

LENT 2020 | RETURN TO ME WITH YOUR WHOLE HEART

MASS JOURNALS

SMU Catholic encourages you this Lent to answer God's call in the book of Joel to "Return to me with your whole heart." One practical way we are inviting you to do this is by listening more attentively for God's voice during Mass, and recording how God is calling you to grow in the coming week. On Ash Wednesday, we handed out small Mass Journals which pose the question, "God, show me one way in this Mass that I can become a better version of myself this week." We encourage you to engage this question each week and jot down your answer in your journal, so you can return to it throughout the week and open yourself more fully to God's voice this Lent.

Every Lent, we are encouraged to reflect on these disciplines of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving this Lent to enable you to return to God with your whole heart:

PRAYER

How is my prayer life? How can I make prayer and the sacraments a routine part of my life this Lent? How can I better listen and open myself to God's voice?

FASTING

What has control over my life? Are there particular habits, persons, or things that I am inordinately attached to? What do I need to let go of in order to let the Lord in?

ALMSGIVING

How could I be more charitable? What resources do I have, and how might I give of them with love? Where do I need to consider the needs of others before my own?

SPRING MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITY

URBAN PLUNGE MEXICO CITY, MEXICO

WHEN: SUN, MAY 17—THURS, MAY 21

WHO: All students

WHAT: In partnership with Hope of the Poor, we will serve the marginalized of Mexico City & have the opportunity to visit the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe

COST: Estimated \$700-\$800

CONTACT: If you are interested, contact Deacon Bill Fobes at bfobes@smu.edu

DEADLINE: Registration due Friday, Mar 6

STOVES FOR GUATEMALA

Our SMU affiliated spring trips to Guatemala are only weeks away. These International Esperanza Project trips are still in need of sponsored stoves and water filters. They are \$250 for the combination. If you would like to support the Esperanza Project in this way, contact Paul Dickel at paul@pd-nl.com.

NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE

The Diocese of Dallas is working to streamline direct communications from the Bishop to the members of each parish community. In order to receive important direct Diocesan communications and updates, we invite you to join Flocknote managed by the Diocese. In order to join SMU Catholic community's Flocknote:

TEXT SMUCCM to 84576



SMU CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY



**MARCH 1, 2020
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

MASS & ADORATION SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

Perkins Chapel | 9 AM & 5 PM

Catholic Center | 8 PM

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY

Catholic Center | 12:10 PM

TUESDAY & THURSDAY

Catholic Center | 5:10 PM

ADORATION

Monday - Friday | 9 AM - 10 AM

Monday - Thursday | 9 PM - 10 PM

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ABOUT SMU CATHOLIC

Since 1932 SMU Catholic Campus Ministry has served SMU students, faculty, staff, alumni, and the local Catholic community. We provide an environment for fellowship, sacramental ministry, moral and ethical discovery, community service, spiritual enrichment, and leadership development. SMU Catholic is committed to being a profound presence on campus as inspired by the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We strive to form servant leaders of SMU's future "world changers" to live their Catholic faith professionally and personally.

COVER STORY

Our Mardi Gras party was a great time! We had delicious Cajun cuisine with jambalaya, gumbo, and king cake. We had a wonderful feast! Magician Giancarlo Bernini performed a magic show for us—our minds were blown! It was a fun celebration before starting the Lenten season.

LENTEN FISH FRY



Would it really be Lent without a fish fry? After the 12:10PM Mass on Friday, Mar 6, the Knights of Columbus will host a fish fry at 12:45PM at the Neuhooff Catholic Center. The meal is free and all are welcome to join us for food and fellowship!

9AM PIANIST NEEDED

The 9AM Mass choir is in need of an additional pianist. If you know anyone who can commit to playing the piano for us on a regular basis at the 9AM Mass, please relay their information to Ken Swinson. Thank you for your help and prayers during this important moment in our musical growth. Also, we are always open to additional singers (men, ladies, or even younger voices). If you are interested or know anyone who would like to serve the Mass musically, please contact Ken Swinson at klsgks@sbcglobal.net or 972-771-3930 or 469-766-2211.

SPRING CELEBRATION – APRIL 25



Please mark your calendars for our SMU Catholic Spring Celebration on Saturday, Apr 25, 2020, at the Bush Institute! This event is always a fun time with dinner and live auction. We will honor the recipients of our Servant Leader Awards, Mike Geisler and Duke Bednarke. Please plan to join us!

FR. GREG BOYLE—MAR 26 TALK

You are invited to an evening with Father Greg Boyle, SJ on Thursday, Mar 26, at the Terry Center at Jesuit College Preparatory School beginning at 7PM. Father Greg Boyle is the founder of Homeboy Industries in Los Angeles, the largest gang intervention, rehabilitation, and re-entry program in the world. Tickets must be purchased online in advance. For ticket and event information visit www.dallassaintsandscholars.org.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The Education Committee has an upcoming opportunity for our community. *What is The Enneagram?* Join us this spring to explore The Enneagram, an ancient personality typing system. Prepare now by reading, *The Road Back to You* by Ian Morgan Cron and Suzanne Stabile, (available at Barnes and Noble, Amazon, Audible). Details to come regarding discussion date.

JERICO: WHY FAST FOR LENT?

Fr. John Bayer, O.Cist, from Cistercian Abbey will be speaking about St. Benedict's advice on fasting for the Lenten season at our March 4 Jericho. Jericho is a special, monthly night of worship where we meet to break down the walls, fears, or questions we have between Christ and ourselves. The evening is led with praise and worship by Dave Moore. It is also a chance to encounter the Lord in the sacrament of Reconciliation and with prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Join us at 7PM on Wednesday, Mar 4, at the Catholic Center—it's an encounter you won't want to miss.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us every Friday for Stations of the Cross during the Lenten season after 12:10PM Mass in the Chapel of the Annunciation at the Catholic Center. We will begin at 12:50PM.

GENIUS WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Dive into the Feminine Genius through fellowship, prayer, friendship, inspiring talks, amazing breakout sessions, and praise and worship at the Genius Women's Conference happening in Irving, TX, Mar 6-8. Genius is a new Catholic women's conference that brings to light what it means to be a Catholic woman in the modern world. All women 18 and older are invited. To get more information or to register, visit geniuswomensconference.com.

WE'RE ON VENMO



SMU Catholic is on Venmo! Venmo makes it easy to securely send and share money online or through the free mobile app. You can use Venmo to send a gift to SMU Catholic any time, for Mass collections, general gifts, etc. You can find SMU Catholic by searching for our username: [@smucatholic](https://www.venmo.com/@smucatholic)

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ.

Rory Meyers	Nancy Swanson	Carney Family
Geisler Family	Keener Family	Krebs Family
Dick Hoesterey	David Adams	
Tannous Family	Flood Family	

In Thanksgiving

Nicole Grinkivitch — Daughter of Sharon and Peter Larson

9 AM EMs and Lectors for March 1:

EMs

Judy Krumb

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