

SAINT RITA

CATHOLIC CHURCH

5550 East Lancaster, Fort Worth, TX 76112

817-451-9395 www.stritafw.org

February 15th, 2026 • Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
15 de febrero del 2026 • Sexto Domingo Del Tiempo Ordinario



Mass/Misas

Saturday/Sábado	5:00 pm	English
Sunday/Domingo	9:00 am	English
Sunday/Domingo	12:00 pm	Español
Wednesday/Miércoles	6:30 pm	Español
Monday, Thursday, Friday		
Lunes, Jueves, Viernes	8:30 am	English

Reconciliation /Reconciliación

Saturday/Sábado 4:00-4:45 pm

Adoration/Adoración

Thursday/Jueves 8:00 am-8:00 pm

Holy Hour is every 1st Thursday of the month
at 7:00 p.m. in Spanish.

*Hora Santa es cada 1er jueves del mes
a las 7:00 p.m. en español.*

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Office Hours/Horario de Oficina

Mon-Thur/lunes-jueves 9:00am-12pm
1:00pm-6:00pm
Friday/viernes 9:00am-1:00pm

MISSION STATEMENT

Strengthened by the Eucharist and faithful to the life and teachings of Jesus, St. Rita Catholic Church strives to welcome, serve, and minister to all with love.

DECLARACIÓN DE MISIÓN

Fortalecidos por la Eucaristía y fieles a la vida y enseñanzas de Jesus, la Iglesia Católica de Santa Rita procura acoger, servir, y atender espiritualmente a todos con amor.

St. Rita School

712 S. Weiler Blvd, Fort Worth, TX 76112
817-451-9383 • www.saintritaschool.net
PreKinder & Kinder ~ 1st through 8th grades
PreKinder y Kinder ~ 1.º a 8.º grado

Bulletin Deadline

Monday by noon, all information must be emailed and approved by Office to office@stritafw.org, deadline may change depending on holidays.

Plazo del boletín

El lunes al mediodía, toda la información debe enviarse por correo electrónico y ser aprobada por la Oficina a office@stritafw.org, la fecha límite puede cambiar dependiendo de los días festivos.

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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Calendar / Calendario

Sunday/Domingo, 2/15/26

8:30 AM Rosary
9:00 AM Mass
 10:15 AM CCD
11:30 AM Rosario
12:00 PM Misa
2:00 PM Deaf Ministry Mass
 3:00 PM Deaf Ministry Social-FR

Monday/Lunes, 2/16/26

8:30 AM Mass
6:30 PM Choir Practice
 7:00 PM Boy Scouts-Annex
 7:00 PM Grupo Carismatico-FR

Tuesday/Martes, 2/17/26

6:30 PM Eucharistic Ministry Training
 7:00 PM Ultreya- FR

Wednesday/ Miércoles, 2/18/26

NO GROUPS MEET/ NO REUNION DE GRUPOS
8:30 AM Mass
6:30 PM Misa
8:00 PM Servicio de Ceniza

Thursday/Jueves, 2/19/26

8:30 AM Mass
8:30 AM Adoration/Adoración
 6:00 PM Youth Group-Gym

Friday/Viernes, 2/20/26

8:30 AM Mass
6:00 PM Stations of the Cross- bilingual
6:00 PM Via Crusis- bilingüe

Saturday/Sabado, 2/21/26

2:00 PM Pre- Baptismal Class- FR
4:00 PM Confessions
5:00 PM Mass

Sunday/Domingo 2/22/26

8:30 AM Rosary
9:00 AM Mass
 10:15 AM CCD
11:30 AM Rosario
12:00 PM Misa

Mass Intentions Intenciones de Misa

Monday / Lunes

8:30 AM

February 16, 2026

**Health of Aracely Itzae
Simon de Paz**

Wednesday / Miércoles

6:30 PM

February 18, 2026

No Mass Intention

Thursday / Jueves

8:30 AM

February 19, 2026

**Special intentions of
Phozobingou Tzhangai**

Friday / Viernes

8:30 AM

February 20, 2026

Birthday of Kevin Keil

Saturday / Sabado

5:00 PM

February 21, 2026

†Martin Chavez

Sunday / Domingo

9:00 AM

12:00 PM

February 22, 2026

**For the People of St Rita
Descanso de las
Animas del Purgatorio**

If you have a mass intention on a day when mass is cancelled, please call the office (817)451-9395 to know when it was rescheduled for.

Si tiene la intención de celebrar una misa en un día en que se cancela la misa, llame a la oficina (817) 451-9395 para saber cuándo se reprogramó.

Prayer List for the Sick Lista de Oraciones para los Enfermos

Don Ford	Francisco Mariscal
San Juana Ortiz	Victoria Parra
Cleotilde Varela	Joan Holt
Crystal Avila	Jennifer Martinez
Iris Reedom	Ivonne Lemus
Maria Perez	Hugo Lopez
Nathaly Chavez	Fleur Samuelson
Carmen B. Garcia	Familia Nuñez Nava
Karen Benson	Jim Norgaard
Connie Marcos	Salvador Rios
Frank Sertuche	Dolores Garza
Salvador Juarez	Mary Sears
Juan Nuñez	Jose Manuel Hernandez
Morena Holguin	Pedro Santiago Castillo S.
Brian Moore	Shae Woodmore
Lisa Steele	Brandon Woodmore
Sharen Mobley	Amanda Woodmore
Familia Avalos Castor	

ONLINE DONATIONS

We are now accepting online donations for those who are unable to donate in person. If you have questions please contact the office.

Scan this QR code to
donate or
Text Give to
833-245-7329



Scan to view stritafw.org
Escanea para ver pagina web
stritafw.org



Offertory & Attendance <i>Ofertorio y Asistencia</i>				
FEB	1	8	15	22
Attendance <i>Asistencia</i>	736	938		
Offertory <i>Ofertorio</i>	\$10,436.98	\$12,574.25		
Budget <i>Presupuesto</i>	\$12,720.20	\$12,720.20	\$12,720.20	\$12,720.20
Deficit/ Surplus	\$2,283.22	\$145.95		

ST. RITA CATHOLIC CHURCH ADULT FAITH EVENTS THIS MONTH!

2/2 Coffee and the Word

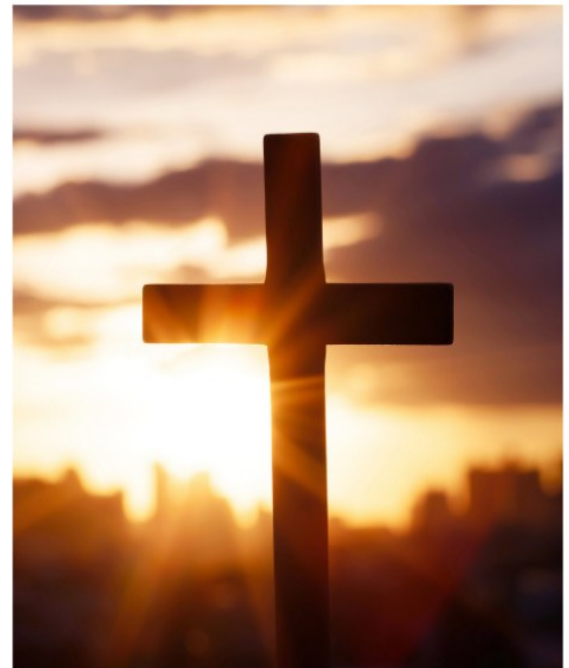
2/9 Coffee and the Word

2/13 Arm Chair Theology with Deacon Brad
6-8pm - Baptized, Called, and Still Figuring It Out

2/16 Coffee and the Word
- Canceled for President's Day

2/23 Coffee and the Word

Bi-lingual Stations of the
Cross will begin
Friday, February 18, 2026
at 6:00 pm
followed by Lenten
Suppers in the gym.



Start your morning with

COFFEE AND THE WORD

WITH FATHER KEITH

CANCELLED FOR PRESIDENT'S DAY

**BYOB:
BRING YOUR OWN BIBLE**

**MONDAYS AT 9:30 AM
IN FORMATION ROOM**

Los Vía Crucis bilingües
iniciarán el
viernes 18 de febrero del
2026
a las 6 de la tarde y
despues se comparten
alimentos de Cuaresma en
el gimnasio.

Daily Readings *Lecturas Diarias*

Monday Lunes	<u>2/16/26</u> Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76; Mk 8:11-13 Stgo 1, 1-11; Sal 118, 67. 68. 71. 72. 75. 76; Mc 8, 11-13
Tuesday Martes	<u>2/17/26</u> Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21 Stgo 1, 12-18; Sal 93, 12-13a. 14-15. 18-19; Mc 8, 14-21
Wednesday Miercoles	<u>2/18/26</u> Ash Wednesday Joel 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 Miércoles de Ceniza Jol 2, 12-18; Sal 50, 3-4. 5-6a. 12-13. 14 y 17; 2 Cor 5, 20-6, 2; Mt 6, 1-6. 16-18
Thursday Jueves	<u>2/19/26</u> Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 9:22-25 Dt 30, 15-20; Sal 1, 1-2. 3. 4 y 6; Lc 9, 22-25
Friday Viernes	<u>2/20/26</u> Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15 Is 58, 1-9; Sal 50, 3-4. 5-6a. 18-19; Mt 9, 14-15
Saturday Sabado	<u>2/21/26</u> Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 5:27-32 Is 58, 9-14; Sal 85, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6; Lc 5, 27-32
Sunday Domingo	<u>2/22/26</u> First Sunday of Lent Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17; Rm 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19; Mt 4:1-11 Primero Domingo de Cuaresma Gén 2, 7-9; 3, 1-7; Sal 50, 3-4. 5-6a. 12-13. 14 y 17; Rm 5, 12-19 o Rm 5, 12. 17-19; Mt 4, 1-11

A : Apostle/Apóstol B : Bishop/Obispo
E : Evangelist /Evangelista PP: Pope/Papa
M : Martyr/Mártir P : Priest /Presbitero
V : Virgin/Virgen R: Religious/Religiosa
C: Companions/Compañeros D: Doctor(a) of the Church
de la Iglesia

The Purpose of Praying During Lent:

"But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you. And in praying do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do; for they think that they will be heard for their many words. Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. Pray then like this: Our Father, who art in heaven..." (Matthew 6:6-9). Prayer is the avenue not only by which we approach God but also by which he comes to meet us. He desires to be close to us, know us, and share with us the riches of his heart. A true relationship must be built on communication and time spent together because truly knowing and loving someone involves sharing part of yourself and receiving them—this is no less true about our relationship with God. Lent, especially, is the time to focus on the price that Jesus paid to save us from our sinfulness and reconcile us to the Father, and so, we are called to greater prayer during Lent: to raise our minds and hearts to God, permitting our faith to express itself in gratitude, love, and deeper intimacy with the Lord.

El propósito de la oración durante la Cuaresma

Pero tú, cuando ores, entra en tu aposento, cierra la puerta y ora a tu Padre que está en secreto; y tu Padre que ve en lo secreto te recompensará. Y al orar, no repitas vanas palabras, como hacen los gentiles, que piensan que por su palabrería serán escuchados. No seas como ellos, porque tu Padre sabe lo que necesitas antes de que se lo pidas. Ora, pues, así: Padre nuestro que estás en los cielos... (Mateo 6:6-9). La oración es la vía no solo para acercarnos a Dios, sino también para que él venga a nuestro encuentro. Él desea estar cerca de nosotros, conocernos y compartir con nosotros las riquezas de su corazón. Una verdadera relación debe construirse sobre la comunicación y el tiempo compartido, porque conocer y amar verdaderamente a alguien implica compartir parte de uno mismo y recibirlo; esto también es cierto en nuestra relación con Dios. La Cuaresma, en particular, es el momento de centrarnos en el precio que Jesús pagó para salvarnos de nuestro pecado y reconciliarnos con el Padre, y por eso estamos llamados a una mayor oración durante la Cuaresma: elevar nuestras mentes y corazones a Dios, permitiendo que nuestra fe se exprese en gratitud, amor e intimidad más profunda con el Señor.



FEBRUARY NEEDS AT EASTSIDE MINISTRY

Thank you for continuing to serve the poor through your physical and financial donations to Eastside Ministries.

During February, ESM is asking for any donations of hygiene products (soaps, shampoos, toothpaste, deodorants and our clients are especially asking for feminine products) in both individual and family sizes! In the Clothing Closet, we always need new underwear and socks for all ages, but again, especially for women. And for the Food Pantry, we are in need of cases of water, and any variety of breakfast bars that we can put into a sack lunch for our unhoused clients.

Finally, if you don't enjoy shopping, consider making a monthly donation in any amount to continue this important ministry by scanning the QR code here:



Becoming A Eucharistic Minister

If you believe you have a calling to be a Eucharistic Minister at the English masses at St Rita, Deacon Brad will be conducting an English training session at 6:30 on Tuesday, February 17th. Current Eucharistic Ministers are also strongly encouraged to attend. The training will be held in the church.

Besides serving at our English Masses, you may also be asked occasionally to provide communion to parishioners who are unable to attend Mass.

Requirements include Virtus certification, must be a member in good standing at St Rita's, and have been confirmed in the Catholic church.

Please prayerfully consider this important ministry. Thank you.

St. Andrew **BREAKFAST**

**02
21
26**

ST. PATRICK CATHEDRAL

1206 Throckmorton Street
Fort Worth, TX 76102

**HOLY MASS
BREAKFAST
PRAYER
DISCUSSION**

Mass starts at 8:00 am
followed by breakfast in the
Parish Religious Formation Building

PLEASE RESERVE YOUR SPOT BY
FEBRUARY 19, THROUGH EMAIL
AT VOCATIONS@FWDIOC.ORG

This event is for high school and college men
in the Diocese of Fort Worth

San Andrés **DESAYUNO**

**02
21
26**

CATEDRAL DE SAN PATRICIO

1206 Throckmorton Street
Fort Worth, TX 76102

**SANTA MISA
DESAYUNO
ORACION
DISCUSSION**

La misa comienza a las 8:00 am
seguida del desayuno en el edificio de
Formación Parroquial

RESERVE SU LUGAR ANTES DEL
19 DE FEBRERO, POR CORREO
ELECTRONICO A
VOCATIONS@FWDIOC.ORG

Este evento es para hombres de secundaria y
universitarios en la Diócesis de Fort Worth

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VIRTUS



Español:

**Renovación: Manteniendo Viva la Promesa
viernes 27 de febrero de 7:00-8:30pm
en el Salon de Formación**

**Inicial: Protegiendo a los hijos de Dios
sabado 28 de febrero de 9:00am-12:00pm
en el Salon de Formación**

