



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

4450 County Road 579 • Seffner, FL 33584 (physical address)

P.O. Box 1218 • Seffner, FL 33583 (mailing address)

Phone (813) 681-9115 • Fax (813) 689-4148

www.stfranciscc.com • Email: stfseffner@tampabay.rr.com

**Priests of the
Institute of Charity
(Rosminians)**

Pastor

Fr. Edison Bernavas, I.C.

Parochial Vicar

Fr. Bibin Mathew, I.C.

Deacon Dick Beaudry

Mass Schedule

Vigil Mass (Saturday):

4:30 p.m. (English)

6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Sunday Masses:

8:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

4:30 p.m.

Rosary 35 minutes before
each weekend Mass

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Thursday: 6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

First Friday: 6:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday thru Friday

After 8:00 Morning Mass to 4:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30-4:15 p.m.

First Friday: 7:30 a.m.

or Anytime by Appointment with

Priest

MARCH 29, 2020

Fifth Sunday OF LENT

Jesus said,

**"I am the resurrection and the life;
whoever believes in me, even if they die,
will live, and everyone who lives
and believes in me will never die."**

John 11:25-26



Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Photos: © Tijana/Fotolia, © roifflimages/Fotolia, © DavidMSchrader/Fotolia
Excerpts from the *Lectionary for Mass* © 2001, 1998, 1997, 1986, 1970, CCD

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday

4:30 p.m.

March 28†Robert Hutchens
By Soresina Hutchens

6:30 p.m.

Spanish mass-

Sunday**March 29**Parishioners of St. Francis
Intention for Eleanor Normile
by James Rafferty
4:30 p.m. †Myron Magadenze
by Carl Francis Kosierowski**Monday**

8:00 a.m.

March 30Intention for James, Katherine
Rafferty & Family
by James Rafferty**Tuesday**

8:00 a.m.

March 31

†Frank K. Foy

Wednesday

8:00 a.m.

April 1†Richard Mathelier
by Pierre & Mona**Thursday**

8:00 a.m.

April 2†Florence Jim Shirley
by Billie

6:30 p.m.

Spanish Mass-

Friday

8:00 a.m.

April 3†Don Parker
by Mary Parker**Saturday**

4:30 p.m.

April 4†Pam Ellis
By Faith Formation teachers
Spanish mass-**Sunday****April 5**

Palm Sunday
8:30 a.m. †Jane Mason
by Family
10:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. Francis
4:30 p.m. †Theresa Zambotti
by Theresa Myers



IN THE CHARITY OF YOUR PRAYERS, please pray for those who are ill, home-bound, or confined to hospitals and nursing homes, especially for the following:

Pat Allen, Helen Bacovsin, Jerry Bauer, Joan Barrentine, Lois Bean, Bonnie Beaudry, Sharon Belinski, John Bernal, Patsy Bourassa, Monica Brandies, Mariana Birchell, Dick Boelter, Frances Calvani, Jim Calvani, Margaret Canely, Marie Casale, Buddy Chapman, Vincent Cindra, Katrina Crooks, Vaughn Crooks, Carmen Connors, Todd Davis, Jim Decker, Lilah Gill, Howard Hunter, Rhett Keane, Linda Kick, Joan Kirkpatrick, Ethel Kotrady, Blanche Kosierowski, Rush Limbaugh, Mary Little, Chuck Lloyd, Joseph Martin, Dillon McDonald, Norman McKenzie, Jim Miller, Billie Morrow, David Mueller, Darryl Mummert, Gerry Murray, Iris Mussenden, John Nicklus, Diana Niles, Rudy Reers, Diane Openlander, Dympna O'Reily, Antonio Pascual, Mike & Eva Presley, Judy Ragan, Jordan Schadrie, Adalina Scimeca, Ed Shea, Andy Silva, Sue Soleau, Bernadette Suppa, Joe Suppa, Jr., Phyllis Suppa, Mary Edwina Binwa Sylvester, Christy Torres, Heather Trotto, Amorette & Hadley Tweed, John Vicario, David Weddermann, Janice Weddermann, Robby Weddermann, Loraine Wenner, Kurt Wicker, Donna Wiley, Mary Winiarski, Addy Wright, John Yeninas, Richard Young, the Doug Shoup Family, Linda Dixon & Family, the Homebound and their Caregivers.

In repose of the souls of Aroqyam Anthony, Marie Colvin, Mercelita Stroz, Rev. Paul Mizener, Rachel Harlor, Nicholas Fabic & John Waylan.

Please remember to call the parish office if you need to have a name added to our prayer list. Names will remain on the list for four weeks, unless otherwise specified or they are considered a long-term illness. Thank you for your support and cooperation.

LORD,

Look upon me with eyes of mercy, may Your healing hand rest upon me, may Your life-giving powers flow into every cell of my body and into the depths of my soul, cleansing, purifying, restoring me to wholeness and strength for service in Your Kingdom. Amen.

Follow the Holy Father on Twitter!

Pope Francis is on Twitter! The Vatican uses Twitter as a way for the faithful to interact more closely with the Holy Father and is available in several different languages. Follow him at www.twitter.com/pontifex as he shares his wisdom, thoughts, and blessings!



Please remember to pray for our troops, especially:

Anthony Jordan Casale

Casey James Casale

Alejandro Cuesta

Tony Cuesta

Matt Daniels

Spencer Dewey

Jesse Doyle

Remy Herrero

Jeanine Hatfield

Dan Holder

Christopher Jeffers

Patrick Junker

Wesley Kosierowski

Nicholas Kosierowski

Leobardo Martinez

Michael Mulhern

Collin Newman

Keenan Newman

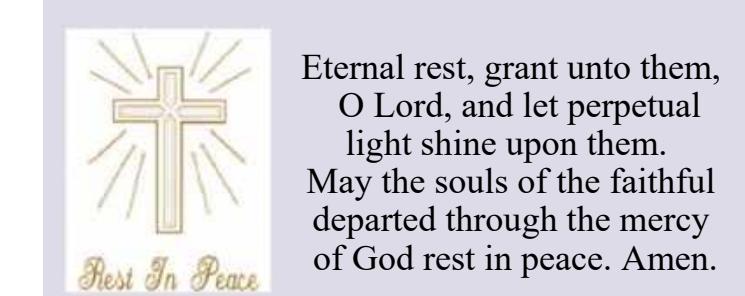
Donovan O'Connor

Magaly Oliu

Paul Michael Presley

Derrick M. Shea

& Logan



Eternal rest, grant unto them,
O Lord, and let perpetual
light shine upon them.

May the souls of the faithful
departed through the mercy
of God rest in peace. Amen.

(To have a name added to this list, please call the parish office.)

From the Pastor...

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In Jesus' time, medicine was so primitive that often, they could not distinguish between a deceased and a comatose person. There were several stories of people being buried alive because of this.

Therefore, the Jews, in order to ensure that this never happened, would check on the body every day for three days, just to make sure it was truly deceased. After the third day, the deceased body would start to decompose and smell, and so they felt it was safe to declare it dead. It is interesting to note that the point was made that Lazarus had been dead for *four* days. He was really dead; he truly bore the odor of death.... He wasn't going to get up and walk around.

Now, Jesus had taken His time getting to Bethany where Lazarus was, even though his sisters had sent for Him, advising Him of Lazarus' illness. This delay seems like it was planned out in Jesus' mind - First, He told the Apostles that, "this illness does not lead to death." He knew that in the end, there would not be death. And He saw a greater purpose for what was to happen.

Jesus knew there would be a happy ending to the Lazarus story and that it would also be the pinnacle of proof as to who He really was - the awaited Messiah.

When Jesus arrived in Bethany, Mary and Martha showed their disappointment in Him when they said - "if You had been here, my brother would not have died." They knew and believed that Jesus was a healer and that He could have healed Lazarus.

This allowed Jesus to preach the most revolutionary teaching that he proposed so far - Eternal Life through Him. When Jesus told Martha that Lazarus would rise again, she thought He was talking about more recent Hebrew teachings of a final day of resurrection for all living things, found in the Book of Daniel.

But Jesus said, no, that isn't what He means. "I am the Resurrection and the Life. whoever believes in Me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in Me will never die."

As a result of this, Jesus shocked everyone present by calling Lazarus from the tomb, and his resurrection brought about the conversion of the people who witnessed it, some of whom were presumably those who had wanted to stone Him earlier for claiming to be the Messiah.

Beginning next week, we begin to look at the darkness of the Passion and the Suffering.... the intense pain, and the fear of death. How wonderful for the Church to sandwich all this suffering between the Resurrection narratives so that we always keep focused on the Spring that comes out of Winter.

Let us reflect this week on our own deaths, our own transgressions, our own fears, but be able to see them surrounded and sandwiched by the light of the Good News of Resurrection that Christ provides for us. By really looking at ourselves and the ways we need to improve ourselves and reach out to others, we can approach this Resurrection day, not with fear and trembling, but with the hope that all those who witnessed the rising of Lazarus had on that day.

Let us continue our Lenten journey with Lord.

~Fr. Edison Bernavas I.C.



Welcome to St. Francis of Assisi!

We extend a special welcome to all our visitors and new parishioners who have come to celebrate Mass with us today! If you are new to our community, please introduce yourself to our clergy. If you live in this area and attend regularly, we invite you to join our parish of St. Francis of Assisi. Registration is necessary for better care of souls, more effective administration of sick calls, and matters pertaining to baptism, education, marriage and burial. Registration is very easy, and the cream "Parish Registration" cards can be found in the pamphlet holder above the table in the lobby. After completing, please place it in the Parish Drop Box, located in the door by the water fountain in the lobby.



Today's Readings

First Reading — Thus says the Lord GOD: I will open your graves, have you rise from them, and settle you on your land. Then you shall know I am the LORD, O my people! (Ezekiel 37:12-14).

Psalm — With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption (Psalm 130).

Second Reading — If Christ is in you, the spirit is alive even if the body is dead because of sin (Romans 8:8-11).

Gospel — Lazarus, dead for four days, came out of his tomb when Jesus called his name (John 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]).

Safety Precautions in our Churches

Recognizing that certain communities may have more risk factor or vulnerable populations, at this time, we want to enact certain measures within our church, such as:

- Temporarily suspending the distribution of the Precious Blood, knowing that one receives the fullness of the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus Christ in the Concentrated Host.
- Temporarily suspending a physical sign of peace, such as a handshake or a hug and instead to bow one's head or wave to offer peace to those around them.
- Suspending the holding of hands while we do the *Lord's Prayer*.
- Lastly, receiving the Body of Christ in one's hands instead of receiving it in the mouth.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding!

Celebrate Holy week and Easter with EWTN

Learn more about your Faith during the holiest time of the year with EWTN's first-rate movies, documentaries, musicals, children's programs, and much more. Join in the celebration of Mass from Rome and Washington, D.C. Get program details at www.ewtn.com. Also, during Lent, be sure to visit the special Lent website, www.ewtn.com/lent

PRAYER

The more you devote yourself in prayer the more you will do well in your work.

~St. John Baptist de la Salle

**No Masses Scheduled
Until Further Notice**

Eucharistic Adoration will continue during regular Parish hours but you must enter the Sanctuary NOT the Chapel. We want to keep everything in open areas.

Parish Office Hours

The office will remain open during the regular hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and will continue to serve coffee and lunch for those in need.

Dinner for the Needy

Dinner for the Needy will continue, unless told otherwise, every Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. in the Dinner Hall. The dinner will be served and distributed in to-go boxes.

Confessions

Call the Parish office at (813) 681-9115 to schedule a Confession with Fr. Edison or Fr. Bibin.

Easter Lilies Order Form

We will continue to sell Easter lilies to decorate the Altar during Easter and then your homes once you pick them up from Church. If you would like to purchase a plant for your loved ones, please print out page 7 of the bulletin and turn it in to the Parish office with the payment attached.



Eucharistic Adoration in Sanctuary

Monday - Friday.....8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Legion of Mary

Tuesdays after 8:00 a.m. Mass.

Novena to Our Lady, Queen of Peace

Tuesdays after 8:00 a.m. Mass.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday.....3:30 - 4:15 p.m.

First Friday:.....7:30 a.m.
or anytime by appointment with priest.

Anointing of the Sick

For all those threatened by serious illness: available anytime.

Baptisms

Contact parish office to receive required instruction.

Marriage

Contact office at least six months before desired date and before setting date.

Business Office Hours

Monday - Friday8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

This Week at St. Francis

March 29—April 4, 2020

Wednesday April 1	Dinner for the needy	4:30 p.m.
----------------------	----------------------	-----------

Please Join our FORMED Online Community

As a member of the FORMED community, you will have access to movies, inspiring audio talks, informative bible studies, and much more. St. Francis of Assisi parish is providing this resource free of charge to help our members learn and grow in their faith. So please join us. To sign up for FREE, visit us here: <https://stfranciscc.formed.org> and use Parish Code: Y499KR.



Hurting from Abortion?

Project Rachel offers Post Abortion Healing for women and men impacted by abortion by helping them to move toward reconciliation with their self, their unborn child, family, faith, and God in a confidential, nonjudgmental, caring, and hopeful setting.



Post Abortion Healing Schedules for 2020:

April 11 A Son's Journey 10-hour Retreat for Men.

August 15 Raphael's Way 10-hour Day Retreat

For more information call Project Rachel at (813) 924-4173 or visit www.rachelsvineyard.org

How to view or listen to the Mass

There are many online resources and Catholic Channels that can help us participate in Mass virtually. Visit: <https://www.dosp.org/chancellor/directory/radio-and-tv-broadcast-masses/> to view the different options.

Ways to Worship God and Practice our Faith while Masses are suspended

- ◆ Spend time with the Scriptures both as individuals and as a family. Catholics can find the Sunday and Daily Mass Readings online at USCCB.org in both written and audio form.
- ◆ Use your normal worship time to practice a more contemplative way of praying through Lectio Divina which is simply meditating on or contemplating the texts of Holy Scripture, allowing them to lead you to a deeper prayerful communion. Visit www.dosp.org for suggestions.
- ◆ Parish groups can make use of social media to gather virtually for prayer, the rosary or the Liturgy of the Hours.
- ◆ Individuals and groups can worship God by performing the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy and other acts of charity.
- ◆ Rather than hoarding essential items, families and neighborhoods can organize ways of looking out for others and sharing what is needed.



Prayer Against Coronavirus

Lord Jesus Christ, our Divine Physician, we ask you to guard and protect us from Coronavirus COVID-19 and all serious illnesses. For all that have died from it, have mercy; for those that are ill now, bring healing. For those searching for a remedy, enlighten them; for medical caregivers helping the sick, strengthen and shield them. For those working to contain the spread, grant them success; for those afraid, grant them peace. May your precious blood be our defense and salvation. By your grace, may you turn the evil of disease into moments of consolation and hope. May we always fear the contagion of sin more than any illness.

We abandon ourselves to your infinite mercy.

Amen.

Parish Assistance Program

Your Life, your Faith, your Well-Being

Confidential counseling and support, 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

You can call when you are struggling with:

- ◆ Anxiety and depression
- ◆ Stress
- ◆ Relationship issues
- ◆ Family Issues
- ◆ Grief & Loss
- ◆ Addictive behaviors



Confidential help is just a phone call away: **(800) 878-5470** or email at: BayCareCAP@BayCare.org

“Thank You Jesus Day” Through the hands of our Blessed Mother

In Gratitude of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary we will pray 2,000 “Hail Mary’s”.

Join us Saturday, April 4, 2020 from 8am to 4pm at Mary Help of Christians Center, 6400 E. Chelsea Street, Tampa, FL 33610. It is a day of Thanksgiving with a mass, prayers, songs, petitions, flower offerings, candle lightings, food and fellowship. (If you would like, bring a dish and/or flowers).

If you would like to lead two or more decades of the rosary, please call or text Ruby Maramba at (732) 429-9443.



Date Change!

Walk/Run For Life 2020 - Tampa Bay

Saturday - MAY 30th, 2020 at 7740 W. Courtney Campbell Causeway. Registration: 8 - 9 am and Walk/Run Begins: 9 a.m. Benefitting Foundations of Life Pregnancy

Center: Hernando, Hillsborough, Pasco & Pinellas. Knights Women's Center, Project Rachel & Perinatal Comfort Care.

You can also register today by calling Ben T. Beach at (813) 631-4393, by email at foundationsoflife@ccdosp.org or register Online at: FoundationsofLife.org

Courageously Live the Gospel by helping provide medical care for those in need

The Catholic Charities Free Medical Clinic's primary fundraiser- "Birdies for Charities"- run with the Valspar (Golf) Championship must change since the tournament's cancellation. BUT, our brothers and sisters in Christ who have **NO health insurance** and receive medical care through Catholic Charities Free Medical Clinics **STILL NEED YOUR HELP!**

Make your gift part of your Lenten Almsgiving! You can donate by:

1. Text BIRDIES to **91999** (or go to the online form: igfn.us/form/ofqcEA)
Ignore the Per Birdie Pledge or the Number of Birdies AND simply make a one-time or sustaining donation.
2. Call Lou at 727-893-1314 ext 104
3. Email Lou at lricardo@ccdosp.org



Parish Ministries

Altar Servers
Judy Erlendsson 244-2853
Church Musician
Ramon Martos 334-3454
Clothing Pantry
Contact the Parish Office 681-9115
Faith Formation
Judy Erlendsson 244-2853
Food Pantry
Parish Office 681-9115
Eucharistic Ministers
Pam Caskey 651-1165
Helping Hands
Dottie Mabe 681-2421
Hispanic Religious Education
Carolina Gonzales 451-0637
Flor Vazquez 763-7219
Hispanic Baptism Classes
Maria Elena Parilla 716-7325
Hispanic Homebound/Visitation a Hogares de Ancianos
Hispanic Ministry Coordinator
Juanita Vega 731-0893
Homebound/Nursing Home Visitation
Janet Ganske 943-9928
Knights of Columbus
Dave Jersey 986-7686
Lectors
Bob Winiarski 333-1976
Legion of Mary
Sharon Belinski 951-0146
Respect Life
Carl Francis Kosierowski 546-9440
Rosary Leader
Deirdre Bristol 689-3121
RCIA / Hispanic RCIA
Fr. Edison Bernavas 681-9115
Maria y Jose Lopez 453-7215
Sacristans
Maria Ocampo 653-3011
Scouts
Kathy & Ted Domey 685-8242
Tender Care
Parish Office 681-9115
Ushers
Ron Mullen 661-5983
Women of Faith
Dottie Mabe 681-2421
Youth Ministry
Debbie Voor 245-3294

**ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK IS:****ADVANCED VETERINARY
SERVICES, P.A.****Excellence in Veterinary Care
for Nearly 25 Years!****1107 W. MLK Jr. Blvd., Seffner 33584
813-653-9779**Please patronize the businesses that make
our bulletin possible. **Thank You!****Stewardship Reflections**

"Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believe you will see the glory of God?' (John 11:40)

Many of us say that we believe in God. We go to church on Sunday. We volunteer for events at our parish. But when life gets hard and the pressure is on, when things aren't going our way, do we really believe and put our trust in the Lord? When we live a life of gratitude, being thankful for the gifts we have been given, we really do see that God is providing all that we need. It opens our hearts to see God's active presence in our daily lives.

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Out of the depths I cry to you, O
LORD;
LORD, hear my voice!
~Psalm 130:1

**Stewardship of Sacrificial Giving****Sunday, March 15, 2020**

Offertory Collection	\$5,618.67
Children's & Youth Collection	\$40.00
On Line Giving/Offertory	\$1,658.00
Total Offertory for this week.....	\$7,316.67

~ Give Generously From Your Heart ~**MASS ATTENDANCE**

4:30 p.m. 130	6:30 p.m. 207
8:30 a.m. 143	10:30 a.m. 155
	4:30 p.m. 105

Total Attendance: 740

~ For the Week of March 15, 2020 ~**POOR BOX DONATIONS****\$273.61****DINNER MINISTRY BOX DONATIONS****\$54.76**

Thanks to all who so generously support our Poor Box & Dinner Ministry Collections. Because of your support, we are able to help those in need. *Thank you and God bless!!*

Prayer

Father, help us keep in mind that Christ our Savior lives with you in glory and promised to remain with us until the end of time. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



A Unique Memorial at Easter

Remember a loved one at Easter with a gift of Lilies to beautify altar and sanctuary area. All those memorialized and honored will be listed in our Easter bulletin insert on April 12th. Unless Anonymity is requested.

Suggested donation is \$10.00 per Lily Plant. Please insert the name (s) in the appropriate section, "In Memory of" or "In Honor of" on this form. Make your checks payable to St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, attach it to this form with payment, and place it in our offertory basket or in the drop slot in the door in the lobby. Please do so as soon as possible and NO LATER than April 7th (Tuesday of Holy Week).

Memorials (for the deceased)

No. of
Lilies

Please print name as it is to appear in the Easter bulletin insert on April 12th

In Memory of _____

In Memory of _____

In Memory of _____

Honorees (for the living)

No. of
Lilies

Please print name as it is to appear in the Easter bulletin insert on April 12th

In Honor of _____

In Honor of _____

Total number of Lilies _____ @ \$10.00 each = _____

Donor: _____

Phone #: () _____

All flowers will be available for removal and replanting after Divine Mercy Sunday, April 19th



Un Memorial en Pascua

Recuerde a su ser querido en Pascua con un regalo de Lilies para embellecer el altar y el área del santuario. Todos los nombres se incluirán en nuestro boletín de Pascua el 12 de abril. A menos que usted pida no mencionar su nombre.

La donación sugerida es de \$10 por maseta. Escriba los nombres en la sección correspondiente, "En memoria de" o "En honor de" en este formulario. Haga sus cheques a nombre de la Iglesia Católica de San Francisco de Asís, adjúntelo a este formulario con el pago y colóquelo en nuestra cesta del ofertorio o en la ranura de entrega en la puerta del vestíbulo. Hágalo lo antes posible y **NO MÁS TARDE que el 7 de Abril (Martes Santo)**.

Memoriales (fallecidos)

Num. de
Lilies

Favor de escribir los Nombres como deben aparecen en el boletín el 12 de Abril

En Memoria de _____

En Memoria de _____

En Memoria de _____

Personas Vivas

Num. de
Lilies

Favor de escribir los Nombres como deben aparecen en el boletín el 12 de Abril

En Honor a _____

En Honor a _____

Numero Total de Lilies _____ @ \$10.00 cada una = _____

Donante: _____ Tel #: () _____

Todas las flores estarán disponibles para replantación después del
Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, 19 de Abril.

Desde el Escritorio del Párroco

Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo!

En la época de Jesús, la medicina era tan primitiva que a menudo no podían distinguir entre una persona fallecida y una persona en coma. Hubo varias historias de personas que fueron enterradas vivas debido a esto. Por lo tanto, los judíos, para asegurarse de que esto nunca ocurriría, revisarían el cuerpo todos los días durante tres días, solo para asegurarse de que realmente hubiera fallecido. Después del tercer día, el cuerpo fallecido comenzaría a descomponerse y oler, por lo que sintieron que era seguro declararlo muerto. Es interesante notar que se señaló que Lázaro había estado muerto durante cuatro días. Estaba realmente muerto, realmente olía a muerte... No iba a levantarse y caminar.

Ahora, Jesús se había tomado su tiempo para llegar a Betania, donde estaba Lázaro, a pesar de que sus hermanas habían enviado a buscárselo, advirtiéndole de la enfermedad de Lázaro. Parece que este retraso fue planeado en la mente de Jesús. Primero, les dijo a los Apóstoles que "esta enfermedad no conduce a la muerte". Sabía que al final, no habría muerte. Y vio un mayor propósito para lo que iba a suceder. Jesús sabía que la historia de Lázaro tendría un final feliz y que también sería el pináculo de la prueba de quién era realmente: el Mesías esperado.

Cuando Jesús llegó a Betania, María y Marta mostraron su desilusión cuando le dijeron: "Si hubieras estado aquí, mi hermano no habría muerto". Sabían y creían que Jesús era un sanador y que podría haber sanado a Lázaro.

Esto le permitió a Jesús predicar la enseñanza más revolucionaria que había propuesto hasta ahora: la vida eterna a través de él. Cuando Jesús le dijo a Martha que Lázaro resucitaría, pensó que estaba hablando de las enseñanzas hebreas más recientes de un último día de resurrección para todos los seres vivos, que se encuentran en el Libro de Daniel. Pero Jesús dijo, no, eso no es lo que quiere decir. "Yo soy la resurrección y la vida. Quien crea en mí, aunque muera, vivirá, y todos los que viven y creen en mí nunca morirán".

Como resultado de esto, Jesús sorprendió a todos los presentes al llamar a Lázaro desde la tumba, y su resurrección provocó la conversión de las personas que lo presenciaron, algunos de los cuales presumiblemente fueron los que habían querido apedrearlo antes por afirmar ser el Mesías. .

A partir de la próxima semana, comenzamos a mirar la oscuridad de la Pasión y el Sufrimiento... El intenso dolor y el miedo a la muerte. Qué maravilloso para la Iglesia emparejar todo este sufrimiento entre las narraciones de la Resurrección para que siempre nos mantengamos enfocados en la primavera que sale del invierno.

Reflexionemos esta semana sobre nuestra propia muerte, nuestras transgresiones, nuestros miedos, pero podemos verlos rodeados y atrapados por la luz de las Buena Nuevas de Resurrección que Cristo nos proporciona. Al mirarnos a nosotros mismos y a las formas en que necesitamos mejorar y llegar a los demás, podemos acercarnos a este día de resurrección, no con miedo y temblor, sino con la esperanza que todos los que presenciaron el surgimiento de Lázaro tuvieron ese día.

Continuemos nuestro viaje cuaresmal con el Señor.

P. Edison Bernavas I.C



Bienvenidos a San Francisco de Asís!



Damos una especial bienvenida a todos los visitantes y nuevos feligreses que han venido hoy a celebrar la Misa con nosotros. Si usted es nuevo en nuestra comunidad, Bienvenido! Si vive en esta área y participa de la Misa regularmente, le invitamos a unirse a nuestra parroquia. Registrarse es importante para asuntos de bautizo, primera comunión, confirmación, unión de los enfermos y funerales.

La inscripción es muy fácil. Los formularios se encuentran a la entrada de la parroquia. Son unas tarjetas de color crema con el título "**Registro Parroquial**". Después de completarla, colóquela en el buzón ubicado en la puerta al lado de la fuente de agua.

Lecturas de Hoy

Primera lectura — Abriré sus tumbas; pondré mi espíritu en ustedes para que tengan vida
(Ezequiel 37:12-14).

Salmo — Con el Señor hay misericordia y redención completa (Salmo 130 [129]).

Segunda lectura — El Espíritu de vida mora en nosotros (Romanos 8:8-11).

Evangelio — Yo soy la Resurrección y la Vida (Juan 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]).

No hay misas programadas

Hasta nuevo aviso

La adoración a la eucarística continuará durante las horas regulares de la parroquia de 8:30 a.m. a 4:00 p.m.

Horario de oficina parroquial

La oficina permanecerá abierta durante el horario normal de 8:30 a.m. a 4:00 p.m. y continuará sirviendo café y almuerzo para los necesitados.

Cena para los necesitados

La cena para los necesitados continuará, a menos que se indique lo contrario, todos los miércoles a las 4:30 p.m. en el comedor. La cena se servirá y se distribuirá en cajas para llevar.

Confesiones

Llame a la oficina de la parroquia al (813) 681-9115 para programar una confesión con el Padre Edison o el P. Bibin.

Formulario de pedido de lirios de pascua

Continuaremos vendiendo Lilies de Pascua para decorar el Altar durante la Pascua y luego sus hogares una vez que los recoja de la Iglesia. Si desea comprar una planta para sus seres queridos, imprima la página 8 del boletín y entréguela en la oficina de la parroquia con el pago adjunto.



Oración

Mientras más devoto eres de la oración, tu trabajo será mejor.

~San Juan Bautista de la Salle



Oración—Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Señor Jesucristo, nuestro médico divino, te pedimos que nos guarde y protejas del coronavirus COVID-19 y de todas las enfermedades graves. Por todos los que murieron, ten piedad; para aquellos que están enfermos ahora, triales curación. Para aquellos que buscan un remedio, ilumínalos; para los médicos y a los que ayudan a los enfermos, fortalécelos y protégelos. Para aquellos que trabajan para contener la propagación, concédanles éxito; para los que tienen miedo, concédeles paz. Que tu preciosa sangre sea nuestra defensa y salvación. Por tu gracia, que puedas convertir el mal de la enfermedad en momentos de consuelo y esperanza. Que siempre tengamos miedo al contagio del pecado más que a cualquier enfermedad. Nos abandonamos a tu infinita misericordia.

Amén.

Por favor únase a nuestra comunidad en línea

“FORMED”

Como miembro, tendrá acceso a entretenidas películas, inspiradoras charlas en audio, estudios bíblicos informativos y mucho más.

Proporcionamos este recurso de forma gratuita para ayudar a nuestros miembros a aprender y crecer en su fe. Así que únase a nosotros. **Para inscribirse GRATIS, simplemente visítenos aquí: <https://stfranciscc.formed.org> y use el código parroquial: Y499KR.**

¿Duele del aborto?

El Proyecto Rachel ofrece la curación posterior al aborto para mujeres y hombres afectados por el aborto, ayudándoles a avanzar hacia la reconciliación con ellos mismos, su hijo nonato, la familia, la fe y Dios en un entorno confidencial, sin prejuicios, atento y esperanzador.



Cronogramas de curación posterior al aborto para 2020:

11 de Abril Retiro de 10 horas de A Son's Journey para hombres. Para más información llame al Proyecto Rachel al (813) 924-4173 o visite www.rachelsvineyard.org

Celebra Semana Santa y Pascua con EWTN

Obtenga más información sobre su fe durante la época más sagrada del año con las películas, documentales, musicales, programas infantiles y mucho más de EWTN. Únase a la celebración de la misa desde Roma y Washington, D.C. Obtenga detalles del programa en www.ewtn.com. Además, durante la Cuaresma, asegúrese de visitar el sitio web especial de la Cuaresma, www.ewtn.com/lent

Cómo ver o escuchar la Misa

Hay muchos recursos en línea y canales católicos que pueden ayudarnos a participar en la misa virtualmente. Visite: <https://www.dosp.org/chancellor/directory/radio-and-tv-broadcast-masses/> para ver las diferentes opciones en Español e Inglés.

Adoración Eucarística:

Lunes - Viernes.....8:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Legión de María:

Martes después de la Misa de 8:00 a.m. (Inglés)

Novena a Nuestra Señora, Reina de la Paz:

Martes después de la Misa de 8:00 a.m. (Inglés)

Sacramento de Reconciliación:

Jueves6.00 p.m.— 6:30 p.m.

Sábado5.30 p.m.

O a cualquier hora haciendo cita con el sacerdote.

Unción de los Enfermos:

Confiere al cristiano una gracia especial para enfrentar las dificultades propias de una enfermedad grave o vejez. Este Sacramento está disponible en cualquier momento.

Bautismo:

Por favor comuníquese con María Elena Parrilla.

Matrimonio

Llame a la oficina de la parroquia por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha deseada.

Horas de Oficina:

Lunes - Viernes8:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

EN LA CARIDAD DE SUS ORACIONES, por favor oren por aquellos que están enfermos en su casa o confinados en hospitales y hogares para ancianos, *especialmente por las siguientes personas:*

Pat Allen, Katheryn Auton, Helen Bacovsin, Jerry Bauer, Bonnie Beaudry, Patsy Bourassa, Monica Brandies, Frances Calvani, Jim Calvani, Jay Cantwell, Marie Casale, Buddy Chapman, Katrina Crooks, Vaughn Crooks, Todd Davis, James Dailey, Jim Decker, Lilah Gill, Scott Gill, Rachel Harlor, Rhett Keane, Ethel Kotrady, Mary Little, Chuck Lloyd, Dale Mattice, Norman McKenzie, Jim Miller, Billie Morrow, David Mueller, Darryl Mummert, Andy Murphy, Ed & Gerry Murray, Diania Niles, Dympna O'Reily, Antonio Pascual Theresa Polak, Ruth Pope, Judy Ragan, Jordan Schadrie, Bruce Scheuerman, Ed Shea, Sue Soleau, Bernadette Suppa, Joe Suppa, Jr., Phyllis Suppa, Mary Edwina Binwa Sylvester, Richard Tompkins, Heather Trotto, John Vicario, David, Janice, David Weddermann, Janice Weddermann, Robby Weddermann, Kurt Wicker, Donna Wiley, Mary Winiarski, John Yeninas, Ron Ziegler, La familia Doug Shoup.

Por favor recuerde llamar a la oficina si necesita añadir el nombre de un familiar a la lista de oraciones. Los nombres se mantendrán en esta lista por cuatro semanas, a menos que usted nos indique que es una enfermedad a largo tiempo. Gracias por su soporte y colaboración.

Oramos por las personas que están luchando con alguna enfermedad. Señor, pasa tu mano sanadora sobre ellas, y líbralas del sufrimiento, concédeles una pronta recuperación, fortaleza y cuidado mientras se sanan. Gracias en el nombre de Jesús, Amén

Por favor recuerden orar por nuestras tropas, especialmente:

**Casey James Casale
Alejandro Cuesta
Tony Cuesta
Matt Daniels
Spencer Dewey
Jesse Doyle
Remy Herrero
Dan Holder
Christopher Jeffers
Patrick Junker**

**Wesley Kosierowski
Nicholas Kosierowski
Leobardo Martinez
Michael Mulhern
Collin Newman
Keenan Newman
Donovan O'Connor
Magaly Oliu
Paul Michael Presley
Derrick M. Shea
& Logan**

(Recuerde que para añadir el nombre de una persona a esta lista deberá llamar a la oficina.)

Formas de adorar a Dios y practicar nuestra fe mientras se suspenden misas

- ◆ Pase tiempo con las Escrituras como individuos y como familia. Los católicos pueden encontrar las lecturas de misas dominicales y diarias en línea en USCCB.org, tanto en forma escrita como en audio.
- ◆ Use su tiempo normal de adoración para practicar una forma más contemplativa de orar a través de la Lectio Divina, que es simplemente meditar o contemplar los textos de la Sagrada Escritura, lo que les permite llevarlos a una comunión de oración más profunda. Los grupos parroquiales pueden hacer uso de las redes sociales para reunirse virtualmente para rezar, el rosario o la Liturgia de las Horas.
- ◆ Visite www.dosp.org para sugerencias.

Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma

Desde el abismo de mis pecados clamo a ti;

Señor, escucha mi clamor.
— Salmo 130 (129):1



Donaciones y Ofrendas

Domingo, 15 de Marzo, 2020

Colecta total de las Misas.....	\$5,618.67
Colecta de niños.....	\$40.00
Ofrendas en línea	\$1,658.00
Ofrenda total en esta semana.....	\$7,316.67

~ Generosamente Desde su Corazón ~

ASISTENCIA A LA MISA

4:30 p.m. 130	6:30 p.m. 207
8:30 a.m. 143	10:30 a.m. 155
4:30 p.m. 105	

Asistencia Total : 740

~ Para la Semana del 15 de Marzo del 2020 ~

CAJA DE DONACIONES

PARA LOS NECESITADOS

\$273.61

**CAJA DE DONACIONES PARA EL
MINISTERIO DE COMIDAS**

\$54.76

Gracias a todos aquellos que generosamente apoyan nuestras cajas de donaciones para los necesitados y para los ministerios de comidas, con su apoyo nosotros podemos ayudar a los que tienen menos que nosotros.
¡Gracias y que Dios los bendiga!