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Parish Office Hours - Mon.-Thurs. 9:00 AM—3:00 PM Fri. 9:00 AM—12:00 PM Phone 703-221-4044

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#### **EUCHARIST**

Saturday Vigil - 5:30 PM (Live Streamed) Sunday - 9:00 AM (Must Pre-Register); 11:00 AM (Must Pre-Register) 1:30 PM - Español (Must Pre-Register) Monday - Friday - 8:45 AM

#### BAPTISM

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

Wednesday: 7:00—8:00 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



"Thus says the Lord: Observe what is right, do what is just, for my salvation is about to come, my justice is about to be revealed. The foreigners who join themselves to the Lord, ministering to him, loving the name of the Lord and becoming his servants—them I will bring to my holy mountain and make joyful in my house of prayer... for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all people."

Rather than quickly pass over the passage of Isaiah, may we reread it, and see, this is what is happening in our church today.

The growth of the church in the United States has been built on two pillars—the Holy Spirit and immigration.

How many people, like immigrants of old, have come to our parishes, bringing their faith, customs and traditions. They come with faith and wish to live and share their experience with us. Do we welcome them? Do we go out to meet them?

Pope Francis tells us the church grows by attraction, not by proselytizing. As missionary disciples he calls us to evangelize, to welcome all as part of our faith communities. Our Lady of Guadalupe is the mother of Jesus. Saint John Paul II was a Polish pope. Saint Oscar Romero was martyred in our time for the same faith. How blessed we are to be living and learning today.

#### **Did You Know?**

What You Need to Know and Do About Assistance for Housing



Are you having trouble paying your rent, mortgage, or utilities? If your employment has been affected by the COVID-19 crisis, you may be eligible for assistance.

Please visit <u>https://www.pwcgov.org/government/dept/</u> housing/Pages/default.aspx</u> if you live in Prince William County, Manassas Park, or Manassas City to find out about the Emergency Housing Assistance Program.

Please visit <u>https://www.nvfs.org/rent-and-mortgage-</u> relief/ to find out about the Virginia Rent and Mortgage Relief Program available to Virginia residents in any county or city.



The Public Mass Schedule for Sunday, August 23rd is as follows:

9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 1:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Please visit <u>www.stfrncis.eventbrite.com</u> to reserve a seat for one of the Masses.

Please visit <u>http://www.stfrncis.org/wp-content/</u> uploads/2020/06/How-to-Use-Eventbrite-At-a-Glance.pdf for Printable Instructions – Includes English and Spanish.

#### **Reserved Seating Video Instructions**

Go to <u>https://youtu.be/9KZ-Q49uG88</u> to learn how to Select Seats for Mass in Eventbrite.

Go to <u>https://youtu.be/SKpg09NIsqw</u> to learn how to Select Seats Using the Map in Eventbrite.

Go to <u>https://youtu.be/S7973o14sfA</u> to learn how to Return/Cancel a Seat Ticket Order.

# When attending a public Mass, please be advised of the follow:

- Please arrive at least 20 minutes before the start of Mass
- Each person attending Mass must have a ticket (hard copy or on cell phone)
- A face mask is required for anyone 2 years of age or older
- Each person attending Mass will be required to have a temperature check before entering the church
- Sit in assigned seating areas only
- Avoid touching your face
- Stay home if you have any symptoms of a fever, cough, difficulty breathing, or may have been exposed to COVID-19

Please Note: All the faithful of the Diocese of Arlington are dispensed from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation until further notice. We will continue to Live Stream Mass on Saturdays at 5:30 p.m. until further notice.



Do you wish to still display your musical talent while watching Mass by way of Live Stream? The Music Ministry now has weekly Mass Worship Aids available on the Parish website (www.stfrncis.org). Please go to the 'Live Stream' banner located on the homepage of the Parish website and click on the words, 'Mass Worship Aids' for a copy of the printable Mass Worship Aids.

# St. Francis House Corner



St. Francis House an Outreach Program from St. Francis of Assisi Parish 2606 Heth Court, Dumfries, VA 22026 703-221-6344 Francia Salguero and Angelica Silva

We are here to serve those in need! During this great time of need, St. Francis House is remaining open to provide assistance to our brothers and sisters in need. It never ceases to amaze me how our parishioners come together in these times of stress and despair to provide for their fellow brothers and sisters that have been most affected. This week we were able to provide 90 families with food. If you or your families find yourselves in need, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. If you would like to contribute to the food pantry, we are open Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Below you can find items that we can use to keep running our food pantry. Also, you can provide monetary assistance through our electronic giving program. You can find the directions on the Parish website (www.stfrncis.org).

- Canned Tuna
- Canned Fruit
- Oil
- Sugar
- Toilet Paper
- Cereal
- Pasta

Thank you for your continuing support and generosity. For more information, please contact **Francia Salguero at 703-221-6344 or** <u>francias@stfrncis.org</u>.

# **Boletín Semanal**

Despensa de Comida de La Casa de San Francisco Casa St. Francisco Un Programa de Ayuda Social de la Parroquia de St. Francisco de Asís 2606 Heth Court, Dumfries, VA 22026 703-221-6344 Francia Salguero y Angelica Silvaj

#### Estamos aquí para servir a los necesitados!

Durante este gran momento de necesidad, La Casa De San Francisco permanece abierta para brindar asistencia a nuestros hermanos y hermanas necesitados. Nunca deja de sorprenderme cómo nuestros feligreses se unen en estos momentos de estrés y desesperación para ayudar a sus hermanos y hermanas más afectados. Esta semana pudimos proporcionar comida a 90 familias. También si usted y su familia necesitan ayuda nosotros estamos aquí para avudarlos. Si desea contribuir a la despensa de alimentos, estamos abiertos los miércoles y jueves de 9:00 a.m. a 1:00 p.m. A continuación puede encontrar artículos que podemos usar para mantener funcionando nuestra despensa de alimentos. Además, puede proporcionar asistencia monetaria a través de nuestro programa de donaciones electrónicas. Puede encontrar las instrucciones en el sitio web de la parroquia (www.stfrncis.org).

- Tuna enlatada
- Fruta enlatada
- Aceite
- Azúcar
- Papel higiénico
- Cereal
- Pasta

Gracias por su continuo apoyo y generosidad. Para obtener más información, no dude en comunicarse con nosotros al **703-221-6344 o** <u>francias@stfrncis.org</u>.



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

#### Meals for the Shelter

During this time of need, St. Francis of Assisi Church is continuing to support our homeless brothers and sisters by providing meals. From Saturday, April 4th until Saturday, October 31st, our church will be providing breakfast every Saturday. Due to the Coronavirus we have to do things a little different than we used to do. Below you will find a list of items that you can donate to contribute to the meals for the shelter:

- Small bottles of water
- Small bottles or boxes of juice, Gatorade
- Individual bags of chips, crackers, cookies
- McDonalds gift cards

For more information or to support our meal program for the shelters in Prince William County, please visit us at <u>www.stfrncis.org</u> and sign-up in the <u>shelter sign-up Genius</u> or contact the **Director of St. Francis House and Meals** Coordinator, Francia Salguero at <u>francias@stfrncis.org</u> or 703-221-6344.



#### AUGUST 16, 2020

# Faith Formation Office

Phone: 703-221-3127 Fax: 703-221-3246 Office Hours: Monday—Thursday: <u>8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.</u> Friday: <u>Closed</u>

## Religious Education for 2020-2021



Religious Education registration is now open for the 2020-21 school year. Due to Covid-19 we will be having virtual Zoom RE or independent homeschooling ONLY until December when we will reevaluate whether logistically we can return to the classroom. Our <u>Registration will end on</u> <u>September 7th</u> (no exceptions). Please use the following link for online registration and paper forms: http://www.stfrncis.org/welcome-and-introduction/.

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



**REAL** Youth Ministry is happening ONLINE!

### <u>REAL</u> Time Youth Group Online Wednesday, August 19th—8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

All Teens Grades 9-12

#### REAL Leadership

Wednesday, September 2nd—8:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m. LEADERSHIP TEAM ONLY

# REAL Faith COURSE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Wednesday, September 16th—8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. All Teens Grades 9-12

Be sure to sign up for Remind to get texts with meeting information. Simply text @sfacym to 81010.

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



#### COKE GIVES PROGRAM

Turn Coke product caps into cash for St. Francis School! Look for Coke Rewards stamps on *Coke, Sprite, Dasani, Fanta, Barq'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!

# **BROTHER JUNIPER**



The next generation of Box Tops is here!



Please download the Box Top

<u>App</u>. Instead of clipping from packages and checking expiration dates, the Box Top App now allows you to scan your

store receipt, find participating products, and instantly add Box Tops to **St. Francis of Assisi School** earnings online.

Still have some traditional Box Tops in your home right now? Simply bag the Box Tops and place them in the Catch-All Slot in the vestibule of the Church. Thank you for supporting St. Francis of Assisi School!

Questions? Or for more information, please contact Chanel Marquis (Box Top Coordinator) at <u>cmarquis@stfrncis.org</u>.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK We would like to thank Kristen Burns, Century 21—Redwood Realty for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin.

# FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

July 14th, August 4th, 14th, 15th, 21st, and 22nd, we welcome our First Communicants to the Table of the Lord to receive their First Communion, a tangible experience of God's grace. What an important and joyful step in participating in the life of our faith community! Our sincere congratulations are extended to the First Communicants and their parents.

Leonardo Abad **Miguel Aboytes** Carlene Aguilar-Cardona **Riley Aldridge Charleigh Allard** Adriana Almonte Camila Alvarez-Hernandez Jhosly Amaya Leiva Kayleigh Bancroft Keegan Barnes Alan Benitez Liam Betyak-Eisler Sebatian Bonilla Keegen Bragg-Wrightson Matas Buchanan Haily Cardoza-Medina Ximena Castaneda Castro Cruz Castaneda Castro Amanda Castro Brian Castro Alexa Chavez Angelic Chavez Melany Chavez Grace Clarke Edward Cruz-Zurita Eden Davis **Brock Davis-Simmons Olaun Davis-Simmons** Allison Deveaux Anna Emminizer **Brady Engstrom Olivia Erickson** Steven Escobar Christopher Espinoza **Dylan Farinas** Anthony Flores Solange Flores

Josiah Flynn Kyleigh Fulk Aaliyah Garcia Alyssa Garcia Avrev Garcia Janelle Garcia Miquel Garcia Amber Glinski Iker Gonzalez Adrian Gonzalez Gallegos Santiago Gonzalez Gallegos Jesus Gonzalez Rangel Jaelyn Grella **Daniel Groceman** James Gwazdauskas Parker Halston lan Hart Selene Hernandez Isla Homoroc Madison Horne Noemi Iraheta-Hernandez Aaliyah Jones Karlee Keith Scott Keith **Brody Kerstetter** Aidan Kraus Colin Kraus Eleanor Landers **Bridget Landis** Angelica Lopez Isabelle Lopez Jacob Lozon Chloe Macaraeg Lauren Mahalchick Gemma Manaois **Bryson Mark** 

Xavier Marguis

Maria Mayorga **Tomas Milian** Adrianna Moore Giovanna Moore Polina Moreno Sofia Moreno Emmalvn Negron Logan Nicolosi Abigail Nowlin Alana Nunez Mario Osorio Osorio Elliana Osorio Ramos Sebastian Pace Andrew Pereira Andrew Ponce Kennedy Pope Anna Price Emily Pyryt Fabian Ramirez Perez **Daniel Reyes** Camila Reynoso Ryan Rivera-Sepulveda Julian Rodriguez Jacqueline Rodriguez Natalie Rodriguez Charlie Rodriguez Garcia Aime Rueda Espinoza Ashley Rueda Espinoza Luis Rueda Espinoza Dyanne Sagudan Samantha Salgado

Gabrielle Salvador **Tiffany Salvatierra** Yanira Santos Spencer Savage **Taylor Scalice** Samantha Shelley Ella Sinnott Layne Stanley **Christopher Swift** Jasmyn-Jade Taylor Skye Thomas Irmande Tiemeni David Tomelden **Eric Torres** Roman Torres Katherine Tseng Gianna Vega McKenzie Vickery Diana Villalobos Gabriel Villarruel Amanda Villatoro Villegas Nicholas Vuolo Spencer Wallace **Isabelle Walter** Lincoln Wilson Hazel Winston Brendan Zamora

> "Do this in remembrance of me."

AV.	Mass
W.	<b>Intentíons</b>
SATURDAY,	August 15—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
5:30 PM	†Rocco Nuzzo †George Beck †Alice Tippit
SUNDAY,	August 16—20th Sunday In Ordinary Time
7:30 AM	
9:00 AM	†Dwayne E. Gonsorcik †Bob and †Paul Walker
10:45 AM	†Helen Buckley People of Parish
12:15 PM	†Thomas V. Vitale †Francisca and †Perpetua Miravalles
1:30 PM	Misa en español
5:30 PM	†Jane Wilson †Fr. Robert E. Nilon, S. J.
MONDAY,	August 17—Weekday
8:45 AM	+Cheryl McNierney
TUESDAY,	August 18—Weekday
8:45 AM	tMary Lou Jackson tJohn Aracich
WEDNESDAY.	August 19—Weekday
8:45 AM	†Dwayne E. Gonsorcik
	†Kathryn Gonsorcik
THURSDAY,	August 20—St. Bernard
8:45 AM	+Catherine Moran
FRIDAY,	August 21—St. Pius X
8:45 AM	+Paul Newton Young
SATURDAY,	August 22—Queenship of Mary
5:30 PM	+Alice Tippit
Mass Int	entions on Sunday, August 23, 2020
7:30 AM	
9:00 AM	†Dwayne E. Gonsorcik †Larry Dreis
10:45 AM	†Peter Tiep D. Vu †Anna Minh-LyTran
12:15 PM	People of the Parish
1:30 PM	Misa en español
5:30 PM	†Jane Wilson Kim Maris

Please Pray For All those who are sick: Charles Brown; Alda Kelly; Betsy Dennison: Fran Laskofski: Sue Long: Imeld

Betsy Dennison; Fran Laskofski; Sue Long; Imelda Pine; David Back; Laurie Colligan; Aaron Childs; Denise Liss; Dale Hudson; Gary Ward; and Richard McClevey.

Please pray for the following who are serving abroad in harm's way: Leo N. Company; S. Defibaugh; James O'Shaunessey; and James O'Sullivan.

Are You New to the Parish??? Welcome!! Registration forms are available on the tables in the vestibule, from the Parish Office or from the parish website www.stfrncis.org. Readings for the Week of August 16, 2020

Monday	Ezekiel 24:15-24;
-	Deuteronomy 32:18-19, 20, 21;
	Matthew 19:16-22
Tuesday	Ezekiel 28:1-10;
	Deuteronomy 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30,
	35cd-36ab; Matthew 19:23-30
Wednesday	Ezekiel 34:1-11; Matthew 20:1-16
Thursday	Ezekiel 36:23-28; Matthew 22:1-14
Friday	Ezekiel 37:1-14; Matthew 22:34-40
Saturday	Ezekiel 43:1-7ab; Matthew 23:1-12
Sunday	Isaiah 22:19-23; Romans 11:33 36;
	Matthew 16:13-20

#### **Counseling at St. Francis of Assisi**



#### Family Services Fredericksburg - Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Arlington Counseling Services Offered at St. Francis of Assisi Parish Every Tuesday.

Please call Catholic Charities' Intake Coordinator, Lee Ann Pompeii at 540-371-1124 with questions or to schedule an appointment. Cost is based on a sliding scale (income and dependents). Insurance accepted.

St. Francis of Assisi Parish and Catholic Charities are partnering to offer Catholic Charities Counselor **Peter Drabbant's** services to St. Francis of Assisi parishioners every <u>Tuesday between the hours of</u> <u>9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. by appointment.</u>

#### Sessions will be conducted by phone until further notice due to COVID-19.

Peter, a native of Canada, is licensed as both a professional counselor (LPC) and a drug/alcohol counselor (CAADC / IC-RC). He is new to the region and to Catholic Charities for the Diocese of Arlington. Residing and providing therapy services in Michigan for 15 years, he ran a Catholic private practice for a few years and in 2006,

joined a CMH (Community Mental Health) agency for 12 years providing individual therapy and crisis intervention for both adults and youth; treating those affected with depression, anxiety, obsessive compulsive



disorder and scrupulosity; trauma; anger; behavioral issues; substance use; and couple/marital issues. He has provided group therapy for those with personality disorders (DBT), substance use disorders (IOP) and Anger Management groups.

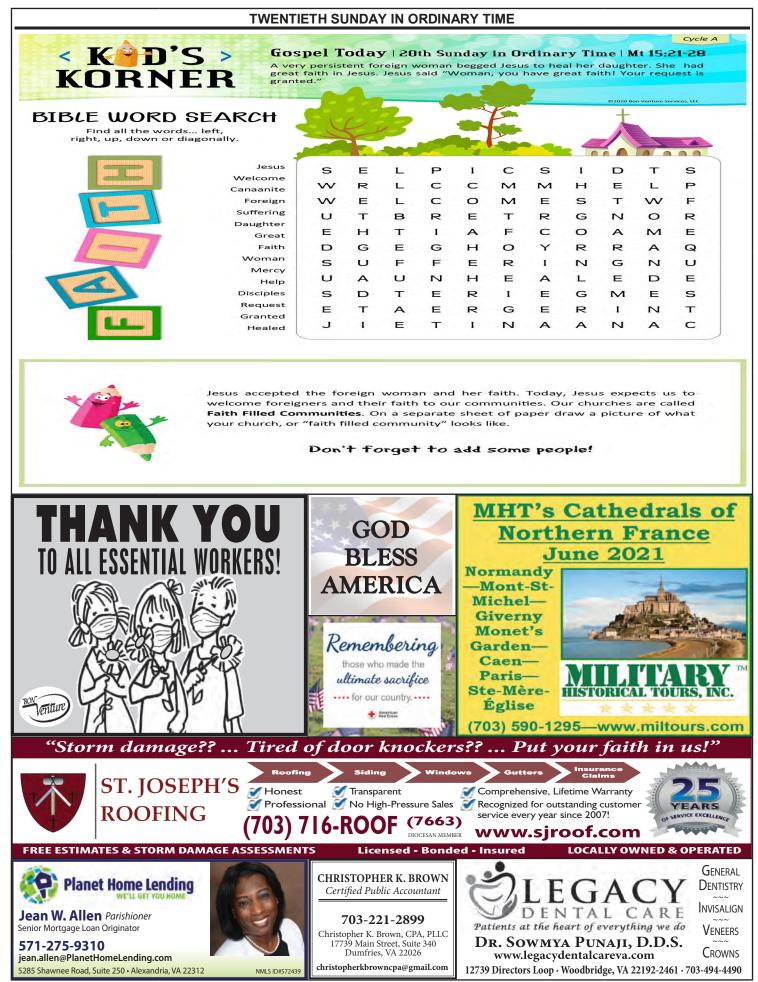
#### TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME





Jesus accepted the foreign woman and her faith. Today, Jesus expects us to welcome foreigners and their faith to our communities. Our churches are called **Faith Filled Communities**. On a separate sheet of paper draw a picture of what your church, or "faith filled community" looks like.

Don't forget to add some people!



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