

# St. Francis of Assisi Parish

Office/Rectory: 2 Green Street • Religious Education Office: 12-16 Green Street • Mount Kisco, NY 10549



## CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST

### THE LORD'S DAY

Saturdays at 5:30 pm (Vigil)

Sundays at 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am & 1:00 pm (Misa en Español)

Ukrainian Catholic Divine Liturgy at 10:30 am in the Chapel  
(9:30 am for July & August)

### WEEKDAYS (Mon-Fri and Sat only 8am)

At 8:00 am & 12:10 pm in the Chapel

### HOLY DAYS

7:00 pm (Vigil) ~ 8:00 am, 12:10 pm & 7pm (en Español)

## CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

**BAPTISM**- By appointment.

Attendance at the Baptism Conference is necessary before Baptism.  
Please call the Rectory for dates and information.

**RECONCILIATION** - Confessions are heard on Saturdays from 4:00 to 5:00 pm in the Chapel, and upon request - call the Rectory to make an appointment.

**MARRIAGE** - Arrangements should be made first with the Church at least six months before the contemplated wedding date. A marriage preparation program is required by archdiocesan norms.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK** - Anytime by request in the home of the sick. Communal Anointing Mass during the year.

## DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY

Miraculous Medal Novena Prayers - Mondays after the Mass.

Daily recitation of the Rosary after the 8:00 am Mass (Mon.-Sat.).

## PARISH STAFF

Rev. Steven E. Clark, *Pastor*

Rev. Emmanuel Baffoe, *Parochial Vicar*

Rev. Msgr. John J. Budwick, *Retired Priest in Residence*

Deacon Isaac Marquez, *Pastoral Assistant*

Deacon Harold Hochstein, *Pastoral Assistant*

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Mrs. Ann Mortimer, *Parish Council President*

Mr. Charles Pieragostini, *Trustee*

Mrs. Cecelia Yozzo, *Trustee*

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

(Catechumenate) is the process of welcoming new members into the Roman Catholic Church. It is meant for those who are not baptized, baptized into another Christian Church or baptized into the Catholic Church but have yet to receive the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation. Contact the Rectory for information.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (SCHOOL OF RELIGION)

Children are expected to receive a Catholic upbringing in their family life, to worship regularly at Sunday Mass and to participate in ongoing Religious Education. Our programs include ages 6 to 17. Adult Religious Education programs are offered during the year.

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP** - New parishioners are requested to visit the parish office (Rectory) and register. Every family and single adult ought to be registered with the parish office in order to help us with our ministry.

## PARISH MINISTRIES, SOCIETIES and COMMITTEES

Altar Rosary Society • Parish Catechists • Parish Properties Committee  
Altar Servers • Eucharistic Ministers • Contemporary Choir • Parish Council • Adult Mass Servers • Catechumenate Ministry • Parish Finance Council • Ushers • Respect Life Committee • Parish Liturgy Cantors • Family Ministry Committee

The **CHAPEL** is open Monday to Saturday from 7:30 am to 4:30 pm.

The **CEMETERY GATE** is open every day 8:00 am- 4:30 pm

The **PARISH OFFICE** is open Monday-Friday, 9:00 am to 3:45 pm

Saturdays, 9:30 am to 2:00 pm • Sundays, 9:30 am-1:00 pm

Please call the Rectory at any time for an emergency.

## TELEPHONE NUMBERS

**Rectory** (914) 666-5986      **Fax** (914) 666-3859  
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# MASS INTENTIONS

## The Twenty-Fifth Week in Ordinary Time

### Saturday, September 17, 2022

5:30pm Maria Pitasi & The People of the Parish

### Sunday, September 18, 2022

7:30am Leonard Calderone  
 9:30am Rocco & Rose Oliveri  
 11:30am Luis Hernandez  
 1:00pm Misa en español

### Monday, September 19, 2022

8:00am Winifred & Fernand Jobin  
 12:10pm Salvatore DiMiceli

### Tuesday, September 20, 2022

8:00am Catalina Cruz (L)  
 12:10pm Eileen Klar

### Wednesday, September 21, 2022

8:00am Sebastian Batista  
 12:10pm Ronald Pietrowicz

### Thursday, September 22, 2022

8:00am Amanda Ferrauti Kuhlman  
 12:10pm Bill Marino

### Friday, September 23, 2022

8:00am Mary & J. Edward Fox  
 12:10pm Al & Elsie Kensing

### Saturday, September 24, 2022

8:00am Nicholas Giardina  
 5:30pm Maria & Luigi DiLeo

### Sunday, September 25, 2022

7:30am Freddie Lena & The People of the Parish  
 9:30am Gloria Lipsky  
 11:30am Tom Mannion  
 1:00pm Misa en español

*Masses are available for your personal intentions.*



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**Next week's second collection will be for:  
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## PARISH SUPPORT

### "God's Plan for Giving"

As evidence of their gratitude for God's generosity to them in their own lives, our people returned to his Church the following tithes and offerings:

September 11, 2022 .....	\$9,106.00
September 12, 2021 .....	\$6,174.00
St. Joseph's Seminary .....	\$2,358.00
August WeShare Total .....	\$5,564.00

*"As stewards we are accountable to God for our time, talent and treasure. We return to the Lord, the giver of all our gifts, a truly grateful and meaningful first share of our time, talent and treasure."*

*Please remember your parish in your will.*



### Communion Bread for the Month of September

Given in Loving Memory of  
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### Chapel Sanctuary Candle, Week of September 18<sup>th</sup>

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### Marriage Banns

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\$10 per book of 3 tickets

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 3<sup>rd</sup> prize: \$5,000 and 10 more prizes! Drawing 12/3/22

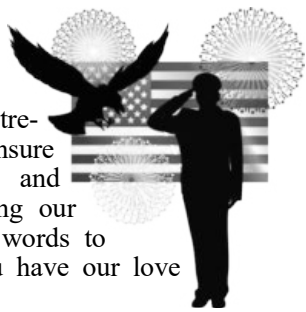


**Memorial Mass** for Manny Acuna  
 on Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00am  
 Repast at the Green Street Firehouse.

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Jorge Panama-Morales  
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Jeffrey & Jesse Smith  
William Speede

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless each of them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. In Jesus name, Amen

Baptism

The parish family welcomes into the Church and our parish community of faith

Nicolas Michael Palermo  
Lana Claire Mlynarski  
Alana Renee Bai-Valladares  
Lucio Giuseppe Rocca  
Emilia Florez-Cardona  
Jonathan & Valentina Diaz Ramirez  
Antonio Fedele

who were baptized in the month of August. May they grow in the love of the Father, the Lord Jesus and the Holy Spirit.

I DIDN'T KNOW THAT!???

From the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* on the *Holy Mass (Eucharistic Liturgy) in the Early Church*:

1345 As early as the second century we have the witness of St. Justin Martyr for the basic lines of the order of the Eucharistic celebration. They have stayed the same until our own day for all the great liturgical families. St. Justin wrote to the pagan emperor Antoninus Pius (138-161) around the year 155, explaining what Christians did.

1346 The liturgy of the Eucharist unfolds according to a fundamental structure which has been preserved throughout the centuries down to our own day. It displays two great parts that form a fundamental unity:

- the gathering, the liturgy of the Word, with readings, homily and general intercessions;
- the liturgy of the Eucharist, with the presentation of the bread and wine, the consecratory thanksgiving, and communion.

The liturgy of the Word and liturgy of the Eucharist together form "one single act of worship"; [SC 56] the Eucharistic table set for us is the table both of the Word of God and of the Body of the Lord. [Cf. DV 21]



50/50 CLUB

Come see if you will be our 50-50 winner for October. Please join us for refreshments in the Msgr. Donovan Hall after the 9:30 Mass on **Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**

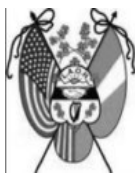
You're Invited to our  
**Feast of St. Francis**  
on **Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup>** after the  
**5:30pm Mass.**



Everyone is welcome. It will be held in the parish hall. There is no charge for attending. Please RSVP and sign up to bring a side dish or dessert. The sign-up sheets will be located at the entrance of the Church, Chapel and online at [www.sfamountkisco.org](http://www.sfamountkisco.org)

Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians

The next meeting for the Ladies AOH will be held on **Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>** at **6:30pm** in the St. Clare room of the school. For information call Ann Haugh at 914.241.7720



Job Openings at St. Francis of Assisi Parish

We are looking for someone to take over church and parish hall custodial duties, on Saturday & Monday. Duties include general cleaning of floors, pews & bathrooms, replacing all papers goods in bathrooms, and more. Call the rectory if interested.



*Weekend help at the rectory is needed.* Duties include: answering the door, the telephone, writing Mass cards and simple secretarial duties. This is a great job for teens looking to start work & earn some money. Call rectory for more information.



If you or a loved one are temporarily or permanently homebound and unable to attend Mass, our Eucharistic Ministers or one of our priests can bring Holy Communion to your home on a regular basis. Please give us a call.

**PRAYER CORNER**

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Nicholas Gagliardi	Patricia Speede
Robert Lipsky	Judith Vincze
Diane Mahony	Frank & June Yozzo



*Please remember our brothers & sisters in the Lord who have asked for prayers.*

September 18, 2022



**FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**  
Please join us for a quiet and holy moment in the Eucharistic and Real Presence of Jesus once a week every Friday from 8:30am - 12:00pm in the Chapel. To continue this blessing for our parish Jesus must never be left alone while exposed on the altar.

**50 – 50 DRAWING**

Congratulations to the winner of our 50-50 Club drawing last Sunday amounting to \$534.00 was:

**Peter Danniballe**

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**PARISH COUNCIL**

The first meeting of the Parish Council will be held on **Monday, September 19<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00pm in the Msgr. Donovan Parish Hall. Registered parishioners are welcomed to attend.



**Family Life—Respect Life**

The **40 Days for Life Campaign** will begin from September 28<sup>th</sup> through November 6<sup>th</sup>. During this time, our parish members are invited to pray and fast to end abortion; and to participate in a peaceful vigil at the Planned Parenthood Center at 175 Tarrytown Rd., White Plains.

On Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> from 2:00pm-3:30pm There will be a **Life Chain Event for the unborn child** along Main St. from Northern Westchester Hospital to North Moger Avenue. Please come out and join us!

**COFFEE AND BAGEL HOUR**

Our St. Francis Coffee & Bagel Hour is a great success! It is, also, an important hospitality outreach of our parish. We NEED your help to continue this important ministry. Volunteers are needed to form teams to help set-up and run our very successful Coffee & Bagel Hour. We will start anew the third Sunday of October. Please call the rectory to volunteer.



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*Weekly Schedule*

**Monday, September 19**

7:00pm Parish Council – Msgr. Donovan Hall  
7:00pm Grupo de Oración – Msgr. Donovan Hall

**Tuesday, September 20**

4:15-5:45pm Religious Ed. Grades 4 & 5  
6:30-8:00pm Grade 8 & High Sch Sacrament Program  
7:00pm Prayer the Rosary Workshop — Church

**Wednesday, September 21**

10:00-11:30am Bible Study—Media Center, School  
4:15-5:45pm Religious Ed. Grades 1, 2 & 3  
6:30-8:00pm Grades 6 & 7  
7:00pm Grupo de Oración (juvenil) – Parish Hall

**Thursday, September 22**

6:30pm Spanish Baptism Prep Class—Room 4  
7:00-8:30pm Bible Study—Media Center, School  
7:30pm Spanish R.C.I.A.—Room 4 & St. Clare

**Friday, September 23**

8:30am-12:pm Eucharistic Adoration – Church

**BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS**



The next Baptism Conference for first-time parents planning a Baptism in the coming months will be on **Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:30pm in the Religious Ed. Office.** Please register at the Rectory

**2023 MASS BOOK IS OPENING!**

The Mass book for the 2023 calendar year will be opened on **Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:30am-12noon.** There is a **maximum of 5 Sunday Masses.** You must request Masses in person in order to be fair to everyone. Church rules prefer only one intention per Mass. However, for pastoral reasons and to better accommodate the needs of our parishioners, we adhere to the following possibilities:  
-two first names with same last name (ex: John & Mary Bing)  
-two last names only (ex: Green & Smith families)  
**NO PHONE REQUESTS CAN BE ACCEPTED.**



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Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us whether long-time residents or newly arrived in our parish. *Bienvenido a nuestra parroquia!* If you are not registered, please complete the form below and drop it in our collection basket OR mail it to the Parish Office.

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Address/dirección: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip/pueblo/código: \_\_\_\_\_

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