



21st September, 2025

The Chimes Dallas & Meadow Heights

25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C SUNDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER, 2025

1st Reading: Amos 8:4-7

2nd Reading: 1 Tim 2:1-8

Gospel: Lk 16: 1-13

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Parish House: 115 Corinella Cres. Dallas.

School Principal: Mr. Alan Smith

School Office: 9309 1620

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

Dallas 11.00 am

***Note: Vietnamese Mass**

2nd Sunday of the Month: 9.00 am HFC

4th Sunday of the Month: 11.00 am HFC

RECONCILIATION

Dallas Saturday 5.15 - 5.45 pm

Thursday 8.45 - 9.00 am

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

Fridays 6.30 pm (Viet) Holy Family Centre

BAPTISMS

Contact Parish Office during office hours

WEDDINGS

Please contact Parish Office

Preferably 6 months before the wedding



This text may seem puzzling at first reading. How can dishonesty be so rewarded? We can understand the text more easily when we understand how commerce was conducted at the time. According to Jewish law, charging interest was not permissible. To get around this, a practice developed in which the original debt was increased to account for what would have been a normal interest rate. The cunning steward in the parable reduced his master's loans to the original amounts. The master will be paid his dues according to the law, but no more. If the master complained about what the steward did, then his sin would come to light. The real criticism in this text is directed towards people who have been entrusted with the riches of God's kingdom but who have not used them well. The central message is that all who are called to share the riches of the kingdom must commit themselves to carefully administering those inestimable treasures. This is much more important than administering the riches of this world. (Source: The Summit online)

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C SUNDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER, 2025

1st Reading: Amos 6:1, 4-7

Responsorial Psalm:

Ps 145:6-10

2nd Reading: 1 Tim 6:11-16

Gospel: Lk 16: 19-31

******PARISH DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATION******

When: Saturday, October 11

Time: 5 PM Mass followed by
a Dinner Dance
(International Buffet)

NO TICKET - NO ENTRY

Responsorial Psalm: Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.

Gospel Acclamation: Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor, to make you rich out of his poverty. Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia!

Holy Child Parish....

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

HOLY CHILD PRIMARY SCHOOL -

is in the process of establishing an Alumni platform and would love to reconnect with past students. If you have attended Holy Child Primary School, please reach out to the office on 9309 1620, and we will connect you with the appropriate staff member.

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: Molly Knox, Joan Lobs, Shirley Martin, Adrian Zuccato, Nguyen Thi Thin, Le Thi Quy, Dina, Jack Ward, Lien, Connie, Miriam Smith, Florentino Casimiro.

REMEMBRANCES: Vincent Cunneen, Raymundo L. Caddanan, Maria, Raffaella Oricchhio, Robert Cosgriff, Frances McCann, Bruno Valada, Phero Pham Van Dinh, Caterina Izzo, Rosentina Napoleao, Luzia Florindo, Lola Malagueno, Mary Byrne, Giuliano Giusti, Errol Jordan, Teresa Ireland, Elenita Lasala, Gregorio Lautano.

The Souls in Purgatory, departed souls, and all deceased persons mentioned in the Book of Remembrance.

RECENT DEATHS:

**BAPTISM PREPARATION AND
BAPTISM DATES**

Baptism Preparation Day

Wednesday, 1st October

Holy Family Centre.

Baptism Date:

SUNDAY, 2nd November

**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.

**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.

****PAYMENT FOR PARISH FEAST DAY TICKETS****

If anyone who has NOT yet paid for the parish feast day ticket, please do so by

Thursday 25th September to Fr Joe or Sarah Kempen.

DIRECT DEBIT & CREDIT CARD CONTRIBUTORS

If you notice anything unusual on your bank statement related to your pledge to our parish, please contact the parish office promptly. We will investigate the matter for you. Thank you!

CHAIR OF PASTORAL COUNCIL

Damian Kempen will finish his term as chair of the Pastoral Council on
12th October, 2025

DONATIONS

IF YOU WISH TO DONATE RAFFLE ITEMS FOR
THE PARISH DIAMOND JUBILEE
CELEBRATIONS FOR SATURDAY 11/10/25.
PLEASE DROP THEM OFF IN THE NOMINATED
BOX AT HFC.

MASS OFFERING ENVELOPES

A very gentle reminder - Please do not put mass offering envelopes in the collection bags. Please give them directly to Fr Joe.
Thank you!



Feast Day During the Week

23 Sept – St Pius of Pietrelcina
 26 Sept – Saint Cosmas & St Damian
 27 Sept – St Vincent De Paul

Thanksgiving Collection

Loose: \$ 449.65
 Church (Actual): \$1142
 Church (Pledge): \$1324.46
 Presbytery (Actual): \$696.5
 Presbytery (Pledge): \$950.55

Flowers Donated By

Thank you 🙏

Special Collection



COUNTING ROSTER FOR SEPT/OCT 2025

Hai, Loan, An, Mai	-----	30 Sept
Judy, Juanita, Mele & Sr V	-----	7 Oct
Hai, Loan, An, Mai	-----	14 Oct
Judy, Juanita, Mele & Sr V	23 Sept	21 Oct

DALLAS CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER FOR SEPT/NOV 2025

Group	Names	Date	Date
A	Mele & friends, Dong	27/28 Sept	1/2 Nov
B	Damian & Sarah Kempen, Anita Barnabas, Magina Musingarabul	4/5 Oct	8/9 Nov
C	Viet Legion of Mary	11/12 Oct	15/16 Nov
D	Sam & Vicky Buhagiar, Cynthia Juico	18/19 Oct	22/23 Nov
E	Van My Nguyen Family	25/26 Oct	29/30 Nov

THIS Weekend ROSTERS: (20-21 Sept, 2025)

	(SAT) 6.00 pm	(SUN) 9.00 am	(SUN) 11.00 am
Readers	Sr Veronica	Juanita	Cynthia
Commentators	Damian	Judy	Lahra
Special Ministers	Vicky B	Taafoanga	Adorabella
Money Collectors	As Per	Volunteers	At Each Mass

NEXT Weekend ROSTERS: (27-28 Sept, 2025)

	(SAT) 6.00 pm	(SUN) 9.00 am	(SUN) 11.00 am
Readers	Thien	Judy	Thuy Nguyen & Bach Van
Commentators	Vicky B	Henry	Ngoc Tuyet
Special Ministers	Tuyet Nguyen	Taafoanga	Volunteer
Money Collectors	As Per	Volunteers	At Each Mass

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