

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 †

Wednesday - March 28

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

11:30 A.M. - Spanish John Flores †

HOLY THURSDAY - March 29

HOLY MASS 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

March 31-April 6 **EASTER SUNDAY**

Saturday - March 31 4:30 P.M. St. Francis, EASTER VIGIL

7:00 P.M. - Church - EASTER VIGIL Sunday - April 01

10:00 A.M. - English For our Parish 12:00 NOON. - Spanish For Our Parish Wednesday - April 04

7:00 A.M. - Chapel Denise Gonzalez †

Thursday - April 05

7:00 A.M. BT Chavira

Friday - April 06

Adoration 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.

Mass at 6:00 P.M. Arturo Rodriguez †

COMING EVENTS

Mar. 27 - Altar Society meeting at 9 p.m. Pallotti Hall.

Mar. 29 - Holy Week activities begin

COLLECTION

Sunday Collection\$

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

Jesus went to Jerusalem knowing full well what awaited him - betrayal, rejection, and crucifixion. The people of Jerusalem, however, were ready to hail him as their Messianic King! Jesus Christ came to bring us the kingdom of God. He is the true King who offers peace, joy, and everlasting life for those who accept his kingship. Does the King of glory find a welcome entry in your heart and home? "Lord Jesus, be the King and Ruler of my heart, mind, life, and home. May my life reflect your meekness and humility that you may be honored as the King of glory!"

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

Habrá Misa y Estaciones de la Cruz en Inglés, todos los viernes a las 5:00 de la tarde en la Capilla.

Habrá Misa y Estaciones de la Cruz en español todos los miércoles 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 Señor.



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 the Chapel Stations of the Cross at 3 p.m. in Spanish in the Chapel 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.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Sat. Mar. 24 6:30 P.M. Mass	Eucharistic Ministers F. Morian L. Wester M. Colton	Lectors J. Nixon T. Gillen	Ushers R. Madrigal R. Kiminski C. Nowak J. Murray	Offertory Family T. Gillen & M. Colton
Sun. Apr. 01 9:00 A.M. Mass	J. Floyd J. Huddleston M. Jones J. Floyd	Phil Rapp Family	H. Huffman J. Saucedo J. Saucedo G. Santibanez	Kram Family

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

4 th Sunday, Mar. 25	1 st Sunday, Apr. 01	2nd Sunday, Apr. 8	3 rd Sunday, Apr. 15	4 th Sunday, Apr. 22
Harrison, D	Elder, M.	Gray, C	Riney, P.	Harrison, D
Howard, M	Elder, A.	Gray, E	Prado, S.	Howard, M
Crawford, N.	Borjon, M.	Rapp, E.	Veloz, M.	Hernandez, M.
	Borjon, G.	Garcia, D		

	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 (Espanol)	
Tuesday - 10:00 A.M Rosary Making Ministry in Pallotti Hall	Thursday - 7:00-9:00 P.M Ministerio Matrimo- nial 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.M6 P.M. All day Adoration in the Chapel	

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 Ath 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.

WE THANK OUR BULLETIN SPONSORS

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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 6:00 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 6:00 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.

MEN'S ACTS RETREAT-2018

Dave Knesek is the Director for the Men's Retreat-2018. Let us pray for the TEAM and men who will be attending the ACTS retreat beginning Thursday, April 13 and ending



on Sunday, April 15. That the TEAM may experience the grace and guidance of the Holy Spirit. We pray and wish them a wonderful time during their preparation. Registrations and information available with Team Members.

2018 NOTRH TEXAS CATHPLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE Fishers of Men's: Take Up Your Cross and Follow Jesus

Saturday, April 21, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Good Shepherd Catholic Community, Colleyville

Guest: Gregory Kelly Auxiliary Bishop Diocese of Dallas; Monsignor Jack Harris and Prison Chaplin Sacred Heart Morrilton, AR; Patrick Coffin Keynote Speaker Catholic Evangelist Radio Host; Deacon Matt Lamoureux Catholic Diocese of Gallop, NM; Dave Palmer GM KATH 910 AM Radio Conference Emcee. Music by THE VIGIL PROJECT. **REGISTER NOW** WWW.NTXCMC.ORG

ATTENTION COORDINATORS

We request all coordinators to make sure that everyone in your group have gone through the Safe Environment Program. This is the order of the United States Bishops Conference; therefore, it is mandatory to all who are involved in any activity in the parish. It is the responsibility of every coordinator to ensure that everyone goes through the Safe Environment Program. Thank you for taking up this additional responsibility.

COMMITTEES & COUNCILS

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

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

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

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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Eucharistic Ministers: Holly Huffman: 940-682-1404

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Servidores del Altar - Marybel Infante

940-445-7433

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

SUPPORT MINISTRIES

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