

# St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

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THE SANCTUARY LIGHT  
IS OFFERED IN LOVING  
MEMORY  
OF  
+VIRGINIA PERRY

## LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13

5:00 PM

**MISSA PRO POPULO**

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14

9:30 AM

**FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT  
+ JOE AND TILLIE HEDRICK**

Tuesday, February 16 at 9:30 AM

**For All Souls in Purgatory**

Tuesday, February 16 at 10 AM – 6 PM

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Wednesday, February 17 at 9:30 AM

**For the conversion of sinners**

Thursday, February 18 at 9:30 AM

**For the Saenz Fam. intention:**

Friday, February 19 at 9:30 AM

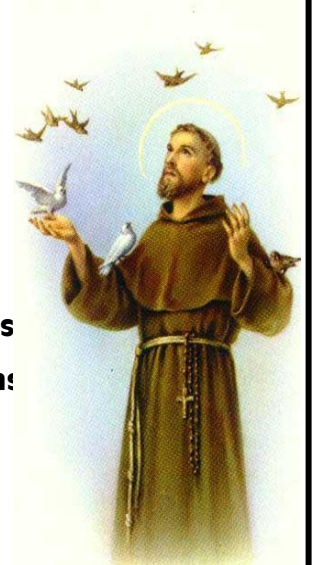
**+ Joseph Kovach**

Saturday, February 20 at 5:00 PM

**Missa Pro Populo**

Sunday, February 21 at 9:30 AM

**+ Joe and Tillie Hedrick**



### MINISTERS FOR FEBRUARY 20 AND 21

#### Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday: 5:00 PM Cup: Ed Pilger and Kathy Russell

Sunday: 9:30 AM Cup: Eddie Trevino and Jeanne Kirk

#### Altar Servers:

Saturday: 5:00 PM Rowdy Watkins

Sunday: 9:30 AM Makayla Triolo, Julia and Bryan Tran

#### Commentators/Lectors:

Saturday: Bill Walsh

Sunday: Benita Ebel

### YOUR GIFTS TO GOD:

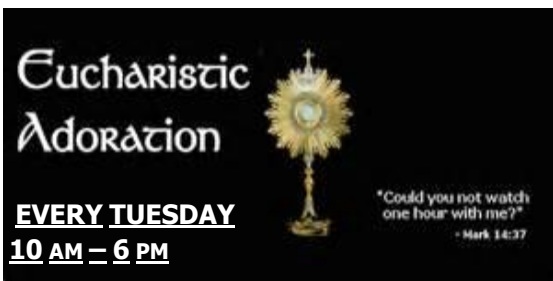


**Church:** \$2706.06

**Building Fund:** \$115.00

**Children:** \$4.06

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



**CONFESSIONS:**  
30 MINUTES BEFORE MASS

THE HOLY ROSARY IS PRAYED BEFORE EACH MASS



**R.E.** – R.E. classes on Wednesday, February 17 at 6:00 PM  
**YOUTH MASS:** Saturday, February 27 at 5:00 PM

**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.

**Adult Discussion Group:**

-The adult discussion group will not meet on Thursday February 25th. We will reconvene on March 3rd. For more info contact Benita Jones Ebel telephone: 979-828-3878

**From Ashes to Easter:**

-The annual diocesan Ashes to Easter Lenten Mission Campaign has begun. Each family is invited to pick up a box and keep it on or near the family dining table or by their bedside table. Put in some coins each day during Lent, and pray for missions worldwide. Contributing coins each day is a corporal work of mercy that will help shelter the homeless and a spiritual work of mercy that will help comfort the sorrowful. The money collected helps local missionaries and missionary projects from our diocese. (most R.E. students have taken their boxes home. We would like to encourage family participation for this campaign.)

**Gospel meditation:**

-The devil tempts Jesus to turn inward: to feed his appetites, to seek power and glory, to test the Father's presence. Jesus resists the illusion of control being offered and remains focused entirely on God his Father. What appetites take my attention away from God? Do I ever seek power and glory rather than serving God and others?



As of January 15 we are at 35% of our goal. Please consider making your donation as soon as possible. You may make your donation in the office by check or cash, or via credit card at [www.stfrancisofassisiparish.org](http://www.stfrancisofassisiparish.org)



**Thank you! Merci! Gracias!**

No matter how we say it, we appreciate all you have done to help make this year's Mardi Gras a success. To the special events committee, to all of you who volunteered, and to everyone that supports this parish in any way, without you and your generosity none of this would be possible. May God continuously bless you. Also, please keep our parish in your prayers.