



# Saint Francis of Assisi

# ST. JOHN

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# ST. JOSEPH

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# ST. MARY

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# Saturdays:

11:00am-12:00 pm - St. Mary 12:00pm-12:30pm - St. John 12:00 pm-1:00 pm - St. Joseph (Cabot)

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# Saint Clare of Assisi

# MATER DOLOROSA

409 North Main St. Chicora, PA 16025

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11:00-11:30 am - Mater Dolorosa 11:00-11:30 am - St. Wendelin 11:45 am-12:15 pm- St. Joseph (North Oakland)

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**Set up Online Giving** through **Our Sunday Visitor** at: https://osvhub.com/stclareofassisi/giving/funds *or* visit the St. Clare Parish website for a direct link!

### **ALL Cemetery Inquiries**

Contact North Regional Office, 2636 Ellwood Road, New Castle, PA 16101, 724-323-0033, cpca@cpca-pgh.org



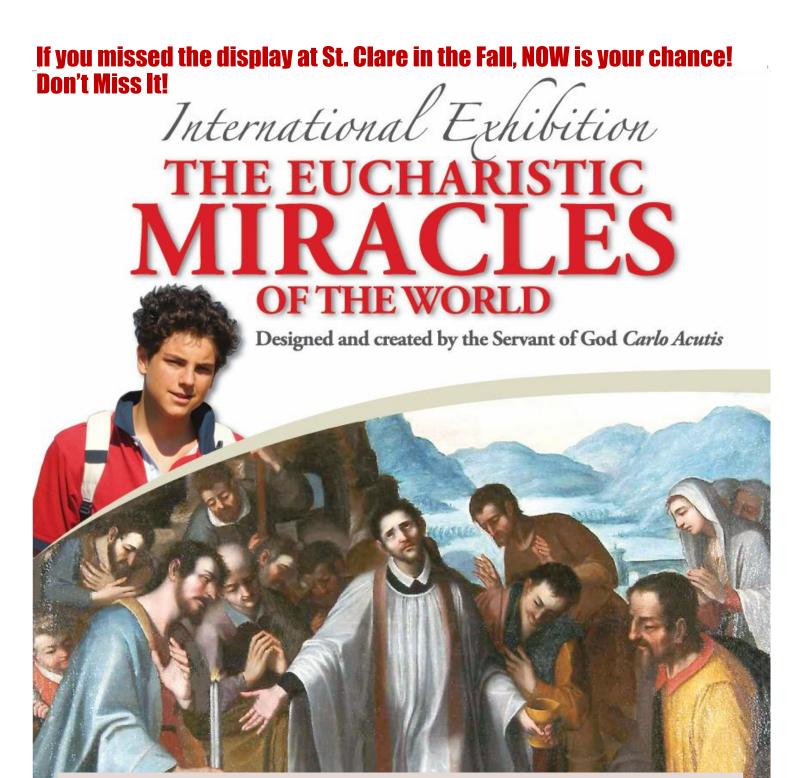
Check out the online version of the Pittsburgh Catholic at www.diopitt.org

# ST. FRANCIS WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Date	Time	Location	Intention	Requested By
Saturday,	4:00 PM Vigil	St. Mary	Kristin Martin	Steve Huncheck
February 15	5:30 PM Vigil	St. Joseph	Corrine Schnur	Lawton Family
Com desc	8:00 AM	St. Joseph		Saint Francis of Assisi & Assisi Parishes
Sunday, February 16	8:30 AM	St. John	Chris Green	Friends
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:00 AM	St. Mary	Bob Ruediger	Family
	11:00 AM	St. Joseph	Gary Croney	Al & Joan DePew
Monday, February 17 The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order; Presidents' Day	8:00 AM	St. Mary	Joe Tomsey	Joe, Peggy Jo, and Family
Tuesday, February 18	8:00 AM	St. John	Alice Schroth	The Marian Guild
Wednesday, February 19	9:00 AM	St. Joseph	Wayne Watson	Michael & Shelley Giobbi
Thursday, February 20	8:00 AM	St. Mary	Rose Michel	Bernie, Joan, Chuck Kriley
Friday, February 21 St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	9:00 AM	St. Joseph	Michael Vacca	Gary & Jill Lipert
Saturday,	9:00 AM	St. Joseph	Ott Bechtel	Lorraine
February 22	4:00 PM Vigil	St. Mary	Judy Convery	Rege & Family
The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle	5:30 PM Vigil	St. Joseph	Beverly Johnson	Mary Kay Horton
Sunday,	8:00 AM	St. Joseph	Francis Biedenbach	Joyce & John Brough
February 23	8:30 AM	St. John	Earl Christy	Leetta & Family
7th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:00 AM	St. Mary	To Franz	Rick & Betty Hoffman
	11:00 AM	St. Joseph	David Cole	Dellarosa Family

# ST. CLARE WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Date	Time	Location	Intention	Requested By
Saturday,	4:00 PM Vigil	St. Wendelin	Esther Stephenson	Family
February 15	5:30 PM Vigil	Mater Dolorosa	Robert Zanella	His Wife, Joyce
	7:00 AM	St. Wendelin	Howard Reges	Mark & Kim Cowan and Family
Sunday, February 16	8:15 AM	Mater Dolorosa	Chris Dunmyre	Bill Liberto Family
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:30 AM	St. Joseph	Tracy Weiland	Marion & Robert Kepple Family
	10:30 AM	St. Wendelin	Stella Smith	Bev Wesley
Monday, February 17 The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order; Presidents' Day	12:00 PM	Mater Dolorosa	Joey & Ed	Maxine Benson
Tuesday, February 18	8:00 AM	St. Wendelin	Anna Szarmack	Family
Wednesday,	10:00 AM	St. Wendelin	Tracy Weiland	Lisa & Kirby Lutz
February 19	6:00 PM	Mater Dolorosa	Matt Baptiste	Larry & Kathy Baptiste
Thursday, February 20	8:00 AM	St. Wendelin	Rita Musthaf	Stella & Donna Smith
Friday, February 21 St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	12:00 PM	St. Joseph	Tracy Anderson	Richard Kile Family
Saturday,	4:00 PM Vigil	St. Wendelin	Ellie & Paul Williams	*
<b>February 22</b> The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle	5:30 PM Vigil	Mater Dolorosa	Tom Knoll	Anna Marie
Sunday,	7:00 AM	St. Wendelin	Stella Smith	St. Clare Christian Mothers & Women
February 23	8:15 AM	Mater Dolorosa	Sidney Callihan	Joan Ball
7th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:30 AM	St. Joseph	Cassie Dunlap	Melissa & Keith Snyder
	10:30 AM	St. Wendelin	Gerald Geibel	Bob & Joyce Geibel



Join us on **Tuesday, February 25th** at **7:00pm at St. Joseph Church** (315 Stoney Hollow Rd., **Cabot**) to witness this amazing exhibit about *Eucharistic Miracles of the World by Blessed Carlo Acutis*.

We will begin in the church for an introduction and discussion with

**Bishop Waltersheid** and then proceed to the hall to view the display.

**All are welcome**, there is no charge!

Please contact Angie at the St. Francis office with any questions!

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**Mary Lou Barnes** Warren & Janice George Mark Clouse Rose Hinch **Gail Scott Roy Bergbigler** Caitlin Trettel Ron, Debbie, Judy, Cathy and Nicole William Weiland Colette Bowser Camden Miller Mary Lee Rosenbauer

**Baby Owen** Clyde Altman Lou Heasley **David Russell** Les Bauer Joe Beilstein Eliza O'Donnell **Finley Skiff** 

**Shelly Double-Barnhart** 

**Gary Black** Ian McElroy **Robert Clouse** Abby Koenia Jerry Ruediger **Dick Curry** Killian Eakman George Kepple Regis Fallecker Jr. Shawn Nolan Sheri Payne Diane Krapf Danny Krapf **Hayes Markle** 

Thomas Wetzel Sr. **Bus & Joanie Neigh** Lisa Cammisa **Robert Riemer** Jane Schafer Marcus dosSantos Kathy Steighner **Bobbi Adley** Mindy Floro Angie O'Mahoney

Jim Lorenz **Donna Green** Chrissie Wilcox Linda Heagy

**Ed Moore** 

Joe Moser Jeannie White Helen Marie Hartle **Shirley McCoy** Donna M. **Rose Stumpf Lucy Duffy** 

Jessie Black Laura & Family Patricia Ryan

**Leonard Dombroski Bernadette Conerty** 

**Mason Martin** Jim Bowser **Larry Karenbauer** 

**Dave Maley Jennifer Perkins** 

Paul Erkens **Rodger Davis** 

Erik Fry Lynn Toward

Michael Black Peg Moser Nicholas Kerr **Regis Convery** 

**Emilia Schaffner Betty Neff** 

Marilyn DiGiacomo Marek Wabazewski **Mary Lou Beilstein** Aria Jov Olson

**Pearl Kocher** 

Fr. Victor Kriley, OFM, Cap

Robert Adams Jr.

Paul Flick **Pud Craig** John Williams **Karol Halin** 

Stephanie Sellers **Cheryl Brown Christine Cessna** 

Carol Hall **Dick Preston** Sue Ellen Carr Ada Skellv

Madeline McCloskey Joseph McCloskey Fr. Rick Thompson Steven Shultz

Lena Jane Steiner Sharon Golobish Madalyn Rose Geibel

Jim Bergbigler Virginia Briski Carter T. Williams

To add or remove intentions from the combined prayer list, or the Military list, please contact either parish office.

# Weekly Readings



FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 16, 2025

**Sunday:** Jer 17:5-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6, (40:5a)/1 Cor 15:12, 16-20/Lk 6:17, 20-26

**Monday:** Gn 4:1-15, 25/Ps 50:1 and 8, 16bc-17, 20-21/Mk 8:11-13

**Tuesday:** Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Ps 29:1a and 2, 3ac-4, 3b and 9c-10/ Mk 8:14-21

**Wednesday:** Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mk 8:22-26

**Thursday:** Gn 9:1-13/Ps 102:16-18, 19 -21, 29 and 22-23/Mk 8:27-33

Friday: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13,

14-15/Mk 8:34—9:1

**Saturday:** 1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5,

6/Mt 16:13-19

**Next Sunday:** 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38



Pick up a copy of the Kids' Bulletin for your children to enjoy!

Pray for Our Military, Especially . .

Jacob Medlev Matthew **McCandless Russell Bauer** Jimmy Adley Jon Clark **Evan French** Simon Geibel

**Brian Kusner** Hayden Iman **Landon Hines** Jonah Bartholic **Daniel Sheehan Amanda Skidmore** Jeremy (JJ) Dawson



# ST. FRANCIS PARISH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS –FEBRUARY 9, 2025

Offertory - Mass Offertory - Online Total Offertory	\$9,614.50 \$4,673.86 <b>\$14,288.36</b>
PARISH APPEAL	
Weekly Parish Appeal	\$2,041.55
2025 Parish Appeal to Date	\$17,160.17
2025 Parish Appeal Goal	\$123,427.50
2024 Parish Appeal	\$135,414.08
2024 Parish Appeal Goal	\$118,154.00
MINISTRY COLLECTIONS	
St. Anthony/DePaul Schools	\$111.00
Cabot Food Bank	\$65.00
Ash Wednesday	\$135.00

# ST. CLARE PARISH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS –FEBRUARY 9, 2025

WEEKET COLLECTIONS TEDA	OAIT 3, 202
Offertory - Mass	\$7,756.00
Offertory - Online	\$1,274.00
Total Offertory	\$9,030.00
PARISH APPEAL	
Weekly Parish Appeal	\$755.00
2025 Parish Appeal to Date	\$2,850.00
2025 Parish Appeal Goal	\$70,830.00
2024 Total Parish Appeal	\$51,195.40
2024 Parish Appeal Goal	\$64,547.00
MINISTRY COLLECTIONS	
Maintenance Fund	\$312.00
School Support	\$102.00
St. Anthony/DePaul Schools	\$30.00
St. Vincent DePaul	\$5.00

Thank you for your continued support of Ministries at Saint Francis of Assisi & Saint Clare of Assisi Parishes!



Congratulations to St. Francis parishioner and St. Joseph High School Sophomore, Annamarie White!

Annamarie received High Honors

(3.75 + GPA) for the first semester of the 2024-2025 school year! Keep up the great work!



St. Joseph Council (St. Francis) of the

# Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast is Sunday February 16th at St. Joseph Church Hall in Cabot 8 AM – 1 PM

Eat-In or Carry-Out

Menu will include a variety of pancakes,
sliced ham, sausage, scrambled eggs,
juice, tea, and coffee!

Best breakfast around - anywhere!!!!

Give us a try, you'll be glad you did!!

A Nite At The Races March 1, 2025 at St. Joseph Hall, Cabot

Tickets will be sold at the Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast this Sunday, February 16th, from 8 am to 1 pm in Cabot.

Admission tickets are \$20. Horses are \$10 and Jockeys are \$5 or 3 for \$10.

Tickets are running low—get yours now!!!
We invite everyone to take a sneak peak at the Basket raffle items and purchase tickets on Sunday, at the pancake breakfast. Winners need not be present at the Nite at the Races. We will call you.

Profit from this event will be used to offset the purchase of a stove for the kitchen at St. Joseph, Cabot. Direct any questions to the Parish Office 724-352-2149

### **GIDDY UP, RACE FANS!**

# St. Francis of Assisi Christian

Mothers and Women
Please join us on TUESDAY,
FEBRUARY 18<sup>TH</sup> @ 10:00 AM in the
CAFÉ at St. Joseph Hall (Cabot)
for our first meeting of 2025!

Pick up a pamphlet in the back of your church or contact the parish office for more information about the Confraternity of Christian Mothers and Women. **All** women are welcome any time!

# 2025 Meeting Dates

Tues. Feb. 18<sup>th</sup> 10 AM—St. Joseph (Cabot) Café Tues. Mar. 18<sup>th</sup> 10 AM—St. Joseph (Cabot) Café Tues. Apr. 15<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM—St. Joseph (Cabot) Hall Tues. May 20<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM—St. Mary School Hall Tues. Jun. 17<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM—St. Joseph (Cabot) Hall Tues. Sep. 16<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM—St. Mary School Hall Tues. Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> 6:30 PM—St. Joseph (Cabot) Hall Nov. Holiday Luncheon TBD

# The Butler Area Marriage Preparation Retreat for the Spring of 2025 is scheduled for March 1st & March 8th

in Butler. All couples planning marriage can visit the St. Francis or St. Clare website for details and to download the registration form.



# Children's Faith Formation



### St. Francis Parish

February 16: Elementary

Middle School

February 23: Elementary

Confirmation Retreat- Report Time: 10AM St. John Church Middle School (6 & 7<sup>th</sup> grades)

# St. Clare Parish

February 16: Elementary February 23: Elementary

Confirmation Retreat Report Time: 10AM St. John Church Middle School (6 & 7<sup>th</sup> grades)

# Youth Group

Did you know that St. Francis & St. Clare have a combined youth group?!

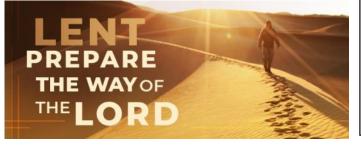
Any youth in grades 9-12 interested in joining, please contact Sue or Patrick (emails below) to be added to our group text communication for upcoming events, typically 2 Sundays a month. Come and check it out, bring a friend!

patrick@saintfrancisparish.net sue@saintclareparish.com

# Catholic Identity Program Family Link This Week's Virtue: COMPASSION

Compassion is a sympathetic understanding of another person's pain with the desire to relieve it.





# St. Clare of Assisi Children's Faith Formation Student of the Week is:

# Colin Osche!

Colin is in the 1st grade class this year. He likes football. Colin enjoys



playing football. When he gets older, Colin would like to be a football player.

Congratulations to this week's St. Clare Children's Faith Formation Student of the Week,

# Colin Osche!



# St. Wendelin School Bingo Night! February 21st at St. Wendelin Church Hall Doors Open at 6pm and Bingo Starts at 7 pm. Bingo, Concessions, 50/50, Winner Takes All! Cost \$20 for Triple Row Packet, \$10 Single Row Packet & \$5 for every additional Single Row Packet. \$10 Dinner Special- Chicken-a-la-King over Biscuits, Dessert, and Drink.

# St. Wendelin School's Designer Purse Bash Sunday, March 16th at St. Wendelin Hall

Doors open at noon, drawing starts at 1 pm. Ticket Donation \$30. You must have a ticket for entry (winner not need to be present). Lunch, dessert, coffee & water provided, feel free to bring your own snacks and drinks also! Basket raffle, 50/50, side raffles, 100 bag game and More! ATM will be on the premises. Tickets are available from any school family! Contact Nicole at the St. Clare office with any questions.



The **Elizabeth Ministry** will continue the **Foster Care Discussion**. Join us for any or all of the following sessions as we learn more about the system, the issues, and opportunities. Meetings will be **in the Cafe' at St. Joseph Church Hall in Cabot.** 



ALL are invited even if you aren't planning to foster or adopt children. Learn how we and our Parishes can support children and families in need.

**Session 4: Monday, February 24th**, 10 am-12 pm Wrestling w/ Fear, Doubt & Uncertainty

Session 5: Monday, March 3rd, 10 am-12 pm

Building a System of Support

**Session 6: Monday, March 10th**, 10 am-12 pm Taking My Next Step



Winter is a great time for warming up the voice! Please consider joining the adult choir (ages 13 and up) at St. Joseph, Cabot on Sunday mornings at the 11 am Mass. Rehearsals are Wednesdays, from 6 to 7:30 pm.

Children ages 8 through 13 are welcome to join the youth choir at St. Joseph Cabot.

**St. Joseph in Cabot is also looking for more cantors.** If you haven't

done this before, Holly would be happy to train you. **Please contact Holly Puett** (call the St. Francis Parish Office) for more information or to join either choir.



# **DID YOU KNOW?**

In terms of Modern-Day Countries, Where the events of the Bible took place.



Finding these places on a modern map puts their events in geographical context and brings them to life in our minds—reminding us that these events *really* happened, in *real* places, on *this* earth. The events of the Bible center around the **Holy Land** in modern-day **Israel** and **Palestine**. Almost the entirety of Our Lord's earthly life was spent in this region: Bethlehem, Nazareth, Jerusalem, and the surrounding areas.

Our Lord also spent a period of His childhood in **Egypt**, to which He and His family fled when escaping the wrath of Herod. Egypt appears in many places elsewhere in the Bible, particularly in the Book of Exodus, where we see God's people in bondage to Pharaoh. Through the rod of Moses, God miraculously parted the **Red Sea** to lead His people to freedom. The part of the Red Sea referenced is the **Gulf of Suez**, which in modern times has been connected to the Mediterranean by the Suez Canal.

Other places we encounter in the Bible are a little harder to geo-locate on a modern map. For example, where in the world is...

**Babylon?** The site of the Israelites' infamous exile was located in the part of ancient Mesopotamia that is now modern-day **Iraq**. Iraq also encompasses other famous biblical locations such as **Ur**, the homeland of the patriarch Abraham, and **Nineveh**, the city that repented upon hearing the preaching of Jonah.

Philistia? Goliath and the Philistines may have disappeared as a civilization, but their name lives on as the epithet of uncultured oafs everywhere. Their home territory was mostly in modern-day Israel. Galatia? Ephesus? Colossae? St. Paul's letters to the Galatians, Ephesians, and Colossians were written to various inhabitants of modern-day Turkey. Corinth? The recipients of Paul's two Epistles to the Corinthians were located in south-central Greece. Patmos? The island where the exiled St. John the Apostle wrote the Book of Revelation is located just off the coast of Turkey, but actually belongs to Greece. ~The Catholic Company

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St. Clare Parish Choir will resume rehearsals Wednesday, February 19th at 6 pm at St Wendelin Church.

We welcome returning members and new singers! Please come join us.



# SAINT WENDELIN SCHOOL

Invites you to:

STEP-UP DAY/REGISTRATION

Tuesday February 25, 2025 Preschool through Eighth Grade for the 2025-2026 school year

St. Wendelin School Offers: Bussing from Butler, Karns City, Moniteau, Knoch, and Armstrong School Districts Up-to-date Technology including Promethean Boards, IPads, and Chromebooks Highly Qualified Teaching Staff Extra Curricular Activities All-Day Kindergarten Program Extended Day Program Half-Day and All-Day Preschool Programs

St. Wendelin School Teachers are inviting in-coming students to participate in a class lesson with their current grade level students while parents receive and complete information about registration for the 2025-2026 school year.

Complete the following survey link to attend: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/IFAlpQLSdFpWqqlHEliMbJgA8NkW eyBb3wGkzex03F5hwco2FPcVaag/viewform?usp=header



8:30am- 10:30am



Can't make the Step Up Day? Join Us:

# **EVENING OPEN HOUSE/REGISTRATION**

Preschool through Eighth Grade for the 2025-2026 school year

For either session you attend please bring a copy of your child's: Birth Certificate, Health Records (immunizations), and Baptismal Certificate (if applicable) since St. Wendelin School accepts all faiths.





# FISH FRY FRIDAYS!

St. Francis of Assisi Parish 69th Annual Fish Fry Carry-Out Only (With Option To Eat Carry-Out Meal Inside)
Saint Mary of the Assumption School in Herman (Across from Herman Mini Mart)

February 28th – April 11th 3 PM to 6 PM

All Dinners \$15.00

MENU Includes: (No Substitutions)
Pan Fried or Baked Cod Loin,
Green Beans, Coleslaw, Bread, Dessert,
Spanish Rice, French Fries, Macaroni & Cheese

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**Yard signs** are available under the porch by the office entrance at St. Mary if anyone would like to take one to **advertise in your yard**.

We will be in need of desserts each Friday as well and volunteers are always appreciated!

# St. Francis of Assisi Quarterly Financial Report

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### 845001 - Saint Francis of Assisi

(Quarter-2 2024/2025 Year to Date)

### **OPERATING REVENUE:**

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Offertory Collections	448,654
Donations & Bequests	30,416
Fundraising	101,378
Campaign Income	938
Other Income	24,119
	605,505
OPERATING EXPENSE:	
Administration	246,551
Operations & Maintenance	98,765
Religious Ed & C.A.R.E.S.	89,638
Liturgical & Rectory	60,717
Property & Liability Insurance	22,367
Social/ Outreach/ Other	166
	518,204
OPERATING SURPLUS (DEFICIT)	87,301
NON-OPERATING ITEMS:	
Extraordinary Maintenance Expense	(27,400)
Net Third Party Collections	4,532

### FEATURED ASSETS and LIABILITIES at 12/31/2024

### ASSETS:

# Unrestricted Funds:

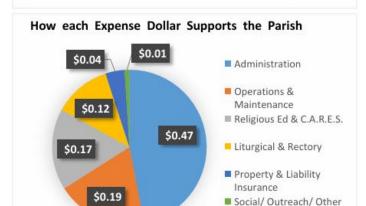
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Cash	159,731
Deposit & Loan Operating Savings	1,020,193
	1,179,924
Restricted Funds:	
Deposit & Loan Restricted Savings	85,704
Deposit & Loan Restricted Campaign	187,213
Parish Endowment Investment	*
Other Investments	(78,275)
	194,642

### LIABILITIES:

Substitute of the country of the day of the day.	(3,757)
Other Payables	(3,757)
Deposit & Loan Borrowing Debt	-
Insurance Past Due	ā

### Revenue vs. Expense for 7-1-2024 thru 12-31-2024

Revenue: 605,505 Expense: 518,204



### Line items include but are not limited to:

Offertory Collections: Offertory, Parish Appeal Campaign Income: Capital Imp., Debt Reduction, etc. Other Income: Interest Income, Hall Rentals, Votive Administration: Staff, Supplies, Management Fee Operations & Maintenance:

Staff, Church Utilities, Upkeep, Taxes, Supplies Religious Ed & C.A.R.E.S.: Staff, Supplies, CCD, Adult Ed, RCIA, Catholic Assistance for Regional Elem Schools Liturgical & Rectory: Staff, Worship, Rectory Upkeep Social/Outreach/Other:

Youth, Community, Net Rental Property, Preschool Extraordinary Maintenance Expense: > \$4,000 Net 3rd Party Collections: e.g. Holy Land, Peter's Pence

The second quarter of the 2024-2025 fiscal year was a positive one for St. Francis of Assisi Parish. Your continued generosity resulted in nearly a \$30,000 increase in offertory collections. The fundraising efforts also showed an increase compared to the same quarter last year. Operating Revenue as a whole, when compared to the same quarter last year, rose by approximately \$60,000 this quarter. All positive markers for a vibrant cashflow. As would be expected the expenses also increased. Administrative expenses continue to account for close to half of total expenses. That is common in a service type industry.

# St. Clare of Assisi Quarterly Financial Report

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### 844001 - Saint Clare of Assisi

(Quarter-2 2024/2025 Year to Date)

# **OPERATING REVENUE:**

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Offertory Collections	261,614
Donations & Bequests	17,587
Fundraising	33,174
Campaign Income	44
Other Income	93,519
	405,938
OPERATING EXPENSE:	
Administration	185,990
Liturgical & Rectory	91,164
Religious Ed & C.A.R.E.S.	60,637
Operations & Maintenance	49,984
Social/ Outreach/ Other	19,578
Property & Liability Insurance	15,426
	422,779
OPERATING SURPLUS (DEFICIT)	(16,841)

### FEATURED ASSETS and LIABILITIES at 12/31/2024

# ASSETS:

# Unrestricted Funds:

NON-OPERATING ITEMS:

**Net Third Party Collections** 

Cash	76,015
Deposit & Loan Operating Savings	274,272
	350,287
Restricted Funds:	
Deposit & Loan Restricted Savings	84,953
Deposit & Loan Restricted Campaign	552
Parish Endowment Investment	3,578,285
Other Investments	(70,224)
	3,593,566

### LIABILITIES:

Insurance Past Due	8
Deposit & Loan Borrowing Debt	*
Other Payables	(5,230)
	(E 220)

# Revenue vs. Expense for 7-1-2024 thru 12-31-2024

Revenue: 405,938 Expense: 422,779

### How each Expense Dollar Supports the Parish



### Line items include but are not limited to:

Offertory Collections: Offertory, Parish Appeal
Campaign Income: Capital Imp., Debt Reduction, etc.
Other Income: Interest Income, Hall Rentals, Votive
Administration: Staff, Supplies, Management Fee
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St. Clare of Assisi Parish had a slight deficit for second quarter of fiscal year 2024-2025. One factor that contributed to this deficit was the timing of deposits, after year end due to the holiday. Operating Revenue was up \$4,000, which is encouraging. Also, Operating Expenses were down for this quarter compared to the same time last fiscal year. Both items are moving in the right direction, through your continued generosity we will close that gap and proceed to a surplus.