

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

His dominion is everlasting; his kingship shall never be destroyed. - Daniel 7:14

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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.

Confirmation

"Thank You!"

We extend our heartfelt thanks to *everyone* who helped make our Confirmation Mass and reception so special. Your time, dedication, and support from preparing the church, organizing the reception, and assisting with the liturgy made this celebration a memorable and meaningful occasion for our Confirmation Students and their families. May God bless you abundantly for your generosity and service!







Congratulations to:

Holy Family Candidates: Valeria Andrade, Evan Bernard, Jacqueline Castro, Pheibey Marino, Andres Perez, Gabriel Romano, Sammy Seal, and Alan Tovar.

Annunciation Candidates: Aiden Hartzog, Jakob Robichaux, Tyler Trueman, & Athalie Watts.

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Pope Pius XI instituted this observance in 1925 to confront the increasing denial of Christ as King resulting from the rise of secularism. Also at the time, non-Christian dictatorships were rising in Europe, often attempting to assert authority over the Church. Many Christians (including Catholics) were being taken in by these leaders; many began to doubt the authority and even the existence of Jesus, as well as the power of the Church to continue his authority. In the establishment of this feast, Pope Pius wished to:

- remind the faithful that Jesus must reign in our hearts, minds, wills, and bodies, and help renew their strength and courage;
- teach leaders and nations that they are bound to give respect to Christ, and to acknowledge that the Church has the right to freedom, and immunity from the state; and
- demonstrate that true leadership is imitative of Jesus, whose kingship is marked by humility and self-gift. In the words of Saint Paul (letter to the Philippians, 2:8-11):

"Jesus humbled himself,
becoming obedient to death, even death on a cross.
Because of this, God greatly exalted him
and bestowed on him the name that is above every name,
that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend,
of those in heaven, on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue confess, to the glory of God the Father,
that Jesus Christ is LORD."

Annual Christmas Play and Pot Luck

December 22nd @ 5pm

Practices begin today at 9:30

12/1, 12/8, 12/15 @ Noon in church.

12/22-Dress Rehearsal at noon Christmas Program

In church.



Angel Tree Program

We are still accepting families with children who can benefit from our Annual Angel Tree Program with the Friends of St. Francis. Call the FOSF help line at 985-201-5882 or the office to submit your referrals. Call ASAP, deadline to call is Nov. 27th at noon! Tags coming soon!!



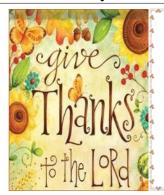


Lectors: come pick up your new liturgical year workbooks

Every year, Holy Family provides workbooks to help lectors prepare to proclaim the Word. More than a quick glance when you arrive for Mass, prayerful preparation ideally begins early in the week. This resource guides both your prayer and your study, which will make your ministry more effective and more Spirit-filled! Pick up your copy during regular office hours.



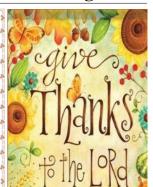
e our community with the transforming power of Christ through love and compassion for God and neighbor.



Please note these schedule changes (This week only)

Wednesday, Nov 27 Mass at 9 am (not 5 pm)

Thursday, Nov 28 (Thanksgiving Day): Mass at <u>9</u> am No Holy Hour Thanksgiving Day.



And speaking of Thanksgiving...

Eucharist / 'yook (ə) rəst / (noun): [based on Greek eukharistos 'grateful', eukharistia 'thanksgiving', 'gratitude']

Our word *Eucharist* means *to give thanks*. An especially fitting way to celebrate Thanksgiving Day (Nov 28) is to join your church family in the Eucharist here that morning. Fr Pedro invites you to bring the bread and wine you'll use for your Thanksgiving dinner for him to bless during Mass.



Rathbone Mansion Bed and Breakfast

DEC. 14th and 15th

2 New Orleans Saints Tickets

DEC. 15th Game
\$100.00 Restaurant Gift Certificate
THE BRENNAN RESTAURANT GROUP

RAISING MONEY FOR
FRIENDS OF St. Francis
Mansions
\$5.00 Per Ticket

RALPH
BRENNAN RESTAURANT GROUP

100% of proceeds go to the poor





DECEMBER 3, 2024

ADVANCED GIVING STARTS NOVEMBER 18!

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Parishioner

Registration

Please tear out and drop in collection

Name(s) of head(s) of household:

Phone number we can call to ask for the rest of your info:

Please pray for:

Judy Ardeneaux Ramona Augustine Belinda Ayo Mickie Ayo James & Ruby Ballard Barbara Berlin Sr. Theresa Berlin Kristal Bondi Janet Bourgeois Jim Bradle **Paul Breaux** Mimi Brooks **Donna Bruney** Jase Cannon **Beverly Carriles** Peter Caulfield Chauvin Family Mary Ann Davis Coleen Delatte Holli Delaune **Kenny Denmark Catherine Dufrene Patsy Evans** Debby & Frank Gennusa **Grantham Family Brenda Griffin** Paul & Peggy Harris Jennifer Hartman **Henderson Family** Juneau Family Lynnie Kass Jan LaBorde **Larry Lambremont** Eve LeBlanc Tina Lirette JoAnn Magee Mirtha Martin **Cham Mehaffey** Michelle Moffitt Joseph Monaco Fr Jeffrey Montz **Lenny Morel** Nick Ordoyne (deployed military) Marie Oswald **Gwen Park** Linda Plaisance **Mickey Power** Jeff Reed **Heather Seal Lindsey Seals Robert Christian Seals** Terri Schwehm Justin Smith (deployed military)

Caden Templet Tammy Thomas Shelly Tramontana

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

This week's Scripture readings:

Mon 11/25

Ordinary Time Weekday Revelations 14: 1-5 Psalm 24: 1-6 Luke 21: 1-4

Tues 11/19

Ordinary Time Weekday Revelations 14: 14-19 Psalm 96: 10-13 Luke 21: 5-11

Wed 11/27

Ordinary Time Weekday Revelations 15: 1-4 Psalm 98: 1-3, 7-9 Luke 21: 12-19

Thurs 11/28

Ordinary Time Weekday

Revelations 18:1-2,21-23,19:1-3,9

Psalm 100: 1-5 Luke 21: 20-28

Fri 11/29

Ordinary Time Weekday

Revelations 20: 1-4, 11—21:2

Psalm 84: 3-6, 8 Luke 21: 29-33

Sat 11/30

St. Andrew, Apostle Romans 10: 9-18 Psalm 19: 8-11 Matthew 4: 18-22

Sun 12/1

First Sunday of Advent Jeremiah 33: 14-16 Psalm 25: 4-5, 8-10, 14 1 Thessalonians 3: 12—4:2 Luke 21: 25-28, 34-36

\$270.00

Stewardship Report



Anna Taylor

Jane Varnado

Ordinary Income \$4,534.00 Online Giving \$1,035.00 **Total Collections** \$5,569.00 **Est. Operating Costs** (\$3,650.00) Surplus / (Shortfall) \$1.919.00

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Thank you for your sacrificial giving.

Maintenance/Improvement

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

> It burns Nov. 24th-30th for The Forgotten Souls

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

+Joseph Bartley



Mass Intentions:

5 PM

11/23

| 11/24 | 8:30 AM | Kristal Bondi +Charlie Delatte +Jim Farris +Larry McGuire Gwen Park +MaryAnn Pierce +Harriet Sanders +Meveline Armentor The Bateman Family +Gloria Fowler Debby & Frank Gennusa Jan LaBorde +Henry Lirette +Donna Gilardi Ratliff +Brandi Sander |
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| 11/24 | 11 AM | Parishioners |
| 11/24 | 3 PM | +Perez Flores +Jose Alfredo Galindo Maldonado +Rosa Maria Perez Morales +Graciela Morales +Maria del Refugio |
| 11/26 | 5 PM | Jan LaBorde |
| 11/27 | 9 AM | Jan LaBorde |
| | 9 AM | Ray Gray |
| 11/29 | 9 AM | Alex Herbert |

| Upcoming events | | |
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| 11/24 | Christ the King Eucharistic Procession Noon | |
| 11/24 | Christmas Play Practice at Noon | |
| 11/24 | Deadline for Turkey Tags at Noon | |
| 11/25 | Thanksgiving Basket Distribution 11 AM-1 PM | |
| 11/26 | Thanksgiving Luncheon for the Troops 11:30-1 PM | |
| 11/27 | ****Office closes at Noon**** | |
| 11/27 | Mass at 9 AM instead of 5 PM | |
| 11/28 | ****Office Closed**** | |
| 11/28 | Thanksgiving Mass at 9 AM (Bring your wine or bread to be blessed) | |
| 12/1 | Play Practice at Noon | |
| 12/4 | Family Faith Formation Class at 6 PM | |

The current month's calendar is always downloadable at www.holy familyfranklinton.org/parish-calendar, dated the 1st of the month. Printed copies are on the bookshelf in the church.