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

Aging with Grace – A Catholic workshop for empty nesters, retirees, caregivers and their loved ones will be held on Saturday, July 20, 2024 from 10:00am – 3:00pm at St. Rita Catholic Church, 5550 E. Lancaster, Fort Worth 76112. Advance registration is REQUIRED and is limited to 50 participants. \$15 per person/\$25 per couple (includes lunch, snacks and materials) To learn more or register visit: https://www.advancementfoundation.org/aging-with-grace

Quo Vadis 2024 – July 26, 2024. Quo Vadis is a FREE one-day vocation discernment for young men in High School who are living in the Diocese of Fort Worth. The camp is a rare chance for High School young men grades 9-12 to begin considering their vocation from God by speaking with priests and seminarians. Retreat will be held at Montserrat Jesuit Retreat House, 600 N Shady Shores Rd., Lake Dallas, Friday, July 26, 2024 from 7:30am – 3:00pm. For more information and registration contact the Vocations Office at (817) 945-9321.

World Mission Sunday 2024 (Day of Reflection, Saturday, August 17, 2024) – Day of reflection with Rev. Ron Rolheiser. "Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet," Saturday, August 17, 2024 from 9:30am – 5:00pm at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Arlington. Secure your spot for \$25 (Registration, lunch and refreshments inclusive), https://fwdioc.org/day-of-reflection

CDA Visa Gift Card Raffle with 7 prizes: \$3000, \$2000, \$1500, \$1000, \$750, \$500 and \$250 Visa Gift Cards. Tickets are \$100 each; only 350 tickets will be sold. Winners are responsible for taxes per IRS and Texas law. The drawing will be held Sunday, July 14, at the CDA Taste of West fundraiser at the KC Hall in West. For ticket information, contact Stephanie (Tappy) Vanek (254-722-1742), or Marcella Sinkule (254) 709-2343

EVENTS

Sunday (July 21, 2024) Cottonwood Picnic – Cottonwood Hall

A friend chicken & sausage meal with all the trimmings is scheduled to begin at 11:00am. Take out and large plates are priced at \$14. Auction begins at 12:30pm.

Sunday (August 11, 2024) Feast Day Festival – West KC, West, TX

St. Mary's Catholic Church of the Assumption in West will serve a fried or baked chicken and sausage dinner with all the trimmings. Serving will begin at 11:00am for Plates-to go and inside dining begins at 11:30am. There will be bingo, a country store, water slide for kids and a raffle during the day. Live auction begin at 12:15pm. Contact the Parish Office at (254) 826-3705 for more information.

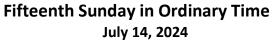
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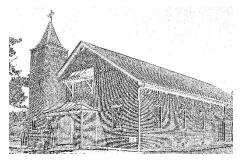
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A full list of Parish Staff and Ministry Leaders can be found on our parish website.



MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday:10:00 amThursday:8:00 amFriday:8:00 am

Sacrament of Penance:

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

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 14, 2024

Weekly Schedule

Date	Day	Tim9e	Mass Intention	Parish Event
7/14	Sunday	10:00 am	+Ronnie Matus	
7/18	Thursday	8:00 am	+George Chase	
7/19	Friday	8:00 am	+Jimmy Sinkule	
7/21	Sunday	10:00 am	+Patrick Kucera	

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

The Bazaar is less than three months away and will be held Sunday, September 15, 2024. We are in need of items for the raffle. If you would like to donate an item for the raffle, please contact Marcella Sinkule (254) 709-2343 or you may bring the raffle item to the Nativity Parish Rectory on Sundays. Raffle tickets will be printed during the month of July.

Vacation Bible School (VBS) -. Join us July 14-18th as we dive into friendship with God! We will craft, sing, play games, and learn about Jesus! You don't want to miss it. It is geared toward prek to 4th grade kiddos. For any questions please contact Kelly Dudik at (254) 709-3022,

RED-C Apostolate/Ablaze Ministries Family Retreat

Praying As A Family is the theme for the Family Retreat which takes place on Saturday, July 27 at St. Louis Catholic Church in Waco. Activities include Mass, Adoration, Confession and both lunch and dinner. Talks for the adults will be given both in English and Spanish and include great speakers like Deacon Ralph Poyo who will also give a parent workshop. A nursery will be available as well as childcare and programs on the faith for children of all ages. Registration is only \$50 per family. To register or for more information go to redcradio.org/familyretreat2024 or call Deacon Robin Waters at 254-749-4937.

7/21/2024	SERVERS	READER	GIFT BEARERS	
Cross Isaiah Locke		Jean Disher	Josh & BJ Kucera	
Jor	dyn Svacina			
USHERS		EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	GREETERS	
Rodger Chase	David Holub		Derek Lednicky	
Adam Dudik	Joey Jaska		Debi Lednicky	

	Fulton, Eugene	PRAYER LIST	Nors, Kaitlin
Abbgy, Linda	Hanzlicek, Debbie	Machac, Judy	Ohnhieser, Bernice
Altamirano, Salvador	Hanzlicek, Pam	Machac, Matthew	Peoples, Jessica
Baily, Samuel	Jackson, Heather	Martin, Brantley	Perras, Jean
Barton-Finely, Amy	Kaura, Steve	Matus, Brian	Roessler, John & Alma
Carlie, Carolyn	Knapek, Lottie	Matus, Herman	Roskos, David
Carr, Phyllis	Kral, Donna	Mikuda, George	Short, Meredith
Cates, June	Kriss, Jr., Robert	Miller, Janet	Sulak, Andrea
Disher, Benjamin	Kuykandell, Glenn	Miller, Jim	Talley, Renee
Dudik, Ronnie	Lander, Kevin	Mills, Adira	Taylor, Kent
Dvorak, Mary Ann	Lopez, Angel	Mynarcik, Diane	Warren, April
Firasek, Benny	Lozano, Mary	Nors, Fran	Watson, Troy
Fleming, Bert & Barbara	MACHAC, JANE'CY		

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. Only the person requesting, or the person being prayed for can request removal from the list.

"He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick – no food, no sack, no money in their belts." MARK 6:8

Imagine taking nothing but a stick when you go on a trip. The Apostles must have really trusted in God's providential care. Think of all the material things "we can't live without" in today's world. We make our life's journey more difficult because of all the material baggage that we drag along. Putting God first in everything and putting our money and possessions second gives us freedom because we don't become "slaves" to wanting to acquire more things.

PLEASE NOTE: On Sundays we will have Exposition, Adoration and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament from 8:30-9:25am followed by the Rosary at 9:30am and Mass at 10:00am. We will continue Exposition, Adoration and Benediction beginning in January on First Fridays after Mass.

RCIA - Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic (RCIA) should contact Kelly Dudik at (254) 709-3022 for more information. proportion to all that God has given us. God asks us to be generous with all our gifts, especially the one that means the most to you.

Collection 7/7/24	
Envelopes	\$ 724.00
Loose	\$ 261.00
TOTAL	\$ 985.00

NATIVITY PARISH HALL RENTALS: Contact Debbie Lednicky 254-709-6003 BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Contact Janice Chase 254-826-3977 or jac76707@yahoo.com

(Announcements due by Wednesday, noon, to be included the following Sunday)3SANCTUARY 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