

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF AUSTIN

St. Francis of Assisi  
Catholic Church

1371 W FM 1644 FRANKLIN, TX 77856

TEL: 979-828-1269

**FR. CELSO A. YU, MF**

Pastor

979-224-2373 / [justinbremond@yahoo.com](mailto:justinbremond@yahoo.com)

**FR. RICHARD DEE DU, MF**

Associate Pastor

979-436-3042 / [richarddeedu@gmail.com](mailto:richarddeedu@gmail.com)

**DEACON LUIS DORIOCOURT**

979-589-2806 / [ldorioc@txcyber.com](mailto:ldorioc@txcyber.com)

**SANDRA MACIAS**

Secretary

Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 9:00 a.m.-5:00p.m.

[st.francis316@valornet.com](mailto:st.francis316@valornet.com)

[www.stfrancisofassisi-parish.org](http://www.stfrancisofassisi-parish.org)

[www.facebook.com/franklincatholic](http://www.facebook.com/franklincatholic)



THE SANCTUARY LIGHT

IS OFFERED

IN  
MEMORY OF

+GENE

FAJKUS

**LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS**

**Saturday, July 19**

5:00 PM For the Fajkus Family

**Sunday, July 20 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:30 AM Missa Pro Populo

-----  
Tuesday, July 22 at 9:30 AM +Tillie Hedrick

Tuesday, July 22 at 10:00 AM-6:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, July 23 at 9:30 AM For all souls in Purgatory

Thursday, July 24 at 9:30 AM For all souls in Purgatory

Friday, July 25 at 9:30 AM +Tillie Hedrick

Saturday, July 26 at 5:00 PM +Raymond Schesser

Sunday, June 27 at 9:30 AM Missa Pro Populo



**MINISTERS FOR JULY 26 AND JULY 27**

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Saturday: 5:00 PM Bread: Kathy Russell  
Cup: Bill and Janet Walsh  
Sunday: 9:30 AM Cup: Steve Conrad & Marie Gumienny

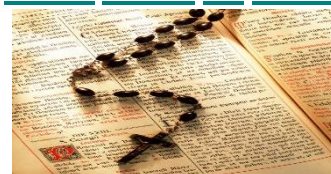
**Altar Servers:**

Saturday: 5:00 PM Quinn Nguyen, Becton Blair  
Sunday: 9:30 AM Makayla Triolo and Julia Tran

**Commentators/Lectors:**

Saturday: 5:00 PM Kathy Russell  
Sunday: 9:30 AM SFCYM

**YOUR GIFTS TO GOD:**



**Church:** \$1,938.27

**Building Fund:** \$20.00

**Children's Donations:** \$4.75

*"For it is in giving that we  
receive" -St. Francis of Assisi*



## UPCOMING EVENTS:

### St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church Devotions:

-Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays from 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM

*All are welcome to spend time with Jesus, present in the Blessed Sacrament.*

*“The spiritual lives of our families are strengthened through our Holy Hour.” - (St. John Paul II)*

**Confessions: 30 minutes prior to each Mass. The Rosary is prayed before each Mass.**

-First Friday and First Saturday Devotions services at 9:00 AM

### St. Francis of Assisi Gift Station:

-If you are looking for a religious article to give as a gift for a baptism, birthday, first communion, confirmation, or other special event, please visit Sandra to see our selection. **OPEN DURING OFFICE HOURS.**

### St. Francis of Assisi Library:

- The library is located in the cry room and is **OPEN ON SUNDAY AFTER MASS** or contact Joan Guild at 281-381-9952

### Ladies of St. Francis:

-The SONSHINE Committee of St. Francis ministers to the needs of our parishioners when they encounter some of life's challenges such as serious illness or loss of a loved one. If you know of a parishioner going through a difficult time who could be helped by a phone call, visit or a meal, please contact the church secretary, Sandra Macias at 828- 1269 or the Sonshine Committee coordinator, Jayne Longley at 828-9095.

-Ladies of St. Francis will meet on Wednesday, August 6, at 10:00 a.m. All ladies of the parish are invited.

-The Brazos Valley Council of Catholic Women will meet at St. Francis of Assisi on Tuesday, August 12. Presidents meeting at 9 a.m. and general meeting at 10 a.m. Bill Walsh will be our speaker. A lasagna meal will be served.

### Church Family Prayers:

-Please Do Not cease to pray for Danny Manthei and his family as he continues his fight against cancer, let's all unite our prayers to his continuous prayers, and to those of his parents Teddy and Donna Manthei and loved ones. If you would like to help in any other possible way please contact Linda Braswell at 979-828-3588 or 979-777-8277. *Almighty and Eternal God, You are the everlasting health of those who believe in You. Hear us for Your sick servant Danny for whom we implore the aid of Your tender mercy, that being restored to bodily health, he may give thanks to You in Your Church. Through Christ our Lord.*

### Confirmation Classes:

-The classes for the Sacrament of Confirmation at St. Francis of Assisi will be held on the following dates: July 26, August 9 and 23, and September 6 at 10:00 am – 2:00 pm at the parish hall. For more information contact Sandra Macias at the parish office or Mary McNair at 828-4693.

### VBS:

-“Willie's Redneck Rodeo” VBS begins this Tuesday July 22 - Friday 25 from 8 a.m. – 1 p.m. children who have completed Kindergarten – completed 5th grade may attend. We will be decorating the parish hall on Sunday, July 20 after the 9:30 a.m. Holy Mass. You are welcome and encouraged to come and help. The whole parish community is invited to attend the VBS closing celebration, we will have a bonfire and pot-luck, bring your lawn chairs and join us for a good meal and a good time. For any questions please contact Mischelle DeZavala at 412-606-8247

### KC 3rd Degree:

-KC 4th Degree Assy #2041 will meet July 24<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph PAC for Officer Installation and Dinner, please RSVP to Don Barnett, FN [dbarnett@brazoscad.org](mailto:dbarnett@brazoscad.org) if you plan to attend.

### St. Mary – Mexia:

On Sunday, July 27, the Parishioners of St. Mary in Mexia will be selling raffle tickets for a Polaris Ranger and Trailer for their Fall Festival. Tickets are \$20 each or \$100 for 6. Thank you and God bless for all your support.

### Catholic Social Teaching Corner:

The Gospel this Sunday reminds us that sin and virtue co-exist in our world. How do we sow seeds of virtue and nurture them in ourselves and others? We do it through our actions: love and forgiveness rather than anger and retribution; peace rather than violence; sharing rather than hoarding. One great need is to help those coming out of jails and prisons to re-enter society. How can your parish help our sisters and brothers grow in virtue?

**\*\*St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church annual Fish Fry fundraiser raffle tickets are now on sale!!!\*\*  
You can buy yours after Mass or contact Steve Cox or Linda Robison.**