

Readings and Mass Intentions

Sunday, Aug. 24

Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8/
Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20

8:00 a.m. Mass

10:30 a.m. Mass

Monday, Aug. 25 - St. Genesius the Actor

2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5/
Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday, Aug. 26 - St. Emily de Vialar

2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/
Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday, Aug. 27 - St. Monica

2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18/Ps 128:1-2, 4-5/
Mt 23:27-32

9:00 a.m. Mass..... Gordon Eastman †

Thursday, Aug. 28 - St. Augustine

1 Cor 1:1-9/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/
Mt 24:42-51

9:00 a.m. Mass

Friday, Aug. 29

1 Cor 1:17-25/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11/
Mk 6:17-29

9:00 a.m. Mass..... Robert Laurent †

Saturday, Aug. 30 - St. Jeanne Jugan

1 Cor 1:26-31/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20-21/
Mt 25:14-30

5:30 p.m. Mass.....Joan Leslie

Sunday, Aug. 31

Jer 20:7-9/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/
Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27

8:00am..... Kathleen Deeks

10:30 a.m. Mass

Returning our Treasure in Thanksgiving Financial Information thru the week

Weekly Need:\$11,350.00

Weekly Actual:.....\$10,379.35

Feast of the Assumption:\$3,271.00

Attendance:569

Church Debt Loan

Balance:\$834,914.65

Property Loan Balance:\$489,420.16

(as of 7/21/14)

Blessed Among Us Dom Helder Camara Archbishop of Redive (1909-1999)

Dom Helder Camara, who died on August 27, 1999, was one of the great prophets and apostles of Christian nonviolence. He embodied the Church's "option for the poor" and defined through his actions the intimate relationship between love and justice.

He began his career as a conservative priest. His work in the slums of Rio de Janeiro, however, had a radicalizing influence. Charity was not sufficient, he concluded; what was needed was social justice. His appointment as archbishop of Recife in 1964 coincided with a brutal military coup. Immediately Dom Helder stepped forward as a champion of democracy and human rights, a role that earned him the nickname "the red bishop". He was repeatedly threatened with death, and for thirteen years his name was banned from any newspaper in Brazil.

Despite his anger in the face of injustice, Dom Helder conveyed a deep spirit of interior peace and joy. He spoke frequently of the need for an "Abrahamic minority", the small community of those in each generation who keep hope alive and who are willing to risk security and comfort to seek the "promised land". From his see in Recife, Dom Helder served as an inspiration to that minority, a universal bishop to the poor, a pastor to all who struggled for peace and justice.

"When I feed the poor they call me a saint. When I ask why so many are poor they call me a communist."—Dom Helder Camara



RCIA News

Classes will begin
Wednesday, September 24th
7:00-8:30

The first week will be
an information session.
Call the parish office
if you want to attend.

The 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time August 24, 2014

In today's Gospel, we encounter the first use of the word "church" in the Gospels. The Greek word *ekklesia* is only found here and in Matthew 18. While common in Acts and the New Testament letters, it is rare in the Gospels. Jesus usually used the term "kingdom of heaven" or "kingdom of God" rather than "church".

For Reflection: Why do you think Jesus preached "the kingdom" instead of the "the church"? Though God's ways are "unsearchable", is there a way that Scripture and prayer can bring us closer to beginning to understand God's mind?

CCD Online Registration is Open

You must be registered with Holy Redeemer to register for CCD.
Classes Begin September 7th
Kindergarten - 8th grade will meet on
Sundays from 9:15 am-10:15 am.
Confirmation Year 1 & Year 2 will meet
on Sundays from 11:45-1:45 pm.

CCD Cost: \$40.00 per child with a
maximum of \$120 per family.
There is additional cost for sacramental
years.

\$20 for First Reconciliation and First
Communion
\$130 for Confirmation Year 1 & Year 2
(includes retreat)

Please register online at www.holyredeemeredo.org
Registrations and payments will be
accepted in the narthex on August 24th.
Please consider volunteering in our
Religious Education program.
If you have any questions, please
contact Laura Clements at laura@holyredeemeredo.org or
817-441-3500.

**UPCOMING EVENTS
& ACTIVITIES**

- Aug 24: Bible Study 5:00**
- Aug 25: Bible Study 6:30**
- Aug 25: Boy Scouts 7:00**
- Aug 26: Bea's Quilting Group 9:00**

The Holy Redeemer Home School Group will be collecting school supplies and backpack donations for the Fort Worth Catholic Charities. Please drop off items in the collection box in the Narthex.

We will collect items until September 15th.

Moving this Summer?

Please update your contact information with the parish office.

YOUTH GROUP NEWS



Our high school youth group met for a planning/pizza party and had some great fellowship time and a productive planning meeting for the 2014-2015 year. Watch the bulletin for details about the events and meetings.

COMMUNITY NEWS

2nd Annual Gift of Adoption Fair

Sponsored by Grace House Ministries (Doss Heritage Center, Weatherford)

September 7, 2014

3:00-6:00

This is an opportunity for families to talk with a variety of agencies to get answers to questions about the adoption and foster care journey.

Ladies Retreat at Montserrat

Lake Dallas September 11-14

A retreat at Montserrat provides the opportunity for you to get away from the many demands of daily living and deepen your faith and prayer life while enjoying a peaceful, lakeside setting.

www.montserratretreat.org

Call parish office to register

FYI...

The church does have an AED unit located in the hallway on the wall outside of the parish office. In event of an emergency, notify an usher and they will get the key to unlock the unit from Monsignor or Deacon.



Turn your recyclable items into cash for our Youth Program!

Take your metal, plastic, paper, fabrics, carpet, car batteries, electronics and appliances to Momentum Metals & Recycling

(Located on the west bound access road of I20, between Mikus Road and Highway 180)

Just tell them to donate the money to the Holy Redeemer account.

We have a new selection of Lighthouse CDs available for purchase. Please stop by and check out the display in the hallway next to the parish office. The cost per CD is \$3.00.

DIocese NEWS

Fall RE Classes for deaf / hard of hearing children

Wednesday evenings at St. John the Apostle in North Richland Hills
Contact Connie Martin for information
817-560-3300 or cmartin@fwdioc.org

Save the Date

Bishop Olson will celebrate the Red Mass on Sept. 25 at 6:00 pm at St. Patrick Cathedral. (for all public officials and their families)

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ARE CALLED TO SERVE:

SATURDAY, AUG. 30 • 5:30 PM

ALTAR SERVERS

PS - Reagan Knesek PS - Rachel Knesek

LECTORS

Elizabeth Weaver Julia Murphey

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Mark Hojnacki Shawn Parks
Karen Marsh Patricia Devlin

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SUNDAY, AUG. 31 • 8:00 AM MASS

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HOLY REDEEMER'S PRAYER INTENTION BOOK

Please continue to remember and pray for all those listed in the prayer intention book and those listed below.

Remember in Prayer -

Recuerde en Oración

Amy Chapin, Virginia Sabin, Patricia Sabin, Gordon Eastman+