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Parish Office Hours - Mon.-Thurs. 8:00 AM-4:00 PM Fri. 8:00 AM-12:00 PM Phone 703-221-4044 Fax 703-221-3246 In a Sacramental Emergency - 703-221-5697

Saturday Vigil - 5:30 PM Sunday - 7:30 AM; 9:00 AM; 10:45 AM; 12:15 PM; 5:30 PM @ 10:45 AM-Family Liturgy 1:30 PM - Español Monday - Friday - 8:45 AM

Baptismal preparation is required of all parents who have not attended a class within the last three years prior to the celebration of baptism. Please call the parish office.

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00-5:00 PM and by appointment (English and Spanish)

### **MARRIAGE**

Arrangements are made with the parish office.

### VISITS TO AND ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Inform the office when someone needs a visit from a Communion Minister or one of the Friars.

### PARISH MEMBERSHIP

To register in the parish, please fill out a registration form found in the vestibule, at the parish office, or on the Parish website, and return it to the office.

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A fresh perspective on the Sunday Readings
HIS WORD TODAY
By Rev. William J. Reilly



"In the same way, the Spirit too comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groaning. And the one who searches hearts know what is the intention of the Spirit, because he intercedes for the holy ones according to God's will."

The promised Spirit has come and gives life to the church. Pentecost was not just an event or experience, but the beginning of a movement which continues to this very moment. The visible of wind, fire and noise may have subsided but the event becomes our experience.

The movement which began in the upper room, spread to the streets of Jerusalem, and moves us today. Our church, enlivened and motivated by the same Spirit summons us to go out and transform a world seemingly distant from the gospel and its values. The Spirit, living in us, yearns to touch the lives of others. Because of the Holy Spirit we too have been changed, let the Spirit move you, or as Paul says 'don't stifle the Spirit.' We are accountable.



A Novena of Masses will be offered for all Fathers, living and deceased, and will begin on June 16<sup>th</sup>.

Spiritual Bouquet Cards are available on the tables in the vestibule. Please drop the inside envelope in the Catch-All Slot in the vestibule or in the Parish Office no later than 12 noon on Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>.



Would any family be able to host a visiting Mission Sister of St. Michael the Archangel the weekend of July 20-21, 2019?

Sister will be speaking about their congregations missions. This is the annual Visiting Missioners talk scheduled by the Diocese for parishes in the diocese.

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For a brochure, please contact Friar Henry Fulmer: Tel: 703-221-4044, ext. 227 or: <a href="mailto:friarhenry@stfrncis.org">friarhenry@stfrncis.org</a>

SPACE IS LIMITED—BOOK NOW TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!

This is your last chance to experience the world-famous Passion Play of Oberammergau until 2030!!

Attention all Boy Scouts! You will have the opportunity to earn either the Ad Altare Dei Medal (7<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> grade boys) or the Pope Pius XII Medal (High School boys ages 15-17 years old or Venturers—male or female, before their 21st birthday) by participating with a group forming



this Summer at St. Francis. Meetings will commence at the end of June (exact start date to be given out after groups have been formed) in which boys will meet twice a month through November. Please contact Chanel Marquis at cmarquis@stfrncis.org if you are interested in participating as materials will need to be ordered for you. The cost for participation is \$15 per scout, which covers all materials including the medal. Boy Scouts who complete all program requirements will receive their Religious Emblems at the Scout Sunday Mass (February 9, 2020 at the Family Liturgy Mass). Please see the following website for specific information regarding each of the programs. http://www.nccs-bsa.org/index.php.

Hearing Assistance Earphones are available for those who would like sound amplification. They have been checked and are functioning well. See one of the friars or come to the sacristy before Mass.



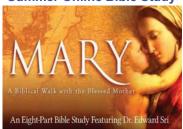
## St. Francis House Corner

Thanks for the donations from all of our parishioners. The items of the month have been very much appreciated by our clients. With your generosity, we will continue to serve those who are in need.

Items of the Month: Cooking Oil and Salt

For more information, please call Francia at 703-221-6344. Thank you for your continuing support!

Summer Online Bible Study



All are invited to spend a little extra time this Summer getting to know Mary in a whole new way. Filmed on location in the Holy Land, "Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother" will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of her earthly life. See what life was like for Mary, and experience what she felt at each dramatic moment in Scripture. This study is presented by Ascension Press and will be offered online only. To register, gain online access to the videos and purchase your own study set for \$24.95, please visit:

https://study.ascensionpress.com/studies/38971/ registrations/new.

> Please contact Brian Bobick at brianbobick@verizon.net with questions.

If you are moving/changing your address, please notify the Parish Office so we can keep our records up-to-date. Change forms are also available on the tables in the vestibule, from the Parish Office, or



from the parish website www.stfrncis.org. If you are changing your phone number because you are using a cellular phone and/or forgoing your land phone, the Parish Office would also like that information. Please call us at 703-221-4044, ext. 222. Thank you.

# Please Pray For All those who are sick:

Betty Cormier; Dan Burrell;

Richard L. Laffman; Sue Long; David Back; Noah Hammond; Laurie Coligan; Aaron Childs; and Patricia Bennick.

Please pray for the following who are serving abroad in harm's way: James O'Sullivan; Thomas S. Hong; Matthew Byron; Tyler Jones; Drew; and Leo N. Company.

## **Boletín Semanal**

Charlas Bautismales—Las próximas charlas bautismales en español serán el viernes, June 14th, 2019. Las charlas bautismales Son a las 7:00 p.m. en el Salón del Hermano Juniper (Br. Juniper Room). Para más información por favor llamar a la Señora Salguero al 703-221-6344.

### Despensa de Comida de La Casa de San Francisco-

Gracias a las donaciones de todos nuestros feligreses el Artículo del mes ha sido bien recibido por nuestros clientes. Con sus donaciones podremos continuar ayudando a los más necesitados.

### Artículo del mes: Aceite de cocina y sal

Muchas gracias por sus donaciones. Para más información Contactar a la Señora Salguero al 703-221-6344.

Una Novena de Misas se ofrecerá a todos los Padres, vivos



y fallecidos, y comenzará el 16 de junio. Las Tarjetas de Buque Espiritual están disponibles en las mesas en el vestíbulo. Por favor, coloque el sobre interior en la ranura de la caja "Catch-all box" en el vestíbulo o en la oficina parroquial a más tardar a las 12 del mediodía del jueves 13 de junio.

### **Votive Candles**

Envelopes are provided for the candle money. Please place them in the boxes located on the wall (next to the candles) in the church.





If you or a family member is in the hospital or homebound, please call the Parish Office if you would like a you visited, visit from one of the friars. The hospitals are not permitted to give out the names of patients, so the only way we will know if you are in the hospital is if you or a family member inform us.

### Keep those used printer cartridges coming!

Faith Formation has been helping to be good stewards of our earth by recycling. With your contribution of used ink cartridges, we can help care for the earth and it is so easy to do.



Please do not drop the cartridges in the Catch-All Slot. (No laser cartridges.)

> You can drop the cartridges off in the basket on the table in the vestibule

or stop by the Faith Formation Office.

Thank you for your continued support!

### **Faith Formation Office**

Phone: 703-221-3127 Fax: 703-221-3246 Office Hours: Monday—Thursday: 8:00 am—2:00 pm

Friday: Closed

### Religious Education for 2019

### Have a Blessed Summer!

Classes will resume again in September.

**RE registration for 2019-20** began on **April 23, 2019** and will continue until the Fall. There will be a late fee after the first week of classes to encourage timely registration. For more information, please contact **Marianne Hayes at recoor@stfrncis.org.** 

St. Francis High School Youth Ministry is called **REAL! REAL** stands for Respect, Engage, Accept, Live! **REAL** is open to all High School teens. It is a place to connect your life and your faith, to share, support and have fun with other teens who are trying to live out God's call in their everyday lives. Please come see what **REAL** is all about!









Sunday, June 9th
Final Exam Week
NO REAL ACTIVITIES
STUDY HARD AND GOOD LUCK!

Sunday, June 16th
Graduation Week
NO REAL ACTIVITIES
CONGRATS to all the Grads!



Sunday, June 23rd 6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. St. Francis Bonfire Circle <u>REAL</u> FUN—Bonfire All Teens Grades 8-12



Questions? Please contact Brandon Jubar at bjubar@stfrncis.org.

### **Baptismal Preparation Class**

Our next class will be held on **Sunday**,

July 14, 2019 from

1:30 p.m.—2:30 p.m. in the

Br. Juniper Room. Please call the Parish

Office to register at 703-221-4044.





There is a book located in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel next to the

Tabernacle for you to write your own prayers of petition. During the <u>Prayer of the Faithful</u> during weekend liturgies, an intercession will call to mind those prayers in a general way. In this manner, the public prayer of the church is bound to the

many prayers of the faithful who live in the body of Christ!

Saint John Paul the Great Catholic High School is excited to announce their 2019 SUMMER CAMPS! Whether you are looking for an enrichment and leadership experience or a sports program for your child, the John Paul Summer Camps are full of opportunities for children in grades 2 through 12.



Have questions? Please contact <a href="mailto:camps@jpthegreat.org">camps@jpthegreat.org</a> or **703-445-0300**.

Camp descriptions and registration information here: <a href="https://www.jpthegreat.org/apps/pages/summeractivities">www.jpthegreat.org/apps/pages/summeractivities</a>
(John Paul has launched a new website since beginning to promote their camps. Therefore, <a href="please take note of the new web address">please take note of the new web address</a> listed above for camp registrations).



Attention Class of 2019: This
Summer, the Associates of St. John
Bosco will be hosting four College
Nights throughout the Arlington
Diocese for graduated high-schoolers
headed to college in the Fall. The
dates and locations are as follows. All

events begin at 7:00 p.m. and go until around 9:00 p.m.:

June 19, 2019: St. Mark's, Vienna.
July 1, 2019: All Saints, Manassas.
July 17, 2019: Basilica of St. Mary, Alexandria.
July 24, 2019: St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception,
Fredericksburg.

The purpose of these **free** events is to **help students keep their faith while transitioning into college**. Catholic college students from George Mason, Mary Washington, UVA, Virginia Tech, William & Mary and others will be in attendance to meet students and share their experiences of being a Catholic college student. It is a wonderful chance to meet fellow peers going to your school before even stepping foot onto campus! Free dinner with registration and the chance to win door prizes! Student registration can be found by visiting this link: <a href="www.asjb.org">www.asjb.org</a>. Registration is limited to 50 students per night.

### **COKE GIVES PROGRAM**

Turn Coke product caps into cash for St. Francis School! Look for Coke Rewards stamps on *Coke*, *Sprite*, *Dasani*, *Fanta*, *Barg's*, *Fresca*, *Mr*. *Pibb*.



Mello Yello, Fuze, Seagram's Ginger Ale, and Tab. Simply bag the caps and bring them to the school. We will take it from there.

For more information, please contact
William Sharp at 571-408-5213 or
youcandance5678@yahoo.com. God bless!

# ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI 7TH ANNUAL FATHER'S DAY 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT



WHEN: SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 2019

WHERE: ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI SCHOOL GYM

18825 FULLER HEIGHTS ROAD

TRIANGLE, VA 22172

TIME: 9 AM - 3 PM

## <u>REGISTRATION GUIDELINES:</u>

MAXIMUM - 4 PLAYERS PER TEAM
AGES 8 AND UP

TEAMS MAY BE CO-ED

ENTRY FEE: \$50 PER TEAM

## **REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2019





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SATURDAY, June 8—Easter Weekday 4:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:30 PM + Cy Kelly

†Fritz Kestermann †Jason Williams

SUNDAY, June 9—Pentecost

7:30 AM †Alice Tippit

†Susan Rusnak †Martha Reus

†Dwayne E. Gonsorcik

Ronald Hall

10:45 AM †Jason Williams

†Louise Bergeria †Douglas Clarke

> †George Beck †Renato Torrijos

1:30 PM People of the Parish 5:30 PM †Nancy Ann Shively

†Ronald J. Zaleski

†Robin Hyde

MONDAY, June 10—Weekday

†Stephenette Rose

†Kevin Ryan Herrmann

TUESDAY, June 11—St. Barnabas, Apostle

†Baby Moore

†Kenny Maddox, Jr.

WEDNESDAY, June 12—Weekday

8:45 AM †Dwayne E. Gonsorcik

†Kathryn Gonsorcik

**†Vernon Lineberry** 

THURSDAY, June 13—St. Anthony of Padua

8:45 AM Leroy Cecil Barton

Donna Ruth Barton

**†**Nancy Cuellar

FRIDAY, June 14—Weekday

8:45 AM Fr. Rodney Kissinger †Mark Schneider

†Michael Creegan

SATURDAY, June 15—Weekday

4:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:30 PM + Cy Kelly

†Bill and †Marion Richmond

†Wilma Jean Strati

### **SPONSOR OF THE WEEK**

We would like to thank

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Mass Intentions on Sunday, June 16, 2019

7:30 AM †Paul Krieger

**†**Harry Ravert

**†**Alice Tippit

†Mark Norman Olds, Sr.

†Dwayne E. Gonsorcik

10:45 AM Father's Day Novena †Fritz Kestermann

†Elaine Walz

†Donald Widener

†Andy Misenko

†Roberto Medina

People of the Parish

†Adolfo and †Maria Perira †Rev. Michael E. Kennelly, S.J.

Joseph Carhart

### Readings for the Week of June 9, 2019

Monday Genesis 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14;

John 19:25-34

Tuesday Acts 11:21b-26; 12:1-3; Matthew 5:13-16 Wednesday 2 Corinthians 3:4-11; Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday 2 Corinthians 3:15—4:1, 3-6;

Matthew 5:20-26

Friday 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 5:27-32 Saturday 2 Corinthians 5:14-21; Matthew 5:33-37

Sunday Proverbs 8:22-31; Romans 5:1-5;

John 16:12-15

### The Lion's Club has 2 donation drop boxes located on



5:30 PM

the window sill in the vestibule. Please consider donating your used eyeglasses to the Lion's Club. Your unwanted glasses will help someone see better. Thank you for always being so generous.

# Father's Day 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament!

Attention all athletes ages 8 and up who can dribble and



shoot a basketball! Come participate in the Seventh Annual Father's Day 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament! It will start at 9:00 a.m. on June 15, 2019 in the St. Francis Parish Center Gym. Teams of up to four may be formed, and each team will play at least three games. Teams may be sponsored for \$50 and all proceeds from this event will be donated to St. Francis of Assisi School. We have donated over \$2,000 to the school since our first tournament in 2013!

For further details, please contact either Dr. Ken Dunn at <a href="mailto:dunnkd@comcast.net">dunnkd@comcast.net</a> / 540-657-9006

or

Dan Sullivan at dan irene@verizon.net / 703-670-6858.

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### Gospel Today Pentecost Sunday | John 20:19-23

Jesus appeared to the disciples in the locked room and said to them, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent Me, so I send you." He was preparing them for their missionary work.

The tongues of fire rested upon each disciple and they were "filled with the Spirit." Given the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit, they were now ready to set out and spread the Good News. This was a new beginning, or birthday for the church.

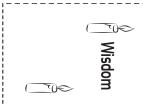




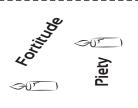


### Birthdays come with gifts!

The 7 Gifts of the Holy Spirit were promised by Christ and are made known to us by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and Confirmation.









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Follow these directions to turn the cross into a gift box.

Color then cut on dotted lines - fold on light, solid lines into gift box, tape edges together, then the remaining edges.







Jesus died on the cross out of love for us. This same love gives us the Gifts of the Spirit to help us on our journey as disciples of Christ.



Color the bow red; **RED** is the color of Pentecost, the vestments of the priest and the color people wear to signify the **LOVE** and **FIRE** of the **SPIRIT**.

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