

Immaculate Heart of Mary Mass Schedule		
<b>Monday:</b>	8:00 am	<b>Sacrament of Penance:</b>
<b>Wednesday:</b>	6:00 pm	Saturday 3:30-4:30pm
<b>Saturday:</b>	5:00 pm	<b>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</b>
<b>Sunday:</b>	8:00 am	Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm

### Diocesan Announcements

**Chris Mass (Tuesday, April 15, 2025 at 6:00pm)** - The Chrism Mass will be held at St. Patrick Cathedral in downtown Fort Worth. During the Chrism Mass, the bishop blesses the sacramental oils used throughout the year in every parish in the diocese, and the priests of the diocese renew their promises to the priesthood. Although the service can be overshadowed by the Triduum, the blessed oils play an essential role in bestowing grace and sacramental rites, and the Mass itself reveals the unity of the worldwide Church. **Note:** The Chrism Mass will be live streamed on St. Patrick Cathedral’s website.

**40<sup>th</sup> Annual Good Friday Rosary Vigil for Life (April 19, 2025 12:30pm – 2:00pm)**- The Diocese of Fort Worth and Mother and Unborn Baby Care host an annual rosary for life on Good Friday invoking the intercession of Mary to end the Culture of Death. With the support of Most Reverend Michael F. Olson, hundreds gather in front of Planned Parenthood to pray all 20 mysteries of the rosary. Participants are asked to park on the street – not in the lot for Harris Hospital or any other parking lots. For more information email [mubcare@gmail.com](mailto:mubcare@gmail.com).

**Cursillo Retreat Weekend, Men’s weekend is May 1-4, 2025)**- Are you looking for deeper meaning in your spiritual journey? Then join us for a short course in Christianity hosted by the Fort Worth Diocese English Cursillo. Spend 3 days developing a deeper understanding of what is means to be fully Catholic by being fully Christian. The weekends will be held at the Formation Center located at 2517 Hanna Avenue, Fort Worth, TX. Cost \$150.00 (Scholarships are available).

**JCDA Count #829 Annual Community Easter Egg Hunt**

**When:** Saturday, April 19, 2025  
**Time:** 10:00am to 12:00pm  
**Place:** Knight of Columbus Hall, 2457 Jerry Mashek Dr. West, TX 76691  
Hunt Times: Ages 0-2 - 10:15am  
Ages 3-4 - 10:45am  
Ages 5 yrs-K-1<sup>st</sup> - 11:15am  
Grades 2-3 - 11:45am

Children’s games, bingo, cake walk, Easter Bunny pictures are available. Prize eggs will determine winners in each category  
Three Mountain Teen and Young Adut Ministries will be selling Hamburger Baskets from 10:30am until they run out. Burger, chips, and a drink for \$10. All proceeds will benefit the 2025 Teen RISE Retreat through St. Mary’s Church of the Assumption in West.

**Raymond A. and Rosie S. Knappek Memorial Scholarship**

Applications are available online or in the back of the Church. Requirements include graduating senior or current college student. Registered parishioner of NBVM Catholic Church for the past two years. Involved in the parish/school/community. Attends Mass regularly. Two (2) letters of recommendations (Non-Family member). A 500-750 word essay on **(Please Note Correction Regarding the Essay Topic)** “How Does My Family Keep It’s Catholic Faith In Action.”

Submit all documentation by April 19, 2025 to NBVM parish office or mail: NBVM Church, PO Box 98, Penelope, TX 76676

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

# NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**  
**April 13, 2025**

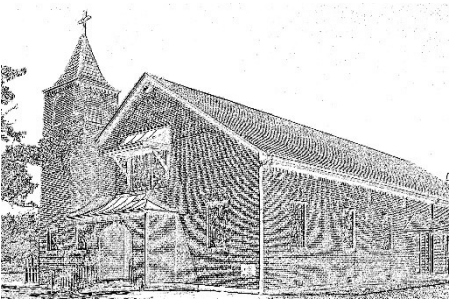
### CONTACT US

254-580-8458 (Deacon Denver Crawley)  
Parish Email: [penelopecatholicchurch@windstream.net](mailto:penelopecatholicchurch@windstream.net)

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

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord  
April 13, 2025

Weekly Schedule

Date	Day	Ti9im9e	MASS INTENTION	PARISH EVENT
4/13	Sunday	10:00 am	+Michael Watson, Jr.	Palm Sunday
4/17	Thursday	6:00 pm		Holy Thursday
4/19	Saturday	5:00pm		Easter Vigil Holy Saturday

The Sanctuary Light will burn this week in Memory of Charlie Fabian

Vocation Chalice Prayer Family

Thank you to all families who have signed up. If you would like to be added please contact Janice Chase at (254) 826-3977 to be added to the list.

Apr 13 Hueske, Billy & Sherry  
Apr 19 Jaska, Joe & Susie  
Apr 27 Kucera Josh & BJ  
May 4 Kucera, Johnny & Claudine  
May 11 Lednický, David & Debi

**Good Friday Special Collection for the Holy Land (Friday, April 18, 2025)** – In the Holy Land, Christians are now less than 2% of the population. Your support through the Pontifical Good Friday Collection is essential to help the Church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools, and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, to name only a few. Pilgrimages and tourism are impacted by war in the area. On Good Friday, please give generously to the Holy Land collection.

Triduum (Holy Week) Mass Schedule

Holy Thursday (April 17, 2025) - 6:00pm NBVM  
Good Friday (April 18, 2025) – 6:00pm, Word Service (No Mass) IHOM  
Easter Vigil Holy Saturday (April 19, 2025) – 5:00pm NBVM  
Easter Sunday (April 20, 2025) – 8:00am and 10:00am IHOM

4/17/2025	SERVERS	READER	GIFT BEARERS
	Eric Dudik	David Holub	Josh & BJ Kucera
	Isaiah Locke		
	USHERS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	GREETERS
	Josh Kucera Rodger Chase		Derek Lednický
	Daniel Locke Adam Dudik		Debi Lednický
4/19/2025	SERVERS	READER	GIFT BEARERS
	Darian Westmoreland Riley Dudik	Jennifer Mynarcik	Larry & Jennifer Mynarcik
	Audrey Dudik Addison Crawford		
	USHERS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	GREETERS
	David Holub David Kucera		Derek Lednický
	Joey Jaska Dylan Kucera		David Lednický

PRAYER LIST			
Abbgý, Linda	Hanzlicek, Debbie	Machac, Judy	Peoples, Jessica
Altamirano, Salvador	Hanzlicek, Pam	Machac, Matthew	Perras, Jean
Baily, Samuel	Jackson, Heather	Martin, Brantley	Roessler, John & Alma
Carlíe, Carolyn	Kaura, Steve	Matus, Brian	Roskos, David
Carr, Phyllis	Knapek, Lottie	Matus, Herman	Short, Meredith
Disher, Benjamin	Kral, Donna	Miller, Janet	Sulak, Andrea
Dudík, Ronnie	Kriss, Jr., Robert	Miller, Jim	Talley, Renee
Dvorak, Mary Ann	Kuykandell, Glenn	Mills, Adira	Taylor, Kent
Firasek, Benny	Lander, Kevin	Mynarcik, Diane	Volcik, Loretta (Poopsie)
Fleming, Bert & Barbara	Lopez, Angel	Nors, Fran	Warren, April
Fulton, Eugene	Lozano, Mary	Nors, Kaitlin	Watson, Troy
Special Intention	MACHAC, JANE’CY	Ohnhieser, Bernice	Remi (Grand-daughter of Wesely & Melissa Holt)

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.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** – There will be no Stations of the Cross on Good Friday. Stations of the Cross will be held at IHOM in Abbot at 3:00pm followed by Good Friday, Work Service at 6:00pm.

“...I tell you, Peter, before the cock crows this day, you will deny three times that you know me.” (LUKE 22:34)

How many times have you heard someone make a disparaging comment about God or our Catholic faith? How did you react? Do you remain quiet so not to cause a disturbance? Or, because you don’t want people to think negatively about you? Or, because you don’t think you know enough about the Catholic faith? Pray for the courage to speak up and enter into a respectful conversation when the opportunity to talk about our faith arises. Joyfully share your faith with others.

**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

COLLECTION 4/6

Envelopes	\$ 825.00
Loose	\$ 236.00
Hall Rental	\$ 325.00
TOTAL	\$ 1386.00

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)  
**COMMUNION FOR SHUT-INS:** Contact Marcella Sinkule 254-709-2343