



Iglesia Católica San Francisco de Asís
Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Enero 14, 2024

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Horario de la oficina: Por favor, llame al teléfono

Horarios de misa entre semana: Martes 12:00pm y 6:45pm, Miércoles 12:00pm, Viernes 9:00am

Confesiones: Martes 5:40pm - 6:10pm, Sábado 6:15pm - 7:00pm

Lecturas Bíblicas de enero 15 - 21 2024

Lunes: 1 Sm 15:16-23, Salmo 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 y 23, Marcos 2:18-22

Martes: 1 Samuel 16:1-13, Salmo 89:20, 21-22, 27-28, Marcos 2:23-28

Miércoles: 1 Samuel 17:32-33, 37, 40-51, Salmo 144:1b, 2, 9-10, Marcos 3:1-6

Jueves: 1 Samuel 18:6-9; 19:1-7, Salmo 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13, Marcos 3:7-12

Viernes: 1 Samuel 24:3-21, Salmo 57:2, 3-4, 6 y 11, Marcos 3:13-19

Sábado: 2 Samuel 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27, Salmo 80:2-3, 5-7, Marcos 3:20-21

Domingo: Jonás 3:1-5, 10, Salmo 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 1 Corintios 7:29-31, Marcos 1:14-20

Intenciones de la Misa: Como católicos, creemos firmemente en los beneficios y el poder de la oración. Una forma muy amorosa de orar por un ser querido es programar una misa por sus intenciones. Para programar una misa, comuníquese con la oficina de la iglesia al stfrancis@skybest.com o al 336-467-0211, o visítenos durante el horario comercial. La solicitud normal de estipendio es de \$10.

Formación en la fe

Recordatorio que las clases comienzan para los estudiantes que continúan en preparación para la Primera Comunión y Confirmación el domingo 28 de enero a las 5:00pm - 6:30pm. El horario de clases se publicará en el tablón de anuncios de Formación de Fe en el nivel inferior y se distribuirá el 28 de enero.



Si tiene un hijo que no ha asistido a clases el año pasado y puede ser elegible para los sacramentos en 2025, comuníquese con Joanne Kuszaj para discutir las clases requeridas. Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con Joanne Kuszaj en jkuszaj@gmail.com

! Tenga en cuenta: La misa en inglés del martes 16 de enero se ha trasladado a las 3:00pm

La oficina estará cerrada el lunes 15 de enero en conmemoración del Día de Martin Luther King, Jr.

Siguiente Mesa de San Francisco recaudación de fondos actividad en febrero

Gracias a todos los feligreses y miembros de la comunidad que han apoyado nuestras actividades de construcción comunitaria y recaudación de fondos en los últimos meses. El próximo evento será una cena temática de Mardi Gras con el P. Cory como cocinero principal. Hará Gumbo. La fecha es el 9 de febrero. Más detalles se darán a conocer la próxima semana. Este será un evento con boleto, el costo aún no se ha determinado. Necesitamos voluntarios para ayudar a planificar y trabajar en este evento. Si puede ser voluntario, planea asistir a una reunión de planificación el 14 de enero a las 10:00 a.m. Si no puede asistir a esta reunión, póngase en contacto con Joanne Kuszaj en jkuszaj@gmail.com



GRACIAS ¡Gracias a las muchas personas que ayudaron a colocar o quitar las decoraciones navideñas, o ambas! Su ayuda fue muy apreciada. ¡Dios los bendiga a todos!

Figuras del Ofertorio


Ofertorio 7 de enero:	\$ 3,438.00
El Fondo de Rectoría recibió:	\$ 1,430.00
Meta hipotecaria necesaria cada mes:	\$ 4,442.07
Deuda de la rectoría (al 12 de diciembre de 2023):	\$ 405,300.99

Este mes damos la bienvenida a los nuevos miembros del personal.



Herb Maddock se incorpora como Asistente Financiero. El tiempo de Herb en la oficina es a tiempo parcial, dividido entre las iglesias de Jefferson y Sparta. *Susan Smith* comienza a capacitarse para el puesto de Asistente Administrativa esta semana. Susan trabajará a tiempo completo y asumirá el cargo por completo el 1 de febrero. *Peter Finegan* también comienza a entrenar esta semana, pero para el puesto de Gerente de Instalaciones. Peter trabajará a tiempo parcial y será el único contacto a partir del 1 de febrero para cualquier necesidad de instalaciones.

Muchas gracias a los miembros salientes del personal *Tifani Grusky* y *Mike* y *Chris Gailey* por todo el arduo trabajo y el tiempo dedicado a servir a la Familia Parroquial de San Francisco de Asís. Que Dios los bendiga en sus proyectos futuros.

 ¡El mascar chicle crea una situación muy pegajosa bajo los asientos de la iglesia, las mesas y las sillas! Ya se ha encontrado chicle bajo las sillas. Como debemos de ayunar una hora antes de la Comunión (incluye el mascar chicle) se les pide que dispongan de su chicle antes de entrar al área de alabanza y del edificio de la iglesia.

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:30pm English, 7:30pm Spanish
 Sunday 9:00am English

Reconciliation

Tuesday 5:40pm - 6:10pm Friday 9:40am - 10:20am
 Saturday 3:30pm - 4:15pm & 6:15pm - 7:00pm
 Sunday 8:00am - 8:30am

Winter Office Hours
 Monday - Thursday 9:00am - 4:00pm
 Friday 10:00am - 12:00pm

Sunday, January 14, 2024
The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



But he who is united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him.
 1 Corinthians 6:17



For anointing of the sick, receiving the Eucharist while homebound/in the hospital, hearing of your confession, or special prayers and/or visit from Father please contact the church office. For pastoral emergencies after business hours please use the Emergency Line, 336-246-9151, ext 7.

St. Francis of Assisi Cemetery: Plots are available for purchase during office hours. Payment in full is required at purchase. Prices are: \$750/per full size plot; \$250/per urn size plot.



Flocknote is another way of getting information out to the parish. Weekly emails, schedule changes or cancellations are sent out to those on the contact list. To be added please contact the office by email.

An Online Giving option is available on the St. Francis of Assisi website. Donors can go to <http://stfrancisofofassisi-jefferson.org/> and click on the **Online Giving** tile located at the bottom of the home page. For a one-time donation you do not need to use the Sign Up or Log In buttons located in the upper right hand corner of the screen. For recurring donations folks are asked to create an account and sign up.

WELCOME

Father Cory Catron, Pastor

Administrative Assistant:

Chris Gailey wk: 336-246-9151, ext 2

Finance Assistant:

Herb Maddock 336-246-9151, ext 4

Buildings/Facilities:

Mike Gailey 336-338-2488

Pastoral Council:

Joanne Kuszaj—Chairperson 336-982-3054

Finance Council:

Rick LaBonte - Chairperson 336-877-2300

Faith Formation:

Joanne Kuszaj— Coordinator 336-982-3054

Home Bound Ministers:

Brings the Eucharist to the Homebound
 Linda Sheridan 336-977-6893

Parish Commissions & Committees

Commission Chairperson:
Liturgy/Worship—Vickie Herman 336-877-5656
Parish Life— Elizabeth Jones 407-341-7909
Community Life— Janine Boudreau 980-228-0406
Prison Ministry— Knights of Columbus
Ecumenism -- Carolyn Andreucci 336-877-9038

Prayer Chain (prayer request):

Mary Rodgers - Chairperson 336-877-5399

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Aleksandra Banasik 336-428-6909

Baptism Prep Class, Spanish:

Jose Juan Robles 336-977-4612

Bulletin Deadline: Items for the bulletin must be submitted to the Church Office before 12:00pm on Wednesday.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, January 14

8:00am - Confessions
 8:35am - Lauds
 9:00am - Mass, English
 10:00am - Spanish Baptismal Prep Class
 10:00am - Stewardship Committee Meeting

Monday, January 15

OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, January 16

3:00pm - Mass
 5:30pm - Adoration
 6:15pm - Vespers
 6:45pm - Mass, Spanish

Wednesday, January 17

9:00am - Lauds
 9:30am - Book Discussion Group
 12:00pm - Mass
 6:00pm - Knights of Columbus Council Meeting

Thursday, January 18

9:00am - Cleaning of Church
 8:00pm - Spanish Choir Practice

Friday, January 19

9:00am - Mass followed by Adoration
 9:40am - Confessions
 10:20am - Terce with Benediction
 5:00pm - Finance Council Meeting
 7:00pm - Young Adults for Christ Meeting

Saturday, January 20

3:30pm - Confessions
 4:30pm - Mass, English
 6:15pm-7:00pm - Confessions
 7:00pm - Vespers
 7:30pm - Mass, Spanish

Sunday, January 21

8:00am - Confessions
 8:35am - Lauds
 9:00am - Mass, English

This month we welcome New Staff Members.

Welcome!

Herb Maddock comes on as Finance Assistant. Herb's time in the office is part-time, split between the Jefferson and Sparta churches.

Susan Smith begins training for the Administrative Assistant role this week. Susan will be working full-time and takes over completely on February 1st.

Peter Finegan also begins training this week, but for the Facilities Manager position. Peter will be part-time and will be the sole contact come February 1st for any facilities need.

Many thanks to outgoing staff members *Tifani Grusky* and *Mike and Chris Gailey* for all the hard work and time devoted to serving the St. Francis of Assisi Parish Family. God bless you in your future endeavors.

Mass Schedule and Readings

Monday, January 15, No Mass

Scripture: 1 Sm 15:16-23, Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23, Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday, January 16, 3:00pm

Scripture: 1 Sm 16:1-13, Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28, Mk 2:23-28

Spanish Mass, January 16, 6:45pm

Wednesday, January 17, 12:00pm

Scripture: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51, Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10, Mk 3:1-6

Thursday, January 18, No Mass

Scripture: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7, Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13, Mk 3:7-12

Friday, January 19, 9:00am

Scripture: 1 Sm 24:3-21, Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11, Mk 3:13-19

Saturday, January 20, 4:30pm

Mass Intention: Elaine Fox+

Scripture: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27, Ps 80:2-3, 5-7, Mk 3:20-21

Spanish Mass, January 20, 7:30pm

Sunday, January 21, 9:00am

Mass Intention: Parish Community

Scripture: Jon 3:1-5, 10, Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 1 Cor 7:29-31, Mk 1:14-20

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, January 20, 2024, 4:30pm

Greeter: Pat C.
 Lector: *Tassanee W. **James W.
 Ushers: Jim L. & John E.

Sunday, January 21, 2024, 9:00am

Greeter: Pam J.
 Lector: *Joe C. **Joann C.
 Ushers: Tom & Susan L.

Altar Linens:

January 19: Lila W. January 12, 26: Evelyn R.



Parishioners, Family Members and Friends in need of Special Prayer: Lynn Marie Gregor, Patrick Fulkerson, Refugio Calvillo, Patrick & Peggy Bieber, Martha Esser, Carol Phillips, Renae Fountain, Jacob McFadden, Michael Showfety, Art Long. May God bless you!

Please note: The English Mass on Tuesday, January 16 has been moved to 3:00pm

The office will be closed on Monday, January 15 in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Financial Figures

Offertory January 7: \$ 3,438.00
 Offertory received this month: \$ 3,438.00
 Offertory needed in January: \$ 18,300.00

Rectory Fund January 7: \$ 1,430.00
 Rectory Fund received this month: \$ 1,430.00
 Mortgage goal needed each month: \$ 4,442.07

Rectory debt (as of December 12, 2023):\$ 405,300.99

Upcoming Second Collections

Combined Mission Campaign: January 21
 Rectory Fund: January 28

Parishioners are strongly encouraged to mail in their offertory or use the online giving option located on the church website as bills still need to be paid.

*Checks can be mailed to the following address:
 P.O. Box 634, Jefferson, NC 28640
 Your support is greatly appreciated.*

Combined Mission Collection - As part of the diocesan combined collections program, the Collection for the Church in Latin America, the Church in Central and Eastern Europe, Church in Africa, Catholic Home Missions, and the United States Mission Collection have been combined into one second collection. That collection will be taken up at all Masses the weekend of January 21. Your contribution to the good work of these organizations will give you an opportunity to participate in the missionary activity of the Church on both a local and world level. Next week you will receive a letter from our Vicar General and Chancellor, Father Winslow, with an informative brochure. Please take the time to read through the brochure and become more familiar with the good work done by each of these organizations. The envelope for this collection is part of your parish envelope packet.

Next St. Francis Table fundraising activity in February

Thank you to all parishioners and community members who have supported our community building and fundraising activities these past few months. The next event will be a Mardi Gras themed dinner with Fr. Cory being the chief cook. He will be making Gumbo. The date is February 9. More details will follow in the next week. This will be a ticketed event, Cost has not been determined yet. We are in need of volunteers to help plan and work on this event. If you are able to volunteer, plan to attend a planning meeting on January 14 at 10:00am. If you are not able to attend this meeting, contact Joanne Kuszaj at jkuszaj@gmail.com



Faith Formation

Reminder that classes start up for students continuing in preparation for First Communion & Confirmation on Sunday, January 28 at 5:00pm - 6:30pm. Class schedule will be posted on the Faith Formation bulletin board on the lower level and distributed on January 28.

If you have a child who has not been in classes this past year and may be eligible for Sacraments in 2025, please contact Joanne Kuszaj to discuss the classes required. For more information please contact Joanne Kuszaj at jkuszaj@gmail.com

On Wednesday, January 17th, the Book Discussion Group will discuss *Death Comes for the Archbishop* by Willa Cather. We will begin with Morning Prayer at 9:00am, with the discussion following at 9:30am. Coffee and refreshments will be available.



Stewardship Committee

There is a need for more parishioners and varied voices to be involved in the Stewardship Committee. This group does not just focus on Fundraising activities but also has a focus on building a strong Parish Community based on our Catholic Faith helping parishioners grow in their faith. If you are interested in being part of this group, please send an email to stfrancis@skybest.com or call the Office.



Thank you to the many people who either helped put up or take down the Christmas decorations, or both! Your help was greatly appreciated. God bless you all!

Seasonal parishioner Codi Kimball passed from this life on January 3 following a long battle with cancer. A funeral Mass will be celebrated in Florida on Tuesday, January 23, 2024. A private inurnment will follow. May we pray for the repose of *Codi's* soul and for peace and consolation for *Tony* her husband and the *Kimball family* at this time of sorrow.



The worship area is a gum and food free zone! Before entering the church worship space please dispose of any food, candy or gum. Trash receptacles are conveniently located in the vestibule and downstairs entrance way to dispose of these items prior to entering the church. Remember we are to fast one hour before Communion (chewing gum and candy included). Please be courteous and help keep our beautiful church clean. Thank you.