We are so glad you are here, and invite you to become involved in our parish. To become a parishioner, please call the parish office or download a form online by visiting our website. If you would like to volunteer in our parish, please send a note to volunteer@saintmartindp.org. New parishioner welcome receptions are held several times throughout the year.

**CELEBRATION OF THE MASS**

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**REQUESTS FOR EUCHARIST FOR THE SICK, HOMEBOUND & HOSPITAL VISITS**

Please call the parish office at 469-287-7624.

Find us on Facebook:
St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church - Frisco/Prosper

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**Pastor:** Rev. Stephen Hauck  
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**Receptionist:** Peggy Salas  
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**Principal:** Susan Flanagan  
sflanagan@smdpcatholic.org
**Twenty-eighth Sunday**

**in Ordinary Time**

**TODAY’S READINGS**

Wis 7:7-11  
Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17  
Heb 4:12-13  
Mk 10:17-30

**Entrance Song:** Gather Us In #303  
**Gloria:** Mass of Creation #878  
**Responsorial Psalm:** page 220  
**Gospel Acclamation:** page 221  
**Offertory Song:** Make Your Home in Me #621  
**Eucharistic Acclamations:** Mass of Creation #879, 880, 881  
**Lamb of God:** Mass of Creation #882  
**Communion:** Blest Are They #629  
**Be Not Afraid** #432  
**Recessional:** We Belong to You #643

*Interested in joining our Music Ministry? We are always looking for cantors, choir members, and instrumentalists! Please see Joe Davison after Mass, or send him an email at jo@saaintmartindp.org*

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**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**October 13**

*Saturday of the 27th Week in Ordinary Time*

5:00 PM Pro Populo

**October 14**

*28th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 AM  William V. Diekmann III and Sharon Diekmann (†)  
9:30 AM  Judy Boehner (†)  
11:30 AM  Mary Anne Bott (†)

**October 15**

*Saint Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church*

8:30 AM  Loraine Coussons (†)

**October 16**

*Saint Hedwig, Religious; Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin*

**October 17**

*Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr*

8:30 AM  Denise Petrey (†)

**October 18**

*Saint Luke, Evangelist*

8:30 AM  N.A. Barnett (†)

**October 19**

*Saints John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs*

8:30 AM  Catherine Coussons

*The practice of requesting a Mass to be offered for loved ones is a beautiful and wonderful part of our Catholic tradition. Mass Intention forms can be found in our parish office, or online at www.saaintmartindp.org/mass-intentions*

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**Has someone in your life shared his/her love of Scripture with you? Would you like to share that love and gift with another?**

Our parish RCIA ministry is in need of donations to purchase Bibles to give to our children and adults inquiring in the RCIA process. RCIA and RCIA adapted for children partipance receive at a special time during the Rite of Acceptance and Welcome. The cost per Bible is $20. Should you wish to donate a Bible, please contact Nikki MacDougall in the parish office for more information: nicoled@saaintmartindp.org. Thank you!
The Eucharist Makes Us the Church

Through the power of Christ’s love we are called to respond to the needs of others. As Catholics, we embrace the gifts we have and joys of life we experience through the eyes of faith. In gratitude, we generously share these gifts. Your gift to the 2019 Annual Diocesan Appeal provides:

Gratitude and Support for the Clergy – through the healthy and holy formation and education of men for the priesthood and permanent diaconate and caring for retired and infirm priests.

Outreach to Rural and Needy Parishes and Schools – through operating grants for faith formation and youth programing, priest salaries, utilities assistance and many other needs.

Hope and Healing for the Poor – to aid the disadvantaged, the disabled and those who are most in need of God's healing grace through Catholic Charities and Correctional Ministry.

Love and Strengthening for Families – through Marriage and Family Life ministries that bind us closer to Christ through our love and respect for one another in families committed to proclaiming the Gospel.

Faith and Formation for Future Generations – Tuition Assistance and Campus Ministry Programs to empower our children, youth and young adults to grow in their Catholic faith in preparation for a life of Christian leadership and service.
A través del poder del amor de Cristo, somos llamados a responder a las necesidades de los demás. Como católicos, aceptamos los dones que tenemos y las alegrías de la vida que experimentamos a través de los ojos de la fe. En agradecimiento, compartimos generosamente estos regalos. Su donativo a la Campana Diocesana Anual 2019 provee:

**Gratitud y Apoyo para el Clero** - a través de la sana y santa formación y educación de los hombres para el sacerdocio y el diácono permanente y el cuidado de los sacerdotes jubilados y enfermos.

**Alcance a las Parroquias y Escuelas Rurales y Necesitadas** - a través de subvenciones operativas para la formación de la fe y la programación juvenil, salarios de sacerdotes, asistencia para utilidades y muchas otras necesidades.

**Esperanza y Sanación para los Pobres** - para ayudar a los desfavorecidos, los discapacitados y aquellos que más necesitan la gracia sanadora de Dios a través de Caridades Católicas y el Ministerio Correccional.

**Amor y Fortalecimiento para las Familias** - a través de los ministerios de Matrimonio y Vida Familiar que nos unen más a Cristo a través de nuestro amor y respeto mutuo en las familias comprometidas con la proclamación del Evangelio.

**Fe y Formación para Generaciones Futuras** - Programas de Asistencia Matricular y del Ministerio a Universitarios para empoderar a nuestros niños, jóvenes y adultos jóvenes a crecer en su fe católica en preparación para una vida de liderazgo y servicio cristiano.

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**ST. FRANCIS CIRCLE**

**Monthly Giving Program**

The program provides a consistent source of funding for our mission as Church. Authorize continuous, monthly credit card or automatic bank account withdrawals. Gifts will repeat for 12 months and continue from year-to-year.

**PROGRAMA DE DONACIONES MENSUALES DE St. Francis Circle**

El programa proporciona una fuente constante de fondos para realizar nuestra misión como Iglesia. Autorice un cargo mensual continuo de su tarjeta de crédito o un débito automático mensual continuo de su cuenta bancaria. Las donaciones se repetirán por 12 meses seguidos y continuarán de año en año.

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Thank you for your prayerful sacrifice and support.

Le agradezco su sacrificio y apoyo.

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_Thank You!_
St. Martin de Porres Catholic School Spirit Night
Tuesday, October 23
5-8pm
Chick-Fil-A (Gates of Prosper location)
1091 S. Preston Rd. in Prosper

Come and enjoy some delicious food while supporting our parish school! Chick-Fil-A will be donating a portion of the sales that evening to benefit St. Martin de Porres Catholic School. Don’t forget to tell the cashier that you are with St. Martin de Porres Catholic School BEFORE you place your order! We hope to see you there! Please note, children must be supervised in the play area.

Box Top Collection

We are now collecting Box Tops for our parish school! Please look for the collection box in the Narthex. To submit Box Tops, please:

1) Cut Box Tops – make sure they haven’t expired.
2) Count the box tops (optional, but greatly appreciated!)
3) Put them in an envelope or zip lock baggie, and place them in the collection box.

Congratulations to the recipients of the September Virtue of the Month for Generosity, Kindness, and Courtesy!
Do you have a box of unused offertory envelopes sitting in a drawer at home? Or, did you sign up for Faith Direct this year to simplify your giving? If so, please let us know! We are in the process of changing vendors for offertory envelopes. If you have received envelopes in the past, but do not want to receive them for 2019, please let Peggy Salas in our parish office know by October 31st so she can take you off the ordering list! She can be reached at 469-287-7624, or by email at peggy@saintmartindp.org. Thank you for your help!

Each day, hunger is experienced in Prosper and our surrounding communities. Bethlehem Place provides nutritious food and hygiene products each Tuesday, so all members of our community can sustain a healthy life. The Pantry is located at 107 S. Church Street in Prosper.

*Bethlehem Place is open for distribution on Tuesdays from 6:00pm - 7:00pm.*

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**Stewardship Information**

**Week Ending October 7, 2018**

Offertory Collection: $8,973.95  
Year to Date Collected: $160,688.24  
Special Collection for 2018 Disasters: $3,404.31

**Last Week’s Mass Attendance**

Saturday, 5:00 PM - 262  
Sunday, 7:30 AM - 153  
Sunday, 9:30 AM - 410  
Sunday, 11:30 AM - 381  
Total Attendance: 1,206

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**Faith Direct**

*inspiring secure giving*

Fall into eGiving through Faith Direct, which is the most convenient and secure way for you to make your weekly offering to St. Martin de Porres. Your automatic contributions through Faith Direct will save valuable time for both you and our parish staff. Simply visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our church code: TX706. Thank you for your continued support!

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- We invite you to join our parish community for **Eucharist Adoration and Evening Prayer THIS Sunday, October 14 from 7-8PM** in the Chapel. This Holy Hour for Healing will be offered on the 2nd Sunday of every month. Please consider joining us for this opportunity to grow closer to our Lord.

- **Calling all Moms!** SMdP is starting a new ministry for Catholic Moms, and we would love for you to join us! Please join us for brunch and fellowship on **Saturday, October 20 from 10-11:30AM** and get to know other moms in the parish as well as the overall vision of this new ministry. RSVP’s are requested. Please send any inquiries or RSVP’s to Niki MacDougall: [nicole@saintmartindp.org](mailto:nicole@saintmartindp.org)

- **Calling all Catholic young married couples!** We are beginning a new ministry at SMdP just for you! Come join us for two upcoming events: **Coffee & Chat After Mass** at Mochas and Javas immediately following the 9:30 Mass on October 21st (we will meet in the narthex of the church before heading over), and **Wine & Cheese Social** at Fortunata Winery on October 26th at 7pm. To find out more details and join our Facebook group, visit: [https://tinyurl.com/smdpyoungmarrieds](https://tinyurl.com/smdpyoungmarrieds). Please RSVP or send any questions to Niki MacDougall: [nicole@saintmartindp.org](mailto:nicole@saintmartindp.org)

- Is your child ready to prepare for **Reconciliation/Eucharist or Confirmation**? If you would like to learn more about the readiness-based preparation approach at SMdP, please attend the Sacrament information meeting on Thursday, October 25 from 6:30-8PM in the Parish Hall. Please note that students who are preparing for sacraments should also be enrolled in SMdP Catholic School or Family Faith Formation. RSVP requested to Niki MacDougall: [nicole@saintmartindp.org](mailto:nicole@saintmartindp.org)

- The next **Exploring our Catholic Faith** session will be held on **October 29 from 7-9PM**. Come meet other parishioners and have an opportunity to talk with Father Stephen as we explore our faith together! The topic will be “Communion of Saints.” Registration is not required; we hope to see you there! (Childcare is not provided)