

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

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.

The 2023 RED-C Catholic Radio KYAR 98.3 FM Benefit Dinner is coming up Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at the Knights of Columbus Hall in West. Our keynote speaker will be Dr. David Anders, host of EWTN's daily show, "Called to Communion." Join us for Dr. Anders presentation on "Finding Christ in the Catholic Church," as well as fun, fellowship, and delicious food. **To reserve a table or individual seats go to [redcradio.org](http://redcradio.org) or call Deacon Robin Waters at 254-749-4937.**

**Come and See Weekend** – Vocations Weekend Retreat, November 3-5, 2023, St. Joseph Seminary College, Covington, LA. Vocations weekend retreat for men in High School and College Ages 16 and Older. NO COST. Transportation provided to and from seminary. Please register no later than October 27, 2023. For those who are or will be 18 years of age at the time of the event, you will be required to register and complete the Safe Environment training. For more information, please email or call the vocations office: [vocations@fwdioc.org](mailto:vocations@fwdioc.org) or call (817) 945-9321

**Ageing with Grace** – A Catholic workshop for empty nesters, retirees, caregivers and their loved ones. Thursday, October 26, 2023, 10:00am-3:00pm, Sacred Heart Catholic Parish, 1501 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Wichita Falls, TX 76301. \$15 per person/\$25 per couple (Includes lunch, snacks and materials). Advance registration is REQUIRED and is limited to 50 participants. To learn more or to register: <https://www.advancementfoundation.org/aging-with-grace>.

**LOCAL EVENTS**

**NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY  
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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**Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
October 22, 2023

**CONTACT US**

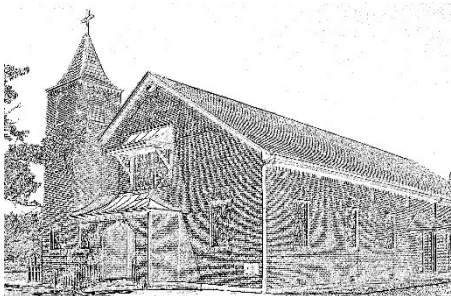
254-580-8458 (Deacon Denver Crawley)

Parish Email: [penelopecatholicchurch@windstream.net](mailto:penelopecatholicchurch@windstream.net)

Parish Website: [nbvm.org](http://nbvm.org)

Diocesan Website: [fwdioc.org](http://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

## Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 22, 2023

### Weekly Schedule:

Date	Day	Time	MASS INTENTION	PARISH EVENT
10/15	Sunday	10:00 am	+Patrick Kucera	Sacrament of Penance after Mass
10/19	Thursday	8:00 am	+Deanell Crawley	
10/20	Friday	8:00 a	+Lou Cuevas	Sacrament of Penance 7:30 am
10/22	Sunday	10:00 am	+Evelyn Makovy	Sacrament of Penance after Mass

The Sanctuary Light will burn this week in Memory of Mary Ann Fabian

### Second Collection: “Hearts on fire, feet on the move,” in Support of World Mission Sunday

Today, World Mission Sunday, Pope Francis reminds us that like on the road to Emmaus, our missionary journey renews our zeal for evangelization in today’s world. Joining Catholics worldwide this Sunday, we offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, to the Pope’s missions. When you contribute to the World Mission Sunday collection, you make it possible for the Pope to provide mission support to:

- 844,000 catechists teaching the faith
- 258,540 Religious Sisters caring for children and families
- 80,000 seminarians preparing for the priesthood
- 26 million children in primary schools
- 9,000 clinics caring for the sick and dying
- 10,000 homes for orphaned children and the elderly

Your prayers are most treasured, and they, along with financial help offered today, WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, answer Christ’s call to be His witnesses. Thank you!

### .Enriching our Catholic Faith and our Love of God

Our classes have resumed on Sunday’s after Mass and will conclude at the end of the Easter Season in 2024. The classes are for all current parishioners along with anyone interested in becoming Catholic. The classes will focus on increasing our faith using Holy Scripture, The Catechism of the Catholic Church and supplemented with Ascension Press videos. If you have any questions please see Deacon Denver after Mass.

		Next Week’s Attendants	
10/29/2023	SERVERS	READER	GIFT BEARERS
	Cross: Gabriel Kucera Jocelyn Kucera	Jean Disher	Larry & Jennifer Mynarcik
	USHERS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	GREETERS
	Adam Dudik David Holub Joey Jaska David Kucera		Derek Lednický Deven Lednický

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

**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.

**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.

**“Render therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar’s and to God the things that are God’s. - MATTHEW 22:21**

Everything we are and everything we have belongs to God. We aren’t “owners” of anything, we are merely “stewards” of the gifts God has given each of us. All God is asking is that we give back a portion of what He gave us. This is the essence of Stewardship. God should be our first priority in everything. All else comes second, especially our money.

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

COLLECTION 10/15	
Envelopes	\$ 819.00
Loose	\$ 233.00
Second Collection	\$ 30.00
Memorial	\$ 1000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2082.00</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)*  
**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