CHRIST THE KING

ST. MARTIN DE PORRES
CATHOLIC CHURCH

One Word. One Prayer. One Open Heart.

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www.saintmartindp.org

School: 469-362-2400 • School Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8-4
www.smdpcatholic.org

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
Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 am
Monday 8:00 am
Wednesday 8:00 am
Thursday 8:00 am (with school students)
Friday 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm
or by appointment

ADORATION
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday
8:30-1:00 noon & 7:00-9:00 pm
Sunday Holy Hour for Healing will be offered on the 2nd Sunday of every month from 6:30-8:00 pm

REQUESTS FOR EUCHARIST FOR THE SICK, HOMEBOUND & HOSPITAL VISITS
Please call the parish office at 469-287-7624.

PARISH & SCHOOL STAFF

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St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church - Frisco/Prosper
Today’s Readings
2 Sm 5:1-3
Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5
Col 1:12-20
Lk 23:35-43

Today’s Music

Entrance: All Creatures of Our God and King #537
Gloria: Mass of Renewal #862
Responsorial Psalm: page 235
Gospel Acclamation: page 236
Offertory: Worthy is the Lamb #574
Eucharistic Acclamations: Mass of Renewal #865,867,869
Lamb of God: Misa Santa Fe #899
Communion Antiphon: page 237
Communion: Bread of Angels #366, Behold the Lamb #338
Recessional: To Jesus Christ our Sovereign King #733

Interested in joining our Music Ministry? We are always looking for cantors, choir members, and instrumentalists! Please see Joe after Mass, or send him a note: jdlavisson@saintmartindp.org.

Mass Intentions for the Week

As the entire Church remembers our loved ones who have passed, you are invited to write the names of your loved ones in the Book of the Names of the Dead. The book is located outside of the chapel doors. Throughout the month of November, prayers will be offered in their remembrance.

November 23
Saturday of the Thirty-third Week in Ordinary Time
5:00 PM Chris Nguyen (†)

November 24
The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
7:30 AM Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Nephew (†)
9:30 AM Tony Yasilli (†)
11:30 AM Pro Populo

November 25
Saint Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr
8:00 AM Rose Jacobsen (†)

November 26
Tuesday of the Thirty-fourth Week in Ordinary Time

November 27
Wednesday of the Thirty-fourth Week in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM Bernie and Mary Semler (†)

November 28
Thanksgiving Day
10:00 AM Deceased Members of the Kloiber Family (†)

November 29
Friday of the Thirty-fourth Week in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM Kenneth Kloiber (†)

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.saintmartindp.org/intentions-and-prayers.

Please join us for Thanksgiving Day Mass on Thursday at 10:00 AM. If you would like to have an item from your Thanksgiving table blessed, please bring it with you.

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed on Thursday and Friday. We wish you a blessed and happy Thanksgiving!

Fall Festival Update

Our inaugural Fall Festival was a wonderful community building event! With games and rides, food and entertainment (and even a llama!), our attendance estimate was 1,000 people and generated approximately $3,700 to be split between our parish and school. A big shout out to our Fall Festival Committee led by Rob and Samantha Daleo for all their hard work to get this festival off the ground.

Many thanks to all our volunteers who helped on Festival Day – school families, parishioners, and the Knights of Columbus from both SMdP and Holy Cross councils – without everyone’s help, this event would not have been the success that it was.

We will be starting to plan for Fall Festival 2020 early in the new year. Please be on the lookout for meeting announcements and calls for committee members. We will need even more help next year - please think about joining us!

Fr. Stephen Hanek
**Offertory Information**

**November 16-17 Offertory**
Offertory Collection: $8,323.90  
All Saints: $5.00  
Deficit Reduction: $3,878.80  
Year to date Offertory Collected: $276,526.84

**Total Weekend Mass Attendance:** 1,505  
Saturday 5:00 PM - 312  
Sunday 7:30 AM - 167  
Sunday 9:30 AM - 474  
Sunday 11:30 AM - 552

Visit [https://membership.faithdirect.net/TX706](https://membership.faithdirect.net/TX706) to support St. Martin de Porres today!

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Eucharistic Adoration is when we worship the Eucharist outside of Mass. It is so important to slow down in our busy, stressful lives! Adoration allow us to spend time with our Lord, and feel His love and presence. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to experience the love of Christ present in the Most Holy Sacrament, and receive strength, consolation, and support from Him. He is waiting for you!

**Our next Holy Hour for Healing with a Service of Lessons and Carols will be on Sunday, December 8 from 6:30-8 PM. Please join us!**

Our hope is to expand our current Adoration times, but we need more people to commit to particular hours. To make sure exposition can safely take place, at least one volunteer must remain with our Lord at all times. No training is required! To sign up as an Adoration volunteer, please visit [www.saintmartindp.org/adoration](http://www.saintmartindp.org/adoration) and click on our Sign-Up Genius link.

*If you have questions or would like to know more, please contact Deacon Jack Gardner by sending him a note at DeaconJack@saintmartindp.org.*

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**After your turkey has been stuffed, come help us stuff our new hymnals!**  
We have about 600 hymnals that will need to be removed from the hard covers, and replaced with new books. **This will need to be done on Friday, November 29 at 10 AM in the choir room to ensure they are ready for the weekend masses.**  
If you are able to help, please email volunteer@saintmartindp.org.

**Do you love to meet new people?**  
Our newly-formed **Welcoming Ministry** is looking for volunteers to help us welcome our newest parish families. Our goal is to walk with new families and help them see all of the wonderful ways that they can get involved in our vibrant parish by praying, adoring, connecting, and serving. We need people who are excited to reach out to invite new families to Parish Events, chat over a cup of coffee or just be a source of help for a new family. Interested? Please contact Deacon Jack Gardner at DeaconJack@saintmartindp.org

**Would you like a reserved seat for mass?** Join the Choir! You do not need to be able to read music, but must be able to match pitch. In other words, sing in tune. Weekly rehearsal is held on Tuesday evenings from 7-9 in the choir room of the Parish Hall. Can’t make the evening rehearsal because of work or traffic? Joe is considering adding a weekday rehearsal as well! Stop by after mass to speak with him, or let him know you’re interested via email at jdavisson@saintmartindp.org.

**St. Michael Ministry:** Come learn about how to protect those in our Parish through the new St. Michael Ministry Team. We are looking for volunteers willing to be trained and organized in vigilance and response in order to help keep everyone safe during masses. Current or prior law enforcement welcome! We are also organizing a medical team component. If you are a trained medical professional, we need your assistance, too! Please send a note to volunteer@saintmartindp.org for more information.
Please be generous in this week’s special collection, which supports the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in six people live in poverty. Through this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for people across the country who struggle. In addition 25% of the funds we collect will remain in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. We ask that you prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. Please remember that 25% of the funds collected remain in the Diocese of Fort Worth to help fund local anti-poverty efforts. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org/cchd/

Advent Penance Service
December 2
7-9 PM

Catholic Charities of Fort Worth invite you to join us for a one-hour program and tour we call our KNOW Poverty Hour. These sessions will allow you to see the work of Catholic Charities first-hand, and are designed to increase awareness of poverty in our area and engage the community in our efforts to end it.

During this time, you will meet one of the agency’s visionary leaders and some of the great staff. The sessions are NOT fundraisers, and are at Catholic Charities of Ft Worth, 249 W Thornhill, Ft Worth, TX 76115.

The next KNOW Poverty Hour is on Tuesday, December 17 from 2:00 - 3:00 PM. You must RSVP to attend at 817-289-0402 or knowpoverty@ccdofw.org.
November 17, 2019

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On Sunday, November 24, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. In 1925 Pope Pius XI established this celebration in response to the growing assault of secularism upon the influence of our faith in our daily lives and in the activities and institutions of our society. This solemnity should remind us that Christ and His Kingdom are never simply a private matter of individuals but that all that we do should be directed to making His Kingdom affective especially among the lives of the poor and the most vulnerable.

At the celebration of Mass on this solemnity, the Diocese of Fort Worth will take up the national collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). Your support for this collection empowers those living in poverty to transform their communities through establishing greater access to just participation in the common good by education and employment. In addition to making a national impact, we empower those living in poverty in our own diocese, because 25% of the funds we collect stay here.

For example, Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Seymour, Texas is one of eight active Christian congregations that are members of the local Seymour Ministerial Alliance (SMA). The SMA offers vouchers for food, clothing, gas, and other assistance to those in dire need of assistance. CCHD two years ago granted funds to set up a mini-motel room at a local church for emergency, safe, and temporary housing for those who are homeless and without shelter as a step towards returning them to an active participation and contribution within the common good of society.

Thanks to your generosity to CCHD, our brothers and sisters across the country are breaking out of the cycle of poverty as a sign of the Kingdom of God. Your support for this collection makes a difference for people living in poverty across the United States. Please prayerfully consider how you can help CCHD this year. For more information about the collection and the people it supports, visit www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

With every good wish for you and for the just flourishing of Christ’s Kingdom in our world I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Michael F. Olson

The Most Reverend Michael F. Olson, STD, MA
Bishop of Fort Worth

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Waiting with God

Men’s Advent Retreat
December 5 - 8, 2019

Advent is not only a time of waiting for God but also waiting with God. Join us as we embark on this holy season by "waiting well" in the Presence of God.

Retreat Director

Fr. Roy Joseph, S.J.

Register at: MontserratRetreat.org/men
Or call 940-321-6020
HOLIDAY
Masses and Events
at St. Martin de Porres

December 2
Advent Penance Service 7-9PM
No Evening Adoration

December 8
Holy Hour for Healing with a Service of Lessons and Carols 6:30-8PM

December 23
No Evening Adoration

Christmas Eve
Masses at 4PM (Children's Mass) and 7PM
No Adoration

Christmas Day
Mass at 10AM
No Adoration

December 31
No Daily Mass or Adoration

New Year's Day
Masses at 10AM and 6:30PM

The Parish Office will be closed December 24-January 1.
and will re-open on January 2.