



The Chimes

Dallas & Meadow Heights

27th Sept 2026

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A **SUNDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER, 2026**

1ST READING: EZEK 18:25-28

2ND READING: PHIL 2:1-11

GOSPEL: MT 21:28-32

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School Principal: Mr. Aaron Kuras
School Office: 9309 1620

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WEEKDAY MASSES:

Dallas: Tues - Fri. 9.15 am
1st Fri. Anointing Mass: Dallas 10 am

WEEKEND MASSES:

Sat. Dallas Vigil Mass 6.00 pm
Sun. Meadow Heights 9.00 am (English)
Dallas 11.00 am

***Note: Vietnamese Mass**

2nd Sunday of the Month: **8.00 am** HFC
4th Sunday of the Month: 11.00 am @ Dallas

RECONCILIATION

Dallas Saturday 5.15 - 5.45 pm
Thursday 8.45 - 9.00 am
During Friday's Holy Hour at Meadow Heights

LEGION OF MARY

Eng. Tues after 9.15am mass - Dallas
Viet. Sat. at 9 am at Holy Family Centre

ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Of the Blessed Sacrament
Fridays 8:45am (English) Dallas
1st Friday 9.30 am before Mass
Friday's Holy Hour: 5.30 - 6.30pm @ Meadow
Heights
Fridays 6.30 pm (Vietnamese prayer) Holy Family
Centre

BAPTISMS

Contact Parish Office during office hours

WEDDINGS

Please contact Parish Office
Preferably 6 months before the wedding

Reflection

A great deal has happened since last week's gospel reading in the lectionary. Jesus is now in Jerusalem. He has entered the city (Matthew 21:1-11) and has taken possession of the temple, driving out those who corrupt his Father's house (Matthew 21:12-17). The crisis point of Jesus' ministry has arrived, and he will enter into conflict with the established religious authorities. The point of this text is that it is not the 'conventionally religious'—those who mouth all the right words and go through the rituals—who will enter the kingdom. Instead it is the ones who, by their actions, carry out God's will and become the sons and daughters of God. John the Baptist, like Jesus himself, not only preached righteousness; he lived it. Jesus describes him as 'a pattern of true righteousness' (Matthew 21:32), and it was the broken people, the tax collectors and prostitutes, who accepted what he had to bring. They believed in him, repented and experienced a change of heart and life. (Summit online)

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1st Reading	Is 5:1-7
Responsorial Psalm	Ps 79:9, 12-16, 19-20
2nd Reading	Phil 4:6-9
Gospel	Mt 21:33-43

BAPTISM PREPARATION AND BAPTISM DATES

Next Baptism Preparation Day

Baptism Date:

Wednesday, 7th October 2026

Sunday, 1st November 2026

Responsorial Psalm:

Remember your mercies, O Lord.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
My sheep listen to my voice, say
the Lord; I know them they follow
me. Alleluia

Holy Child Parish....

Is committed to a
safe nurturing
culture for all our
children.

BOOKING THE HOLY FAMILY CENTRE

The Holy Family Centre is
Available for any group or
parishioners to book.
Please call the Parish Office
on 9412 8409 to make a
booking.

SCHEDULING APPTS WITH FR JOE

Please note that
Parishioners are
encouraged to schedule
an appointment with Fr
Joe as walk-in meetings
are not always ideal.

Please keep them in your Prayers

(Names of the sick will only be printed for a month, unless the Office has been notified otherwise)

SICK: Mark Hill, Joan Lobs, Shirley Martin, Adrian Zuccato, Nguyen Thi Thin, Le Thi Quy, Dina, Lien, Miriam Smith, Florentino Casimiro, Farif Ashlaq, Beaderez Lamoc, Margaret Braddock, Revelita Blanco

REMEMBRANCES: Dominico Nguyen The Vua, Dominico Nguyen Van Qua, Cynthia Ross, Amelia Espiritu, Alfonso Espiritu, Mario Teuma, John Teuma, Paul Busuttil, George Buhagiar, Inam Chong Gum, Taafaki Taafaki, Taiafi Lepua, Gioanbaotixita Bach Van Quang, Maria Nguyen Thi Hoang Anh, Eleuterio Endozo, Giuseppe Caruso, Custodio Florindo, Maria Loschiavo, Catherine Slattery, Afonso Exposto, Sam Camilleri, Katie Camilleri, Anna Azzopardi, Carmelo Attard, Violet Michael, Lucerlino Alfonso, Eileen Yonnon, Teresa Nguyen, Angela Nardella, Therese, Terry Thomson, Isidro Songcuita Jr, Jessica De Guzman, Margie o'Leary, Mollie hyland, Aldo Budini.

RECENT DEATHS:

Announcements

Donations for Parish Feast Day Raffle.

We are excited to announce that we are now accepting prize donations for our Parish Feast Day Raffle! Your support would greatly enhance the raffle experience. If you can contribute a prize, please drop it off at the back of the Church. Thank you for your generosity!

Tenton's Winner:

Congratulations to to "J. R."

PARISH PASTORAL CALENDAR Sept. 2026

25 Holy Hour 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm @ Meadow Heights



Aid to the
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WORLDWIDE COMMUNITY OF PRAYER

**All over the world,
children will pray the Rosary together for peace from 1-7 October.
Pray with Pope Leo XIV: One Million Children Praying the Rosary**

From 1-7 October, *Aid to the Church in Need* invites you to join with Pope Leo XIV and Catholics worldwide for the *One Million Children Praying the Rosary* prayer campaign, for peace and unity in the world.

Families, parishioners, prayer groups, and schools are all encouraged to register to take part!

For free Rosary resources and to register, please scan the QR code or visit: www.acninternational.org/millionchildrenpraying

"When one million children pray the Rosary, the world will change." - Saint Padre Pio





Feast Day During the Week

Special Collection

7th October - Our Lady of the Rosary

Flowers Donated By



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Thanksgiving Collection

Loose: \$ 443.05
Church (Actual): \$ 1,142.00
Church (Pledge): \$ **1324.46**
Presbytery (Actual): \$ 860.00
Presbytery (Pledge): \$ **950.55**

— *Thank you!* —

DALLAS CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER FOR September 2026

Group	Names	Date
A	Mele, Sarah Kempen, Magina Musingarabul	19-20 September
B	Viet Legion of Mary	26-27 September
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Sunday 8am Viet Roster

Readers		
Comment.		
Special Minister		

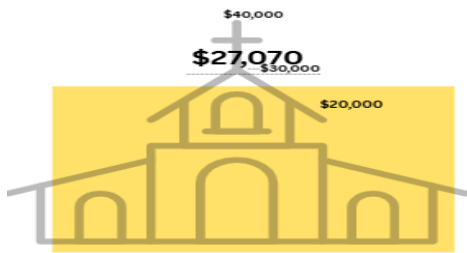
THIS Weekend ROSTERS: (26th – 27th Sept 2026)

	(SAT) 6.00 pm	(SUN) 9.00 am	(SUN) 11.00 am
Readers	Vicky	Henry	Khanh & Tuyet
Commentators	Damian	Elijah	Hai Vu
Special Ministers	Sr. Veronica	Judy	
Money Collectors	As Per	Volunteers	At Each mass

NEXT Weekend ROSTERS: (3rd Sept – 4th Oct. 2026)

	(SAT) 6.00 pm	(Sun) 9.00am	(Sun) 11.00am
Readers	Judy	Juanita	Anita
Commentators	Damian	Henry	Lahra
Special Ministers	Sr. Veronica	Toafoanga	Mele
Monkey Collectors	As Per	Volunteers	At Each mass

Fence Fundraising Progress Chart



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to serve you even better.
Thank you for being part of our journey.
We can't wait to welcome you to our new home!

Moving on 1/7/2026

CURRENT LOCATION

NIDDRIE CENTRAL
383 KEILOR ROAD,
ESSENDON NORTH 3041

NEW LOCATION

158 DEAKIN STREET
ESSENDON 3040

New location, same heart

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