



# HOLY FAMILY

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**Website**  
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hollyfamilyfranklinton@arch-no.org

**Mass Schedule** (may vary on holy days)  
Saturday Vigil: 5 pm  
Sunday: 8:30 am, 11 am, 3 pm (español)  
Tues/Wed: 5 pm  
Thurs/Fri/first Sat: 9 am

**Confessions**  
Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm  
and by appointment: 985-839-4040

**Eucharistic Adoration**  
First Friday of each month, 9:30 am-4:30 pm

**Marriages:**  
Contact Fr Pedro at least six months  
before anticipated date: 985-839-4040

**Baptisms**  
Contact Fr Pedro: 985-839-4040

**Charitable Outreach**  
Friends of St Francis: 985-201-5882

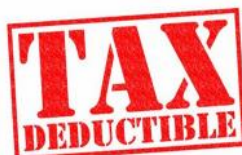
**Religious Education**  
Renée Herbert: 985-630-1121

**RCIA Director** (Inquiry into the Catholic Faith)  
Eddie Boudreaux: 985-630-9997

**Maintenance Coordinator**  
James Herbert: 985-335-4406

**Bulletin Deadline** Tuesday, noon.

### TAX DONATION LETTERS!



If you wish to receive a tax donation letter, please contact the church office. We will make a list and contact you when the letters are ready for pickup at the office.

### Next Week's Special Collection:

#### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



Provides assistance to children whose families cannot afford Catholic school tuition, making Catholic education more available to more children. Envelopes are available on the bookshelf. Thank you.

## ***Parish Breakfast***

**next Sunday 1/28  
9:45 am**

***Y'all come!***



**Women's  
Bible Study** January 24th  
5:30pm

## **A Virtual Lenten Retreat in Daily Life**

Would you like to experience Sacred Scripture-not just study it?

Do you have a deep desire to grow in your faith and prayer life?

Are you seeking a deeper relationship with the Lord through prayer?

Would you like to experience a directed retreat without interrupting your daily life?

If your answer is, "yes," A LENTEN RETREAT IN DAILY LIFE MAY BE FOR YOU!

Sunday, February 18, 2024 2:00-4:00pm (Virtual Group Experience)

Thursday, March 21, 2024 7:00-8:30pm (Virtual Group Experience)

Personal prayer with Scripture for approximately 30 minutes a day

Weekly private guidance by experienced spiritual directors. (Available in Spanish and English.)

Please register by Friday, February 9, 2024 as enrollment is limited to the availability of spiritual directors.

Cost: \$40.00 (Adjustments can be made.) Register by telephone (504) 861-3254 or visit nolacatholic.org

## **Prayer for Vocations**

Gracious and loving God, help the men and women of our archdiocese to hear your call to serve. Our needs are great and our people thirst for your presence. Open the hearts of many and raise up faithful servants of the Gospel, dedicated holy priests, deacons, sisters, and brothers, who will give of themselves for your people and their needs. Bless those who are serving now with courage and perseverance. Grant that many will be inspired by their example and faith.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.



**We are still in needed of people/families  
for the Vocation Cross.**

**Contact Gina Burdett: 985-320-2744**



**For more information please go to their website,**

**[www.eucharisticrevival.org](http://www.eucharisticrevival.org)**



Communion Service will take place of daily Masses while Fr. Pedro is on vacation.

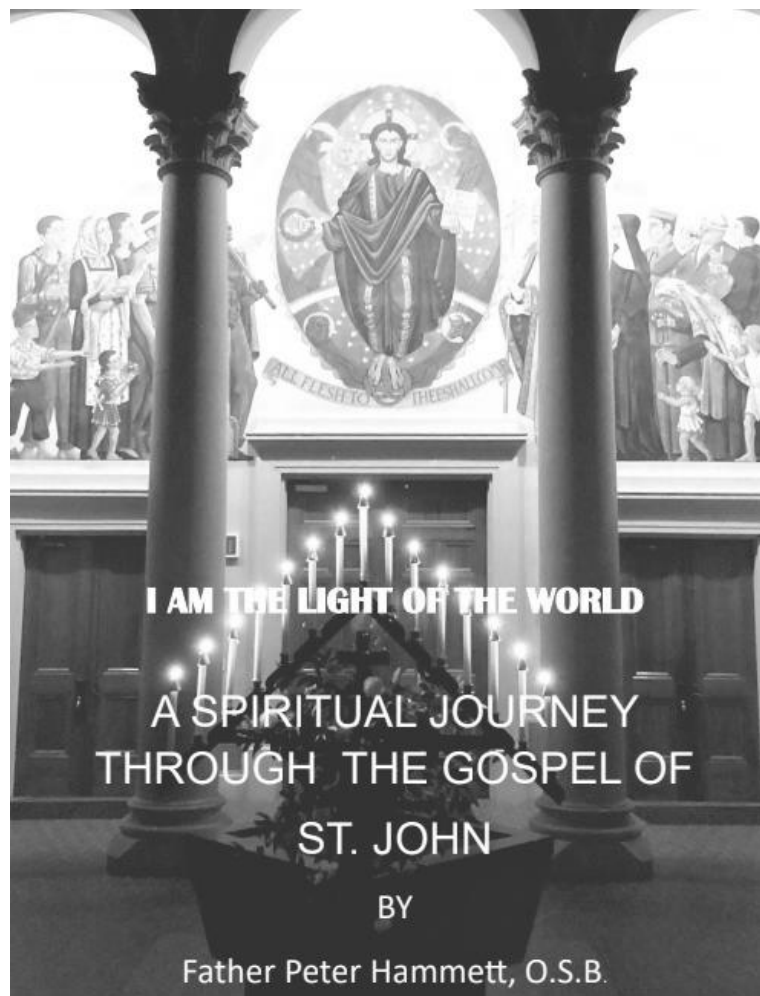
We will have a visiting priest at all weekend masses at the regularly scheduled times.

**Holy Family**



**Holy Family Logo Stickers are still available in the Church Office for only \$5.00 each.**

**All proceeds go to off set the CYO summer camp cost .**



Fr. Peter Hammett, O.S.B., a monk at Saint Joseph Abbey, has written his fifth book, "I Am the Light of the World: A Spiritual Journey Through the Gospel of St. John." The book is now available at the Saint Joseph Abbey Gift Shop and on Amazon.

You can also check out his previous books: "The Trinity in the Life of the Church: The Dynamic Love of God," "Liturgy: The Pulse of the Universe," "The Vision of John the Evangelist," and "In the Mind and Heart of the Church: A Collection of the Liturgical Essays of Abbot Patrick Regan, O.S.B."



"Have patience with all things, but chiefly have patience with yourself. Do not lose courage in considering your own imperfections, but instantly set about remedying them—every day begin the task anew."

— Francis de Sales

"Do not wish to be anything but what you are, and try to be that perfectly."

— Francis de Sales

St. Francis de Sales 1567-1622



RCIA gathering will be held on January 22 at 6:30 pm

***Hospitalized or homebound loved one?  
Please notify the office at 839-4040.***

Please pray for:  
 Judy Ardeneaux  
 Ramona Augustine  
 Ruby Ballard  
 Janelle Barnett  
 Manette Bateman  
 Kristal Bondi  
 Jim Bradle  
 Mimi Brooks  
 Donna Bruney  
 Jase Cannon  
 Helen Carpenter  
 Beverly Carriles  
 Charlie and Coleen Delatte  
 Holli Delaune

Kenny Denmark  
 Patsy Evans  
 Sean Garlick  
 Frank Gennusa  
 Caitlyn Gonzales  
 Grace Gonzales  
 Shirley Hartman  
 Henderson Family  
 Nolan Hymel Sr.  
 Lynnie Kass  
 Jan LaBorde  
 Larry Lambremont  
 Henry and Tina Lirette  
 Danny Luquette  
 JoAnn Magee  
 Elsie Markert  
 Jeff Marshall  
 Cham Mehaffey  
 M Moffatt  
 Fr Jeffrey Montz  
 Lenny Morel  
 Duane Morreale  
 Marie Oswald  
 Stephen Parks  
 Haley Pederson  
 Linda Plaisance  
 Mickey Power  
 Jeff Reed  
 Tanda Schilling  
 Justin Smith (deployed military)  
 Debbie Snell  
 McKenzie Ussery  
 Jane Varnado  
 Blake Williams  
 Deacon Jay Zimmer

Names stay on the list for three months. To add or retain someone, contact our office: 985-839-4040.

## ***This week's Scripture readings***

**Mon 1/22**

### ***Ordinary Time Weekday***

2 Samuel 5:1-7,10  
 Psalm 89:20-22,25-26  
 Mark 3:22-30

**Tues 1/23**

### ***Ordinary Time Weekday***

2 Samuel 6:12-15,17-19  
 Psalm 24:7-10  
 Mark 3:31-35

**Wed 1/24**

### ***St. Francis de Sales, Bishop, Doctor of the Church***

2 Samuel 7:4-17  
 Psalm 89:4-5,27-30  
 Mark 4:1-20

**Thurs 1/25**

### ***The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle***

Acts 22:3-16  
 Psalm 117:1-2  
 Mark 16:15-18

**Fri 1/26**

### ***Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops***

2 Timothy 1:1-8  
 Psalm 96:1-3,7-8,10  
 Mark 4:26-34

**Sat 1/27**

### ***Ordinary Time Weekday***

2 Samuel 12:1-7,10-17  
 Psalm 51:12-17  
 Mark 4:35-41

**Sun 1/21**

### ***4th Sunday in O.T***

Deuteronomy 18:15-20  
 Psalm 95:1-2,6-9  
 1 Corinthians 7:32-35  
 Mark 1:21-28

The Sanctuary Lamp burns constantly to proclaim the Real Presence of Jesus in the tabernacle.

It burns **January 21st -27th**  
**for the repose of the soul of**  
**Brandi Sander**  
**requested by Rene & Jan LaBorde**  
**& Sierrah**



It also burns to remind us to pray for deceased loved ones. To reserve a week in memory of a loved one, contact our office.

## ***Mass Intentions***

|      |          |                                                                                                   |
|------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1/20 | 5PM      | +Robert Estave Jr.<br>Frank Gennusa<br>+Johnny & Judy Glancey<br>+ Erole Kreamer<br>+Doug LeBlanc |
| 1/21 | 8:30 AM  | Jan LaBorde<br>+Brandi Sander                                                                     |
| 1/21 | 11:00 AM | Parishioners                                                                                      |
| 1/21 | 3 pm     | +Jerry Millette                                                                                   |

**(No Weekday Masses!)**

## ***Upcoming events***

|      |                                          |
|------|------------------------------------------|
| 1/21 | 2nd Grade Class/Jr. Youth Group 9:40 AM  |
| 1/21 | Eucharist Video Presentation 9:30 AM     |
| 1/21 | Convivio/Potluck after Spanish Mass      |
| 1/22 | RCIA 6:30 PM                             |
| 1/23 | Communion Service 5 PM                   |
| 1/24 | Communion Service 5 PM                   |
| 1/24 | Women's Bible Study 5:30 PM              |
| 1/24 | CYO 7 PM                                 |
| 1/25 | Communion Service 9:00 AM                |
| 1/25 | Holy Hour 9:45-10:45 AM                  |
| 1/25 | Pastoral Council Meeting 6 PM            |
| 1/26 | Rosary 8:30 AM                           |
| 1/26 | Mass 9 AM                                |
| 1/27 | Confessions 3:30-4:30 PM                 |
| 1/28 | 2nd Grade Class./Jr. Youth Group 9:40 AM |
| 1/28 | Parish Breakfast 9:30 AM                 |
| 1/29 | RCIA 6:30 PM                             |

The current month's calendar is always downloadable at [www.holyfamilyfranklinton.org/parish-calendar](http://www.holyfamilyfranklinton.org/parish-calendar), dated the 1st of the month. Printed copies are on the bookshelf in the church and on the table in the office hallway.

## ***Stewardship Report***

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|-------------------------|-------------|
| Ordinary Income         | \$3,238.00  |
| Online Giving           | \$470.00    |
| Total Collections       | \$3708.00   |
| Est. Operating Costs    | (\$3650.00) |
| Surplus / (Shortfall)   | \$58.00     |
| Building Fund           | \$0.00      |
| Maintenance/Improvement | \$ 850.00   |

**Thank you for your sacrificial giving.**

