

# St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

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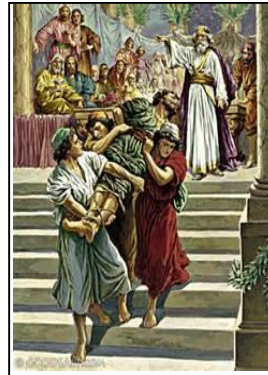
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THE SANCTUARY LIGHT

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OF

+ DELPHIA  
WALLACE

## LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

**Saturday, October 11**

5:00 PM

Missa Pro Populo

**Sunday, October 12** Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 AM

+Carolyn Gassen

Tuesday, October 14 at 9:30 AM

For All Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, October 14 at 10:00 AM –6:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, October 15 at 9:30 AM

For the conversion of sinners

Thursday, October 16 at 9:30 AM

+Gene Fajkus

Friday, October 17 at 9:30 AM

+Danny Manthei

Saturday, October 18 at 5:00 PM

Missa Pro Populo

Sunday, October 19 at 9:30 AM

Terrence Moreno



### MINISTERS FOR OCTOBER 18 AND OCTOBER 19

#### Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Bread: Donna Manthei

Cup: Richard and Linda Steinheil

Sunday: 9:30 AM

Cup: Pat Mackey and Ed Pilger

#### Altar Servers:

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Quinn Nguyen

Sunday: 9:30 AM

Rowdy Watkins, J.R. & Alex M.

#### Commentators/Lectors:

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Benita Ebel

Sunday: 9:30 AM

Pat Mackey

### YOUR GIFTS TO GOD:



**Church:** \$2,599.00

**Special Collection:** \$332.75

**Children's Donations:** \$7.80

**Building Fund:** \$185.00

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



## UPCOMING EVENTS:

**R.E: WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 15 AT 6:00 PM**

**7 PILLARS OF CATHOLIC SPIRITUALITY SESSIONS:** JOIN US AS WE CONTINUE WITH THE SESSIONS EACH WEDNESDAY AT 6:30 PM IN THE CRY ROOM.

### **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.*

**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 Library:**

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

**St. Francis of Assisi Gift Station:** Located in the parish office and is open during office hours. We have items for every religious special occasion as well as items for the home and auto.

### **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.

### **RED-C Catholic Radio Benefit:**

-Welcome Home! Come share the joy of Catholic Radio in the Brazos Valley at the RED-C Catholic Radio 3rd Annual Benefit Dinner! The Benefit will take place on Thursday, October 23rd from 6:30-9 pm at the Parish Activity Center at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church in College Station. The theme is "Welcome Home!" We will enjoy delicious home-style cooking including fried chicken, tasty sides, fruit cobbler, and wine and beer. Don't just come hungry and thirsty, come excited for the Faith as we present our very special guest speaker, Patrick Madrid! Patrick will be sharing his presentation *Search and Rescue: How You Can Help People come Home to the Church*. Visit [www.redcradio.org](http://www.redcradio.org) or call 979-255-2633 for more information and to purchase your ticket or sponsor a table. Looking forward to welcoming YOU! If you have any other questions call Sandra Macias at the parish office 828-1269.

### **Finance and Parish Councils Meeting:**

-The Finance and Parish Councils will meet this Sunday, October 12 at 10:45 AM in the parish hall.

### **Homecoming, St. Mary in Bremond:**

-St. Mary Parish in Bremond will host its annual Homecoming Fall Festival Oct. 19 on the parish grounds. Barbecue, sausage and beef with all the trimmings will be served from 11:30 AM to 3 PM for \$9 per plate. Activities include bingo from 4 to 8 PM, games for all ages, and much more. Beef, sausage and chicken will be for sale at the pit.

### **Marriage Encounter:**

-Married couples who are looking for a getaway and time to reconnect with one another are invited to a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend Nov 14-16 at the Wingate Hotel in Round Rock. The weekend begins Friday at 7:30 PM and ends Sunday around 4 PM. This is an opportunity for husbands and wives to escape the daily distractions of life and focus on each other. For more information or to apply to attend, visit <http://austinme.org>; or contact Steve and Linda Jaramillo at (512) 677-WWME (9963) or [wwmeaustin@gmail.com](mailto:wwmeaustin@gmail.com).

### **Gospel Meditation:**

-This week's Gospel reminds us to focus on our priorities because "many are invited but few are chosen." Sometimes in prayer or at Mass our attention wavers or we can be easily distracted. Has this ever happened to you? If so, try to be more aware of this and redirect your thoughts to prayer or the Mass.