



Iglesia Católica San Francisco de Asís Vigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario Septiembre 10, 2023

Pastor: Padre Cory Catron, 336-246-9151
Ministerio Diocesano Hispano: Aleksandra Banasik, 336-428-6909
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Horario de la oficina: De Lunes a Jueves 10:00am—5:00pm y Viernes 10:00am - 12:00pm
Horarios de misa entre semana: Martes 12:00pm y 7:45pm, Miércoles 12:00pm, Viernes 9:00am
Confesiones: Martes 6:40pm - 7:10pm, Sábado 6:15pm - 7:00pm

Lecturas Bíblicas de septiembre 11 - 17, 2023

Lunes: Colosenses 1:24-2:3, Salmo 62:6-7, 9, Lucas 6:6-11
Martes: Colosenses 2:6-15, Salmo 145:1b-2, 8-9, 10-11, Lucas 6:12-19
Miércoles: Colosenses 3:1-11, Salmo 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-13ab, Lucas 6:20-26
Jueves: Números 21:4b-9, Salmo 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38, Filipenses 2:6-11, Juan 3:13-17
Viernes: 1 Timoteo 1:1-2, 12-14, Salmo 16:1b-2a y 5, 7-8, 11, Juan 19:25-27 o Lucas 2:33-35
Sábado: 1 Timoteo 1:15-17, Salmo 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5 y 6-7, Lucas 6:43-49
Domingo: Eclesiástico 27:30—28:7, Salmo 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12, Romanos 14:7-9, Mateo 18:21-35

Figuras del Ofertorio

Ofertorio 3 de septiembre: \$ 3,896.00
El Fondo de Rectoría recibió este semana: \$ 1,503.00
Meta hipotecaria necesaria cada mes: \$ 4,442.07

Deuda de la rectoría (al 8 de agosto de 2023): \$ 497,511.34

"Servir es amar", es el tema de la Campaña de Apoyo Diocesano 2023. A estas alturas ya debería haber recibido una carta o postal del obispo Jugis pidiéndole su generoso apoyo. Nuestra parte justa este año es de **\$25,066.96**. Actualmente estamos en el 76% de \$ 25,066.96, nuestra parte justa de la Campaña de Apoyo Diocesano 2023. Nuestra parte justa se puede cumplir si cada hogar contribuyó con \$ 73 para el DSA. Los sobres de compromiso de DSA están disponibles en el vestíbulo.

Noticias de Caballeros de Colón

RAFFLE
GANAR \$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.

La Asamblea de High Country de Caballeros de Colón distribuirá pines de **cortesía de la bandera de los Estados Unidos** en honor a los héroes del 9/11/2001. Por favor, pase y recoja un alfiler después de la misa de las 9:00 a.m. el domingo 9/10.



Cena de Chile "impresionante"

lunes, 9 de octubre de 2023, 16:30 hasta 18:30
TODO LO QUE PUEDAS COMER
(Para llevar y vegetariano disponible)
chile, pan de maíz, bebida,
Adultos \$8 Niños menores de 12 años \$5
Postres por donación

Los beneficios van para los proyectos de Caballeros de Colón

Las Flores del Altar de este fin de semana fueron donadas por Rusty & Zella Gaeta en memoria de Wilma Jeanne Bedami.

Flores del altar: La hoja de inscripción de octubre está disponible en el vestíbulo para donar flores del altar para el fin de semana y las siguientes misas entre semana. Los sobres de Flores del Altar con fechas de fin de semana etiquetadas están con la hoja de registro y deben usarse en el momento de la inscripción. El cargo es de **\$85** y se solicita al momento de elegir un fin de semana. Se les pide a los donantes que anoten en la hoja de registro el fin de semana elegido y la intención, y entreguen la donación en el sobre etiquetado. Por favor, no tome un sobre sin hacer su intención y dejar su donación. Los cheques a nombre de San Francisco de Asís con flores del altar en la línea de memorándum se pueden colocar en la canasta de recolección o en el buzón blanco de la oficina ubicado en la planta baja. Comuníquese con Vickie Herman @ (336) 877-5656 o vherman@skybest.com para obtener más información.

El Comité de Vida Parroquial patrocinará un emocionante "Evento de Productos Horneados" antes y después de todas las Misas durante el fin de semana del 16 y 17 de septiembre. Para hacer de este un evento divertido y delicioso, necesitaremos que todos nuestros maravillosos cocineros parroquiales saquen sus mejores recetas y traigan sus productos horneados a la iglesia el sábado 16. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Liz Jones @ 407 341-7909.



Notas de interés:

Lunes 11 de septiembre: 1:30pm - 3:30pm
Miércoles, 13 de septiembre: La oficina estará cerrada de 1:00pm - 2:30pm



El Padre Cory estará en la oficina y disponible los martes, de 12:30pm a 2:00pm y los viernes, de 10:30am a 12:00pm.

Las clases de Formación en la Fe de la Sesión de Otoño comienzan el domingo 10 de septiembre de 6:00 p.m. a 7:15 p.m. Por favor, llegue a tiempo a las clases. Si tiene formularios para traer, certificados de bautismo o certificados de Primera Comunión, por favor tráigalos el domingo. El horario regular de clases será los sábados por la noche de 5:45 p.m. a 7:15 p.m. a partir del 16 de septiembre. El horario completo es:

16 y 23 de septiembre: 5:45-7:15pm
7, 14, 28 de octubre: 5:45-7:15pm
4 y 11 de noviembre: 5:45-7:15pm



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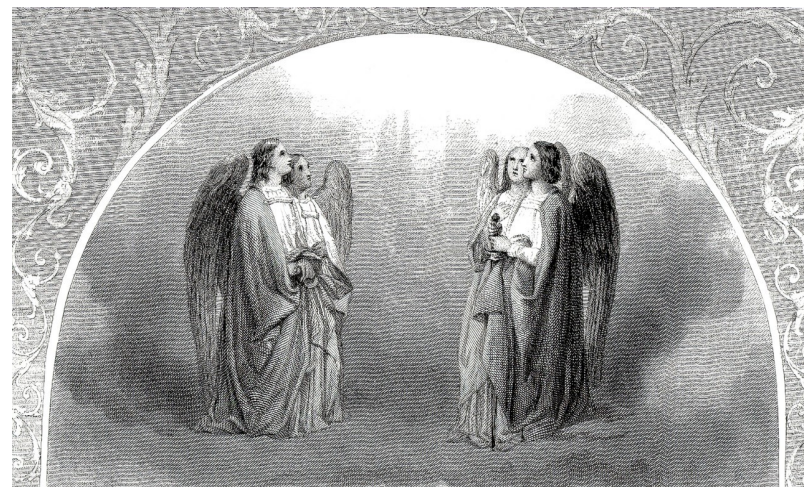
Weekend Mass Schedule

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

Reconciliation

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

Sunday, September 10, 2023 The Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time



*O come, let us sing to the LORD;
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
Psalm 95:1*



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://stfrancisofassisi-jefferson.org/> and click on the **Online Giving** tile located at the bottom of the home pageFor 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 & Office Assistant:

Tifani Grusky 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

Vicariate Hispanic Ministry Coordinator:

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, September 10

8:00am - 8:30am - Confessions

8:35am - Lauds

9:00am - Mass, English

10:00am - Spanish Baptismal Prep Class

6:00pm - Faith Formation Classes

Tuesday, September 12

8:30am - Lauds

9:00am - Mass

9:30am - Adult Faith Formation

3:00pm - Fund Raising Committee Meeting

6:30pm - Adoration

6:45pm - Confessions

7:15pm - Vespers

7:45pm - Mass, Spanish

8:15pm - Adult Faith Formation, Spanish

Wednesday, September 13

9:00am - Lauds

9:30am - Book Discussion Group

12:00pm - Mass

Thursday, September 14

8:00am - 5:00pm - Cleaning of the Church

8:00pm - Spanish Choir Practice

Friday, September 15

9:00am - Mass followed by Adoration

9:40am - Confessions

10:20am - Terce with Benediction

7:00pm - Young Adults for Christ Meeting

Saturday, September 16

Baked Goods Event after both Masses

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

Sunday, September 17

Baked Goods Event after Mass

8:00am - 8:30am - Confessions

8:35am - Lauds

9:00am - Mass, English

The Fall Session Faith Formation classes begin Sunday, September 10th at 6:00pm - 7:15pm. Please be on time to the classes. If you have forms to bring, Baptismal certificates or First Communion certificates, please bring them on Sunday. The regular schedule for classes will be Saturday evenings from 5:45pm - 7:15pm starting September 16th. The full schedule is:

September 16th & 23rd: 5:45-7:15pm

October 7th, 14th, 28th: 5:45-7:15pm

November 4th, 11th: 5:45-7:15pm

Parishioners, Family Members and Friends in need of Special Prayer:

Lynn Marie Gregor, Marilyn Reihle, Kevin & June Gouge, Patrick Fulkerson, Logan Tyler Hollars, Refugio Calvillo, Felicitas Bugarin Santos, Patrick & Peggy Bieber, Martha Esser, Carol Phillips, John Moran, Peggy Schaffer, Renae Fountain, Jacob McFadden, Michael Showfety. May God bless you!

Mass Schedule and Readings

Monday, September 11, No Mass

Scripture: Col 1:24-2:3, Ps 62:6-7, 9, Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday, September 12, 9:00am

Mass Intention: Therese Leafstedt

Scripture: Col 2:6-15, Ps 145:1b-2, 8-9, 10-11, Lk 6:12-19

Spanish Mass, September 12, 7:45pm

Wednesday, September 13, 12:00pm

Mass Intention: Holy Souls in Purgatory

Scripture: Col 3:1-11, Ps 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-13ab, Lk 6:20-26

Thursday, September 14, No Mass

Scripture: Nm 21:4b-9, Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38, Phil 2:6-11, Jn 3:13-17

Friday, September 15, 9:00am

Mass Intention: Robert Gordon Sox+

Scripture: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14, Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 11, Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Saturday, September 16, 4:30pm

Mass Intention: Penny Hession+

Scripture: 1 Tm 1:15-17, Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5 and 6-7, Lk 6:43-49

Spanish Mass, September 16, 7:30pm

Sunday, September 17, 9:00am

Mass Intention: Parish Community

Scripture: Sir 27:30-28:7, Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12, Rom 14:7-9, Mt 18:21-35

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, September 16, 2023, 4:30pm

Greeter: Linda S.

Lector: *John E. **Patrick B.

Ushers: Michael & Tifani G.

Sunday Mass, September 17, 2023, 9:00am

Greeter: Pam J.

Lector: *Denise B. **Laura B.

Ushers: Marcy B. & Jeff B.

Altar Linens:

September 15, 29: Lila W. September 8, 22: Evelyn R.

Fundraising Committee

A group of interested Parishioners met with Fr. Cory on August 29th to discuss ideas for fundraising events for the Parish. Fundraising, in addition to the Weekly Offering Collections is needed to help offset the increase in Operating expenses such as electricity, trash collection, snow removal and more. The group developed several ideas and plans and invites additional parishioners to attend the next meeting on **September 12th at 3:00pm** in the Fellowship Hall. If you cannot attend and are interested in helping with these projects, send a message to the Parish email address at stfrancis@skybest.com

Mark your calendars for this upcoming event:

Bratwurst Dinner

Friday, October 13th

4:00pm - 7:00pm

Financial Figures

Offertory September 3:

Offertory received this month:

Offertory needed in September:

\$ 3,896.00

\$ 3,896.00

\$ 18,300.00

Rectory Fund September 3:

Rectory Fund received this month:

Mortgage goal needed each month:

\$ 1,503.00

\$ 1,503.00

\$ 4,442.07

Rectory debt (as of September 5, 2023):

\$ 438,627.27

Upcoming Second Collections

Rectory Fund:

Sept. 10 & 17

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.

"To Serve is to Love," is the theme of the 2023 Diocesan Support Appeal. Currently we are at **76% of \$25,066.96**, our fair share of the 2023 Diocesan Support Appeal. Our fair share can be met if every household contributed **\$73** towards the DSA. DSA pledge envelopes are available in the vestibule, or gifts can be given online at www.charlottediocese.org/dsa.

DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL 2023

The 2023 Diocesan Support Appeal

Our Fair Share:

Amount Given:

Amount Needed:

Number of Donors:

\$ 25,066.96

\$ 18,357.56

\$ 5,928.40

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News from the Knights of Columbus

WIN \$500.00:

Our Knights of Columbus Council 16839 is currently holding a raffle to fund the 2024 Annual Scholarship of \$1,000 given to a Parish High School graduate and to support their programs for the 2023-2024 year. Tickets have been mailed out and we are once again looking for your generous support. Drawing will be on November 7, 2023.

The Knights of Columbus,

High Country Assembly will be distributing complimentary **US Flag pins** in honor of the heroes of 9/11/2001. Please stop by and pick up a pin after the 9:00am Mass on Sunday, September 10th.

Awsome Chili Supper

Monday, October 9, 2023

4:30pm to 6:30pm

ALL YOU CAN EAT

(Carryout and Vegetarian available)

Chili, Corn Bread, Drink,

Adults \$8 Children under 12 \$5

Desserts by donation

Benefits Go To Knights of Columbus Projects

Notes of interest:

Monday, September 11th: The office will be closed from 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Wednesday, September 13th: The office will be closed from 1:00pm - 2:30pm

Due to the Presbyteral Council Meeting the **12:00pm Mass on Tuesday, September 12th has been moved earlier to 9:00am.**

The Altar Flowers this weekend were donated by Rusty & Zella Gaeta in Memory of Wilma Jeanne Bedami.

Altar Flowers:

The October sign up sheet is available in the Vestibule to donate altar flowers for the weekend and following weekday Masses. Altar Flowers envelopes with labeled weekend dates are with the sign-up sheet and are to be used at the time of sign-up. The charge is **\$85**, and requested at the time of choosing a weekend. Donors are asked to annotate on the sign up sheet the chosen weekend and intention, and turn in the donation in the labeled envelope. Please do not take an envelope without making your intention and leaving your donation. Checks made out to St. Francis of Assisi with Altar Flowers in the memo line can be placed in the collection basket or in the white office mailbox located downstairs. Please contact Vickie Herman @ (336) 877-5656 or vherman@skybest.com for more information.

The Parish Life Committee will be sponsoring an exciting "Baked Goods Event" before and after all Masses over the weekend of September 16th & 17th. To make this a fun and delicious event, we will need all of our wonderful parish cooks to pull out your best recipes and bring your baked goods to the church on Saturday the 16th. For more information contact Liz Jones @ 407 341-7909.

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 up-keep 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.

Safe Environment / Protecting God's Children Training:

After training is completed and to remain compliant each volunteer is to read the monthly Virtus newsletter that is either delivered directly to their email account, or found as in insert in the church bulletin. Volunteers that read the printed insert are asked to please sign it and return to the church office, either in the white mailbox located downstairs or placed in the offertory basket. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!