

*Cover Photo:*  
*For our last Jericho of the semester, 100 students, alumni, community members and friends gathered at Perkins Chapel. Peter Fontana of Adore Ministries shared a powerful message, Dave Moore and his band led the crowd in room-shaking praise and worship, and all participants were invited to prayer in front of the Eucharist and in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Thanks to everyone who came out! We're already looking forward to our Spring semester!*

THANKSGIVING POTLUCK

The SMU Catholic staff is thankful for all those who have helped our ministry this year and invested their time, talent and treasure into our community. As a way to show our appreciation, join us for a Thanksgiving potluck at the Catholic Center on **Tues, Nov 21** from 11:30AM-1:00PM.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SUNDAY

Today's second collection goes to Catholic Charities of Dallas.

Every day, Catholic Charities helps our community's most vulnerable by taking on the effects of poverty and helping all those in crisis move toward a better life. Catholic Charities uses your donations to help transform the lives of more than 30,000 people every year through financial education, citizenship assistance, early childhood programs, care for seniors, and so much more throughout the Diocese of Dallas.



BEQUEST SMU CATHOLIC



Ensure SMU Catholic maintains a strong presence on SMU's campus for years to come, and make a bequest in your will to the ministry. For info about planned giving, please contact Beverly Mendoza.

SACRAMENTS

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday—Friday

9 AM | Catholic Center

Tuesday—Thursday

9 PM | Catholic Center

RECONCILIATION

30 minutes before Mass or by appointment

THE BRIDGE- TUES, NOV 14

The transition from college to the real world can be tough - *especially* when it comes to living out your faith and finding a parish to call home! SMU Catholic Campus Ministry is launching a new program called "The Bridge" to help connect graduates to an active life of faith after college. This 8-week formation program will be open to seniors, grad students, and young alumni (ages 21-25), and will seek to prepare and equip participants for Christian leadership in parishes and the secular world. The sessions will begin in January, but we are hosting a kick-off November 14<sup>th</sup> to unveil our plans and get the conversation started! Join us **Tues, Nov 14, from 7:00-9:00pm** at Nick & Sam's Grill (8111 Preston Rd, Dallas, TX 75225). RSVP to Christina Bax ([cbax@smu.edu](mailto:cbax@smu.edu)) ASAP and please indicate your day/time preferences for our 8-week sessions!



CATHOLIC CENTER HOURS

Monday—Thursday

9 AM—10 PM

Friday

9 AM—5 PM

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS & LECTORS

9 AM Lectors and EMs:

Julie Young

Kurt VandeMotte

Jim Kramb

Lezlie Vlasimsky

Pam Brock

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ.

Jim Kelley

Rory Meyers

Nancy Swanson

Patty Stark

Fletcher Ward

Geisler Family

Biddie Jordan

Andrew Collins

Dick Hoesterey

Ted Dunlap

Mary Cates

Michelle Markey

PRAY FOR MUSTANG AWAKENING

Join us in prayer for all those attending the Mustang Awakening retreat that's taking place Nov 17-19:

*Heavenly Father, we ask for your divine presence before, during, and after our Mustang Awakening retreat. May your spirit illumine and prepare the hearts of those in attendance so they may experience your presence. We pray that each individual will move past any distractions or obstacles in order to clearly hear your call and to seek your healing grace. Please send your Holy Spirit to bring about conversion of hearts and a deepening of faith. All of this we pray through Christ our Lord. Amen.*



SLS 2018 IN CHICAGO

SLS18

INSPIRE & EQUIP

CHICAGO JAN 2-6

This January, join our FOCUS missionaries and fellow students for SLS18 in Chicago, where you'll go deeper in your relationship with Christ, learn practical skills alongside fellow leaders of the Church, and receive the real-to-life tools you need to bring Christ to others, no matter what stage of life you're in. **Registration Is Open Now!** For more information, check [sls18.com](http://sls18.com) or reach out to Dorian Arellano at [dorian.arellano@focus.org](mailto:dorian.arellano@focus.org).

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COMMUNITY DIRECTORY DEADLINE

After numerous years since our last directory, we are excited to share we've initiated a new community directory. Please make sure you either sign up in the pew registration books or check with Jan Ware, our SMU Catholic community member leading the community directory initiative, to approve, correct, and update your information. This directory is for non-students. If you have questions, please contact Jan Ware at 214-701-3164. Many thanks for your help in this endeavor!

SAVE THE DATE- APRIL 07, 2018

Please mark your Calendars for our SMU Catholic Spring Celebration on April 07 at the Bush Institute!

This event is always a fun time with dinner, Servant Leader Award presentation, and live auction. Please plan to join us!





COMING SOON TO SMU CATHOLIC

SUNDAY, NOV 12

Cathletes Intramural Football  
9:30 PM | Intramural Fields

SUNDAY, NOV 12

RCIA Meeting  
3 PM | Catholic Center

TUES & WED, NOV 13 & 14

FYSH  
8 PM | Hughes-Trigg & Fondren

TUESDAY, NOV 14

The Bridge  
7:00 PM | Nick & Sam’s Grill

TUESDAY, NOV 21

Thanksgiving Potluck  
11:30 AM | Catholic Center

WELCOME RCIA CATECHUMENS AND CANDIDATES!

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process of spiritual and educational formation by which adults become fully initiated members of the Catholic Church. It is comprised of a series of stages of formation marked by ritual steps - the first of which we celebrate today at the 5:00pm Mass.

Our two unbaptized students will participate in the Rite of Acceptance into the Order of Catechumens, which celebrates their intention to follow Christ and establishes a formal relationship between them and the church. Our baptized Candidates seeking Full Communion or to complete their Sacraments of Initiation will participate in the Rite of Welcoming the Candidates, which recognizes their baptism in Christ and desire to complete their sacramental initiation in the Catholic Church.

During the celebration of these rites, the community is asked to help our candidates follow Christ through our prayer and example. We invite you to participate in this important role!

CATECHUMENS	BAPTIZED CHRISTIAN CANDIDATES	CATHOLIC CANDIDATES
Seeking all three Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist	Seeking to be received into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church through a Profession of Faith, Confirmation & Eucharist	Seeking to Complete their Initiation through Confirmation and/or Eucharist
Logan Jones Ellie Pietsch	Katherine Boomer Lauren Sanders	Julia Baca Cameron McConnell Alix Sommers David Troxell

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CAMPUS MINISTRY

NOVEMBER 12, 2017

THIRTY - SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY

Catholic Center | 12:10 PM

TUESDAY & THURSDAY

Catholic Center | 5:10 PM

SUNDAY

Perkins Chapel | 9 AM & 5 PM

Catholic Center | 8 PM

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