

We welcome all guests and newcomers to our parish family. We ask new members to register at the earliest opportunity. Registration forms are available ONLINE.

We are glad you are with us!

Welcome

MASS INTENTIONS

SUN.	JANUARY 8
7:30am	for the people of Saint Paul
9:15am	for the people of Christ the King
11:00am	for the people of Saint Jude
MON.	JANUARY 9
8:30am	no Mass
WED.	JANUARY 11
6:30pm	no Mass
THUR.	JANUARY 12
8:30am	no Mass
FRI.	JANUARY 13
8:30am	
SAT.	JANUARY 14
5:00pm	

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE: All priests in the Diocese will be on the annual canonical retreat at Montserrat Retreat House from Sunday, January 8th to Thursday, January 12th. Please pray for Bishop Olson and all the priests on retreat. If there is an emergency, please call the office and a staff member will try to contact Fr. Khoi. **There will be no daily Masses next week Monday–Thursday.** We will have Mass Friday morning at 8:30am.

Today's Feast of the Epiphany of the Lord is a feast that celebrates communication. The Gospel we read today portrays Jesus, the Word Made Flesh, revealed to the nations, as the wise men arrive to pay him homage. Whatever the historical facts behind the story, the message of faith is that God is reaching out to us, communicating to us the Word Made Flesh. That communication transformed human history.

God's revelation in Jesus has a power surpassing all our modern technological "miracles," because it speaks to our hearts. Are we listening? Are we open to the word?

Let us become modern channels of God's communication to the world in this new year, using our gifts—whatever they may be—to pass on the message of the Good News, that Love is born in our midst.

-Franciscan Media

THE MYSTERY OF GOD: WHO GOD IS AND WHY HE MATTERS: In *The Mystery of God: Who God is and Why He Matters*, Bishop Robert Barron reaches into our rich intellectual tradition to teach us how to respond. Using insights of St. Augustine, St. Thomas Aquinas, and Pope Benedict XVI, he uncovers a clear yet sophisticated understanding of what we mean by "God". This six-week Adult Faith Formation series continues January 11, 2017.

INTERFAITH MINISTRIES: Interfaith Ministries is in need of durable medical equipment. Their Equipment Connect program works closely with home health agencies to assist patients who cannot afford to purchase necessary equipment. Medicare does not pay for many of these items. Critical need items include:

- rollator walkers (four-wheel walker with flip-down seat)
- wheelchairs
- shower chairs
- tub transfer benches
- lift chairs

If you have medical equipment that you no longer need and would like to donate to Interfaith Ministries, please contact Tamra Hamlin at 940 322 1365.





The Office of Faith Formation and Children Catechesis
of the Diocese of Fort Worth presents:

*Physical Disabilities and
Redemptive Meaning of Suffering*

with

Sr. M. Johanna Paruch, FSGM Ph. D.
and
Kevin Bailey

Saturday, February 18, 2017
9:00 am - 4:00 pm

St. Patrick Cathedral
Pastoral Center
1300 Throckmorton Street
Fort Worth, TX 76102

**Registration Fee
\$20.00**

Please reply by Monday, February 13 to Lucia Romo at
Lromo@fwdioc.org or (817) 945-9358

**SAINT JUDE THADDEUS IN BURKBURNETT
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN:**

Total cost for the project: \$340,000.00

- Pledges: \$115,275.00 from 61 families
- \$133,270.00 received as of January 4

ANNUAL MISSIONARY'S APPEAL: As part of the annual missionary's appeal, Fr. Frank Rouleau will be speaking and sharing with us his pastoral work in Haiti. He will be preaching and concelebrating at all Masses on the weekend of **January 14th and 15th**. Let us welcome him and be generous in donating to the missionary work in Haiti.

PRIESTHOOD VOCATIONS EVENT: Young men, high school to 35 years old, are invited to the St. Andrew Discernment Dinner on Thursday, January 19, 2017 at Sacred Heart Parish (1501 9th Street, Wichita Falls, TX). Bishop Olson will celebrate Mass at 6PM, followed by dinner and time of discernment. Please RSVP by calling 817 945 9321 or sending an email to vocations@fwdioc.org.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COUNSELING SERVICES:



Catholic Charities assists individuals through life challenges such as parenting, marriage, or job struggles and helps people cope with depression, anxiety, or stresses of daily life, as well as deeper issues of abuse or trauma. Counseling is available for anyone—adults, children, adolescents, couples and families. All faith traditions are welcome, and counselors are also available from the Catholic tradition. Connect with Catholic Charities Counseling Services at 940-228-4951 or send a confidential email to nwcounseling@ccdofw.org.

CHRIST THE KING IN IOWA PARK

PARISH MINISTRIES:
Liturgy: Amie and Ray Schultz
Yard Care: Ernie and Richie Putthoff
Religious Articles: Linda Higgins and Lilia Alambar

ROSARY AND INTERCESSORY PRAYER: Monday mornings at 9:00am in the Chapel. Enter your prayer request in the book provided in the narthex of the church.

SAINT PAUL IN ELECTRA

PARISH MINISTRIES:
Altar Society: Pam Dulaney
Yard Care: Johnny Eckelkamp
Cemetery Care: Owen Irby

CHRIST THE KING LAY MINISTER TRAINING: Lay minister training is scheduled for January 15, 2017. There will be a session immediately after Mass and a second session after Children's Formation.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION SAINT PAUL: January 16th – Faith Sharing and Bible Study resumes on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

“Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.” Offer your spouse the treasures of each other by participating in a WorldWide Marriage Encounter weekend.

The Next WorldWide Marriage Encounter Weekend is January 20-22, 2017
To apply for a weekend, go to: <http://www.dfwme.org/apply>.
For questions please email apply@dfwme.org or call 469-444-0904.
Para mas informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a emmdfw@gmail.com o visite <http://www.emmseccion21.org/>

**2nd Annual Saint Jude Thaddeus
Valentine Dinner and Dance**
February 11, 2017
958 Cropper Road, Burkburnett, Texas

The annual Saint Jude Thaddeus Valentine Dinner and Dance will be held on February 11, 2017 at 958 Cropper Road. Cocktails begin at 5:30PM and a sit down dinner (steak with all the fixings) will be served from 6:30PM to 8:00PM. A door raffle will be held at 8:00PM and dancing from 8:15PM to 11:15PM.

Individual tickets are \$30.00 and couples are \$50.00. Tickets will be sold after each mass and during all council meetings. Seating is limited to 200; **last day to purchase tickets is February 5th NO EXCEPTIONS.** Contact Al Sandquist 940-642-1013, Bill Trice 580-284-1249, or Rudy Martinez 940-707-7982 for tickets and more information.

Sponsored by Saint Jude Council 7371

STEWARDSHIP OF OUR TREASURE
ST. JUDE THADDEUS - BURKBURNETT
BUDGET: \$196,057.37
WEEKLY TO MEET BUDGET: \$3770.34
Christmas 2016: \$3585.00; Children's: \$25.00
Solemnity of Mary 2016: \$4,292.00;
Children's: \$6.00
ST. PAUL - ELECTRA
WEEKLY TO MEET BUDGET: \$670.00
Christmas 2016: \$968.01; Solemnity of Mary 2016: \$430.00; Utility: \$90.00
CHRIST THE KING - IOWA PARK
WEEKLY TO MEET BUDGET: \$897.00
Christmas 2016: \$1004.00; Solemnity of Mary 2016: \$1196.00; Utility: \$285.00; Donut: \$27.00