

MASS SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS



March 17-23

Saturday - March 17

4:30 P.M. St. Francis, Vigil Mass Margarite Keeley †
6:30 P.M. - Chapel John Saltery †

Sunday - March 18

9:00 A.M. - English Fr. John Nagle †
11:30 A.M. - Spanish Antonio & Eva Lombrana †

Wednesday - March 21

7:00 A.M. - Chapel James Bounds Sr. †
6:00 P.M. - Chapel Estacion y Misa

Thursday - March 22

7:00 A.M. - Chapel Reyes Garcia Jr. †

Friday - March 23

7:00 A.M. - Mass Ann Eaton †

March 24-30

PALM SUNDAY

Saturday - March 24

4:30 P.M. St. Francis, Vigil Mass Mark Berry †
6:30 P.M. - Chapel L.E. & Eugenia Freeman †

Sunday - March 25

9:00 A.M. - English Ray DeLara B'Day †
11:30 A.M. - Spanish John Flores †

Wednesday - March 28

7:00 A.M. - Chapel Velera Pruser †
6:00 P.M. - Chapel - Estacion y Misa

HOLY THURSDAY - March 29

HOLY THURSDAY CELEBRATIONS at 7:00 p.m.
Followed by **ADORATION UNTIL MIDNIGHT**

GOOD FRIDAY - March 30

VENERATION OF THE CROSS

Stations at 12:00 p.m.

in OLL prayer Garden: in English

Stations at 03:00 p.m. in OLL Prayer Garden:
in Spanish

LIVE STATIONS by CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

Followed by **VENERATION OF THE CROSS**



COMING EVENTS

Mar. 19 - Mass of Anointing at 6:30 p.m.

Mar. 23 - KOC last fish fry 5-8 p.m.

COLLECTION

Sunday Collection\$3,350.80
Second Collection\$691.20

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors	Ushers	Offertory Family
Sat. Mar. 24 6:30 P.M. Mass	F. Morian L. Wester M. Colton	J. Nixon T. Gillen	R. Madrigal R. Kiminski C. Nowak J. Murray	T. Gillen & M. Colton
Sun. Mar. 25 9:00 A.M. Mass	J. Robertson M. Goleman B. Gonzales W. Harrison	V. Huffman P. Riney P. Goleman	D. Crawford A. Rogoski A. Clarke J. Clarke	Huffman Family

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

3rd Sunday, Mar. 18

Riney, P.
Castillo, A.
Castillo, Y.
Velasquez, P.

4th Sunday, Mar. 25

Harrison, D
Howard, M
Crawford, N.

1st Sunday, Apr. 01

Elder, M.
Elder, A.
Borjon, M.
Borjon, G.

2nd Sunday, Apr. 8

Gray, C
Gray, E
Rapp, E.
Garcia, D.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

"Unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone," certainly means that what is contrary to God's will must be "put to death" within me. God gives us grace to say "yes" to his will and the strength we need to reject whatever is contrary to his commands and plan for our lives. The Lord Jesus promises that we will bear much "fruit" for him, if we choose to deny ourselves for his sake and embrace his will for our lives. How can I practically "die" to myself so that the Lord Jesus can live in me and transform me into his likeness and holiness?

STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

Lenten season is time of Grace as we meditate on the Painful sufferings, crucifixion and death of Our Lord. It is time of Renewal and reexamination of oneself. There will be Mass and Stations of the Cross on every Friday at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel and at 6:40 a.m. prior to daily mass in English. There will be Mass and Stations of the Cross in the Chapel, on every Wednesday, at 6:00 p.m. in Spanish.

ESTACIONES DE LA CRUZ

Habr  Misa y Estaciones de la Cruz en Ingl s, todos los viernes a las 5:00 de la tarde en la Capilla. Habr  Misa y Estaciones de la Cruz en espa ol todos los mi rcoles a las 6:00 de la tarde en la Capilla. Animamos a todos a hacer uso de esta oportunidad para meditar en los sufrimientos y los actos redentores de Jesucristo Nuestro Se or.

SPRING BREAK, NO CCD. Due to Spring break, there will be NO CCD classes on Sunday, March 18. CCD classes will resume Sunday March 25th. Youth Program will resume on March 21. We pray that everyone will have an enjoyable and safe Spring break!

MASS OF ANOINTING. A Mass of Anointing will be celebrated Monday, March 19 at 6:30 p.m. in the Church. This Mass is an opportunity for those who are homebound, sick and that are unable to attend a regular Mass and will have an opportunity to receive anointing.



KOC FISH FRY

The Knights of Columbus will hold their next Fish Fry of the Lenten season on Friday, March 23rd from 5-8 p.m. in Pallotti Hall. Tickets will be \$5 for 12 yrs. and under, \$10 for adults.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Saturday - 6:00 P.M. - Confessions in the Chapel	Wednesday - 4:30 P.M. - Bible Study (English)
Monday - 7:00 P.M. - MMC Team Second Monday of the month	Wednesday - 7:00 P.M. - Estudio de Biblia en el Memorial Hall (Espa�ol)
Tuesday - 10:00 A.M. - Rosary Making Ministry in Pallotti Hall	Thursday - 7:00-9:00 P.M. - Ministerio Matrimonial Catolico junta en la Iglesia
Tuesday - 6:30 P.M. - Spanish Mass Music Practice in the Memorial Hall	First Friday of every month - 9 A.M.-6 P.M. All day Adoration in the Chapel

FRIENDSHIP LUNCHEON



The Friendship Luncheon will be held on Wednesday, March 21, at 12 noon in the St. Vincent Pallotti Hall. If anyone can please bring a covered dish of meat, vegetable, casserole, salad, or dessert, please bring it to the church kitchen before noon. We invite anyone who can come and bring a friend to share in this time of fellowship.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS EASTER BASKET SALE

There will be a variety of Easter Baskets and other Easter treats available for sale before and after all Masses Saturday, March 24 and Sunday, March 25. Proceeds from the sale will be used for the CDA Scholarships to be awarded this year.

RCIA PRACTICE

RCIA candidates and their sponsors will have their sacraments practice for Easter Vigil at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 31. For More information please call T. J. Jones, 940-328-0573. There will be a small reception for the New Members who received their sacraments, after the Easter Vigil Mass, everyone is Welcome. The reception will be organized by Martha's' Ministry.

CHILDREN'S EASTER EGG HUNT

For Children Pre-K through 4th grade, the Church will have an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, March 31 at 10 a.m. at the Church premises. We welcome all the sponsors for the Easter Egg Hunt, please bring Easter eggs to the office or give them to Maria Jones on Sunday, March 25.

JAMAICA PLANNING MEETING

There will be a planning meeting with all coordinators of church organizations for our upcoming Jamaica. Meeting will be Thursday, March 22 at 7 p.m. in Pallotti Hall. We request that coordinators attend this meeting, or send a representative for your organization if you are unable to attend.

OLL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - 2018:

Our Lady of Lourdes Scholarships will be awarded to deserving graduating High School seniors or existing students of an accredited public or private University / College / Trade School, who are Members in good standing at Our Lady of Lourdes or St. Francis parishes. Scholarships are not based on income and are open to all who qualify. Application packet "MUST" be completed and a) submitted to OLL church office no later than 4-May-2018 by 12:00 noon or be mailed to OLL church office (address below) with a post mark date on or before April 27, 2018.

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, c/o Scholarship Committee, 108, N W 4th Avenue, Mineral Wells, TX 76067.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

MARCH 25

Palm Sunday procession:
From the Church to the Chapel at 6:30 p.m.
From Chapel to the Church at 09:00 a.m.
From Chapel to the Church at 11:30 a.m.

MARCH 29

Holy Thursday celebrations at 7 p.m.
followed by Adoration in the Chapel

MARCH 30

Good Friday: Stations of the Cross at 12 Noon in English in OLL Garden
Stations of the Cross at 3 p.m. in Spanish in OLL Garden
Live Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m. followed by Venerations of the Cross.

EASTER VIGIL SERVICES, MARCH 31

Easter Vigil in Graford at 4:30 pm.
St. Francis Church
Easter Vigil in Mineral Wells at 7 p.m. in the Church

EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 01

Easter Mass in Graford at 8 a.m. St. Francis Church
Easter Mass in English at 10:00 a.m. in the Church
Easter Mass in Spanish at 12 Noon in the Church.

A DAY WITH THE LORD IN ADORATION

We will have all day Adoration from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. April 6, followed by Mass at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel. We request you to kindly sign up for an hour as per your convenience. Signup sheets are available after each Mass.

UN DIA EN EL SEÑOR EN ADORACION

La adoracion sera el 2 de Marzo, el primer Viernes del mes, de 9:00 a.m. a 5:00 p.m., Tendremos misa a las 5:00 despues de Adoracion en Santo Silencio. Les pidimos que aparte una hora segun usted pueda. Las hojas para anotarse estaran disponibles despues de las misas.



WE THANK OUR BULLETIN SPONSORS

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CATHOLIC CHARITIES of FORT WORTH

There are counseling services now available through our parish. Working in Partnership with Our Lady of Lourdes, Catholic Charities Fort Worth will begin providing counseling services at our parish on, assisting individuals and families:

- Through the challenges of raising a child,
- Resolving marital conflict, and
- Coping with depression, anxiety, and the stresses of daily life.

Counseling sessions will be available at Our Lady of Lourdes every other Thursday afternoon from 2-6. Services are available in both English and Spanish. Let us help you find hope and healing: please call the Counseling Program at Catholic Charities at 817-289-3805, or call the parish office for more details.

COMMITTEES & COUNCILS

Finance Committee: Don Crawford, President, 940-325-1043

Parish Council: Margaret Colton, 940-325-6459

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Marriage Preparation: Fr. Balaji Boyalla, 940-325-4789

Preparación de Matrimonio: Deacon Rigoberto & Maria Leyva, 940-327-9200

Baptism Preparation: Dora Calderon, 817-994-2022

Preparación de Bautismo: Elvira Rodriguez, 940-325-9946

RCIA: T. J. Jones, 940-328-0573

RCIA for Children: Maria Jones, 940-328-0573

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

DRE PreK-6th Grade: Maria Jones, 940-328-0573

DRE Jr. & Sr. High: Martha Goleman, 940-452-0601

High School Youth Ministry: Jose DeSantiago & Maria Sotelo

Bible Study: Christina & Richard Landeck

Estudio de Biblia: Efrén y Sanjuana Munoz, 940-463-3510

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

Knights of Columbus: Romeo Benavides: Grand Knight, 817-819-5678

Altar Society: Wanda Davis, President, 940-325-6331

Las Guadalupanas: Laura Ramirez, Presidente, 940-452-7006

Catholic Daughters of the American Court #2501:

Juanita Huddleston 940-452-2372

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Eucharistic Ministers: Holly Huffman: 940-682-1404

Ministros de Eucarístico: Esperanza Villarreal 940-325-4945

Lectors: Holly Huffman: 940-682-1404

Lectores: Victor Turcios. 940-745-5076

Ushers: Jimmy Floyd, 940-325-1094

Altar Servers: Sylvia Saucedo 940-328-5033

Servidores del Altar - Marybel Infante - 940-445-7433

Choir Director: Sandra Crawford, 940-325-1043 9:00 a.m. Mass

Director de Coro: Alicia Gonzalez - 940-455-3481

SUPPORT MINISTRIES

Kitchen Coordinators: Fred Guajardo, 940-325-0689

Webmaster: Jane Nixon, 940-325-1934

Martha's' Ministries Coordinator: Maxine Lefkowski

Grieving Support Group: Juanita Huddleston, 940-325-8749

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