



ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

DIOCESE OF SAN BERNARDINO

47-225 WASHINGTON STREET LA QUINTA, CA 92253-2100

Sunday July 6th, 2025 | Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Clergy



Rev. James McLaughlin

St Francis of Assisi, Pastor



Fr. Dominic Vu

St Francis of Assisi, Parochial Vicar



Fr. Paul Siebenand

St Francis of Assisi, Retired Priest



Dcn. Dave Field

St Francis of Assisi, Deacon



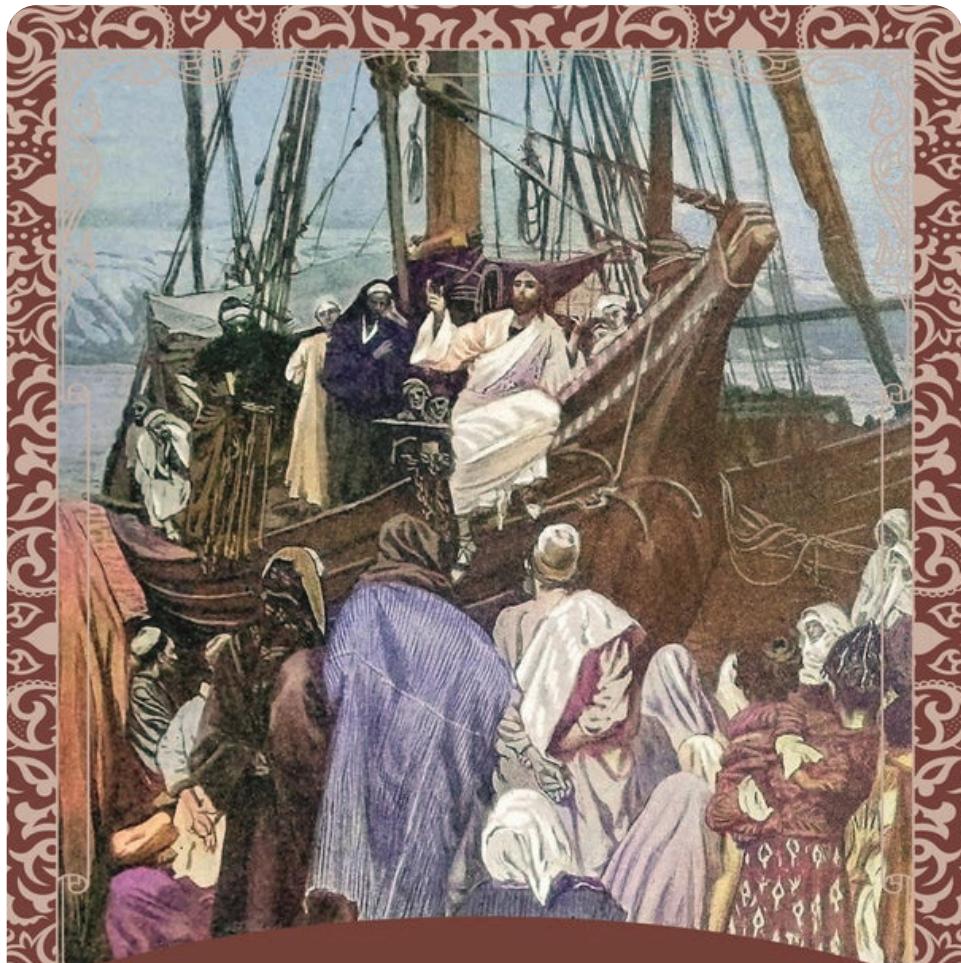
Dcn. David Hockwalt

St Francis of Assisi, Retired Deacon



Oliver Garcia-Tirado

St Francis of Assisi, Seminarian



• 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME •

**'THE KINGDOM OF
GOD IS AT HAND.'**

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Our Mass Schedule

MONDAY - FRIDAY

8:00 AM - English (Livestreamed)

SATURDAY

9:00 AM - First Saturday, English

4:30 PM - Vigil, English

6:30 PM - Third Saturday, Tagalog

SUNDAY

7:30 AM - English (Livestreamed)

9:00 AM - English

10:30 AM - English

12:00 PM - Español (Livestreamed)

4:30 PM - English

6:00 PM - Tiêng Việt (Livestreamed)

Our Parish Mission

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, united with our Bishop, is dedicated to revealing the love of Christ to our parish and beyond. Strengthened by the Word, Sacraments, and vibrant worship, we strive to be a shining light throughout our community and supportive of all on their spiritual journey.

As a Parish of diverse backgrounds, we vow that our faith in action and ministries will be fruitful and welcoming to all.



Confessions

FRIDAYS - 8:30 AM
SATURDAYS - 3:30 PM

Adoration

FIRST FRIDAY
8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Rosary

MONDAY - FRIDAY
7:30 AM Before Daily Mass

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena

Wednesday
8:30 AM After Daily Mass

Chaplet of Divine Mercy

MONDAY, TUESDAY,
THURSDAY, FRIDAY
8:30 AM After Daily Mass

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Baptism

Baptism is the sacrament of new life. It is the entrance gate and foundation of the whole Christian existence. It is a sign of faith and conversion, of turning one's life towards Jesus Christ. Baptism brings the task of a lifelong growth and maturation in the faith, through Baptism we are received into the Church. Parents seeking Baptism for their child must apply at our Parish Office at least 3 months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick is the sacrament that is received by those who are ill or suffering. By the sacred anointing and the prayer of the priest, the whole Church commends those who are sick to Christ. The sick person receives the Holy Spirit's gifts of strength, faith, peace, and courage, and his or her suffering is united with the suffering of Christ for the building up of the Church (Catechism of the Catholic Church [CCC], nos. 1520-23). If you would like to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please call our Pastoral Care Coordinator at (760) 564 - 1255.

Matrimony

The Parish recognizes the importance of the marriage decision and seeks to assist each couple with a period of preparation in which they will grow in an ever deepening love for each other. Couples seeking marriage must apply at our Parish Office at least 9 months in advance to allow this preparation to be completed adequately.

Holy Orders

By virtue of our Baptism, all Christians are part of a common priesthood of believers. We are all called to participate in Christ's mission.

Through the Sacrament of Holy Orders, bishops and priests are given a special role in carrying out this mission. They exercise a ministerial priesthood. Deacons also receive a special grace through ordination and are called to assist the ministry of bishops and priests [Catechism of the Catholic Church [CCC], nos. 1547,1554].

For more information please visit our diocese office of vocations website at www.dsbyvocations.org or call (909) 783-1305.

Parish Office Information

Monday - Friday from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM
Closed for Lunch 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM
Office Phone Number: +1 (760) 564 - 1255
Office Fax Number: +1 (760) 564-0763
Parish Website: stfrancislq.com





PILGRIMS OF HOPE Jubilee 2025

Diocese of
San Bernardino

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE HARVEST IS ABUNDANT.

LUKE 10:2



Monthly Intention for July:

For formation in discernment

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

Intención mensual para julio:

para la formación en el discernimiento

Oremos para que aprendamos nuevamente a discernir, a saber elegir los caminos que conducen a la vida, y rechazar todo aquello que nos aleja de Cristo y del Evangelio.

Mass Intention Schedule

July 5th, Vigil Mass,

XIV Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Isaiah 66:10-14c; Psalm 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

4:30 PM Vigil (English) - † Nancy Florek & Nancy Coupland

July 6th, XIV Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Isaiah 66:10-14c; Psalm 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

7:30 AM (English) - † Loren Ryder

9:00 AM (English) - Parish Community

10:30 AM (English) - † Harry Herndon

12:00 PM (Español) - † Martina Rosario

4:30 PM (English) - † Vivian Ruiz

6:00 PM (Tiếng Việt) -

July 7th, Monday of the
XIV Week in Ordinary Time

Readings: Genesis 28:10-22a; Psalm 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab; Matthew 9:18-26

8:00 AM (English) - † Ree Ree Maganello

July 8th, Tuesday of the
XIV Week in Ordinary Time

Readings: Genesis 32:23-33; Psalm 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15; Matthew 9:32-38

8:00 AM (English) - † Jeanne & Leonard Townsends

July 9th, Wednesday of the
XIV Week in Ordinary Time

Readings: Genesis 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Psalm 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Matthew 10:1-7

8:00 AM (English) - † Myra Avila

July 10th, Thursday of the
XIV Week in Ordinary Time

Readings: Genesis 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Psalm 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Matthew 10:7-15

8:00 AM (English) - Molly Bringas*

July 11th, Memorial of
Saint Benedict, Abbot

Readings: Genesis 46:1-7, 28-30; Psalm 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Matthew 10:16-23

9:00 AM (English) - Rineta Weiss*

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one and would like to become involved in a parish grief support group, please contact:

John Jimenez at 760-898-9348 (call or text)
or john@desertdefenders.com (email)

to discuss with him your interest.

Participation in a parish support group has proven in the past to be a comforting and compassionate way to journey through the grief process for many of our parishioners.

Although a regularly scheduled group will be forming in September, if enough people express an interest in becoming involved in a support group this Summer, we will try to make that happen in July and/or August.

Please give John a call, text or email if you are interested in easing your grief this Summer.



FORMACIÓN

MINISTROS EXTRAORDINARIOS DE LA SAGRADA COMUNIÓN



**DOMINGO 6 DE JULIO,
DESPUÉS DE LA MISA
DE LAS 12:00 P.M.**

**SE INVITA A LOS MINISTROS EXTRAORDINARIOS DE LA SAGRADA
COMUNIÓN, TANTO NUEVOS COMO CON EXPERIENCIA,
A UNA SESIÓN DE FORMACIÓN.
LA REUNIÓN SE LLEVARÁ A CABO DENTRO DE LA IGLESIA.**



Congratulations to our Newly Baptized!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RECYCLING

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting recyclable aluminum cans along with plastic and glass bottles (CRU) on Saturday, July 12th, from 7:00-11:00 a.m. In the north parking lot.





VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JULY 28TH – AUGUST 1ST
FROM 8:30 AM TO 12:00 PM

To register, please pick up a registration form and turn in to Oveth Espino, or to our Parish Office.

REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN!

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI

JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY

Get to learn more about the holy scriptures with us!

FRIDAYS - 5:30 PM-8:00 PM
ST FRANCIS HALL
HALL A & D

You will be able to gain a much deeper understanding of the word of God and apply these scriptural truths to your everyday life.

For more information please contact Scott Teague at 760-574-8451 or scott@scottteague.net



The Audio Visual Ministry is in need of Ministers to help operate our TV Systems during our masses which greatly enhances our Mass experience for all especially, those with limited hearing or vision.

Some of the duties would involve projecting and/or livestreaming; Weddings, Funerals, Daily and Sunday Masses and other liturgical events.

For More Information Contact:
Victor Salas +760-564-1255 vsalas@stfrancis-lq.org



July 17, 2025

PRIESTS vs. SEMINARIANS

FUNDRAISER SOCCER GAME!

\$10 TICKETS!
FOOD & GOODS Available For Purchase

Where:

Notre Dame High School
Riverside, CA

6:00 - 9:00 PM



Turn In Your Tix Stub at the event for a chance to win 2 Tickets to an LA Galaxy Game!



TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE EVENT ITSELF OR SCAN THE QR!

Mensaje del Obispo Alberto Rojas a los Fieles ante las Redadas Migratorias

Mis queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

Les deseo paz y bienestar en estos cálidos días de verano. Les escribo de nuevo sobre el doloroso y difícil tema de la inmigración. Hemos visto un cambio y un aumento en los operativos en contra de inmigrantes en nuestra región y específicamente en nuestra diócesis. Las autoridades apresan ahora a hermanos y hermanas de forma indiscriminada, sin respetar su derecho al debido proceso ni su dignidad como hijos de Dios. A nuestras comunidades inmigrantes que sufren el trauma y la injusticia de estas tácticas les reitero que su Iglesia está con ustedes y los apoya. Junto con ustedes, llevamos a cuestas el peso de esta terrible cruz.

Si bien respetamos y valoramos el derecho que tienen las fuerzas del orden de proteger a nuestras comunidades de los delincuentes violentos, ahora vemos que los agentes detienen a personas al salir de su hogar, en su lugar de trabajo y en otros lugares públicos escogidos al azar. Hemos tenido al menos un caso en que los agentes de inmigración ingresaron a un predio parroquial y detuvieron a varios. No debe sorprendernos que esta situación genere un gran temor, confusión y angustia en muchos. Esto no es lo que nos enseña el Evangelio de Jesucristo que guía nuestro proceder.

Pido a todos los líderes políticos y a quienes toman decisiones que reconsideren y cesen inmediatamente estas tácticas, en favor de un planteamiento que respete los derechos humanos y la dignidad humana y conlleve a una reforma más amplia y duradera a nuestro sistema de inmigración.

Muchos salen a las calles para expresar su oposición a las actuales tácticas de las autoridades migratorias. Es su derecho constitucional, y hago un llamado a todos los manifestantes a que actúen sin vulgaridad, violencia en contra de otros ni daños a la propiedad. La decisión de desplegar tropas de la Guardia Nacional federal y efectivos militares a los lugares en que se dan las manifestaciones ha intensificado aún más la tensión en torno al tema. Por ahora, esto solo parece aumentar la ira y el miedo a la violencia en las calles.

Nuestro difunto Santo Padre, +Papa Francisco, me dijo una vez que su mayor temor era la división. De hecho, es doloroso ver tanta discordia entre el pueblo de Dios en estos momentos. Esto no es lo que Dios quiere para nosotros. Recordemos, más bien, lo que todos compartimos: el haber sido creados a su imagen y semejanza. Veamos a Dios en el hermano.

En este Año Jubilar, los católicos seguimos siendo llamados a llevar la esperanza de Cristo en el corazón y a compartirla con el mundo. Sabemos que esta esperanza es un antídoto contra el conflicto y el sufrimiento en nuestras comunidades. Roguemos para que esta esperanza prevalezca sobre esta división y que venga a nosotros el Reino de Dios.

Gracias y que Dios los bendiga.

Obispo Alberto Rojas



PARISH COLLECTION CONTRIBUTIONS

June 28th & June 29th, 2025

Saturday 4:30 p.m.	\$1,451.01
7:30 a.m.	\$1,794.00
9:00 a.m.	\$2,150.00
10:30 a.m.	\$3,149.00
12:00 noon	\$3,090.00
4:30 p.m.	\$2,385.00
6:00 p.m.	\$950.00
Mail-In contributions	\$2,900.00
 Total for Masses and Mail In	
	\$17,869.01



Thank you all for helping in achieve our DDF Goal!

Diocese Goal: \$133,300.00
Gifts Received: \$102,492.34

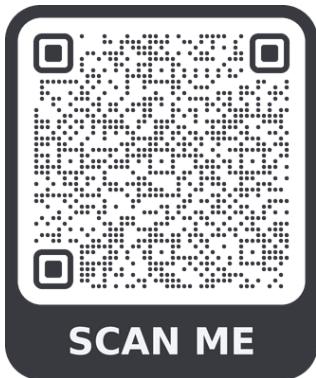
Number of Donors: 270

All donations exceeding our goal are returned to our parish.

Thank you for your continued generosity in supporting the needs of our parish.

To give an online donation, you can scan one of the following QR Codes for the Ministry you would like to assist.

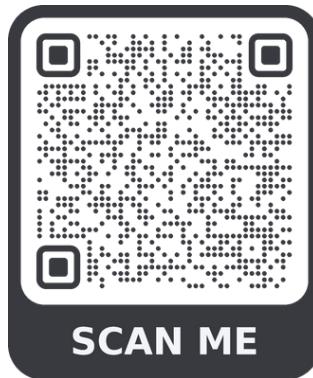
Building Fund



DDF 2025



General Donation



Why should I give online?

No Checks to Write & No Envelopes to Remember

One Monthly Contribution Directly From Your Credit Card, Checking Account or Savings Account.

You are welcome to use Parish Pay for your DDF Contribution, Capital Campaign, etc.

as well as your regular monthly Offertory Contributions.

Enroll Today Visit: <https://stfrancislq.churchgiving.com/ws/opportunities>

or call the parish office. 760-564-1255

PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Staff

Bookkeeper - Diana Zendejas - dzendejas@stfrancis-lq.org
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Communications and Technology Coordinator - Victor Salas - vsalas@stfrancis-lq.org
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Liturgy

Altar Service Vietnamese - Vũ Ninh
Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion - Oliver Garcia
Ministro Extraordinario De La Comunión - Martha Ramirez
Readers - Virginia Nelson
Lectores - Socorro Alonso
Readers Vietnamese - Hoàng Đinh
English Choir - Sandi Amabile - (760) 485 - 2976
Spanish Choir - Guillermo Delgado
Filipino Choir - Dr. Chris Ching - (773) 852 - 5548
Vietnamese Choir - Jade Nguyẽn
Ushers and Hospitality - Mario Estrada
Hospitalidad - Francisco Lopez
Vietnamese Ushers - Công Nguyẽn
Acts of the Apostles - Tom Green - (760) 861 - 9638
Bible Study - Wayne Rice
Bereavement Ministry - John Jimenez (760) 898 - 9348

Organizations

Juvenile Hall Indio Jail - Tom Green - (760) 861 - 9638
Kairos Prison Ministry - Scott Teague - (760) 574 - 8451
Knights of Columbus - Joaquin Rosales - (760) 880 - 6422
Magnificat - Noreen Fortier - (760) 702 - 0254
Women's Retreat - Mary-Ellen O'Neill - (760) 574 - 7302
Read with Me Program - Dan Giovannitti - (412) 657 - 9898

Council and Committees

Capital Campaign - Bill Poland
Building Committee - Bill Poland
Finance Council - Bill Poland