Prayers for Healing: Nathan Williamson, Lona Pool, Sherry Williams, John Dietz, Butch & Dot Schott, Cindy Winstead, Billie June Peeler, Karen Faubion, Doug Schutzle, Katie Jones, Melinda Williams Rogers, Daniel Furlow, Kellie Barrett, Iddo Davis, Dale Foster, Will Stanback, Sophia Murray, Ronnie D. Lee, Madeline King, Loren Mays, Robert Wusterbarth, Cindy Galey, Ginger Dees, Georgia Kirton, Sandra Hebert, Brittany Roberts, JoAnn Kling, Gayle Galey, Robert Wickham, The Corkern Family, Joe Feduccia, Michelle Smith, Brian Wilson, Ronnie Bowman, Joan Benit Mulvihill, Judy Mulvihill, Paula Gennaro, Kelly Oakman, Darren Smith, Perry Bergeron, Lawrence Duhe, Brenda Keating, Jimmy Terrio, Earl Westfall, Darryl White, Patsy Moak, Caleb Haymes, Laurie Stephens, Rose Loretto, Sandra Westfall, Sarah Patsy Rogers, Benny Rogers, Will Stanback, Clifford Galey, Emile Gennaro, Stanley Morris, Vickie Weathersby Craft, Charlotte Kilpatrick, Mark Nettles, Jack Craig, Skylar Stevenson, Jimmy Cuevas, Trent Hartzog, Tom Young, Ralph Price, Kim Jones, Marie Chipley, Berenda Berry, Alfano Family, Maddox Kimble, Ted Dear, Joe Pennington, Lenzie Louviere Harris, Jan Gregory, Betty Smith Cummins, Robert White, Wade Tipton, Deanna Shumaker, Norris Acy Jr., Janice Woodward, Racheal Deavenport, Paxton Rushing, Charles Griffin, Bob Weathersby, Cynthia Smith, Phyllis Hobbs, Valerie Hall, Caroline Dunagin, Jo Beth Smith, Dr. Steve Mills, Margaret Weathersby, Doug Johnson, Allison Young, Johnson Boyles, Mary Weathersby, Billy Walker, Barbara Watts, The Jordan and Cline Families, Terri Moak, Kevin Rhoades, Charleen Rush, T.A. Boyd, Mark Malone, Charles & Norris Sears, Ashley & Baby Toups, Andrea Throndson, Pam Price, Robbie Sartin, Norman Ratliff, Ronnie Crosby

Prayers for the Homebound: Bill Medor, Bela Nagy, James Howard, Roseann Harris, Carol & James Laird, Joe Robin, Charles Bennett, Larry Ledet, Lois Muller, Stephanie Gustavson

Our prayers are with all of those called to defend our country, especially: Major Charles Andrew Griggs, Tucker Hoeniges, Sgt. Keagan Smith

## For The Sick

O God, your Son accepted our sufferings to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness. Hear the prayers we offer for our sick brothers and sisters. May all who suffer pain, illness or disease realize that they are chosen to be saints, and know that they are joined to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world, who lives and reigns with you the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## Peace Prayer of Saint Francis of Assisi

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace: where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. O divine Master, grant that

I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.



# St. Francis Of Assisi Catholic Church

# "Make me an Instrument of Your Peace"

227 East Cherokee Street, Brookhaven, MS 39601 Office: 601-833-1799 Office Hours: Tuesday—Friday 9:30-2:00

## Staff

Fr. Manohar Thanugundla, Pastor Erin Womack, Secretary & Bookkeeper Emily Phillips, DRE Angele Bartholomew, Youth Minister

Mass Times Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 PM Sunday Mass 9:00 AM

**Daily Mass Schedule** NO Daily Mass on April 2nd, 3rd and 4th

April 5th—First Friday

- 11:15 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 11:20-11:40 Rosary
- 11:40-12:10 Silent Adoration •
- 12:10 Mass

April 6th – First Saturday

9:00 AM Mass in the Church Breakfast following in Serio Hall

### Benediction

The first weekend of every month.

**Eucharistic Adoration** 

Mondays 8:00 AM-4:00 PM, 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

### Sacraments

Reconciliation: 4:30 PM on Saturday & 8:30 AM on Sunday or by appointment. **Baptism:** Contact the office to make an appointment with Fr. Mano. Marriage: Contact the office to make an appointment with Fr. Mano at least six months in advance.

Website: www.stfrancisbrookhaven.org Email: office@stfrancisbrookhaven.org Find us on Facebook at St. Francis Brookhaven

## March 31, 2024 Easter Sunday of The Resurrection of The Lord

## St. Francis of Assisi Pastoral Council Members Lisa Shann, President

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## St. Vincent de Paul Ministries Food Pantry

St. Francis Catholic Church Ministry 706 South 1st Street Brookhaven, MS 39601 601-833-2709

We extend a special welcome to all of our visitors. If you are new to the area and have decided to make St. Francis your church family, please pick up a blue registration card in the vestibule of the church, complete the card and place it in the offering basket.

A Fifth Sunday Second Collection to benefit the St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry will be taken up at mass on March 30th & 31st.

> Easter Sunday March 31

Easter Egg Hunt & Pictures

Following the 9:00 AM Mass

### April 3

#### **Faith Formation**

5:15 -5:45 Meal 5:50 -7:00 Class 7:00 -7:45 Confirmation

## April 5—First of Nine First **Fridays Devotion**

- 11:15 Exposition of the **Blessed Sacrament**
- 11:20-11:40 Rosary
- 11:40-12:10 Silent Adoration
- 12:10 Mass

April 7—CYO 6<sup>th</sup> grade and under meet following Coffee and Donuts until 11:30.

**CYO** 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> will meet at 2:00 pm.

Thank you to all of the ministers that have volunteered their time to prepare our church decorations and to serve at masses for Holy Week and Easter Mass services. You are greatly appreciated.

#### Saint Francis Easter Flower Offering

In Memory of Deceased Family Members By: June Smith

In Memory of The Mason Babies, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Mason Sr. and Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Spratley By: Rob, Amy & Eva Mason

> In Memory of The Puffer & Henriquez Families By: John & Peggy Henriquez

> > In Memory of Robert Jones By: Joyce Jones

In Memory of Barbara Anders **Bv: Alba-Anne Anders** 

In Memory of Margaret Smith, Mary Ratliff, Buddy Ratliff & David Ratliff By: Paige Jackson, Dan Smith & Norman Ratliff

In Memory of The Clarence Hutson Family & Amien George Family By: T. A. Boyd

> In Memory of Chase Coleman By: Jane & Eddie Coleman

In Memory of Brad & Ben Williams By: Gerald & Pat Williams

In Memory of The Walker, Burnham & Lovell Families By: Billy & Ondra Walker

In Memory of Wallace Robinson, Aline Robinson, Cora Blades and Jimmy Hendry By: Audrey & Jody Cuevas

> In Memory of The Harris Family & Gloria Hall By: Alice Hearn

In Memory of The Deceased Family Members of The LeJeune and **Fuselier Families** By: Cathy & Roderick Fuselier

> In Memory of Stephanie EsKine & Norma Bienvenu By: Debbie Bienvenu

In Memory of the Deceased Members of The Moak and Biediger By: Dr. Joe & Linda Moak

In Memory of Deceased Members of The Corkern & Coleman Families By: Tom & Becky Corkern



PROGRAM SCHEDULE EWTN.COM/HOLYWEEK STREAM ON THE EWTN APP OR Pick up an EWTN Spring Highlights brochure in the vestibule describing the EWTN Holy Week TV programs.

## St. Francis Parish Offertory

\$6,077.00 in offertory contributions is needed each week to meet the budget.

March 23 & . 2024 Regular Collection

Envelopes	\$ 2,495.52
Loose Cash	\$ 364.00
Total	\$2 <i>,</i> 859.52

As we eagerly anticipate the joyous occasion of Easter, we are excited to share the schedule for our Easter Masses.

#### March 29, 2024 - Good Friday Services

Solemn Way of the Cross at 12 PM Commemoration of the Lord's Passion Veneration of the Cross - 5:30 PM

March 30, 2024—Saturday Vigil Mass-8:00 PM

#### March 31, 2024—Easter Sunday Mass - 9:00 AM (Easter Egg Hunt & Pictures Following Mass)

We extend a heartfelt invitation to you and your loved ones to join us in celebrating the Resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Your presence will add to the spiritual richness of our community as we come together in prayer and joy.

May the grace of Easter fill your heart with hope and blessings.

The Knights of Columbus are taking donations for their White Elephant Sale. Contact Jim Bonner (601-695-1818) to schedule a time to drop off the items. Stay tuned for a date to be announced for the sale.

Since our founding, **Knights of Columbus** has been committed to helping provide financial security and stability to our members and their families. A seminar will be held online on April 2nd at 7:00 PM here: **Retirement Savings and Distribution Planning -**1655586 http://tinyurl.com/KofCApril2

# Happy Birthday!!!

Micah Davis (29th) Tori Gaudet (30th)

Date & Time	Eucharistic Ministers	Music	Lector & Commentator	Altar Servers	Ushers	Greeters
Saturday April 6 5:00 pm	(H) Erica Looney Linda Hadley Becky Bowman	Eileen	L – H. Louviere C – Joshua Smith	Kenneth Goodrum Thurifer: J. Atwater	Brandon Bowman John Chandler	Alice Hearn Shandra Flynn
Sunday April 7 9:00 am	(H) Eric Postma Kelly Postma Patrick Riley		L – Sue Junkin C – Shea Riley	Piper Douchard Lucas Phillips Thurifer: Jim Bonner	Brett Douchard Owen Junkin	J. Phillips Cathy Ditcharo

Saint Francis First Holy Communion will be on Sunday, May 5th at 9:00 AM. Please keep these children in your prayers as they prepare for this Holy Sacrament.

Aisley Beard
Ariella Beard
Sami Curole
Brooke Davis
Vidalia Foster

Jhosen Lopez Willow Lorraine William Murray Kolton Nolin **Robert Phillips** 

Saint Francis Confirmation will be on Saturday, May 11th at 10:30 AM. Please keep these children in your prayers as they prepare for this Holy Sacrament.

Lillianna Baker Emma Barrett Wilson Calcote

Eva Mason David Phillips Braden Revere

Julianna Townsend



to all of the members of our Family of Francis.