

O my Jesus, in union with all the angels and the saints.  
I adore thee in the most Holy Sacrament in which thou art concealed for the love of me.  
I adore thee as my Lord, my God, my Creator, and my Redeemer. Amen

### ADULT SAFE ENVIRONMENT AWARENESS SESSION

Renewing Current Volunteers Only: "A Plan To Protect Adults", a Safe Environment Awareness Session is scheduled as follows:

**Date:** Saturday, August 12, 2023

**Time:** 1:00– 3:00pm

**Location:** Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Abbott Texas in the Smit Center, behind the church on Southside.

### ADULT SAFE ENVIRONMENT AWARENESS SESSION

**Renewing Current Volunteers & "New" Ministry Volunteers:** Protecting God's Children for Adults", a Safe Environment Awareness Session is scheduled as follows:

**Date:** Sunday, August 13, 2023

**Time:** 1:00– 4:00pm

**Location:** Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church, Hillsboro Texas, Parish Hall

Please Note: Adult Safe Environment Awareness Session for Adult Volunteers is REQUIRED PRIOR TO SERVING in Parish Ministries. Please contact Jeryl Hejl, Safe Environment Coordinator, at (254) 707-1411 for any questions. To register online for a session please go to <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/index.cfm>

### LOCAL EVENTS

#### Tuesday (October 3, 2023) CDA West Gift Card Raffle

Three prizes: \$4000.00, \$3000.00, and \$2000 Visa Gift Cards Tickets are \$100.00 each; only 300 tickets sold.

For tickets please contact Tappy Vanek (254) 722-1742.

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### The Transfiguration of the Lord

August 6, 2023

### CONTACT US

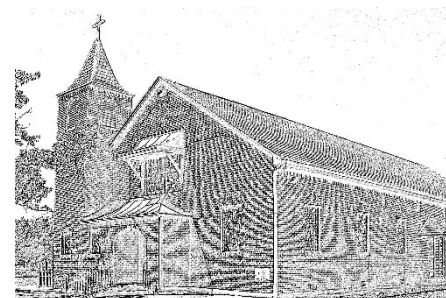
254-580-8458 (Deacon Denver Crawley)

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Parish Website: nbvm.org

Diocesan Website: fwdioc.org

A full list of Parish Staff and Ministry Leaders can be found on our parish website.



### MASS SCHEDULE

**Sunday:** 10:00 am

**Thursday:** 8:00 am

**Friday:** 8:00 am

#### Sacrament of Penance:

After Mass on Sunday, 7:30am Thursday and Friday

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### Weekly Schedule:

Date	Day	Time	MASS INTENTION	PARISH EVENT
8/6	Sunday	10:00 am	+Michael Watson, Jr.	Sacrament of Penance after Mass
8/10	Thursday	10:00 am	+Deanell Crawley	
8/11	Friday	8:00 am	+Lou Cuevas	Sacrament of Penance 7:30 am
8/13	Sunday	10:00 am	+Joe David Slovak	Sacrament of Penance after Mass

The Sanctuary Light will burn this week in Memory of Patrick Kucera

### The Bazaar is drawing closer and will be held Sunday, September 17, 2023.

Thank you to all who donated towards the Raffle. Tickets will be distributed soon. If you have any items for the auction that you would like to donate or drop off please contact David Holub (254) 716-0492 or you may bring the auction item to the Nativity Parish Rectory on Sundays.

**NOTICE:** We would like to start a Penelope NBVM RCIA team to serve in our parish. If you are interested in serving as part of this team or would like more information please contact Deacon Denver or Kelly Dudik.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** - Please prayerfully consider volunteering to help with our Penelope NBVM CCD program this 2023-2024 year. Classes will begin Sept 20th. For more information contact Kelly Dudik at 254 709 3022.

Next Week's Attendants		
8/13/2023	SERVERS	READER
	Cross: Lillian Dudik Audrey Dudik	David Holub
	USHERS	GIFT BEARERS
	Adam Dudik David Holub Joey Jaska David Kucera	Adam & Kelly Dudik
	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	GREETERS
		Derek Lednický David Lednický

PRAYER LIST			Parrish-Lednický, Deborah
Abby, Linda	Hanzlicek, Pam	Matus, Brian	Peoples, Jessica
Altamirano, Salvador	Holacka, Dorothy	Matus, Herman & Joann	Perras, Jean
Baily, Samuel	Jackson, Heather	Mikuda, George	Roessler, John & Alma
Carlie, Carolyn	Knapek, Lottie	Miller, Janet	Roskos, David
Carr, Phyllis	Kral, Donna	Miller, Jim	Short, Meredith
Disher, Benjamin	Kriss, Jr., Robert	Mills, Adira	Sulak, Andrea
Dudik, Ronnie	Lander, Kevin	Moreno, Jr., Perfecto	Talley, Renee
Dvorak, Mary Ann	Lopez, Angel	Mynarcik, Diane	Taylor, Kent
Fleming, Bert & Barbara	Lozano, Mary	Nors, Kaitlin	Walker, Travis
Fulton, Eugene	Machac, Matthew	Oelrich, Don	Watson, Troy
Glaessman, Gary	Martin, Brantley	Ohnhieser, Bernice	Weber, Shelby

It is not necessary to be a member of the parish to be added to the list. You will not be put on the prayer list without your permission. **To have anyone added or removed, please contact Janice Chase via phone, text, or email at (254) 723-7943 or [jac76707@yahoo.com](mailto:jac76707@yahoo.com).** Only the person requesting, or the person being prayed for can request removal from the list.

WE INVITE EVERYONE TO PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS THIS YEAR. THE 2022-2023 SEMINARIAN DAILY PRAYER LIST CAN BE FOUND AT [FWDIOC.ORG/SEMINARIAN-PRAYER-LIST-DEC-2022-ENGLISH.PDF](http://FWDIOC.ORG/SEMINARIAN-PRAYER-LIST-DEC-2022-ENGLISH.PDF). FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT THE VOCATIONS OFFICE.

*"...then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.'" - MATTHEW 17:5*

When Peter, James and John heard this they immediately fell prostrate to the ground and they "were very much afraid." We, too, may respond the same way when we hear God's voice. How many times do you become fearful when invited to participate more fully in the life of the Church? Or, when someone says something negative about the Church, are you afraid to respond? Remember, we too, are beloved sons and daughters of God; Jesus is there to help us, but we need to listen.

**RCIA** - Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic (RCIA) should contact Kelly Dudik at (254) 709-3022 for more information.

COLLECTION 7/30/2023	
Envelopes	\$ 585.00
Loose	\$ 170.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 755.00</b>

**NATIVITY PARISH HALL RENTALS:** Contact Debbie Lednický 254-709-6003.  
**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Contact Janice Chase 254-826-3977 or [jac76707@yahoo.com](mailto:jac76707@yahoo.com)  
 {Announcements due by Wednesday, noon, to be included the following Sunday}3**SANCTUARY LIGHT & MASS INTENTIONS:** Contact Janice Chase 254-826-3977  
 (Suggested donation \$5.00 per intention. Intentions may be placed in the collection basket)

**CLMMUNION FOR SHUT-INS:** Contact Marcella Sinkule 254-826-3860