

St. Francis of Assisi Parish

Parroquia San Francisco de Asís

We, the Parish of St. Francis of Assisi, guided by the Holy Spirit, are a Christian Community called by God to take part in the mission of love and truth in the world. With firm faith in Jesus the Christ and the Holy Gospel, we find our strength through prayer and the Sacraments, that we may become God's servants to our sisters and brothers



Jesús tomó el pan,
dió gracias,
y se lo repartió

Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks,
and distributed them

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Mass Schedule

Monday – Friday: 8:00 AM, Lunes, Miércoles y Jueves
7:00 PM (Spanish); Saturday: 8:00 AM, 5:30 PM, 7:00
PM (Spanish), Sunday: 8:00 AM, 9:15 AM (Italian),
10:30 AM, 12:30 PM (Spanish)

Cada último Martes del Mes: Misa en Español a las
7:30PM

Lunes, Miércoles y Jueves Misa en español a las 7:00
PM

Holy Days: Vigil Mass: 7:00 PM (Spanish) 8:00AM,
12:00 Noon, 7:00 PM

Miraculous Medal St. Anthony Novena

Tuesdays: 7:00 PM

Grupo de Oración

Martes 7:30PM en la Iglesia. Último Martes de cada
mes tenemos Misa en Español a las 7:30 PM.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Please notify us when a member of your family is in the hospital or unable to attend Church and wishes to receive the Sacraments. For Emergencies contact the Rectory day or night. Por favor llamar a la oficina de la Iglesia si un miembro. Por favor llamar a la oficina de la Iglesia si un miembro de su familia está hospitalizado o si quiere recibir comunión.

Reconciliation – Confession

Every Saturday at 4:30 PM or by appointment.

First Friday - Eucharistic Adoration

Beginning with the 8am Mass, lasting all day and ending at 7pm with the Holy Hour Mass. Anyone interested in spending an hour with our Lord – kindly call the office for a time slot.

Baptism/Bautizo

celebrated on the 1st Saturday of every month in English at 11 AM and on the 3rd Saturday in Spanish at 1 PM. For more information please call the Rectory.

Marriage-Matrimonio

Arrangements should be made one year prior to the marriage. Please contact the Church Office before any social arrangements are made.

Masses for the Week



Sunday	July 26th - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM	+ Anne DiGeronimo by sister Phyllis Sarvis
9:15 AM	+ Ippolita Pauline Farris by Giovanna Vitalone & Family
	+ Lida Rossini Mr. & Mrs. John Montalbano
	+ Frank Villari by John & Angie Puccio
10:30AM	+ John Faccone by Elide Marino
	+ Anne Carol Neebling by Deacon Joe & Pat Vrindten
12:30 PM	+ Amado Delgado by esposa Maria Delgado
	+ Diogenes de la Cruz
	+ Calixto Chuqui by Mariana
	+ Miguel Batista
	+ Jesus Maria Sanchez
	Por la salud de Nidia Nuñez by Altigracia Reynoso
Monday	July 27th
8:00 AM	+ Ippolita Farris by Mary & Patti Farris
7:00 PM	+ Elizabeth de Jesus by mama Dilenia Ovalle
Tuesday	July 28th
8:00 AM	+ Gregorio Pineda by George & Tess Meyer
	+ Tina Savoglou by Giovanna Speziale
7:00 PM	+ Miraculous Medal/St. Anthony Novena
7:30 PM	Por la gente de nuestra Parroquia
Wednesday	July 29th
8:00 AM	+ John Faccone by Brooks & Daub McIntyre
7:00 PM	+ Intenciones Especiales
Thursday	July 30th
8:00 AM	+ Pino Petrocelli by wife Nina
7:00 PM	+ Intenciones Especiales
Friday	July 31st
8:00 AM	+ Pino Petrocelli by wife Nina
	+ Gianni Azzara by Gina & Arturo Morzetta
Saturday	August 1st
8:00 AM	+ Giuseppina Farina by Cono Savino
5:30 PM	People of the Parish
7:00 PM	+ Matilde Vasquez (1er Aniversario)
	Feliz Cumpleaños Maryi (nieta) y Elvia Restrepo (abuela)
	by Rosa Correa
Sunday	August 2nd - Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM	+ Special Intentions by Lois Viola
	+ Deceased members of Puglisi & Nativo Family by Jo Puglisi
9:15 AM	+ Alberto Bosi by Family
	+ Iva Ferrari by Mary Bosi
	+ Jimmie Scangelli by Mary Bosi
10:30AM	People of the Parish
12:30 PM	+ Jesus Antonio Valencia (11 Aniversario) by esposa e hijos
	+ Manuel Delgado by su mama y Familia
	+ Benilda Ventura (3er Aniversario) by La Familia
	Por la salud de Nidia Nuñez by Altigracia Reynoso



Dear Parishioners:

Today's Gospel story of the little boy who gave away his lunch of five barley loaves and two fish occurred in Tiberias, the beautiful resort city on the west bank of the Sea of Galilee. It was during the Paschal season, and Jesus saw a great crowd approaching. It reminded him of the Israelites who followed Moses out of Egypt twelve centuries earlier and were fed in the desert each morning with bread from heaven. Jesus asks Philip's opinion about feeding the tired people. Philip replied that the idea was simply impractical.

Having overheard the conversation, a small boy, perhaps ten years old, told the apostle Andrew that Jesus could have his lunch if that would help. He was impressed by the youth's foolish generosity and felt compelled to relate the boy's offer to Jesus. "But what good is that for so many?" he quickly added lest he sound ridiculous. Surprisingly, Jesus was pleased with the offer. He accepted the gift and proceeded to use the food to feed 5,000 people.

The gift was insignificant, but what gift isn't when offered to God, the owner of the universe? It's not the size or value of the gift that's important, but the love and spontaneity with which it's given. Remember how Jesus was impressed by the widow's penny in the collection basket. He openly marveled at the rich faith attached to her small gift.

It is this very "miracle" which I witnessed recently during our archdiocesan campaign, "We are Living Stones." I can only marvel at your great generosity and even greater faith. I continue to thank God for you!

Love and Prayers,
Bro. John



Notas del Pastor

Estimados feligreses:

En el Evangelio de hoy oímos del niño que regaló su almuerzo de cinco panes de cebada y un par de peces. Esto ocurrió en Tiberíades, la bella ciudad turística en la orilla occidental del Mar de Galilea. Fue durante la temporada pascual, y Jesús vio que una gran muchedumbre acudía. Le recordaba los israelitas que seguían a Moisés de Egipto doce siglos antes y que fueron alimentados en el desierto cada mañana con pan del cielo. Jesús pide la opinión de Felipe sobre la alimentación de las personas cansadas. Felipe respondió que la idea era simplemente poco práctica.

Al escuchar la conversación, un niño pequeño, tal vez de diez años de edad, le dijo al apóstol Andrés que le daría a Jesús su almuerzo si eso le ayudara. El apóstol quedó impresionado por la generosidad ingenua del joven y se sintió obligado a relatar la oferta del niño a Jesús. "Pero, ¿Qué vale tan poco para tantos?" añadió rápidamente para que no sonara ridículo. Sorprendentemente, Jesús se mostró satisfecho con la oferta. Él aceptó el regalo y procedió a utilizar la comida para alimentar a unas 5.000 personas.

El regalo fue insignificante, pero ¿cuál regalo no lo es cuando se ofrezca a Dios, el dueño del universo? No es el tamaño ni el valor del regalo que es importante, sino el amor y la espontaneidad con la que se ha dado. Recuerden como Jesús fue impresionado por el centavo de la viuda en la canasta de la colecta. Se maravilló abiertamente a la rica fe expresada por su pequeño regalo.

Es este mismo "milagro" que presencié recientemente durante nuestra campaña de la Arquidiócesis, "Somos Piedras Vivas." Sólo puedo admirar su gran generosidad y aún mayor fe. ¡Sigo dando gracias a Dios por ustedes!

En su amor,
Hermano John



How will the parish goals be determined? Parish goal calculations are based on 100 percent of the 2013, offertory (first collections) using the reported information for unrestricted plate and donations.

How much will my parish receive as part of this campaign? As part of the *We Are Living Stones* Capital Campaign, \$40 million will be allocated to help parishes meet their local needs. After the *Works of Mercy* target is met, 50% of all funds raised will stay at the parish for projects determined by local leadership.

Is our parish goal an assessment? No, the established parish goals are not an assessment. However, the first monies raised at each parish will be allocated to help meet the parish's "Works of Mercy" target. All parishes are asked to conduct a "good faith effort" and work with their assigned campaign director to achieve their goal. If, after conducting a "good faith effort" the parish does not meet its goal, the parish will not be assessed the balance.

When will parishes begin to receive their 50 percent share? Parishes in Block 1 can expect to receive their first distribution of 50% of monies collected in October of 2015. These payments will continue every quarter thereafter until the conclusion of the campaign. If the parish exceeds goal, they will receive 60% of all funds redeemed above the *We Are Living Stones* goal on the same timeline as stated above.

How will the campaign affect our parish offertory? In the short term, offertory giving should remain level, with a possible small fluctuation up or down. We make sure we communicate that parishioners are asked to consider a greater sacrifice and commitment to their Archdiocesan Church above and beyond their regular offertory giving, and should not lower their gifts to their parish in order to make a gift to this effort.



REGISTRATION'S SCHEDULE

Tuesdays: 10 AM to 5 PM (Church Office)

Thursday: 2 PM to 5 PM (Church Office)
& 5 PM to 8 PM (Religious Ed. Office)

Friday: 10 AM to 2 PM (Church Office)

Sunday 9 AM to 2 PM (Religious Ed. Office)

EDUCACION RELIGIOSA

HORARIO DE INSCRIPCIONES

Martes: 10 AM a 5 PM (Oficina de la Iglesia)

Jueves: 2 PM a 5 PM (Oficina de la Iglesia)
5 PM a 8 PM (Oficina de Ed. Religiosa)

Viernes: 10 AM a 2 PM (Oficina de la Iglesia)

Domingo 9 AM a 2 PM (Oficina de Ed. Religiosa)

1- MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Parish Dinner Dance on Sunday, October 18th. This year we will honor those parishioners who have served our country in the Armed Forces.

2- ST. FRANCIS BRUNCH

Sponsored by the Secular Franciscans Sunday, September 27th from 11:30 to 2 PM
Guest Speaker: Fr. Francisco Arredondo
TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE! (\$15.00 per person) Please contact Lucy Stamilla or Diane Menditto for tickets

HOW SHOULD WE DRESS FOR MASS?

People generally have no real problem wearing proper clothing when entering places that demand such attire. Would you ever consider attending a formal dinner or a wedding dressed in a tee shirt and shorts, or a tank top and swimming trunks? Each Sunday the Lord invites us to His House. Are you dressed properly for this important Sacred Sacrificial Meal?

¿CÓMO DEBEMOS VESTIR PARA LA MISA? La gente en general no tiene ningún problema en verdad en el uso de ropa adecuada al entrar en lugares que exigen tal atuendo. ¿Alguna vez consideraste ir a una cena formal o una boda vestido con una camiseta y pantalones cortos, o una camiseta y pantalones cortos de playa? Cada domingo, el Señor nos invita a su casa. ¿Estás vestido adecuadamente para este Sacrificio de Cena Sagrada?



LA FAMILIA QUE REZA UNIDA, PERMANECE UNIDA

El Grupo de "LA VIRGEN DE FATIMA" de la parroquia "San Francisco de Asís" continúa visitando los hogares. Si usted desea ser visitada por la Virgen Madre de Dios y Madre nuestra, escuchar la Palabra de Dios, rezar el rosario y cantar cantos, favor de llamar a los teléfonos de: Lola Santos 201-342-0685 o Gladys Cobos 201-580-7450.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

Todos los Martes en la Iglesia nos reunimos para orar, cantar y alabar a Dios. Durante el año tenemos diferentes predicadores, misas de sanación, etc. Hora: 7:30 PM. Cada último Martes del mes tendremos. Misa en Español a las 7:30 PM.

Quien Fundó Tu Iglesia?

Si tú eres luterano, tu iglesia la fundó Martín Lutero, un ex-monje católico en el año 1524.

Si tú eres anglicano, tu iglesia la fundó Enrique VIII en 1534 porque el Papa no le concedió el divorcio para poder casarse con Ana Bolena.

Si tú eres presbiteriano, tu iglesia la fundó Juan Knox en Escocia en el año de 1560.

Si tú perteneces a la Iglesia Episcopaliana, esta es una rama de la iglesia de Inglaterra fundada por Samuel Seabury en las colonias de Estados Unidos en 1785.

Si tú perteneces al grupo de los Testigos de Jehová, Carlos Taze Russell inició esta iglesia en Pensilvania en 1879.

Si tú eres metodista, tu religión fue organizada por J & C Wesley en Inglaterra en 1739, cuando decidió separarse de los anglicanos.

Si tu eres mormón (Santos de los Últimos Días), José Smith inició este grupo en Palmyra, N.Y. en 1830.

Si tú eres bautista, los orígenes de tu iglesia se remontan al año 1609 cuando a John Smith se le ocurrió fundar esta religión.

Si tú eres adventista del Séptimo día, este movimiento lo inició Guillermo Miller, un granjero americano bautista. La iglesia se organizó posteriormente hacia 1860.

Si tú perteneces a la Iglesia Pentecostal o Asambleas de Dios, estas iglesias cristianas comenzaron alrededor de 1914 en Hot Springs, Arkansas.

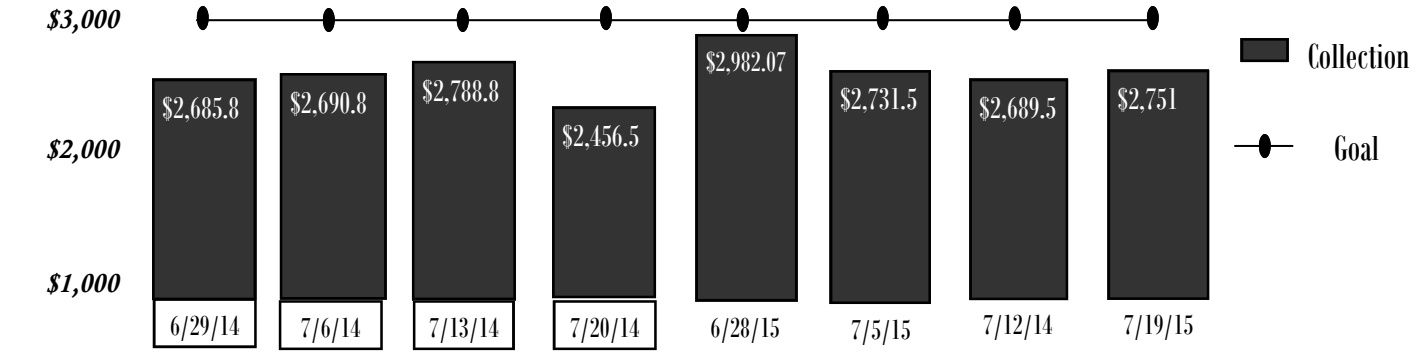
Si perteneces a cualquier otro grupo religioso del tipo "Evangélicos", "Iglesias de Dios", "Iglesia apostólica" o "Iglesia de Cristo", esos grupos se fundaron no hace más de cincuenta años.

Si tú eres católico, tu Iglesia la fundó Jesucristo el día de Pentecostés en el año 33. Lee: Mateo 16,18-19 y Hechos 2.

Nosotros nos sentimos unidos a todos los que se honran con el nombre de cristianos. Lee: *Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica* = CIC 817 ss. Precisamente porque todos los cristianos queremos la unidad, debemos cuidarnos de los que nos cortan y dividen, "los sectarios". A éstos, con la Biblia en la mano, puedes responder lo siguiente: ¡HAY UNA SOLA IGLESIA! La Iglesia Católica.

La Biblia enseña que Jesucristo fundó una y única Iglesia. El dijo a Pedro: "Tú eres Pedro y sobre esta piedra edificaré mi Iglesia". Lee: Mateo 16,18. Y no dijo: "Sobre este pedregal edificaré mis iglesias." A Jesucristo no le gustan las divisiones, El quiere la unidad. Lee: Juan 17,21.

Weekly Collections 2014/2015



OFFERING TO THE LORD

The Collection for July 18 & 19 was \$2,751 & the second collection for the Air Condition Fund was \$894.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

If you would like to have a loved one's name mentioned in the bulletin, please call the church office at 201-343-6243.

In addition, if you would like an intention to be added to the Apostolate of Prayer list, please send it via e-mail to StFrancisHack@AOL.com.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE PARISH

MEMORIAL GIFTS THIS WEEK

The **Sanctuary Lamp** will burn for
En Accion de Gracias
Donated by Irene y Julio Batista



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK POR FAVOR RECEN POR LOS ENFERMOS

Flora Comizzoli, Pedro V., Dr. Adenike Opaleke, Rosanna Manisera, Angelina Manisera, Lucy, Rose, Shawn Leddy, Dorothy Peplowski, Frank Gohr, Daisy, Liliana Cilebi, Princeton Crawford, Carlos Rojas, Miriam Ivone Valverde, Patricia Monica Garcia Villafuente, Erika Mercedes Villafuente Pacheco, Yunarli Adames, Ryan L, Jose Tineo, Kevin Hart, Mary Gavilan, Maria Canesa, , Ginny Cattaneo, Anthony Fasulo, Ubelly Cordova, Jill Brooks, Daniel Agiar, Bobby Kendrick, Vivian & Gladys Cuesta, Julianna Guerra, Marie Sortino, Anna Mary, Donna Jean, Donna & Family, Debra, Pat, Louisa, Todd, Hanna, Nora Brunal, Alvin Gomez, Matt, Adrienne Marie, Marie Dragan, Louise, , Jean Tusa Giaratana, Aaron Santos, Taylor, Isabella Denisulk, Zoila.



CHRISTMAS CLUB

This is **WEEK #29** of the Christmas Club. You can pick up a set of Christmas Club envelopes at the entrances of the Church after Mass.

REMEMBER THIS IS YOUR GIFT
BACK TO YOUR PARISH AT
CHRISTMAS.

CALENDAR



Sunday, July 26th	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time The Second Collection is for the Diocesan Assessment Fund
Monday, July 27th 7:00 PM	Misa en Español
Tuesday, July 28th 7:00 PM 7:30 PM	Miraculous Medal/St. Anthony Novena Misa en Español
Wednesday, July 29th 7:00 PM	St. Martha Misa en Español
Thursday, July 30th 7:00 PM	St. Peter Chrysologus Misa en Español
Friday, July 31st	St. Ignatius of Loyola



Los Esperamos

Nos reunimos todos los Primeros Viernes
de cada mes a las 7:30 PM en el sótano de la Iglesia
Para mas información por favor mandar un email a Leanne a stfrancisreled@gmail.com

COVER SHEET

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