



# St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

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**Confessions:** First Sunday of the Month, before and after Mass

**New Parishioners** – Welcome to the Parish! Please register as soon as possible at the Parish Office.

**Liturgy:** Sundays at 8:30 AM  
Fridays at 10:00 AM

**Holy Days:** Please call for Mass times  
**Office Hours:** Fridays  
from noon to 4:00 PM

## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2017

### 31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**TODAY**

#### SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS

**CONFESSIONS AFTER MASS**

**LINGER LONGER AFTER MASS**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AFTER MASS**

#### IMPORTANT & UPCOMING

**Sunday, Nov. 12,** Fr. Mario will offer a Mass of healing.  
**Sunday, Nov. 12,** There will be a teachers' meeting.  
**Friday, Nov. 17,** There will be a Communion service in place of the 10:00 AM Mass.



Once again for the month of November there is an **Altar of the Dead** in the narthex. **You are invited** to bring pictures of your loved ones who have died, to place on this table. If you do not have a picture, or would prefer, you can write the name(s) of your loved one(s) on the cards that will be available.

*In November we pray for ... Sherry Kastens, Josefina León, León Alvarez family, Evioael León, Connie & Larry Allen, Lou & Lou Przesmicki, Margarita Escobar, Tawana & Jerried Jackson, Dub Strickland, Esperanza, Lorenza, Josefina León, Ms. León Perez family, Magaña Family, Carolyn Lenske, George Rogers Jr., Graciela Melendes and Family, Dave Dunn, Limon Family, Hector Enrique Hernandez Díaz, Margarita Escobar, Loida Escobar, Rafael Alvarez, John Broadwater, Graciela Melendes & family, Steve Cheatham, Karlo Inglesias, Vic Rini León Macias Family, Magaña Alvarez Family, Olivia Zambrano Leon, Family of Beatriz Vallejo, Familia Montañez Acosta, Familia Montañez Hogue, Oscar Galache, Don Patterson, Richard Mckacek, Angela Mangana, Florencio Lopez Leon †RIP*

**THE ROSARY IS NOW BEING OFFERED AT 8:00 A.M. ON SUNDAYS BEFORE MASS.**

**“GIVE US THIS DAY” - IT’S RENEWAL TIME!** This monthly prayer book contains the daily Mass readings, reflections, and information on the saints and other “Blessed Among Us.” If you would like to renew or begin a subscription in January, please let David know. Cost is \$24.95 or \$34.95 for large print. Renewals are due November 19th. Please make checks payable to St. Francis. Thank you.

It is easy to read today’s Gospel and start pointing fingers at others but it is important that we see how it applies to our own life. The Gospel is always addressed to each one of us and today we need to hear what it is saying to our heart at this moment. Of course, we can point a criticizing finger at all the officials we know, political, religious or otherwise, and that will make us like anyone else and not a follower of Christ. We become touchy about the treatment people give us. We cannot demand respect but must earn it. The Pharisees acted as if their teaching was their own doctrine. Similarly we must remember that we are only channels of God’s Word and his Truth and have a mission to accomplish. Today’s Gospel, addressed to all of us, calls for integrity and honesty, where there is no pulling of rank, no demand for respect or privilege or a hearing, no double standards but a deep sense of equality and mutual respect, a desire to serve, to share what we have and are for the benefit all. What is difficult to tolerate is the hypocrisy which Jesus so rightly attacks and of which we are all at one time or another guilty.

*Eugene Lobo, S.J.*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR COUNTRY**

<b>Collection for October 29, 2017</b> <b>30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	
Offeratory needed per month	BUDGET PENDING APPROVAL
Total received Oct. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	\$329.00
* Any additional offering you can give to help make up our shortfall would be very much appreciated!! <b>Thank you for your generosity!</b>	
Attendance	57
<b>Sunday, 12 November 2017</b> <b>32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	
Presider:	Fr. Mario
Lector 1:	Jim Goo
Cantor:	Carol Dickerson
Lector 2:	María Elena Magaña
Intercessory prayers:	Linda Strickland
Extraordinary Ministers:	Jude McGrath, Marla Kastens, David Buhle
Gift Bearers:	Visions Class
Altar servers:	Emmanuel Magaña and Jesús Magaña
Ushers:	Volunteers
<b>WEEKLY:</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• THURSDAYS – NO ENGLISH CLASS</li> <li>• FRIDAYS – 10:00 LITURGY FOLLOWED BY HOLY HOUR</li> </ul>	
<b>BIRTHDAYS TO CELEBRATE THIS WEEK</b>	
8 - John Patrick Buhle	8 - George Buhle
9 - Leccsan Hernandez	
<b>HOLY HOUR</b>	
Each Wednesday evening we have Holy Hour from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at which time the Blessed Sacrament is exposed.	<b>ALL ARE INVITED TO COME PRAY WITH US</b> 