



Iglesia Católica San Francisco de Asís
Vigésimo Noveno Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Octubre 22, 2023

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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 octubre 23 - 29, 2023

Lunes: Romanos 4:20-25, Lucas 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75, Lucas 12:13-21
 Martes: Romanos 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21, Salmo 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17, Lucas 12:35-38
 Miércoles: Romanos 6:12-18, Salmo 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, Lucas 12:39-48
 Jueves: Romanos 6:19-23, Salmo 1:1-2, 3, 4 y 6, Lucas 12:49-53
 Viernes: Romanos 7:18-25a, Salmo 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94, Lucas 12:54-59
 Sábado: Efesios 2:19-22, Salmo 19:2-3, 4-5, Lucas 6:12-16
 Domingo: Éxodo 22:20-26, Salmo 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51, 1 Tesalonicenses 1:5c-10, Mateo 22:34-40 1:1-5b, Mateo 22:15-21

Figuras del Ofertorio

Ofertorio 15 de octubre: \$ 4,750.00
 El Fondo de Rectoría recibió: \$ 560.00
 Meta hipotecaria necesaria cada mes: \$ 4,442.07
 Deuda de la rectoría (al 2 de octubre de 2023): \$ 434,185.13

Noticias de Caballeros de Colón

GANA \$500.00: Nuestro Consejo 16839 de Caballeros de Colón está llevando a cabo una rifa para financiar la Beca Anual 2024 de \$1,000 otorgada a un graduado de Parish High School y para apoyar sus programas para el año 2023-2024. Las entradas han sido enviadas por correo y una vez más estamos buscando su generoso apoyo. **El sorteo será el 7 de noviembre de 2023.**

Las Flores del Altar de este fin de semana fueron donadas por Cindy y Barry Appleby en memoria de las familias Appleby y Shelley.

Comité de Mayordomía (parte del Consejo Parroquial)

¿Está buscando una manera de involucrarse más en la parroquia? Una gran oportunidad es unirse a otros feligreses en el Comité de Mayordomía para ayudar a desarrollar más formas para que los feligreses compartan su tiempo, talentos y recursos financieros para ayudar a la parroquia a crecer como una comunidad cristiana católica. Si está interesado o desea obtener más información, comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial por correo electrónico o a través de una llamada telefónica.

Reunión de Liderazgo en Español, sábado 28 de octubre después de la Misa de las 7:30pm.

Las clases de Formación en la Fe

No hay clases el 21 de octubre para la Confirmación o la Primera Comunión. Las clases se reanudan el 28 de octubre, el 4 y el 11 de noviembre.



Tenga en cuenta:

La Oficina de la Iglesia estará operando en horario limitado durante las próximas 2 semanas. Se les pide a las personas que soliciten intenciones de misa u otros asuntos en la oficina que llamen para hacer una cita. Los correos electrónicos se revisarán periódicamente. Los artículos para el boletín o los anuncios del púlpito del fin de semana deben enviarse por correo electrónico a stfrancis@skybest.com a más tardar a las 12pm del miércoles.

Horario de Todos los Santos y de Todos los Fieles Difuntos

Día de Todos los Santos, 1 de noviembre: Misa a las 12:00pm; 4:45pm Adoración con Vísperas; 6:00pm - Misa, Inglés; 7:30pm - Misa, Español
Día de los Fieles Difuntos, 2 de noviembre: Misa a las 12:00pm, en inglés seguida de una procesión al cementerio; 8:30pm - Misa, Español seguido de Procesión al Cementerio



Día de los Fieles Difuntos: Todos los sobres de almas ahora están disponibles en el vestíbulo. Si desea que sus seres queridos difuntos recordados en todas las Misas durante el mes de noviembre por favor imprimir su nombre en la envoltura y colocarlo en el cuadro negro situado en la puerta de la oficina. Por favor devuelva los sobres por el **Miércoles 25 de octubre**, como los nombres de los difuntos se colocará en el boletín de fin de semana del 29 de octubre. Todos los sobres dio vuelta después el 25 de octubre se colocará entre los sobres que se dejan en el altar durante todo el mes de noviembre.



St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

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 Office Hours: Please call

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

Sunday, October 22, 2023
The Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



*Worship the LORD in holy array;
 tremble before him, all the earth!
 Psalm 96:9*



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://stfrancisofofassis-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

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 Linda Sheridan 336-977-6893

Parish Commissions & Committees
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Liturgy/Worship—Vickie Herman 336-877-5656
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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, October 22
 8:00am - 8:30am - Confessions
 8:35am - Lauds
 9:00am - Mass, English
Tuesday, October 24
 3:00pm - Mass
 5:30pm - Adoration
 6:15pm - Vespers
 6:45pm - Mass
 7:15pm - Adult Faith Formation Spanish
Wednesday, October 25
 9:00am - Lauds
 9:30am - Adult Faith Formation
 12:00pm - Mass
Thursday, October 26
 8:00am - 5:00pm - Cleaning of the Church
 8:00pm - Spanish Choir Practice
Friday, October 27
 9:00am - Mass followed by Adoration
 9:40am - Confessions
 10:20am - Terce with Benediction
 7:00pm - Young Adults for Christ Meeting
Saturday, October 28
 3:30pm-4:15pm - Confessions
 4:30pm - Mass, English
 5:45pm - Faith Formation Classes
 6:15pm-7:00pm - Confessions
 7:00pm - Vespers
 7:30pm - Mass, Spanish
 8:30pm - Spanish Leadership Meeting
Sunday, October 29
 8:00am - 8:30am - Confessions
 8:35am - Lauds
 9:00am - Mass, English

Please note:

The Mass on Tuesday, October 24th will be offered at 3:00pm.

The Church Office will be operating on limited hours for the next 2 weeks. Folks requesting Mass Intentions or other in office business are asked to please call to make an appointment. Emails will be checked periodically. Items for the bulletin or weekend pulpit announcements need to be emailed to stfrancis@skybest.com no later than 12pm on Wednesday.

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, October 28, 2023, 4:30pm
 Greeter: Mary J.
 Lector: *Charles G. **Irene S.
 Ushers: John E. & Tom O.

Sunday Mass, October 29, 2023, 9:00am
 Greeter: Debbie P.
 Lector: *Gary P. **Evelyn R.
 Ushers: Luis de la C. & Tom R.

Altar Linens:
 October 20: Evelyn R. October 27: Lila W.

Mass Schedule and Readings

Monday, October 23, No Mass
 Scripture: Rom 4:20-25, Luke 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75, Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday, October 24, 3:00pm
Mass Intention: Mary King+
 Scripture: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21, Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17, Lk 12:35-38

Spanish Mass, October 24, 6:45pm

Wednesday, October 25, 12:00pm
Mass Intention: Isagani Garcia
 Scripture: Rom 6:12-18, Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, Lk 12:39-48

Thursday, October 26, No Mass
 Scripture: Rom 6:19-23, Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6, Lk 12:49-53

Friday, October 27, 9:00am
Mass Intention: Poor Souls in Purgatory
 Scripture: Rom 7:18-25a, Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94, Lk 12:54-59

Saturday, October 28, 4:30pm
Mass Intention: Stephanie Quinn
 Scripture: Eph 2:19-22, Ps 19:2-3, 4-5, Lk 6:12-16

Spanish Mass, October 28, 7:30pm
Mass Intention: Parish Community

Sunday, October 29, 9:00am
Mass Intention: Johnny Moran+
 Scripture: Ex 22:20-26, Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51, 1 Thes 1:5c-10, Mt 22:34-40

All Saints & All Souls Schedule

All Saints Day, November 1: 12:00pm Mass; 4:45pm Adoration with Vespers; 6:00pm - Mass, English; 7:30pm - Mass, Spanish

All Souls Day, November 2: 12:00pm Mass, English followed by Procession to Cemetery; 8:30pm - Mass, Spanish followed by Procession to Cemetery

All Souls Envelopes are available in the vestibule. If you would like your deceased loved ones remembered in all the Masses during the month of November, please legibly print their name(s) on the envelope and place it in the white Office box located on the wall just outside of the office wing downstairs. **Please return the envelopes by Wednesday, October 25th** as the names of the deceased will be placed in the bulletin the weekend of Sunday, October 29th. All envelopes turned in after October 25th will be added to the envelopes that are placed on the altar during the entire month of November.

An All Souls' Day tile has been activated on the St. Francis of Assisi website for mobile and online giving. Names of deceased loved ones can be entered on the page when you give your donation.

The Knights of Columbus are selling raffle tickets to fund their 2024 Annual Scholarship. Prize is \$500. See any Knight for tickets. **Drawing is November 7, 2023.**

Financial Figures

Offertory October 15:	\$ 4,750.00
Offertory received this month:	\$ 12,288.00
Offertory needed in October:	\$ 22,800.00
Rectory Fund October 15:	\$ 560.00
Rectory Fund received this month:	\$ 3,221.00
Mortgage goal needed each month:	\$ 4,442.07
Rectory debt (as of October 2, 2023):	\$ 434,185.13

Upcoming Second Collections

Rectory Fund:	October 29
Seminarian Education Collection:	November 5

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.

The 2023 Diocesan Support Appeal
 Thank you to all those who have supported the DSA this year! Once the outstanding pledges are completed we will have made our goal. God bless you!

The 2023 Priests Retirement Appeal


Our Fair Share:	\$ 7,192.00
Amount Given:	\$ 5,113.00
Amount Needed:	\$ 2,079.00

Job Opening -- Facilities Manager: Applications and Job Descriptions are available from the Church Office. *Brief description:* The Facilities Manager coordinates and oversees all aspects of property (including the cemetery), building upkeep and maintenance. Other duties would include janitorial and light repair work. This position is part-time at 20 hours/week. Please contact the St. Francis of Assisi Church Office at stfrancis@skybest.com, 336-246-9151 if interested. Applications and Job Descriptions are available upon request from the office.

Parishioners, Family Members and Friends in need of Special Prayer: Lynn Marie Gregor, Kevin & June Gouge, Patrick Fulkerson, Logan Tyler Hollars, Refugio Calvillo, Patrick & Peggy Bieber, Martha Esser, Carol Phillips, Renae Fountain, Jacob McFadden, Misty Pownell, Michael Showfety, John Barnak. May God bless you!

Stewardship Committee (part of the Parish Council)
 Looking for a way to be more involved in the Parish? A great opportunity is to join other parishioners on the Stewardship Committee to help develop more ways for parishioners to share their time, talents and financial resources to help the parish grow as a Catholic Christian community. If interested or want to learn more, contact the Parish Office via email or through a phone call.

The Altar Flowers this weekend were donated by Cindy & Barry Appleby in Memory of the Appleby and Shelley Families.

No classes on October 21 for Confirmation or First Communion. Classes resume October 28, November 4 & 11. 


Wednesday Mornings with Father Cory
 The following opportunities are available on Wednesday morning:

Adult Faith Formation
Let Us Continually Offer Up a Sacrifice of Praise: The Letter to the Hebrews

25 October	Chapters 3-7
8 November	Chapters 8-12
15 November	Conclusions

Book Discussion Group
Story of a Soul by St. Thérèse of Lisieux
 Read the book throughout October and the group will meet for discussion on 1 November.

Mornings begin with Lauds at 9:00am with formation/discussion following at 9:30am. Refreshments will be available.

Christmas Gift Project: It's that time of year to sign up to help children in need through the Ashe County Children's Christmas Project (ACCCP) and provide to elderly people in need. St. Francis Parish continues to participate in providing Christmas gifts to these two populations. Sign Up sheets will be available to commit to taking a tag for either the children or the elderly this weekend, October 21 & 22. Tags for ACCCP will be available after November 1. Tags for the elderly will be available at a later date. Monetary donations are also accepted. More information will follow. If interested in helping with this project, contact Joanne at jkuszaj@gmail.com 

On Monday, October 30, the parish is organizing a day trip to Belmont Abbey to see the campus and to pray with the monks. The schedule of the day will be as follows:

- 10:00am Meet at the Abbey (parking lot in front of the Basilica). Basilica tour with Brother Edward
- 11:00am Mass
- 11:40am Midday Prayer
- 12:00pm Lunch at Campus Dining
- 1:00pm Monastery Tour
- 2:30pm Campus Tour and Catholic Shop
- 4:00pm Depart to return home

Those interested in attending will carpool/caravan from St. Francis church to the Abbey that day, so please plan accordingly for arriving on time that morning. The trip is a little more than two hours. We will need a headcount for lunch so we can let the dining hall know how many will be coming. *Please respond to stfrancis@skybest.com by October 20 if you are interested in attending.*