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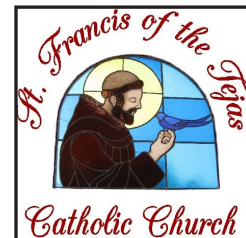
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In Memory of Brenda Grupa



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Dorothy Harris, Secretary
March 26, 2023 Marzo 26, 2023

Welcome to Saint Francis of the Tejas Catholic Church

If you are new or visiting our parish, please stop by and introduce yourself. We are pleased to have you share in our celebration of the Eucharist. Parish registration forms are located in the church foyer. Drop the completed form in the collection basket or come by the office during office hours.

Bienvenidos a la Iglesia Católica San Francisco de las Tejas

Bienvenidos a la Iglesia Católica San Francisco de Tejas Si es nuevo o está visitando nuestra parroquia, pase y preséntese. Nos complace que participen en nuestra celebración de la Eucaristía. Suelta el formulario completo en la canasta de recolección o pase por la oficina durante el horario de oficina.

Fifth Sunday of Lent!

Holy Week Schedule:

Palm Sunday Vigil—5:30pm
Palm Sunday, 8:30am (English) - assemble at
8:15am in the Parish Hall for Procession
Palm Sunday, 11:30am (Spanish) - assemble at
8:15am in the Parish Hall for Procession
Holy Thursday—7:00pm—Bilingual
Good Friday—6:00pm—Bilingual
Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil) - 8:00pm—Bilingual
Easter Sunday 8:30am—English
Easter Sunday 11:30am—Spanish

Horario Semana Santa:

Vigilia del Domingo de Ramos—5:30pm
Domingo de Ramos, 8:30 a. m. (inglés) - reunirse a las
8:15 a. m. en el Salón Parroquial para la Procesión
Domingo de Ramos, 11:30 a. m. (español) - reunirse a
las 8:15 a. m. en el Salón Parroquial para la Procesión
Jueves Santo—7:00pm—Bilingüe
Viernes Santo—6:00pm—Bilingüe
Sábado Santo (Vigilia Pascual) - 8:00pm—Bilingüe
Domingo de Pascua 8:30 am—Inglés
Domingo de Pascua 11:30 am—Español

The Bishop’s Annual Appeal—Living Out Our Baptismal Calling—2nd Commitment Weekend will be held
Saturday, April 15th and Divine Mercy Sunday, April 16, 2023, during Mass. This is an opportunity for parishioners
who have not given to the Bishop’s Annual Appeal to consider supporting the shared ministers of every parish in the
Diocese of Tyler. Your pledge helps to fund Current Seminarians; Charity, Ethics & Advocacy; Supports Retired
and Infirm Priests and Deacons; and Teaching the Faith through the St. Philip Institute, Campus Ministry and Cath-
olic Schools. Please consider giving generously, so we may meet this year’s parish goal.

La Campaña Anual del Obispo—Viviendo Nuestro Llamado Bautismal—El Fin de Semana del Segundo
Compromiso se llevará a cabo el sábado 15 de abril y el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, 16 de abril de 2023,
durante la Misa. Esta es una oportunidad para los feligreses que no han contribuido a la Campaña Anual del Obispo
para considere apoyar a los ministros compartidos de cada parroquia en la Diócesis de Tyler. Su compromiso ayuda
a financiar a los actuales seminaristas; caridad, ética y defensa; apoya a sacerdotes y diáconos jubilados y enfermos;
y la Enseñanza de la Fe a través del Instituto St. Philip, Pastoral Universitaria y Escuelas Católicas. Considere dar
generosamente, para que podamos cumplir con la meta parroquial de este año.

The Virtus Training (Protecting God’s Children for Adults) scheduled for Saturday, March 18, 2023, was
rescheduled due to a medical emergency in the instructor’s family. Thankfully, all is well now and the class is
scheduled for **Saturday, March 25, 2023—9:00am (English), and 1:00pm (Spanish).** If you were originally
signed up, you have been automatically scheduled for the March 25th class. For those who need this training to meet
your CPC requirements, but have yet to sign up for the class, please login to Virtus and sign up for the class as soon
as possible.

El Entrenamiento Virtus (Protegiendo a los Niños de Dios para Adultos) programado para el sábado 18 de
marzo de 2023, fue reprogramado debido a una emergencia médica en la familia del instructor. Afortunadamente,
todo está bien ahora y la clase está programada para el **sábado 25 de marzo de 2023 a las 9:00 a. m. (inglés) y a la**
1:00 p. m. (español). Si se inscribió originalmente, se le programó automáticamente para la clase del 25 de
marzo. Para aquellos que necesitan esta capacitación para cumplir con sus requisitos de CPC, pero aún no se han
inscrito en la clase, inicien sesión en Virtus e inscribanse en la clase lo antes posible.

Mass schedule with Mass Intentions and Liturgical Observations Horario de Misas con Intenciones de Misa y Observaciones Litúrgicas			
Sat/Sab 5:30pm	Mar 25	Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord †Rosalie Lobpries by Judy Jalufka	Readings for the Week Lecturas para la semana Is 7:10-14, 8:10 Heb 10:4-10 Lk 1:26-38
Sun/DOM 8:30am 11:30am	Mar 26	Fifth Sunday of Lent †Marsha Duffy by Deena Holcomb Parroquia de San Francisco	Ez 37:12-14 Rom 8:8-11 Jn 11:1-45
Mon/Lun 8:30am	Mar 27	Parish of St. Francis	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 Jn 8:1-11
Wed/Mie 6:30pm	Mar 29	Lenten Penance Service Parroquia de San Francisco	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95 Jn 8:31-42
Thu/Jue 8:30a	Mar 30	†Remington Sabella by Deena Holcomb	Gn 17:3-9 Jn 8:51-59
Fri/Vie 8:30am	Mar 31	†Cheryl Barfield by Deena Holcomb	Jer 20:10-13 Jn 10:31-42
Sat/Sab 5:30pm	Apr 1	†Brenda Grupa by John Grupa	Ez 37:21-28 Jn 11:45-56
Sun/Dom 8:30am 11:30am	Apr 2	Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion †Lucille Jones by Deena Holcomb Parroquia de San Francisco	Mt 21:1-11, Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Mt 26:14-27:66 or Mt 27:11-54

The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week for the Intentions of the Parish of St. Francis of the Tejas	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Every First Friday of the Month Mass at 8:30am followed by Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction
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Ministers Ministros

Mar 25, Saturday 5:30pm
Lector: Michelle Rabb
Extraordinary Ministers: Brenda Flasowski
Acolyte: James Rankin
Altar Server: Help may be needed
Mar 26, Sunday, 8:30am
Lector: Terri Graham
Extraordinary Ministers: Charles & Sylvia Slanina, Sam & Ginger Gregg
Acolytes: James Rankin & Charles Slanina
Altar Server: Help may be needed
Mar 26, Domingo, 11:30am
Lectores: Bonifacio Munoz y Alicia Rosas
Salmista: Juana Aguilar
Ministros Extraordinario: Olivia Aguilar, Elvira De La Fuente y Maria Rodriguez
Servidores: Erik y Shanty Lopez

Confession available every Saturday 4:15pm—5:15pm or by appointment—call 936-544-5338 to schedule an appointment.

In need of prayer/En necesidad de oración
Frankie & George Gallant, Susan Young Lawrence, Perry/Sagrera Family, Lawson Kloesel, Rosalie Lobpries, Hulett Evans, Garret Dunlap, Michael Landrum, Pam Rains, Margaret Shupak, Robbie Hollingsworth, Orlan Bitner, Larry Meyer, Carol McDonald, the Lopez family, Guiliana Scarmodo, Dorothy Wise, Marcus Acosta, April Yount, Karen Jackson, Keith Hopson, Sherald Cecil Wood, Doris Rekieta, Russell Bond, Scarlett Buys, Michael & Joy Philips, Susan Abshire, Mary Caviness, Erin Ford, Molly Johnson, Genevieve Broeder, Linda and Clem Manuel, Jaime Stewart, Cameron Schneider, Lola Calvert, Kala Coclazo, Andrea Nguyen, Leo Poirer, Sharon Anderson, John Kulp, Phylis Shupak, Milt Brown, Kylie Cullinan, Orval Mize, Bill Hammer, Will Freemont, Joyce Gouldie, TJ & Julie Webb, Judy Harwick, Jeanne Gatz, Carly, Tommy Novosad, Stephen & Jonathan Foster, Janet Hesse, Johnny Patrick, Ronnie Rabb, Juan Bernardo Arvizu and all active and deployed military.
Please contact the church office to have your loved ones added to the prayer list.



Sacramental Preparation class meets again on March 26, 2023, 10:00am, Parish Hall. Remember to bring the green folder to class. All enrollees in Sacramental Preparation classes were issued a card to document Mass attendance and confession. Do not loose this card; it is the only record of required Mass attendance and confession. There is no way to replace the data if the card is lost!

La clase de Preparación Sacramental se reúne nuevamente el 26 de marzo de 2023 a las 10:00 am, Salón Parroquial. Recuerda traer la carpeta verde a clase. A todos los inscritos en las clases de Preparación Sacramental se les entregó una tarjeta para documentar la asistencia a Misa y la confesión. No pierda esta tarjeta; es el único registro de asistencia a Misa y confesión requerida. ¡No hay forma de reemplazar los datos si se pierde la tarjeta!

Deposits for March 19, 2023	
Regular	\$2167.00
Hunger Relief	\$ 435.00
Fish Fry	\$6571.80

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Lenten Penance Service, March 29, 2023, 5:30pm—7:30pm; several priests available for English and Spanish confession.

Servicio de Penance Lenten, 29 de marzo de 2023, 5:30 pm - 7:30pm; Varios sacerdotes disponibles para la confesión de inglés y español.

Join us for the 14 Stations of the Cross each Friday through March 31, 2023—2:00pm in the Parish Hall (English), and 6:30pm in the Church (Spanish).

Unase a nosotros para las 14 estaciones de la cruz cada viernes hasta el 31 de marzo de 2023 — 2: 00pm en el salón parroquial (inglés) y las 6:30 pm en la iglesia (español).

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Concerns about violations of the Code of Ethics & Integrity can be reported to the Promoter of Justice of the Diocese of Tyler at 903-266-2159 Department of Protective and Regulatory Services (1-800-252-5400)

St. Francis 2023 Fish Fry is now being held every Friday through March 31, 2023. Please consider helping with this event. For more details, please go to—
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St. Francis 2023 Fish Fry ahora se lleva a cabo todos los viernes hasta el 31 de marzo de 2023. Considere ayudar con este evento. Para obtener más detalles, visite—
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Join us on **Saturday, March 25, 2023**, at 4:00pm in the Church for beginning of the Novena of the Virgen of the Incarnation, a 9-month daily devotion honoring the 9 months Jesus dwelled in the womb of the Blessed Virgen Mary who granted us the Savior of the world. This devotion is commonly referred to as the Novena of Impossible Requests in which you have the opportunity to ask for three petitions that are—Personal, Spiritual and Impossible.

Únase a nosotros el **sábado 25 de marzo de 2023** a las 4:00 p. m. en la Iglesia para comenzar la Novena de la Virgen de la Encarnación, una devoción diaria de 9 meses en honor a los 9 meses que Jesús habitó en el vientre de la Santísima Virgen María, quien nos concedió al Salvador del mundo. Esta devoción se conoce comúnmente como la Novena de lo Imposible.

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Las inquietudes sobre violaciones del Código de Ética e Integridad se pueden informar al Promotor de Justicia de la Diócesis de Tyler al 903-266-2159 Departamento de Servicios de Protección y Regulación (1-800-252-5400)

Birthday Blessings ~ Bendiciones para Cumpleaños

March 22 Donna Dial
March 23 Jerry Easley, Kimberly Rodriguez
March 24 Jesus Cruz
March 25 Larry Mays
March 26 Cinthia Villanueva
March 27 Sonia H. Cruz, Sallie Hodges
March 28 Estela Martinez, Alicia Rosas

March 29 Elizabeth Martinez, Annalia Mendez
March 30 Aaliyah M. Jenkins, Ava L. Jenkins, Camila Ruiz
March 31 Polly Bradford, James Brann
April 1 Griselda Arcivar, Aaron Bahena, Ramcel Rojas
April 2 Angela Dial, Roman Hernandez, Roberto Popoca