St. Francis Parish

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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 10:30 pm Saturday on Lopez Island 10:00 am Sunday on Orcas

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!

April 22 & 25, 2025			
Location	Friday Hbr	Orcas	Lopez
# of			
Envelopes			
Envelopes &			
Checks	Not	Available	At time of printing
Loose Cash			
Totals			

2022-2023 to Year to Date

Income this year: \$ 247,501.50 last year \$ 227,848.45 Spending: 228,920.02 last year \$ 209,084.47 Net Income: \$ 18,581.48 last year \$ 18,762.98

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; 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 souls of Ron Rabie (Paula Jameson's brother), and Donna Alexander.

<u>ORCAS</u> ISLAND: Bertram Baughman (Dirk's brother); 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

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL BEGINS NOW

Our goal this year is \$30, 341. Anything over the goal comes back to the parish and is used to help keep the parish operating.

THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL: With all parishes working together, gifts to the Annual Catholic Appeal provide the necessary funds to support more than 60 ministries and services throughout Western Washington - Catholic schools and Catholic Community Services, for example.

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) or by using the link on our website www.stfrancissji.org

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY – We'll be taking a break during May returning June 7th.

ORCAS

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STUDENTS WHO WERE CONFIRMED ON APRIL 21st: Isabel Guerra Banderas, Pedro Guerra Banderas, Ashley Conejo Medina, Anthony Conejo Medina, Junior Conejo Medina, Lluvia Chrystal Quintero-Carrion, Humberto Toribio Quintero-Carrion, Demetrio Salinas Cruz, Ediwn Yovany Santiago Carreon, Juan Pablo Rodriguez, Monserrath Alexa Lopez Garcia, Devanhi Guerra, Julissa Alvarez, Matthew Isidro Vasquez, Marco Paolo Nochez Henriquez, Jaden Jose Rodriguez Hernandez, Leslin Coro, Jesus Coro. And to Jose Coro who made his First Holy Communion that evening.

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.

FRIDAY HARBOR

IT'S THIS WEEKEND: Come bid farewell to Father Albert at the Grange on **Sunday, April 30**th from 4 to 6 pm. Bring a salad or side dish and your favorite beverage. We will serve salmon and mac'n'cheese. Our theme is "Western" so wear those cowboy hats and boots, y'all!

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

NEXT FIRST SATURDAY 9 AM MASS - May 6th

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

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

Jesus, the Good Shepherd

