

Readings and Mass Intentions

SUN, MARCH 1

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19/1 Rom 8:31b-34/
Mk 9:2-10

8:00 a.m. Mass.....Frannie Rahn †

**10:30 a.m. Mass.....Beatrice Semien †
and Chase Roth**

MON, MARCH 2

Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/
Lk 6:36-38

TUE, MARCH 3 - St. Katharine Drexel

Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and
23/Mt 23:1-12

WED, MARCH 4

Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/
Mt 20:17-28

9:00 a.m. Mass.....Maurice Mudd †

THU, MARCH 5

Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/
Lk 16:19-31

9:00 a.m. Mass..Holy Souls in Purgatory

FRI, MARCH 6 - St. Colette

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17,
18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

9:00 a.m. Mass..Holy Souls in Purgatory

SAT, MARCH 7 - St. Perpetua and Felicity

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10,
11-12/Lk 15:18

5:30 p.m. Mass.....Jean Callahan †

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

Betty Barbo, Franie Rahn, Christian Rodriguez and Steve Rogers

Returning our Treasure in Thanksgiving

Financial Information thru the week of Feb. 21st & 22nd:

Weekly Need:.....\$11,350.00

Ash Wednesday

(Eastern & Central Europe):\$3,531.20

Weekly Actual:.....\$ 10,620.12

2nd Collection

(Black & Indian Missions):...\$ 1,544.33

Attendance:674

Church Debt Loan Balance:.\$584,422.87

Property Loan Balance:.....\$464,413.09

(as of 12/19/14)

Blessed Among Us

Martin Niemoeller

Confessing Pastor (1892-1984)

Martin Niemoeller served as a highly decorated German U-boat commander in World War I. Though he became a Lutheran pastor, he continued to dream of national glory, and he supported the cause of National Socialism. Nevertheless, within months of Hitler's rise to power he felt uneasy with the Nazis' hateful extremism. He further rejected the "German Christian Movement", which identified the Gospel with Nazi ideology. When anti-Jewish legislation was applied to Christian pastors of "non-Aryan" extraction, he organized a petition of protest. This later became the seed of the so-called Confessing Church.

On July 1, 1937, Niemoeller was arrested and imprisoned, where he remained until the end of the war. As he learned of the extent of the Nazi crimes, he felt shame for not having spoke out earlier—especially on behalf of the Jews. Parting company with many Germans who refused to acknowledge any complicity with Hitler, he drafted a confession of guilt for the churches, which emphasized the Christian role in fostering a climate of anti-Semitism.

In later years, in light of the threat of nuclear war, Niemoeller realized that he could no longer justify any use of violence. As he described the key to his ethical principles, he simply asked, "What would Jesus do?" He died on March 6, 1984, at ninety-two.

"When the Nazis came for the Communists, I was silent, because I was not a Communist...When they came for the Jews, I was silent. And when they came to get me, there was no one left to speak."—Pastor Martin Niemoeller

Should we practice abstinence

on Sundays during Lent?

Technically, Sundays are not part of Lent. Although we celebrate them liturgically as part of Lent, the Lord's Day cannot be a day of fast and abstinence. Six weeks of Monday through Saturday gives you 36 days. If you add to them Ash Wednesday and the three days after it, you get the 40 days of Lent. Some people may find it easier to "give up" something for the entire time between Ash Wednesday and Easter, but Sundays are not part of the 40 days.

Mass with Bishop Olson

Bishop Michael Olson

Will be celebrating Mass at

Holy Redeemer

On March 15th

at the 10:30 Mass

A potluck social will follow.

Please bring a dish to share.

Lector refresher training

March 7th @ 4:30 and March 8th @ 9:15

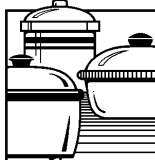
Parish Hall III

Simple Soup Dinner & Stations of the Cross

Each Friday during Lent we will have a Simple Soup dinner in the Parish Hall from 6:00-7:00. Following dinner, we will proceed to the sanctuary for Stations of the Cross and Benediction from 7:00-8:00. All are welcome to attend.

Schedule for ministries to serve.

Please be here early to set up, bring a meatless soup, and clean up.



March 6Monday night Adult Bible Study

March 13Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Study

March 20Moms' Group

March 27Men's Group (Fish Fry)

Spring Break

There will be no RE classes the weekends of March 7th & 8th and March 14th & 15th due to spring break. Classes will resume on Sunday, March 22nd, 2015. There will also be no youth group or RCIA on Wednesday, March 11th.

Have a happy and safe spring break!

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

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| Mar 1: EOM Training 11:30 | Mar 4: RCIA 7:00 |
| Mar 2: Rosary Making 10:30 | Mar 5: ACTs 6:30 |
| Mar 2: Adult Bible Study 6:30 | Mar 6: First Friday 9:30 |
| Mar 2: Boy Scouts 7:00 | Mar 6: Simple Soup Dinner 6:00 |
| Mar 3: Men's Group 6:30 | Mar 6: Stations/Benediction 7:00 |
| Mar 4: Wednesday Morning Ladies 9:30 | Mar 7: Lector Training 4:30 |
| Mar 4: Youth Group 6:30 | Mar 8: Lector Training 9:15 |



Our Catechumens and Candidates attended the Bishop's Rite of Election & Call to Continuing Conversion on February 14th.

Daylight Savings Time begins next Sunday, March 8th. Don't forget to "spring" your clocks forward 1 hour!



Children's Choir Rehearsal March 22nd and 29th 9:00-9:15

In choir room
All children 1st thru 6th
are invited to participate
We will be singing on March 29th for Palm Sunday at the 10:30 Mass

SAT, MARCH 7 • 5:30 PM

ALTAR SERVERS
PS - Graham Zeigler PS - Kate Mayer
LECTORS

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
USHERS

Mike Barron Tom Merkley
Wayne Mohr Rose Young

SOUND BOARD

SUN, MARCH 8 • 8:00 AM MASS

ALTAR SERVERS
PS - Ben Clements PS - Brian McGee
LECTORS

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
USHERS

Lorren Mott Duane Knesek
Kandi Smith

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SUN, MARCH 8 • 10:30 AM MASS

ALTAR SERVERS
PS - Scott Tudor PS - Adam Williams
LECTORS

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
USHERS

Rene Chavez Caitlyn Andrews
Tom Edmonston Donald Woodall

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Holy Redeemer Lenten Penance Service Monday, March 23rd, 2015 7:00 pm

Additional Lenten Penance Services
Holy Family on March 16th @ 7:00pm
St. Bartholomew on March 23rd @ 7:00pm
St. Thomas the Apostle/Holy Trinity Mission on March 26th @ 7:00pm

COMMUNITY NEWS

Freedom House Easter Baskets

We are having our annual project to collect items for Easter Baskets for the children of Freedom House. Please sign up in the Narthex for items needed and return to the church by March 21st.

Math and Science tutors needed for Catholic Charities

1-2 hours per week,
introductory level subjects
For additional information, contact
kwhitley@ccdofw.org

The RE classes are holding a Lenten food drive to benefit the Center of Hope.

If you would like to contribute, the following items are requested: Cake mix (K), cans of fruits/veg (1st), brownie mix (2nd), box of pudding/jello (3rd), hamburger helper (4th), rice mix (5th), potato mix (6th), hamburger helper (7th), rice or potato mix (8th).

DIocese NEWS

Lenten Discernment Series

For men 16-35 years of age
Mondays during Lent 6:00-8:00
St. Patrick Cathedral
Call 817-945-9321 for additional info and to register

Diocesan Day of Reflection for Women

March 19th
St. Patrick Cathedral
Keynote speaker will be Bishop Olson