOBER 11, 2015

5:00PM

ST. PATRICK CATHEDRAL

