

PASTORAL & ADMINISTRATIVE

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

JANUARY 14 – JANUARY 21

Listed as Reading 1, Responsorial, Reading 2 (if read), Gospel

- Sunday** **Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9;
1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20
- Monday** **Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children**
2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26;
Mk 3:22-30
- Tuesday** **Saint Vincent & Saint Marianne Cope**
2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Ps 24: 7, 8, 9, 10;
Mk 3:31-35
- Wednesday** **Saint Francis de Sales**
2 Sm 7:4-17; Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30; Mk 4:1-20
- Thursday** **The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle**
Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2;
Mk 16:15-18
- Friday** **Saints Timothy and Titus**
2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a,
10; Mk 4:26-34
- Saturday** **Saint Angela Merici**
2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17;
Mk 4:35-41
- Sunday** **Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Dt 18:15-20; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9; 1 Cor 7:32-35;
Mk 1:21-28

MASS INTENTIONS

JANUARY 20–JANUARY 28

<u>Day / Time</u>	<u>Requested For:</u>
Sat. 5:30pm	+ Tony Gaitan
Sun. 7:00am	Betty Jean Strickland-Lawson
Sun. 8:30am	+ Michael Anthony Tobar
Sun 10:30am	For the People
Sun. 12:30pm	+ Robert Clay
Sun. 5:00pm	Joseph B. McCafferty
Mon. 8:00am	Frank Cundari
Tue. 8:00am	+ Robert Clay
Wed. 8:00am	Joey Tarasuil
Thurs. 8:00am	Kay Brady
Fri 8:00am	Michael Verdame
Sat. 5:30pm	Lena Palladino
Sun. 7:00am	+ Steve Mocio
Sun. 8:30am	Christopher Cunniff
Sun 10:30am	For the People
Sun. 12:30pm	Joseph Lydon
Sun. 5:00pm	Ashley Esposito

ROSARY

A Rosary is prayed before the 8:00am Mass daily, after the 7:00am Sunday Mass, and at 6:30pm Sunday for the sick of our parish.

LITURGICAL ADAPTIONS & RESTRICTIONS DURING THE FLU SEASON

Effective immediately, and until further notice, we will begin implementing the following liturgical adaptations as precautionary steps to prevent the spread of the Flu Virus during church services.

-The faithful will be encouraged not to hold hands during the reciting of the Our Father

-Suspend the distribution of the Precious Blood

-Suspend the Sign of Peace handshake

We remind our extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion to be vigilant in washing their hands before Mass begins and using hand sanitizer before and after distributing Holy Communion.

This is an opportunity to remind us that in receiving the Blessed Sacrament under one species, we are still receiving our Lord, Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, as the Church has always taught.

SAINT ANDREW PRAYER CHAIN

Did you know that our parish has a group that will pray for your requests? If you would like to join this ministry or if you would like to request prayers, please contact Cathi Staggs, 817-927-5383 ext. 2112 or cstaggs@standrewcc.org

PRAYER INTENTION LIST

✠Suzanne Stone ✠Able Moreno ✠Toni Savage Oakford
✠April Ulum ✠George Anthony ✠Larry Oakford ✠Vic Fedor
✠Jim Gilmore ✠Catherine Fenoglio ✠Ester Castillo
✠Audrey Fedor ✠Antonio Rodriguez ✠Walter Saner
✠Doris Ashour ✠Shawn O’Connell

Names are rotated off every three weeks. To add a name to the prayer list, contact the Pastoral Center

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Christ must never be left alone when exposed for Adoration in the gold Monstrance.

We have Adoration every Monday from 8:30am until 4:30pm in the Chapel (except for Mondays when there is a Holy Day or a holiday) and every Thursday from 6:30pm to 7:30pm.

FOR OUR DECEASED



Magdalena Tovar, Jose Ortega Sr., Kate Fitzgibbon, Anna Lyon



**HONORING
OUR LEGACY,
BUILDING
OUR FUTURE**

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Thank you for your continuing support of our **Honoring our Legacy, Building our Future Capital Campaign**. To date we have collected over \$2.5M against pledges totaling almost \$5.3M. Progress towards construction is being made. Our permits are being reviewed by the city and we met at the Diocesan offices with four prospective contractors. We hope to be “moving dirt” soon.

NEW MINISTRY

I asked the 7th Grade students while I was visiting our school this week, “How can I get people to donate meals for the Priests, since we do not have a cook?” One boy said “Just ask them.” And I said “How would you ask?” And he wrote this for me to put in the bulletin.

The priests do not have a cook. Could you please bring food in for them? Thank You. – Cooper
Thanks, Fr. Jim.

This is a new and wonderful opportunity to help our parish priests! We are looking for individuals to provide a dinner meal twice a week for Fathers Jim, John Mark and Joe. We have developed a calendar for the first quarter of 2018, please sign-up for a meal (or more) and deliver on that day to the parish office before 4:00 PM. The website sign up page is

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080d4caca23a64-weekly>. If you have any questions please contact Connie Davis at 817-228-1312 or connieandbrad@sbcglobal.net. Thank you for your help!!

PASTOR'S WISH LIST

The Friars have begun the process for building a new Friary on campus. We are looking for parishioners to help in the process or possible sponsor the building process.

ST BARBARA MELKITE MISSION

January 27/28th, 2018

Representatives from St Barbara Melkite Mission are visiting our parish the weekend of January 27/28. They will speak to us for a couple minutes about their mission in Houston and what they do to support our Catholic brothers and sisters in the Holy Land. They also have a display of beautiful olive wood carvings which are all handmade by the Catholic people over there. Proceeds from the sale will help to build St Barbara Church which will be the first Catholic Melkite Mission in Texas. This group was vetted and approved by the Diocese.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

January 14, 2017

Mass Attendance	1,928
Registered Families	3,598
You Gave:	\$33,980
We Needed:	\$51,000
We are under	\$17,020

Thank you for your contributions to Saint Andrew Catholic Parish!

JOB OPENINGS

Director of Adult Faith Formation

The Director is responsible for: Adult Faith Formation through the lens of Catholic Social Teaching, Catechetical Initiatives, Retreat and spirituality development and Sacramental Preparation. This is inclusive of Outreach and Pastoral Care ministries. Supports, nurtures and supervises The Learning Center and Child Care Ministry.

Interested candidates should send a resume and job application to resume@standrewcc.org. Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

The Learning Center and Childcare Ministry Coordinator

Saint Andrew Catholic Parish is seeking a part-time Learning Center and Childcare Ministry Coordinator. The coordinator is responsible for management and supervision of Saint Andrew Catholic Parish nursery program for Masses, parish and school events and of The Learning Center at Saint Andrew Catholic Parish. Interested candidates should send a resume and job application to resume@standrewcc.org. Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

FOOD PANTRY OUTREACH

Please help us help them by bringing the following to Mass when you come next week (or whatever you wish to donate): Canned Soups, Paper Towels, Canned Meats

LITURGY AND MUSIC

For all liturgical Minister Trainings: Please contact Pat Fulkerson, Volunteer Coordinator for the Liturgy Office, at volunteer@standrewcc.org to RSVP for the training ahead of time. Pat will send out emails with the paperwork needed for adults or youth. Service hours can be earned in all ministries. Adults are required to be in good status with the Diocesan required Safe and Sacred Training. Please complete the paperwork and return it to us at the training. This will help us to schedule those who train more quickly. We really need your help! Thank you! For specific questions about the Safe and Sacred Training or about questions about your status, please contact our coordinator, Theresa Gaitan, tgaitan@standrewcc.org or 817-927-5383. Watch the bulletin for upcoming trainings for Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, Hospitality Ministry, and Wedding Ministry Orientation. To those who have inquired or have been waiting, thank you for your patience!

READER MINISTRY TRAINING SERIES

(all 3 sessions required)

Monday, January 22 6:30-8:30p.m.

Monday, January 29 6:30-8:30p.m.

Monday, February 5 6:30-7:30p.m

Those in this ministry should be in 6th grade or older, Registered Parishioner, have received age appropriate sacraments, practicing Catholic, attending Sunday Mass regularly, and have the desire and gift to proclaim the Scriptures at Mass.

BURNING OF THE PALMS USED ON ASH WEDNESDAY

On Monday, February 12, following the 8am Mass, the palms given out last year at Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion will be burned and used to sign people with the ashes on February 14 at the Ash Wednesday Liturgies

ASH WEDNESDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

Wednesday, February 14

6:30am Prayer Service, **8:00am Mass, 11:00am Mass**
(followed by soup and sandwich in the Parish Hall),
5:30pm Prayer Service, **7:00pm Mass**

ADULT FAITH FORMATION AND OUTREACH MINISTRIES

HEALING HEARTS

Healing Hearts Ministry helps families who are grieving the loss of a baby before or after birth. We understand and care, heart to heart. For information or for prayer requests contact Linda Puente 817/692-7682 or email lspuente@rocketmail.com.

SENIORS FOR SENIORS BINGO

Calling all senior citizens to join us for a game of Bingo with our High School Students! Come join us on Sunday January 21 at 3:30pm in the Parish Hall 105! Come one, come all!

HELPING HANDS

Helping Hands is ready and willing to help any parishioner who is experiencing recovery from surgery, taking treatment for an illness, or recovering from the birth of a new baby. The ministry will provide meals for a couple of days to a few weeks as needed. Please call Michele Salcedo at 817-927-5383 if you know someone who needs help. We also invite anyone interested in helping to prepare meals and deliver them to join our ministry.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Prayer Shawls are available for those in our community in need of prayer, healing and comfort. Prayer shawls will be available in the Pastoral Center. If you know of someone who can use a prayer shawl, please call the Pastoral Center at 817/927-5383

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

Baptism Preparation Class will be held on Thursday, January 25, from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall on the 2nd floor. There will be a \$5.00 fee for materials. Parents and godparents are required to take this class before baptizing their child. Please contact the Pastoral Center at 817-927-5383 to make reservations. Class size is limited. This is an adult class. Please do not bring children. As a reminder, your paperwork must be turned in before you can schedule your child's baptism.

GOD IS PRO-LIFE!

Our Catholic faith calls us to treat all human life with dignity and respect. Through the efforts of the Sanctity of Life Committee, the second collection at all masses January 20-21 will benefit the Fort Worth Mother & Unborn Baby Care facility. It aids mothers in crisis and unexpected pregnancies and supports their decision to choose life. Is God calling you to volunteer in pro-life efforts? Contact Jen Colby for our next meeting and for more information on how to defend life from conception until natural death. Her contact information is 860-712-2400 or jecolby06@aol.com.

SAINT ANDREW CATHOLIC SCHOOL www.standrewsch.org



SAVE THE DATE

Saint Andrew Catholic School Prospective Parents TOURS/CATHOLIC SCHOOL WEEK OPEN HOUSE February 1, Thurs., 8:30am-10:30am Sneak a Peek at school in session for grades Preschool 3 & 4 (HALF DAY & FULL DAY) Kindergarten-8th grade. Free child care provided by rsvp to lharrington@standrewsch.org by Jan 31. Please call Rose Hall, SAS Development Director, 817-292-4355 for personal tours or questions.

FORMATION FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Upcoming Sunday class schedule: 1/21, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25/18. No class on 1/28/18. Please remember Middle School begins at 8:45 a.m. Elementary begins at 9:00 a.m. All finish at 10:15 a.m.

Upcoming Wednesday class schedule: 1/24, 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28/18. We will attend Mass on Ash Wednesday, 2/14/18. Parents are welcome to sit with their child at Mass. All classes begin at 6:30 p.m. Elementary dismisses at 7:45 p.m. Middle school dismisses at 8 p.m.

RCIA ADAPTED FOR YOUTH

Upcoming sessions are 1/21 (parent and/or sponsor must attend), 2/4, 2/11, 2/25/18. We will have our next family retreat on Sunday, 2/18/18 which begins at 8:45 and will finish after 12:30 p.m. Mass where we will have the Rite of the Elect.

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST EUCHARIST

Please pray for the families and children who have begun preparing to receive Reconciliation and Eucharist this spring.

CONFIRMATION

First Session is 1/21/2018 from 2-4 pm in the Parish Hall.

COFFEE WITH CHRIST

This is a parent led group who meet in the parish hall (Room 202) each week we meet to review the Sunday

readings and discuss how they apply in our world. See the schedule for Sunday religious education above for upcoming dates. Come join other adults to share your faith. You do NOT need to be a parent nor must you have anyone in our programs to join this group. No sign up, no attendance, no fees! Just other parents to get to know and share your faith.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

It is time to begin planning for VBS. We need adult volunteers at this time. We also need a volunteer (or two) to be director of VBS with assistance from the staff. If you feel you are being called please contact Kathy Lawson in the Pastoral Center.

YOUTH MINISTRY
standrewcc.wix.com/youthministry

Please like our Facebook page to receive more up to date information: <https://www.facebook.com/StAndrewYD/>

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH EVENTS **(6th grade through 8th grade)**

MIDDLE SCHOOL RALLY

Save the Date February 24 from 10am to 8pm. All 6th through 8th grade students interested, please email mstavens@standrewcc.org

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH EVENTS **(9th grade through 12th grade)**

CAMP FORT WORTH

Dates TBD. Open to rising 10th Graders through graduated seniors. Camp Fort Worth started in the late 90's as a close to home Mission experience in the Fort Worth area that allows participants a week of varied surface such as: interaction with needy children, nursing home ministry, building beds for babies, as well as a host of other service experiences. Additionally, there is Mass each day, lots of good food throughout the week, times for prayer, praise and worship, Confession and time to develop lasting friendships. Each parish is only able to bring 8 youth per camp, so it is filled on a first come first serve basis. It goes from Sunday evening to the following Friday evening. Learn more here: <http://www.campfortworth.org/> Cost: \$120 | Includes meals, lodging, as well as a portion of the groups required cost to feed all of camp for one of the meals during the week. Teens receive a T-shirt too! Sign up here to hold your spot: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0a4aa5ad2fa02-camp1>

STEUBENVILLE LONE STAR

JUNE 22-24, 2018. Open to Rising 9th Graders to Graduating Seniors. What began over 30 years ago as a Conference for 500 young people on the Campus of Franciscan University in Steubenville, OH has now

exploded into 25 Conferences reaching about 50,000 youth each summer. We join 4600 others at Steubenville Lone Star here in the DFW area, which is hosted by Life Teen. This 3 day weekend is packed with ample opportunity for our youth to encounter Christ through prayer, confession, Mass, adoration, lively music and dynamic presentations. Since its start in 2016, this particular conference sells out quickly. We are able to reserve a number of spots, but they fill quickly, so register quickly. We will be staying at a hotel within walking distance to the Conference. Learn more about it here:

<https://steubenvilleconferences.com/youth>. Cost: \$TBD which covers conference fee, all conference meals, lodging for the Conference. Sign up here if interested in attending: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0a4aa5ad2fa02-steubenville>

AUXILLARY GROUPS

PARISH BREAKFAST

Breakfast Sunday is on January 28th in the Parish Hall after the 7, 8:30 & 10:30am Masses. Enjoy a FREE, deliciously prepared breakfast sponsored and served by your St. Andrews Knights of Columbus. Take a few minutes to eat breakfast with your fellow parishioners.

COFFEE AND FELLOWSHIP FOR MOMS

Join fellow Moms as we read & learn how to become a saint day by day while we read Father John Riccardo's "*Heaven Starts now: Becoming a Saint Day by Day*". Order the book from Amazon for \$11. We will meet on the following Fridays from 8 to 9 in the Parish Hall, Room 218/223 on January 12, 19, February 9,16, March 2, 9, April 6, 13, 20. Please contact Summer Riney if interested rineysummer@gmail.com

DIOCESAN INFORMATION

ANNUAL RESPECT LIFE MASS

Monday, January 22, 2018 at 6:30 pm
 Celebrated by Bishop Michael F. Olson, the Annual Respect Life Mass will begin with a rose procession to commemorate the more than 60 million babies who have died from abortion since 1973. Please join us as we pray for respect for all human life, from conception to natural death.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIFE OF SOMEONE WHO NEEDS YOU?

You can! Volunteer teachers and aides are needed to teach English to adults. Classes are being offered at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church just next door to Catholic Charities at 201 Thornhill Drive in Ft. Worth, on Mondays and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Volunteers do not need to be bi-lingual, but that is a plus. High School education is required. For more information, contact Sister Rita Claire at (940)782-9018.