

# St. Francis Parish

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**Office Hours: 9 am to Noon**

**Tuesday through Friday**

Please call for an appointment for times outside office hours.

## **MASS & OTHER SERVICE SCHEDULE**

5:30 pm Saturday and 9:00 am Sunday  
in Friday Harbor

1:15 pm Saturday on Lopez Island changing to  
10:30 am April 1

9:15 am Sunday on Orcas changing to  
10:00 am on April 2

**CONFESSION 4:30 PM TO 5 PM SATURDAY IN  
FRIDAY HARBOR (OR BY APPOINTMENT)**

**THE OFFICE IS NOW OPEN ON A LIMITED  
BASIS** from 9 am to Noon on Tuesday through  
Friday. Appointments can be made for outside  
office hours by calling or e-mailing the office

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

**WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS:** Please take a  
moment to register using the forms located in the  
entryway of the church. Forms are also available by  
calling the parish office.

## **Our Weekly Offerings – Thank you!**

**March 25 & 26, 2023**

Location	Friday Hbr	Orcas	Lopez
# of Envelopes	9	3	0
Envelopes & Checks	\$ 2,695.00	\$ 135.00	\$ 25.00
Loose Cash	169.00	283.00	20.00
Totals	\$ 2,864.00	\$ 418.00	\$ 45.00

## **2022-2023 to Year to Date**

Income this year: \$ 223,690.38 last year \$ 197,253.09

Spending: 212,031.66 last year \$ 190,266.38

Net Income: \$ 11,658.72 last year \$ 6,986.71

## **COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

**PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL:** FH Tom Cogan, David Asmuth;  
**ORCAS:** Velma Doty; **LOPEZ** Kit Latta; **PASTORAL COUNCIL:**  
**FH:** Will House, Rick Draffkorn, and Dan Schwartz **LOPEZ:** Lou  
Bailey **ORCAS:** Dirk Baughman and Tony Giefer

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

**(DELETED AFTER 30 DAYS UNLESS CALLED IN AGAIN)**

**Call or email requests. Be sure we have the person's permission.**

**FRIDAY HARBOR:** Tom Williamson; Donna Alexander; Colleen Carlton; Catherine Geissler; Lisa Fyrqvist; Fritzie Vitulli's granddaughter; Don Greene; Elvira Sosa Smith; Joyce Jones; Dave Powell (Paula Jameson's brother-in-law); Oliver Strasser; Debbie Danz (Michele Gosinski's cousin) and for the repose of the soul of Greg Steckler (Dennis's father).

**ORCAS ISLAND:** David G Moffatt (friend of Jack & Kiki Coe) Dr. Tim Prince (Steve's brother); Gene Flath; Carl Capdeville (Velma & Dick Doty's son-in-law)

**LOPEZ ISLAND:** Gretchen Gruenke; Rich Nafziger, Lucy Anjaldua (Sally's mother); Marge Stensrud, Valerie Navarro and Ginni Keith.

**SHAW ISLAND:** For good health for all the Mothers at Our Lady of the Rock Priory and the Religious Sisters of Mercy at Our Lady Star of the Sea convent.

**OTHER:** For all those involved in the medical field and for all caregivers, for justice and healing for victims of abuse and their families; suffering Christians in the Middle East and Nigeria; for the repose of the souls of the victims of terror. For blessings on Sister Julia (formerly of Orcas Island) and her mission in E. Timor.

# Our Parish Vision: To know, love, and serve the Lord and His people and to support one another in our spiritual journey.

## ALL ISLANDS

**ONLINE GIVING** – We have a new giving portal called Pushpay in connection with our new Archdiocesan-wide migration to a new church management system. You'll hear more about that in future weeks but for now why not try the convenience of online giving. You can access it here: [Give to St. Francis Catholic Church \(pushpay.com\)](https://www.pushpay.com) or by using the link on our website [www.stfrancissji.org](http://www.stfrancissji.org)

## ORCAS

**MASS TIME CHANGES TO 10:00 AM EFFECTIVE APRIL 2<sup>ND</sup>.**

**HOLY THURSDAY, GOOD FRIDAY, AND EASTER SUNDAY ALL AT 10:00 AM**

**HOSPITALITY SIGN UP SHEET IN THE VESTIBULE:** If we are to continue social time after Mass with coffee / juice and treats people must sign up.

**EXPOSITION AND SILENT ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT – from 1 to 2 pm on Thursdays.**

**ORCAS CONTACTS:** Property maintenance: Barbara Clever 376-4042. Reader schedule: Tony Giefer 376-6117. Rosary for Life: Shelly Russell 376-4792. For sacristy supplies call the office, 378-2910.

## LOPEZ

**MASS TIME CHANGE EFFECTIVE APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup> 10:30 AM.**

**HOLY THURSDAY, GOOD FRIDAY, AND EASTER VIGIL ALL AT 1:30 PM**

## FRIDAY HARBOR

**HOLY THURSDAY AND GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES AT 5:30 PM, EASTER VIGIL 8:00 PM AND EASTER SUNDAY AT 9 AM.**

**SAVE THE DATE:** Fr. Albert's time with us at St. Francis is ending soon. He is returning to India in early June. We will bid him farewell with a celebratory party at the Grange on **Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup>** from 4 to 6 pm. Let's all come to bid him a fond and grateful adieu for his tireless work on our behalf at St. Francis. More details will follow.

**NEXT FIRST SATURDAY 9 AM MASS – May 6th**

**NEXT FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION – May 5th** following the 9 am Mass and again at 7:00 pm

**NEXT ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING AT NOON Friday, May 5th** in Heffernan Hall.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS: 3:00 pm** on the Fridays of Lent

**TUESDAY FAITH SHARING GROUP MEETS AT 10:30 AM IN THE PARISH HALL.** Please join us as we read Sunday's Mass readings and share our reflections.

## **THANKS FOR THE KING'S RECEIPTS**

We earned \$381.68 last quarter. That will buy lots of pretty annuals for the Marian Garden! Keep those receipts coming!!!

**OTHER CONTACTS:** Grounds and Maintenance: Teddy 360-298-0884; Hospitality: Mary Jo Bolte 360-378-1936; Religious Ed: Michele Gosinski 360-298-5853