

**Prayers for Healing:** Nathan Williamson, Lona Pool, Sherry Williams, John Dietz, Butch & Dot Schott, Cindy Winstead, Billie June Peeler, Karen Faubion, Doug Schutze, 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 Michelle Smith, Brian Wilson, 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, 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, Mary Weathersby, Billy Walker, Barbara Watts, Terri Moak, Kevin Rhoades, Charleen Rush, T.A. Boyd, Mark Malone, Charles & Norris Sears, Ashley & Baby Toups, Andrea Thronson, Pam Price, Robbie Sartin, Norman Ratliff, Ronnie Crosby, Frannie Roy Family, Dianne Artmann, Ledger Smith, B.J. Guidry, Patricia Smith, Carrie Brown, Nancy Moore, Cathy Fuselier, Paul Phillips, Carole Olson

**Prayers for the Homebound:** Bill Medor, Bela Nagy, James Howard, Roseann Harris, Carol & James Laird, Joe Robin, Larry Ledet, Stephanie Gustavson, Pearl Landry, Steve Albright

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

Please remember to let the church office know when someone can be removed or added to the prayer list.

### 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”**

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**June 30, 2024 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### Staff

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

### Mass Times

- Saturday Vigil (**English**) Mass at 5:00 PM
- Saturday (**Spanish**) Mass at 6:30 PM
- Sunday (**English**) Mass at 9:00 AM
- First Sunday of every month (**Vietnamese**) Mass at 11:00 AM

### Daily Mass Schedule

**Tuesday, July 2 Mass at 12:10 in chapel**  
**Wednesday July 3 Mass at 12:10 in chapel**  
**Thursday July 4 No Mass**  
**First Friday Devotion**  
**11:15 Exposition of Blessed Sacrament**  
**11:20 Rosary**  
**11:40—12:10 Silent Adoration**  
**12:10 Mass in the Church**  
**First Saturday devotion**  
**9:00 AM Mass in the Church**

### Benediction

The first weekend of every month.

### Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays 8:00 AM-4:00 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.

### St. Francis of Assisi Pastoral Council Members

**Lisa Shann, President**

Jim Bonner, Vice President

Jennifer Townsend, Secretary

Bo Allen, Christian & Family Life Commission

Kenneth Goodrum, Liturgy Commission

T. A. Boyd, Social Activities/Concerns Commission

Hugh Louviere, Member

Cathy Fuselier, Member

### St. Francis of Assisi Finance Council Members

**Patrick Barrett, Chairperson**

Margaret Weathersby Eddie Britt

David Phillips James Bellipanni

Laura Murray Christine Fiorella

Gerry Whitman

### 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.

**There will be no daily Mass on Thursday, July 4th. Have a safe and happy holiday!**

**July 5**— First Friday Devotion

**11:15** Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

**11:20-11:40** Rosary

**11:40-12:10** Silent Adoration

**12:10** Mass

**July 6**—9:00 AM First Saturday Mass

**Happy Birthday!!**

Katie Nguyen (29)

Tucker Smith (30)

Scott Delano (5)

**FLOCKNOTE**

Flocknote is the communication system. Sign-up by texting STFRANCIS1 to 84576. If you need help registering, contact the office.

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.

Thanks to Ange'le, Myron, Sabrina and Adam for taking our children to Steubenville Youth Conference, which was successful and enriched our youth.

**The next Breakfast & BINGO will be July 14 following the 9:00 AM Mass.**

The **Knights of Columbus** are hosting a **4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration** for Knights and their family at the home of Aaron and Bridget Achord on **Saturday, July 6<sup>th</sup>** following 5:00 Mass. The Knights will provide food, please bring your lawn chairs, drinks and fireworks such as Roman Candles. We will set up games to play, eat and then coordinate the fireworks to have a firework display for all to enjoy. Please RSVP by June 28<sup>th</sup> so we can plan the meal. Call Eddie Britt, Bo Allen or Aaron Achord.

There will be a children's offering basket at the front of the church. During the offertory, children can place their offering in the basket. The collection will be given to our Parish offertory.

This weekend there will be a second collection for **Peter's Pence**. **Peter's Pence is a donation to aid people and families in difficulty, populations afflicted by natural disaster and wars and for humanitarian assistance.** There will be a third collection for the St. Vincent de Paul Ministry. This ministry assists families from the local community with grocery assistance.

**St. Francis Vacation Bible School**

July 14-17

5:30 pm — 8:00 pm.

Pre-school—6th Grade

(Older kids are welcome to help).

Supper and a light snack will be provided.

Registration forms will be available in the vestibule of the church.

**SCUBA diving into friendship with God!**



The Family of St. Francis would like to thank Bishop Bala for celebrating daily Mass with us on Tuesday, June 25. Safe travels Bishop Bala.

**Check out EWTN**

Brochures are available in the vestibule of the church. Remember you have 24/7 access for all programming through your local tv guide, your EWTN app and ewtn.com/schedule.



**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

On one level, Mark is recounting an event that led the disciples to understand Jesus' authority and power over even the final enemy, death (see [1 Corinthians 15:26](#)).

On another level, however, this episode is written to strengthen our hope that we too will be raised from the dead, along with all our loved ones who sleep in Christ (see [1 Corinthians 15:18](#)).

Jesus commands the girl to "Arise!"—using the same Greek word used to describe His own resurrection (see [Mark 16:6](#)). And the consoling message of today's Gospel is that Jesus is the resurrection and the life. If we believe in Him, even though we die, we will live (see [John 15:25–26](#)).

We are called to have the same faith as the parents in the Gospel today—praying for our loved ones, trusting in Jesus' promise that even death cannot keep us apart. Notice the parents follow Him even though those in their own house tell them there is no hope, and even though others ridicule Jesus' claim that the dead have only fallen asleep (see [1 Thessalonians 4:13–18](#)).

Already in Baptism, we've been raised to new life in Christ. And the Eucharist, like the food given to the little girl today, is the pledge that He will raise us on the last day.

We should rejoice, as we sing in today's Psalm, that He has brought us up from the netherworld, the pit of death. And, as Paul exhorts in today's Epistle, we should offer our lives in thanksgiving for this gracious act, imitating Christ in our love and generosity for others.

*Excerpts: St Paul Center*

**St. Francis Parish Offertory**

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

**June 22 & 23, 2024**

**Regular Offertory**

**Envelopes \$ 2682.84**

**Loose Cash \$ 370.00**

**Total \$ 2752.84**

**Children's Offertory**

**\$8.00**

Date & Time	Eucharistic Ministers	Music	Lector & Commentator	Altar Servers	Ushers	Greeters
<b>Saturday July 6 5:00 pm</b>	(H) Jim Bonner Tara Bonner Becky Bowman		L—Becky Feduccia C—Shelly Barron	Kenneth Goodrum Thurifer: Jim Bonner and Josh Townsend	Charles Feduccia John Chandler	L. Wusterbarth Phyllis Hobbs
<b>Sunday July 7 9:00 am</b>	(H) Gerry Whitman Lisa Shann Patrick Riley		L—Larry Baker C—Shea Riley	Parker Shann Lucas Phillips Thurifer: Joshua Smith and David Phillips	Micah Davis John Henriquez	J. Phillips Cathy Pigott