

## Mass Intentions

### Weekday Mass Intentions

**Monday/Lunes, January 4<sup>th</sup>**

9:00am Parishioners of the Parish

**Tuesday/Martes, January 5<sup>th</sup>**

9:00am Parishioners of the Parish

**Wednesday/Miércoles, January 6<sup>th</sup>**

6:00pm Parishioners of the Parish

7:00pm Miembros de Nuestra Iglesia

**Thursday/Jueves, January 7<sup>th</sup>**

9:00am Parishioners of the Parish

**Friday/Viernes, January 8<sup>th</sup>**

9:00am Parishioners of the Parish

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### Weekend Mass Intentions

**Saturday/Sábado, January 9<sup>th</sup>**

5:00pm †Whitley & Sarah Terry (Lance & Kay Terry)

†Carole Austin (Raymond & María Rodriguez)

**Sunday/Domingo, January 10<sup>th</sup>**

9:00am †Beverly Mueller (Val & Jim Sanders)

†Philip Gudat (Larry & Carol Link)

10:45am Parishioners of the Parish

12:30pm Miembros de Nuestra Iglesia

**Next Week Second Collection is for  
Heating & Cooling Support**



### Classes resume this week

Classes will resume this week on Sunday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> for grades PK-5<sup>th</sup> and on Wednesday, January 6<sup>th</sup> for grades 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>.

### Clases continuaran esta semana

Clases continuaran este domingo 3 de enero para los grados PK -5 y el miércoles 6 de enero para grados 6-12.

### Parent Meeting for First Communion



There will be a parent information meeting on January 17<sup>th</sup> for children receiving First Communion on April 30<sup>th</sup>. It is very important that you attend. We will meet in Room 11/12 in the Education building.

### Junta de Padres para la Primera Comuni3n

Habr3 una junta de informaci3n el 17 de enero para padres quien tengan hijos que vayan hacer su primera comuni3n el 30 de abril. Es muy importante que usted asista a esta junta. Nos juntaremos en los salones 11 y 12 de edificio educacional.



*A* **Season  
for  
Sharing**

The Parish Office will reopen  
tomorrow Monday, January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016.



It is with happy hearts that we welcome Erica Espinosa to our High School Youth Ministry. Erica is currently working as Jr. High Youth Minister and will take on both Jr. High and High School Ministries. If you have any questions, please contact Erica at 817-326-2131.

Con corazones felices le damos la bienvenida a Erica Espinosa al ministerio de j3venes de grados 9-12. Actualmente Erica est3 trabajando con los j3venes de grados 6-8 y tomara cargo de los dos grupos de j3venes. Si tiene preguntas, por favor comuníquese con Erica al 817-326-2131.

### Picture from All Souls Day

If you brought a picture for the altar that was made for All Souls day you may pick it up in the office. Thank you to all who brought a picture and made it a part of the altar.

### Godly Girl and Man Up Postponed

The annual Godly Girl and Man Up retreats that were set to be on January 9-10 have been postponed. We will keep everyone posted on a new date.

## 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Martin Luther King Jr.




### Memorial Mass

Please join Bishop Michael F. Olson for the Diocese of Fort Worth's 30th Annual Martin Luther King, Jr. Mass Friday, January 8, 2016 at 7:00 PM at St. Bartholomew Catholic Church located at 3601 Altamesa Blvd. Fort Worth, TX 76133. A reception will follow Mass.

### Rediscover Jesus Book

The parish will be giving a copy of the book Rediscover Jesus to all families that attend a Christmas Eve or Christmas Day Mass. Beginning on Wednesday, January 6, immediately after the 6:00PM Mass, a new adult small group will begin to read and discuss this book. The book contains a number of short chapters that conclude with points to ponder and questions for the group to discuss. The Wednesday night group will meet in Room 9 of the Religious Education Building; each session will last approximately one hour. Please contact Denny Maunder ([maunder.denny@gmail.com](mailto:maunder.denny@gmail.com)) or Rick Hibbler ([rghibb@gmail.com](mailto:rghibb@gmail.com)) if you would like to discuss this small group opportunity further, or just show up on the evening of January 6!

### Mark Your Calendars! January 16, 2016

 Dinner for Eight – Dine-In & Dinner for Eight – Dine-Out. The annual meeting will be held on Saturday, January 16, 2016 after the 5:00 PM Mass in the Family Life Center. Pot Luck – Please bring a dish to share. This invitation is for all adult parishioners, married or single, to enjoy delicious food and make new friends. You may elect dining-in or dining out or both. Please bring a 3 X 5 index card or paper with the following: Your name(s), address, phone number and e-mail address. In the upper right hand corner, indicate if you want Dine-In or Dine-Out. To be in both groups, please make two cards. We shuffle them up and draw names for each group. Planning your dining schedule is up to each group. You then plan your monthly rotations. Bring questions, suggestions and ideas. Any other questions, call Carol or Bob Lake at 817-279-7546. Cells: Carol – 817-408-9195 Bob – 817-879-9181.

## Worldwide Marriage Encounter



The feast of Epiphany celebrates the Three Magi bringing gifts to the Newborn King. Give the gift of a beautiful, romantic weekend that will do wonders for your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is January 22-24, 2016. Dates fill fast. To apply, visit our website at: <http://www.dfwme.org/apply>. For more information e-mail [apply@dfwme.org](mailto:apply@dfwme.org) or call 469-444-0904. Para más información del Encuentro Matrimonial en Español, escriba a [emmdfw@gmail.com](mailto:emmdfw@gmail.com) o visite <http://www.seccion15.org/>

### Bless Your Door on Epiphany



The gospel tells us that the magi found Christ “on entering the house.” The door to your home is a holy threshold. You can bless those who come in and go out by inscribing above the door in chalk the first two numbers of the year + C + M + B + the last two numbers of the year.

Tradition tells us that the letters stand for the names of the magi: Caspar, Melchior and Balthasar. Adolph Adam points out that it may also mean “*Christus mansionem benedicat*” or “May Christ bless this dwelling.” It’s appropriate to bless your door in January – *janua* means “door” and the first month is the door to the New Year.

After inscribing the doorway, say this prayer:  
God of Bethlehem and Cana,  
God of Jordan’s leaping waters,  
In baptism you bring us into your family.  
You wed us and embrace us as your beloved.  
May we fill this place with kindness to one another,  
With hospitality to guests,  
And with abundant care for every stranger.  
By the gentle light of a star, guide home all who seek  
you on paths of faith, hope and love.  
Then we will join the angels in proclaiming your praise:  
Glory in heaven and peace on earth, now and forever.  
Amen.  
Then sing a Christmas carol!

