



# 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:**

**TUESDAYS FROM 9:00 AM TO 4:00 PM**  
**FRIDAYS FROM 9:00 AM TO 2:30 PM**

## SUNDAY, 16 DECEMBER 2018 THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

**TODAY**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AFTER MASS**  
**THIS IS THE LAST CLASS UNTIL THE NEW YEAR**

**FRIDAY**

**10:00 AM – MASS FOLLOWED BY ADORATION**  
**12:00 NOON – BIBLE STUDY**



The Third Sunday of Advent is known as **Gaudete Sunday** because of the first word "Rejoice" in the *Introit* or entrance antiphon of Sunday's Liturgy. "Rejoice" is also repeated throughout the readings and prayers. The vestments worn by the priest can be the color rose (sometimes referred to as pink). The

third candle of the Advent wreath is also rose. Both are reminders that Christ's coming is very soon; we are nearing the end of Advent, and we can hardly contain our joy.


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**PLEASE JOIN US AT 8:00 AM ON SUNDAY MORNINGS TO PRAY THE ROSARY BEFORE MASS.**

*In December we pray for Connie & Larry Allen, Austin Rainey, Lou & Lou Przesmicki, Jeanne Raymond, Glen & Mary Frelichowski, Bettye Jean Greer, Carolyn and Jack Lenske, Bobbie Hite, Joanne Getek. John McCain †RIP, Benny Burcham, Donnie Walters, Ronnie Walters, Austin Dodds, Billy Rafferty, Larry Okion, Sandy Hunkapillar, Mrs. B. Estes, Juan Montañez, Lésean Shandell Rooks †QEPD, Roger Nowlin Yancey, André Copeland, Grancie Ann Bell, Deena Morgan, James Thomas, Frankie Shelley, Roy Floyd, Esperanza León, Magana Family, Rhonda & Brian Simmons & Granddaughter Jordan, Lee & Regetta Lambert, Patsy Copeland, Dr. McAlpin, Limon Family, Perez Family, Pam Walker †RIP, Pete Lenske, Chris Lenske, Babbette Oikion, Patricia Newton, Dan & Mary Alcock, Steve Cheatham, Tony DeManss, Bryanne Ulibarri, Dolores Taylor, León Family, Florenzio Lopez.*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR COUNTRY**

Collection for DECEMBER 9, 2018	
SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	
Offertory needed per month	BUDGET PENDING APPROVAL
Offertory received	\$617.00
Candles	\$14.00
* 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 on Dec 9	?
SUNDAY, 23 DECEMBER 2018 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	
<b>Celebrant:</b>	Fr. Mario
<b>1st Lector</b>	Linda Strickland
<b>Cantor:</b>	Carol Dickerson
<b>2nd Lector</b>	Marla Kastens
<b>Intecessary Prayers:</b>	Mary Frelichowski
<b>Extraordinary Ministers</b>	Jude McGrath, Marla Kastens, Charry Lacy
<b>Gift Bearers:</b>	Volunteers/voluntarios
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	George Buhle and Jovany Acosta
<b>Ushers:</b>	Volunteers/voluntarios
BIRTHDAY TO CELEBRATE THIS WEEK	
16 - Bettye Jean Greer	18 - Khloie Newby
HOLY HOUR	
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.	 ALL ARE INVITED TO COME PRAY WITH US