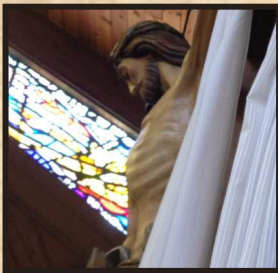




St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

MISSION STATEMENT

Unified in one Body and Spirit,
the St. Francis of Assisi Catholic community
aspires to reflect
the Light of Christ by cultivating
Faith, Serving others, and Loving all of God's creation.



NUESTRA MISIÓN

Unida en un solo Cuerpo y Espíritu,
la comunidad católica de San Francisco de Asís
aspira a reflejar
la Luz de Cristo mediante el cultivo de
la *Fe, Servicio* a los demás, y el *Amor*
a toda la creación de Dios.

**THIRTY-SECOND
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 11, 2018**

Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:30am - 4:30pm
Closed Daily from 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Church and Chapel Hours

Monday - Friday
8:00am - 4:30pm

Mass Times

Monday - Friday
8:00am (Eng.) / Chapel

Saturday:
5:00pm (Eng.)
7:00pm (Sp.)

Sunday:
7:30am (Eng.)
9:00am (Sp.)
10:30am (Eng.)
12:30pm (Sp.)

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Faith • Service • Love  **Fe • Servicio • Amor**

THE POOR WIDOW'S CONTRIBUTION

"Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury."

- Mark 12:43



LA OFRENDA DE LA VIUDA

"Yo les aseguro que esa pobre viuda ha echado en la alcancía mas que todos."

- Marcos 12:43

HE GIVES HIS VERY LIFE TO SAVE HUMANKIND

The readings today provide us with two models of faith and generosity. The widow in the first reading is in dire straits. She and her son have no food but a handful of flour and a little oil. "When we have eaten it, we shall die," she tells Elijah heartbreakingly (1 Kings 17:12). Yet she will share the last of what she has with this stranger who makes promises on behalf of his foreign god. Elijah has such strong faith in the Lord that he promises this pagan woman that God would make sure that she would not run out of food. The widow's generosity, sharing the very last of what is keeping her alive, is rewarded. In the Gospel, Jesus lauds the same kind of generosity. Another unnamed widow takes center stage. She gives "all she had, her whole livelihood" to the temple, to the Lord (Mark 12:44). Her faith and generosity are lauded. But the ultimate model of faith and generosity is Jesus. He is faithful to his Father's will. He gives his very life to save humankind. As we hear in the second reading, "Once for all he has...take(n) away sin by his sacrifice" (Hebrews 9:26).

How are you a model of faith and generosity to others?
—We Celebrate Worship Resource, Vol. 43, No. 3



EL DA SU PROPIA VIDA PARA SALVAR LA HUMANIDAD

Las lecturas de hoy nos proporcionan dos modelos de fe y generosidad. La viuda en la primera lectura está en una situación desesperada. Ella y su hijo no tienen más comida que un puñado de harina y un poco de aceite. "No los comeremos y luego moriremos", le dice a Elías con el corazón roto (1 Reyes 17:12).

Sin embargo, compartirá lo último que tiene con este extraño que hace promesas en nombre de un dios extraño. Elías tiene una fe tan fuerte en el Señor que le promete a esta mujer pagana que Dios se asegurará de que no se quede sin comida. La generosidad de la viuda, compartiendo lo último de lo que la mantiene con vida, es recompensada. En el Evangelio, Jesús alaba el mismo tipo de generosidad. Otra viuda sin nombre toma el centro del escenario. Ella da "todo lo que tenía para vivir" al templo, al Señor (Marcos 12:44). Su fe y generosidad son alabadas. Pero el último modelo de fe y generosidad es Jesús. Él es fiel a la voluntad de su Padre. Él da su propia vida para salvar la humanidad. Como escuchamos en la segunda lectura, "él se manifestó una sola vez...para destruir el pecado con el sacrificio de sí mismo." (Hebreos 9:26).

¿Cómo eres un modelo de fe y generosidad hacia los demás?
- Celebramos el Recurso de Adoración, Vol. 43, No. 3

QUESTION OF THE WEEK • PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reading I 1 Kings 17:10-16 - Elijah and the widow
Reading II Hebrew 9:24-28 - The sacrifice of Jesus
Gospel Mark 12:38-44 - Hypocrisy of the scribes, and the widow's mite

Key Passage Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on." (Mark 12:43-44)

Adults: What are you willing to give out of love for God that would be a hardship for you?

Kids: What would you be willing to give up for someone else?

TRIGESIMO SEGUNDO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Lectura I 1 Reyes 17: 10-16 - Elías y la viuda
Lectura II Hebreo 9: 24-28 - El sacrificio de Jesús
Evangelio Marcos 12: 38-44 - Hipocresía de los escribas y el ácaro de la viuda.

Pasaje Clave Jesús dijo: "Yo les aseguro que esa pobre viuda ha echado en la alcancía mas que todos. Porque los demás han echado de lo que les sobraba; pero esta, en su pobreza, ha echado todo lo que tenía para vivir." (Marcos 12:43-44)

Adultos: ¿A qué estarías dispuesto a renunciar por el amor a Dios?

Niños: ¿A qué estarías dispuesto a renunciar por otra persona?



Wine, Bread and Candle Memorials

In Loving Memory of *Julius Bacso* Requested by Rosemary Hardy



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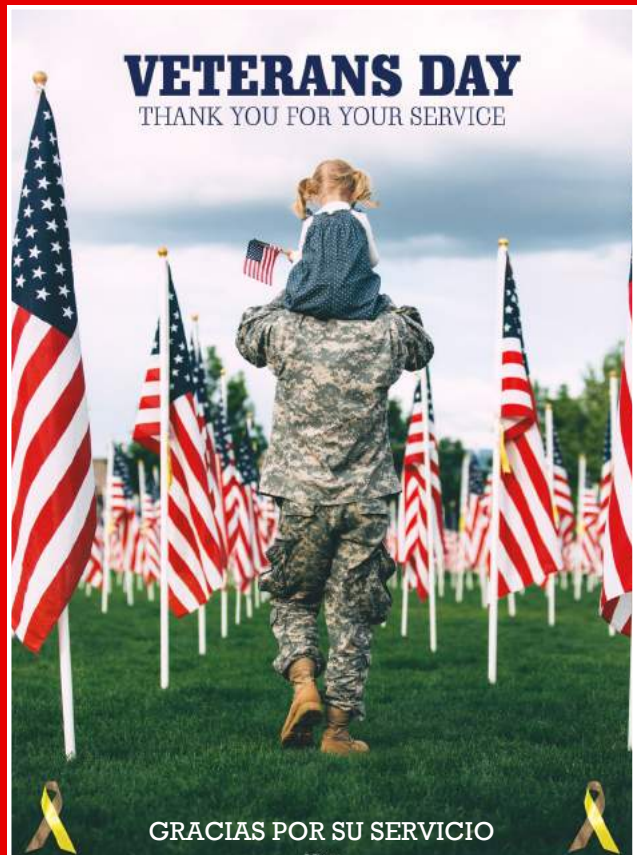
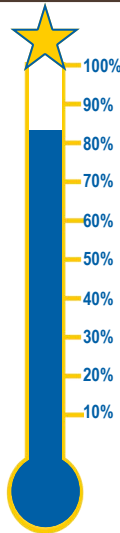
November 4, 2018

Offertory	FOOD PANTRY	BUILDING FUND
In-pew: \$15,066.23	In-pew: \$1,462.00	In-pew: \$333.00
Online: \$1,791.00	Online: \$410.00	Online: \$30.00

CHANGE FOR CHANGE:

COLLECTED THROUGH 10/31/2018: **\$1,543.43**
SECURED WI-FI PARISH CENTER: \$805.00
BALANCE AS OF 11/1/2018: \$738.43

The balance and future collections will be used to purchase new altar server robes in the amount of \$1,800.00.



Thanksgiving Day

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22
Parish-Wide Mass - 10:00am - Misa Multilingüe
In the church - En la iglesia
(no 8:00am Mass)

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good. - Psalm 107:1

IN OUR PARISH • EN NUESTRA PARROQUIA

YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST CLOSING RETREAT

SAVE THE DATE for the closing retreat of our diocesan "Year of the Eucharist"! Our guest speaker is *Fr. Onuegbu Rowland, S.D.V.* We will gather in the Parish Center on **Saturday, November 17th at 9:00am.**

FOOD PANTRY

It's "Thanksgiving Food Drive" time again! The bags are being collected this weekend, November 10th and 11th. The items listed on the bags will help feed over 300 families this Thanksgiving. Thank you for your generous support!

RETIRO DE CLAUSURA DEL AÑO DE LA EUCHARISTIA

¡GUARDE LA FECHA para el retiro de clausura del "Año de la Eucaristía"! Nuestro orador invitado es el *P. Onuegbu Rowland, S.D.V.* Nos reuniremos en el Centro Parroquial el **sábado, 17 de noviembre a las 9:00 am.** (Retiro será en inglés)

DESPENSA DE ALIMENTOS

Es nuevamente la época del año para la campaña de "Alimentos de Acción de Gracias". Las bolsas se recogerán este fin de semana, el 10 y 11 de noviembre. Los artículos listados en las bolsas ayudarán a alimentar a más de 300 familias en este día de Acción de Gracias. ¡Le agradecemos por su generoso apoyo!



**ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI
COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (CCW)**

We invite all women of our parish to join our affiliation. In conjunction with the National Council of Catholic Women, we support, empower and educate all Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service.



JOIN US! Monday, November 12th at 6:30pm

Our guest speaker will be Mary Flynn, a former staff writer for Hallmark Cards in Kansas City. Then, she went on to write stories and comprehension tests for the leading publisher of guided reading materials used in the U.S. public school system. Mary recently retired from her public speaking role with the Walt Disney Company to write full-time. If you missed Mary's first visit with us now is your chance to meet this award winning, extremely humorous author.

You won't be disappointed!!

All meetings are held in the Parish Center.

Please join us and bring a friend.

St. Francis of Assisi CCW

NIGHT OF BUNCO FUN

FRIDAY, November 16, 2018

7:00 - 9:30 PM - PARISH CENTER



Fun – Finger Food – Coffee
Tea – Prizes

DONATION: \$10.00

Tickets available at the Parish Office

Knights of Columbus Council 11673

SOCCER CHALLENGE 2018

CONGRATULATIONS to Joel Cavazos
for taking 1st place at District and 2nd place at Regional
CONGRATULATIONS to Xiomara Risendiz
For taking 1st place at District and 4th at Regional.



Knights of Columbus

JOIN US!

K OF C COUNCIL 11673

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- NOVEMBER 15**—4th Degree Meeting, 6:30pm
Faith Formation Bldg., #5
- NOVEMBER 26**—Officers Meeting, 7:00pm
St. Clare Fellowship Room
- DECEMBER 6**—1st/2nd Degree Meeting,
6:30pm, Parish Center
- DECEMBER 17**— Officers Meeting, 7:00pm
St. Clare Fellowship Room
- DECEMBER 20**—4th Degree Meeting, 6:30pm
Faith Formation Bldg., #5
- JANUARY 3** —1st/2nd Degree Meeting,
6:30pm, Parish Center
- JANUARY 17**—4th Degree Meeting, 6:30pm
Faith Formation Bldg., #5
- JANUARY 17**—Social Event, 7:30pm
Parish Center
- JANUARY 28**— Officers Meeting, 7:00pm
St. Clare Fellowship Room



SHINE YOUTH MINISTRY
The St. Francis of Assisi High School
Youth Ministry meets Sunday nights at
6pm in the Teen Room
(Faith Formation Bldg., Rm #3)

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY SCHEDULE:

- November 11 "Breaking Open the Word"
- November 18 Tijuana Flats
- December 9 Teen Room
- December 16 Christmas Party



Pastor's Parish

CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 2, 2018
5:00 pm - 9:00 pm
 Apopka Community Center
 519 S. Central Ave.

Cash Bar
 Food catered by Carrabba's

Music by
DJ Minerva

Tickets: \$15.00 adults
 \$8.00 for children
 Deadline for purchasing tickets: Nov. 27, 2018



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Looking for something to do? We are looking for volunteers to help with the Christmas Party. Maybe you would like to help decorate, set-up the dessert table, greet guests, or help with the funding-raising event. We are also in need of cookies, brownies (finger dessert only) for the dessert table. There will be a sign-up sheet in the gifts store or contact Diane Hoy 407-464-3170.

FIESTA DE NAVIDAD PARROQUIAL

Domingo, 2 de diciembre de 5:00pm a 9:00pm
 Apopka Community Center, 519 South Center Ave.
 Adultos \$15.00 y niños de 12 años y menores de \$8.00.
 Los boletos estarán a la venta los domingos hasta el 18 de noviembre en TODAS las misas. También estarán disponibles en la Oficina Parroquial.
 La fecha límite para comprar boletos es el martes 27 de noviembre.

NECESITAMOS VOLUNTARIOS

¿Buscas algo que hacer? Estamos buscando voluntarios para ayudar con la Fiesta de Navidad. Tal vez te gustaría ayudar a decorar, preparar la mesa de postres, saludar a los invitados o ayudar con el evento de recaudación de fondos. También necesitamos galletas, brownies para la mesa de postres. Habrá una hoja de inscripción en la Tiendita Parroquial o comunícate con Diane Hoy al 407-464-3170.

PARISH EVENTS

Monday, November 12

- 9:00 am English Literacy Ministry (CLAR02,03)
- 6:30 pm CCW Meeting (PC)
- 7:00 pm Movimiento Juan XXIII (CHP)

Tuesday, November 13

- 9:00 am English Literacy Ministry (CLAR02,03)
- 4:30pm Confirmation (FF03)
- 5:00 pm CYE 1st Rec Parent/Child (CHU)
- 6:15 pm Middle School Ministry (FF03)
- 6:15 pm CYE
- 7:00 pm Cenáculo Mariano (CHP)

Wednesday, November 14

- 9:00 am Bible Study (FF04)
- 9:00 am English Literacy Ministry (CLAR02,03)
- 11:00 am Women's Faith Sharing Group (FF05)
- 4:00 pm Middle School Ministry (FF03)
- 4:00 pm CYE
- 5:00 pm CYE 1st Rec Parent/Child (CHU)
- 6:15 pm Confirmation (FF03)
- 6:15 pm CYE
- 6:15 pm Rite of Acceptance (CHP)
- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (CHU)

Thursday, November 15

- 6:30 pm K of C Meeting (FF05)
- 6:30 pm Citizenship Classes (FF02)
- 7:00 pm Little Rock Scripture Study (FF04)
- 7:30 pm Emmaus Ministries/Sp (CHP)

Friday, November 16

- 9:00 am Food Pantry
- 6:00 pm Friday Exposition (CHP)
- 7:00 pm Grupo de Oración (CHP)
- 7:00 pm San Lorenzo Prayer Group (FF02)
- 7:00 pm CCW BUNCO Night (PC)

Saturday, November 17

- 7:00 am TOV Meeting (CLAR01)
- 9:00 am Year of the Eucharist Closing (PC)

Sunday, November 18

- 10:30 am 33 Días (FF05)
- 11:00 am RCIA (FF02,03,04)
- 6:00 pm High School Youth Ministry (FF03)
- 6:00 pm Jóvenes de Paz (CLAR01)

(CHU) = Church (CHP) = Chapel (OF) = Office
 (FF) = Faith Formation (PC) = Parish Center (NUR) = Nursery
 (CR) = Choir Room (CHUPL) = Church Pkng. Lot
 (CLAR) = St. Clare Hall (CLARFR) = St. Clare Fellowship Room
 (CHUF) = Church Front

PARISH INFORMATION • INFORMACIÓN DE LA PARROQUIA



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READINGS AND MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 12

Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24: 1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6;
Lk 17:1-6

8:00am ✠ João & Clotilde Felix

Tuesday, November 13

Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37: 3-4, 18 &
23, 27 & 29; Lk 17:7-10

8:00am In Thanksgiving
for Healing

Wednesday, November 14

Ti 3:1-7; Ps 23: 1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6;
Lk 17:11-19

8:00am ✠ Jose Eugenio Perales

Thursday, November 15

Phlm 7-20; Ps 146: 7, 8-9a, 9bc-
10; Lk 17:20-25

8:00am ✠ Yvette Coulter

Friday, November 16

2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119: 1, 2, 10, 11, 17,
18; Lk 17:26-37

8:00am ✠ Monsignor Don

Saturday, November 17

3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6;
Lk 18:1-8

5:00pm ✠ Cecilia Jane Thomas
7:00pm ✠ Benilda Urrea de Luna

Sunday, November 18

Thirty-Third Sunday in
Ordinary Time

Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16: 5, 8, 9-10, 11;
Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

7:30am ✠ Lawrence Dieringer
9:00am ✠ Benilda Urrea de Luna

10:30am

✠ Rosalina Rodriguez

12:30pm

✠ Marco Antonio Ramirez

SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Baptism is available to persons of all ages. To prepare for baptism, please contact Christine Stillings at cstillings@stfrancisapopka.org or extension 308. Para español, comuníquese con Mercedes Henry, extension 320.

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:45pm - 4:45p (Eng.)
Sábado: 6:00pm - 6:45pm (Sp.)
or by appointment

First Communion and Confirmation

Please contact the Office of Faith Formation for information.

Matrimony

Marriage arrangements should be made through the parish office at least one year prior to the desired date. Catholics must be registered with St. Francis of Assisi Parish and practice their faith. Please do not set a date or make plans until after the initial interview with the priest.

Anointing

First Wednesday of the month following the 8:00am Mass, otherwise, contact the Parish Office.

Becoming Catholic?

To inquire about becoming Catholic or learning about the Catholic faith, please contact the Office of Adult Faith Formation. Extension 308.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm in the Chapel. Exposition is on the First Friday of every month from 8:30am until 7:00pm. *Every Friday from 6:00pm to 7:00pm.*

ST. FRANCIS PRAYER CHAIN

To add a name or intention to the Prayer Chain, call Karen Richards or Kathy Leigh at 407-536-0117 or by email at crabbekay1@gmail.com.

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Provides direct emergency assistance to needy families and individuals in our community (Central Florida). The funds are used to help with mortgage payments, utilities, food and many other necessities. The need is great and the generosity of parishioners allows Catholic Charities to provide hope and build opportunity to more people in need.

CARIDADES CATOLICAS DE LA FLORIDA CENTRAL

Brinda asistencia de emergencia directa a las familias y personas necesitadas en nuestra comunidad (Florida Central). Los fondos se utilizan para ayudar con los pagos de hipotecas, servicios públicos, alimentos y muchas otras necesidades. La necesidad es grande y la generosidad de los feligreses permite a las Caridades Católicas brindar esperanza y crear oportunidades para más personas necesitadas.



News from St. Vincent de Paul Orlando: Now Hiring! The St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Stores of Orlando are hiring! We're looking for talented sales associates, drivers and managers. Applications at: svdporlando.org

Noticias de St. Vincent de Paul Orlando: ¡Ahora contratando! ¡Las tiendas de segunda mano de St. Vincent de Paul de Orlando están contratando! Estamos buscando socios de ventas, conductores y gerentes con talento. Aplicaciones en: svdporlando.org