

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN

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TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) OCTOBER 25, 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

Grant, we beseech thee, merciful Lord, to thy faithful people pardon and peace: that they may be cleansed from all their sins, and serve thee with a quiet mind; 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

Jeremiah 31:7-9

Thus says the LORD: "Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, 'The LORD has saved his people, the remnant of Israel.' Behold, I will bring them from the north country, and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, the woman with child and her who is in travail, together; a great company, they shall return here. With weeping they shall come, and with consolations I will lead them back, I will make them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble; for I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my first-born."



PSALM

126:1-6

R/. Let your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, even as we hope in you.

When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion,
we were like those who dream.
Then our mouth was filled with laughter,
and our tongue with shouts of joy. **R/.**

Then they said among the nations,
"The LORD has done great things for them."
The LORD has done great things for us;
we are glad. **R/.**

Restore our fortunes, O LORD,
like the watercourses in the Negeb!
May those who sow in tears
reap with shouts of joy! **R/.**

He that goes forth weeping,
bearing the seed for sowing,
shall come home with shouts of joy,
bringing his sheaves with him. **R/.**

Second Reading

Hebrews 5:1-6

Every high priest chosen from among men is appointed to act on behalf of men in relation to God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He can deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is beset with weakness. Because of this he is bound to offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not take the honor upon himself, but he is called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not exalt himself to be made a high priest, but was appointed by him who said to him, "Thou art my Son, today I have begotten thee"; as he says also in another place, "You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek."

Alleluia.

V/. Our Savior Christ Jesus abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the Gospel.

Alleluia.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 10:46-52

At that time: As Jesus was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great multitude, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside. And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent; but he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; rise, he is calling you." And throwing off his cloak he sprang up and came to Jesus. And Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" And the blind man said to him, "Master, let me receive my sight." And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way.



MUSIC

Prelude.....	Allein Gott in der Hoh sei Her, J.S. Bach
Entrance Hymn.....	375
KYRIE.....	S91
GLORIA.....	S202
Offertory Hymn.....	410
SANCTUS.....	S114
Our Father.....	S119
AGNUS DEI.....	S158
Communion Hymn.....	300
Anthem.....	Tu es Sacerdos, Montani
Closing Hymn.....	680
Postlude.....	Processional, William Mathias



Adult Choir rehearses
Wednesdays, 7:00 pm & 9:15 am
Sunday. Youth/Children's Choir
will meet Sundays following
10:30 Mass until 1:00 pm.



**Monday, November 2 is the
Commemoration of
All the Faithful Departed.
Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 pm.
Please plan to attend.**

The Prayers of the People: Form III, page 9

Reader: Let us pray to the Lord.

Response: Lord, have mercy

For those celebrating anniversaries: *Monday:* Gerro Hayden [B]; Jacqueline Koon [B]; *Tuesday:* David Freed [B]; Indiana Montanez [B]; *Wednesday:* Charles Gillum [B]; Ena Palmer [B]; *Saturday:* Scott & Lauren Blue [W].

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

For those expecting children: Ellen & Ryan; Christina & John; Erin & Tim; Megan & Bart; Julie & Christopher; Rebecca & Thomas; Mary Pat & Sam.

For those in special need: Kathy; Scott; Vincent; Diane; Marymol; Gina; Dorothy; Anne; Nina; Christine; Amy; Truy; Soan; Marion; Peter; Amy; Zachary; Thomas; Joe; Margie; Chuck; Bruce; Quin; Louise; Emma; Beverly; Shelli; Ray; Echo.

Recently Departed:

For the faithful departed: *Wednesday:* Sheldon Vanauken; Johnnie Flippo; Mac Crowley; Ray Ladd; *Thursday:* Rozy Bahar; Sylvia Reynolds; *Friday:* Lynell Kebelman Riser; James Hanvey, Sr.; Gloria Garcia; Frederick M. Baron; *Saturday:* Ann Barrett; Emma Lou Garrett.

A. M. D. G.

Flowers: Christina Essang in thanksgiving for Francie Essang.

Sanctuary Light: Ruby Musser for a successful surgery.

Lamp at the Crucifix: The Oliver family in celebration of Kathy Boyd's birthday.

Lamp at the Shrine of Our Lady: John & Christina Heitzenrater in celebration of Theresa's birthday.

Lamp at the Shrine of Joseph: John & Christina Heitzenrater for the repose of the soul of Gerald Heitzenrater.

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

Lamp at the Shrine of Blessed Charles I: The Oliver family in celebration of Kevin Boyd's 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

**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.

October 25

8 am	Altar Server	Jon Carr
	Ushers	Eli Castro / Nance FitzGibbon
10:30 am	Master of Ceremonies	Craig Southard
	Thurifer	Josh Vina
	Crucifer	Will Vina
	Torchbearers	Nicholas Naifeh / Joseph Morris
	Boat Boy	Tristan Naifeh
	First Reading	Brinton Smith
	Intercessory Prayers	Patricia Ramirez
	Oblationers	The Heitzenrater Family
	Ushers	Dave Palmer / John Hargis
6:00 pm	Altar Server	Paul Denning / Rafael Refi (C)
	Ushers	Carol Denning / Christy Assid
	Office Help	TBD



40 Days for Life is a focused pro-life campaign with a vision to access God's power through prayer, fasting, & peaceful vigil to end abortion. The campaign has started & we would like to show our support by asking members of **SMV** pray in front of the abortion clinic at 6464 John Ryan, FW. Groups are encouraged to go but individuals are greatly appreciated. When signing up make sure you fill in our parish name. For more info go to 40daysfortworth.com or contact Teresa at 607- 765-1706 or teresapratttrc@gmail.com



Give a neighbor in need a "lift" for just three hours a week.

Catholic Charities Fort

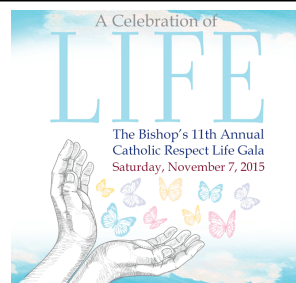
Worth Transportation is expanding to your community! Arlington is in need of volunteer drivers to provide vital employment-based rides. Join the **Tarrant Riders Network & Catholic Charities Fort Worth** to provide transportation to those in need by driving your own car & choosing your schedule. For more info contact **Merrissa Kuylen** at mkuylen@ccdofw.org or 817-413-3936.



NEWS AND NOTES

I hereby publish the banns for the marriage of **Jason Edward Booth and Karen Jennifer G. Serrano**. This is the second notice. Serious obligation rests on everyone to reveal any known impediment to the proposed marriage.

Please give to **the Annual Diocesan Appeal**. In living a life of stewardship, we recognize God as the source of our many gifts & we eagerly give back to show our love of Christ & one another. Please prayerfully consider what you, as an individual & a family, can pledge to support those most in need of our help. **This appeal is an opportunity to promote solidarity for the common good among people beyond the scope of any individual parish & to share the benefits of our many blessings with others.**



Join us at the **Bishop's 11th Annual Catholic Respect Life Gala on Saturday, November 7**, at the Fort Worth Convention Center. **The keynote speaker is our First Lady of Texas Cecilia Abbott**. It will be a delightful evening that

offers us the opportunity, as a community of faith, of showing our support to the dignity and sanctity of life. For individual tickets and table sponsorships go to www.respectlifefw.org. Questions? **Contact Yolanda Newcomb at ynewcomb@advancementfoundation.org.**



National Vocations Awareness Week (NVAW) is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic

Church in the United States dedicated to promote vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. For more info contact Rev. James Wilcox, Dir. of Vocations at vocations@fwdioc.org or 817-945-9321.

"Do not be afraid of Christ! He takes nothing away and He gives you everything. When we give ourselves to Him, we receive a hundred-fold in return. Yes, open, open wide the doors to Christ - and you will find true life."

-Pope Benedict XVI

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, October 25

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
 Presentation of the Silver Rose at the 10:30 Mass
 K of C meeting at 12:15 pm

Monday, October 26

Fr.'s Day Off

Tuesday, October 27

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

Wednesday, October 28

Mass at 12:00 pm
 S.I. Ena Palmer
 Confessions at 11:00 am
 Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 pm

Thursday, October 29

Mass at 12:00 pm
 S.I. George Marquez
 Adult Catechesis at 7:00 pm

Friday, October 30

Mass at 9:00 am
 S.I. Lisa Vera, RIP
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following Mass

Saturday, October 31

Mass at 9:00am
 Confessions at 10:00 am
 S.I. Jill Fowler & Children
 CGS Class at 9:00 am

Sunday, November 1

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

**Next Sunday is
 The Solemnity of All Saints**

The Parish Offering

Weekly Offertory Forecast.....	\$6,000.00
Actual Offertory Collected.....	\$7,980.00
Variance.....	+\$1,980.00

Thank you for your loving support.

NEWS AND NOTES

There will be a Costume Swing Dance on Fri, Oct 30 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall for teens 13 & up. Please be sure costumes are dance appropriate (shorts under short/full dresses etc.)

Want to chaperone? Contact Maggie Schmitt at 817-739-0320 for more info or if you can chaperone!

Please bring: Candy or other sweets to share, soda, chips, dip & fruit/veg plates. Water will be provided



The Knights of Columbus will present the Silver Rose at the 10:30 Mass today. Since 1960, the Silver Rose program, originally called Operation Rose, has gathered Knights and Columbian Squires from Mexico, the United States and Canada under the mantle of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas. In the mid-1990s, it was adopted as a Supreme Council initiative, which grew to encompass multiple pilgrimage routes and reaffirm the Order's commitment to the sanctity of human life.



The Knights of Columbus Annual Trunk or Treat will take place on Saturday, **October 31 at 6:00 pm** in the SMV parking lot. Decorate your trunk to give out treats to the kids, eat at the concession stand & maybe win a prize for the best decorated trunk!! For questions, contact **Ben Oliver, 682-553-4653.**

Council 13363 doesn't want you to miss your opportunity to purchase a K of C raffle ticket. Lots of great prized this year and proceeds will benefit families in need. See any Knight for a ticket!!!



Rachel's Corner

It is only right that the reparation for abortion is found not by clinging to guilt and despair, but by trusting in God's love. Accepting God's forgiveness is your first step toward an obedience which is rooted in both faith and hope, and it is your only escape from the tar pit of despair. We can help.

Rachel Ministries

817-923-4757

Next retreat November 13