



HOLY FAMILY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

"I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall be ever in my mouth." Psalm 34:2

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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)

Call the office 985-839-4040

Maintenance Coordinator

James Herbert: 985-335-4406

Bulletin Deadline - Tuesday by noon.

Have you ever said, "I wish I could spend a day with the Lord..."?

If so, this one's for you!

All parishioners are invited to our annual parish retreat on **Wed 8/28**, 8:30 am-3 pm. Our Altar & Rosary Society have reserved the beautiful St Joseph Abbey Retreat Center and grounds for us. Our day will consist of two reflections, Mass, Confession, and time for private prayer. A hot lunch is included. Cost: \$30 per person; **sign up deadline is Tues. 8/20**. Questions? Call us, 839-4040. Please do NOT call the Abbey.



What is the Assumption of Mary?

The Assumption of Mary is a Catholic doctrine of faith stating that Mary, the Mother of Jesus, was assumed (or, taken up) body and soul into Heaven at the end of her life. Although Mary's Assumption is not explicitly mentioned in Scripture, the Catholic Church cites numerous Scriptural passages as justification for this belief.



In 1950, Pope Pius XII declared that it was divinely revealed dogma that: "the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory" (Pius XII, Munificentissimus Deus (Most Bountiful God) 44).

We will celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption this Thursday, August 15th. Mass schedule is as follows: Wednesday, August 14th at 5 PM, and Thursday, the 15th at 9 AM and 6 PM Spanish Mass. This is a HOLY DAY of OBLIGATION !! The office will be closed Thursday the 15th.

Family Faith Formation Classes

All families are warmly welcomed to join *A Family of Faith* this fall! The goals of this program are to encourage and equip you to live and teach your children the Catholic Faith at home. With one meeting a month, this program replaces CCD and will give you all the knowledge and tools you need to bring your children up in the faith. We also encourage the families to attend a monthly social together as well. For more information contact Renee Herbert @ 985-630-1121 or call the office.



Join the Knights of Columbus

Next Sunday, August 18th after the 8:30 AM mass as they recite the rosary in the Marian Prayer Garden.

CYO Fundraiser



Show off your pride of being a member of Holy Family by purchasing your Holy Family logo stickers. They are available in the church office for only \$5.00 each.

**CYO
BEGINS
WED ♦ 8/14, 7-8PM
YOU DO NOT WANT
TO MISS THIS!
GRADES 7TH-12TH**

New Parishioner Registration Forms

are located on the bookshelf in the back of church, or in the church office during office hours.

Sacramental Classes

-Communion Classes begin today.

August 11th 9:40-10:45 AM.

-Confirmation Classes begin this Wednesday,

August 14th 6-7 PM.

Please call the office to make sure your child is registered! **

This weekend's special collection:

Catholic Relief Services

Serves victims of human trafficking; supports refugee resettlement; provides pastoral care, legal services and disaster/emergency relief.



*Altar & Rosary
Society meets
Tues 8/13, 10 am.
New members welcome!*



Our next Game Night will be this Friday, 8/16 from 6:30-9:30 PM in the church hall. Feel free to bring your own snacks and drinks.

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

Please help support **Altar & Rosary Society's** **Annual Raffle**

First Prize:



*Beautiful Handmade
Quilted Throw
created by parishioner
Joanne Thorp*

Second Prize:



*Beautiful Handmade Rosary and Car
Rosary made from rose petals by
parishioner Shirley Hartman*

Third Prize:



*5 Qt. Cajun Classic Cast Iron Oval
Casserole Cookware Pot with 2
serving spoons and
\$50 GIFT CARD TO JACK BROWNS*

Tickets available 8/17-9/8

What is the Altar & Rosary Society?

In addition to raising funds for purchase and maintenance of vessels, vestments, linens, and other items needed for the liturgy, this group also provides flowers throughout the Christmas and Easter seasons, cleans the church weekly, sponsors an annual day of reflection for all parishioners at St Joseph Abbey, and provides (upon request) a simple reception for the bereaved family of a deceased parishioner. The group meets at 10 am on the second Tuesday of each month, and they welcome new members!

**tickets are \$1,
or 6 for \$5
winners to be
drawn at the
September 8
Coffee Social
(winner need
not be present)**

Please pray for:

Judy Ardeneaux
 Belinda Ayo
 Mickie Ayo
 James & Ruby Ballard
 Gina Williams Barahona
 Phillip Ray Barber
 Manette Bateman
 Barbara Berlin
 Kristal Bondi
 Robert Boudreaux
 Janet Bourgeois
 Jim Bradle
 Mimi Brooks
 Brumfield Family
 Brunett Family
 Donna Brune
 Jase Cannon
 Beverly Carriles
 Stetson Cluster
 Paul & Joan DeBrock
 Charlie and Coleen Delatte
 Holli Delaune
 Kenny Denmark
 Ansley Downard
 Patsy Evans
 Debby & Frank Gennusa
 Family of Joel Graham
 Paul & Peggy Harris
 Henderson Family
 Katie Herbert
 Ronnie Herbert
 Doug Jackson
 Vickie Jambon
 Lynn Kass
 Jan LaBorde
 Larry Lambremont
 Eve LeBlanc
 Henry and Tina Lirette
 JoAnn Magee
 Elsie Markert
 Mirtha Martin
 Cham Mehaffey
 Michelle Moffitt
 Fr Jeffrey Montz
 Lenny Morel
 Darlene Neal
 Marie Oswald
 Rico Pallata
 Haley Pederson
 Linda Plaisance
 Mickey Power
 Jeff Reed
 Lindsey Seals
 Robert Christian Seals
 Terri Schwehm
 Cheyanne Smith
 Justin Smith (deployed military)
 Juanita Sykes
 Caden Templet
 Tammy Thomas
 Andrea Tullos
 Jane Varnado
 Blake Williams
 Names stay on the list for up to three months. To add or retain someone, contact our office: 839-4040

This week's Scripture readings:**Mon 8/12****Ordinary Time Weekday**

Ezekiel 1:2-5, 24-28
 Psalm 148:1-2, 11-14
 Matthew 17:22-27

Tues 8/13**Ordinary Time Weekday**

Ezekiel 2:8-3:4
 Psalm 119:14,24,72,103,111,131
 Matthew 18:1-5,10,12-14

Wed 8/14**St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest, Martyr**

Ezekiel 9:1-7;10:18-22
 Psalm 113:1-6
 Matthew 18:15-20

Thurs 8/15**The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Revelation 11:19;12:1-6,10
 Psalm 45:10-12,16
 1 Corinthians 15:20-27
 Luke 1:39-56

Fri 8/16**Ordinary Time Weekday**

Ezekiel 16:1-15,60,63
 Isaiah 12:2-6
 Matthew 19:3-12

Sat 8/17**Ordinary Time Weekday**

Ezekiel 18:1-10,13,30-32
 Psalm 51:12-15,18-19
 Matthew 19:13-15

Sun 8/18**20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Proverbs 9:1-6
 Psalm 34:2-7
 Ephesians 5:15-20
 John 6:51-58

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

It burns **August 11th- 17th** for **Dianne Wilson Lipps**

It also burns to remind us to pray for our deceased loved ones.

**Mass Intentions:**

8/10	5PM	+Joy Dautat +Craig Henry Estave Sr. +George LeBlanc Claire McGuire +Judy Rabuffo Mary Virginia Ray Parishioners Clare Becnel Barbara Berlin +Jerry & Esther Cancienne +Bonnie Evans Frank & Debby Gennusa Elijah Herbert +Jackie Herbert David Keeling Mr. & Mrs. Robert Roberts Parishioners
8/11	8:30 AM	Barbara Berlin Max Becnel & Kristal Bondi +Essie Penton & +Elizabeth Gomez +Elizabeth Gomez +Joy Dautat
8/11	11 AM	
8/11	3 PM	
8/13	5 PM	
8/14	5 PM	
8/15	9 AM	
8/15	6 PM	
8/16	9 AM	

Upcoming events

8/11	Coffee Social @ 9:30 AM (76th Anniversary)
8/11	Installation of Altar Servers @ 11 AM Mass
8/11	1st CCD/Jr. Youth Group 9:40 AM
8/11	1st RCIA Gathering 12 PM in Hall
8/13	Altar & Rosary Meeting 10 AM
8/14	Vigil for Solemnity of the Assumption @ 5 PM
8/14	Women's Bible Study @ 5:30 PM
8/14	1st Confirmation Class 6-7 PM
8/14	CYO 7-8 PM
8/15	Office Closed!!!!
8/15	Solemnity of the Assumption Mass 9 AM and 6 PM Spanish
8/15	Holy Hour 10-11 AM
8/16	Game Night 6:30-9:30 PM
8/18	Knights of Columbus Rosary in Prayer Garden 9:30 AM

The current month's calendar is always downloadable at 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 Parish Hall by the kitchen.

Stewardship Report

Ordinary Income	\$3,361.00
Online Giving	\$1,440.00
Total Collections	\$4,801.00
Est. Operating Costs	(\$3,650.00)
Surplus / (Shortfall)	\$1,151.00
Building Fund	\$0.00
Maintenance/Improvement	\$ 360.00
Thank you for your sacrificial giving.	