

Get Involved

MINISTRY & VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church • Frisco, Texas



*For it is
in giving
that we
receive.*

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ACTS

An ACTS weekend is a three-day, three-night retreat presented by Catholic laymen and laywomen with the support of clergy and a spiritual director. The goals of the weekend retreat is to strengthen your faith, to renew yourself spiritually, to build purpose in your prayer life and to build lasting friendships with your church community.

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Altar Guild

The Altar Guild works in maintaining tidiness and reverence over all altar linens and cloths.

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Altar Servers

The Altar Servers function as the clerical assistants on the altar in all Liturgical events. You can look forward to being on the altar helping set up the altar with the gifts, assisting the priests with the missal, and bringing life to the mass with your youthful presence.

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Angel Tree Ministry

Angel Tree Ministry is a Christmas time program offers Christmas gifts to families who would not normally be able to afford gifts.

Contact: Christine Curtin - cdcurtin@yahoo.com, Linda Johnson - lindajohnson6383@gmail.com

Bible Study

The mission of St Francis of Assisi's Bible Study groups is to help parishioners to understand God's great love for them and His plan for their salvation through studies of His word, the Bible. Studies are targeted for adults but teens are also welcome.

Contact: Harry Bonham - harrybonh@gmail.com

Blood Drives

St. Francis hosts periodic blood drives for the community. Keep an eye out in the bulletin for the next blood drive.

Contact: Todd Nate - todd.nate@nokia.com

Boy Scouts Troop 298

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values as stated in the Scout Oath and Law. This is for boys between the ages of 11-18.

Contact: Jackie Wood - utjackie@yahoo.com

Catholic Charities Dallas

St. Francis of Assisi partners with Catholic Charities of Dallas to help alleviate hunger within our Diocese by participating in the Food Partner Program, via a food cart in the Great Hall to receive non-perishable food donations, used to help Catholic Charities ongoing food efforts. On the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month CCD brings food that is distributed by volunteers from the St. Francis Mobile Food Pantry Ministry to families experiencing hardship.

Contact: James Bailey - jamesbailey0517@gmail.com

Catholic Homeschoolers in Frisco

The Catholic Homeschoolers in Frisco ministry focuses on providing additional lessons and support as well as teaching about the richness of the Catholic faith for local homeschoolers.

Contact: Sarah Griffith - gulfviewsarah@netscape.net

Catholic Men's Fellowship

Catholic Men's Fellowship provides both Catholic and Non-Catholic men a weekly opportunity to share in fellowship with each other and enrich one's faith by deepening our knowledge of the abundant life God has ordained for us throughout salvation history.

Contact: Mark Hutto - mark@huttos.com

Catholic Women's Fellowship

Catholic Women's Fellowship focuses on providing Catholic women an opportunity to deepen their Catholic faith, strengthen their personal spiritual journey with the Lord, and build friendships within a like-minded community.

Contact: Suzanne Sayer- sayersu@hotmail.com, Jennifer Martin- jenmartrun@yahoo.com

Clothe a Child

Clothe a Child Ministry partners with area churches, organizations, individuals and businesses in the community to serve the new clothing needs of economically disadvantaged kindergarten through 8th grade school children in Frisco, Little Elm, Prosper & Celina ISDs.

Contact: Karen Dang - stfrancisclotheachild@gmail.com

Challenge

Challenge is a bilingual youth ministry program for girls in 5th-8th grade and 9th-12th grade teen leaders. Virtue and Team based curriculum is used to help girls get to know and love their Catholic faith, learn to live Christian virtue, and make a positive difference in the world around them through service.

Contact: Alejandra Garcia-Lascurain - challengefrisco@gmail.com

Cub Scouts Pack 920

Cub Scouts is a fun opportunity for the whole family. In Scouting, boys and girls start with their best selves and grow into their very best future selves. It's fun, hands-on learning, and achievement that puts kids in the middle of the action and prepares them for today and for life.

Contact: Valentine Christopher - cubspack920@gmail.com

Creative Team

The Creative Team offers a volunteer opportunity for parishioners who want to share their talents in Marketing or Communications.

Contact: Mary Grace Dostalick - creative@stfoafrisco.org

Danzantes Matachines

Cada vez que se acerca una fiesta católica especial, sobre todo cuando se conmemora a la Virgen de Guadalupe, surgen las danzas de los matachines o matlachines. Son danzantes que se visten de una manera muy especial, con sus trajes de colores.

Contact: Rosi Gurrola - rgurrola2490@gmail.com

Deployed Military Care Packages

Deployed Military Care Packages Ministry during the month of May (being Military Appreciation Month), collects and sends out care packages to deployed military personnel serving overseas or on a post away from their loved ones.

Contact: Cindy Toops - cjtoops@gmail.com

Divorce Support Group

The Divorce Support Group is open to people of any faith denomination. Meetings are structured but conducted in an open, informal atmosphere. Understanding the personal nature of this situation, a vow of confidentiality is required from all who attend.

Contact: Deacon Gregg Kahrs - gkahrs@stfoafrisco.org

Empty Nesters

Empty Nesters Ministry provides fellowship and a community support group for married couples who have no children living at home. The ministry provides spiritual and social activities on a monthly basis.

Contact: Sandy Shea - shea62ss@gmail.com

Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial

Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial ofrece la oportunidad de renovar y fortalecer la relación del matrimonio a través de herramientas de comunicación que promueven el amor y la comprensión de la pareja.

Contact: Rigo y Lupita Cruz - rigo@rigocruz.com, hermosillolupita@gmail.com

Eucharistic Ministers

The Eucharistic Ministers distribute Holy Communion during Mass. If you feel called to bringing our Lord directly to the people then consider becoming a Eucharistic Minister.

Contact: Raul Rodriguez - rrodriguez@stfoafrisco.org.

Fellowship of Marys and Marthas

Fellowship of Marys & Marthas is a Prayer and Bible Study which focuses on glorifying God by bringing women into a more intimate relationship with Jesus as Lord and Savior. The ministry does this by understanding the role of women in scripture, developing a relationship with the Virgin Mary, contemplative prayer, use of the gifts of the Holy Spirit, and loving fellowship.

Contact: Janis Domino - janis.domino@sbcglobal.net

Greeters

The Greeter Ministry welcomes people into the church during Masses and provides all who enter the doors of our church a sense of joy, sincerity, peace, comfort.

Contact: Raul Rodriguez - rrodriguez@stfoafrisco.org.

Grief Ministry

The Grief Ministry focuses on serving those who are mourning the loss of a loved one. St. Francis provides "The New Day Journal Program" along with facilitators, and a group setting, to walk with those who are struggling during this transition.

Contact: Margaret Scott - margaretvscott@me.com

Grupo de Oración Carismática

El Grupo Carismático invita a todos a experimentar el Espíritu Santo que nos abre a una relación que cambia la vida con Jesucristo y el amor del Padre, empoderándonos para la santidad personal, la vida católica renovada y la evangelización.

Contact: Martin Narvaez - martinnarvaez23@gmail.com

Grupo Guadalapano

El grupo Guadalapano son hombres y mujeres que cuidan y se enorgullecen de las raíces cristianas, fortaleciéndolas a través de la oración y la devoción a la Virgen de Guadalupe y testimoniando a Cristo en la vida diaria.

Contact: Silvia Lopez - lopez.silvia@gmail.com

Homebound Ministry

The Homebound Ministry brings Holy Communion and fellowship to those who are homebound. This ministry provides an excellent opportunity to be Christ-like to those who are in most need of our Lord. If you feel called to bring our Lord to the elderly, the sick, and all those who are unable to come to Church then the Homebound Ministry might be your calling!

Contact: Raul Rodriguez - rrodriguez@stfoafrisco.org.

Hospital Ministry

The Hospital Ministry brings Holy Communion to persons in the hospital. Bringing Communion to those who are vulnerable in hospitals is the perfect way to bring Christ to those who yearn for his presence.

Contact: Raul Rodriguez - rrodriguez@stfoafrisco.org.

Hospitality/Donut Sunday Ministry

The Hospitality/Donut Sunday Ministry focuses on fostering community and fellowship for all those who attend Sunday Mass. We are looking for volunteers willing to help coordinate Donut Sunday as part of the Hospitality Ministry.

Contact: Pending

KoC Columbian Squires Circle 5450

The Squires develop young men ages 10 - 18 into leaders who understand their Catholic faith, who have a strong commitment to the Church, and are willing to pattern their lives after Christ. The focus is built upon community, spirituality, fellowship and service.

Contact: Raul Perez - lepgecko@icloud.com

KoC - Ladies Auxiliary

The Ladies Auxiliary focus on providing the opportunity for wives (mothers, daughters, granddaughters, sisters, and widows) of Knights of Columbus members to come together in fellowship with the primary goal of providing organized assistance to the St. Francis of Assisi - Knights of Columbus Council 12480.

Contact: Kathleen Smith - smithsut@bellsouth.net

KoC - Squire Roses

The Squire Roses focus on cultivating young women ages 10-18 in programs that benefit the church, the community, as well as in recreational and social activities.

Contact: Stephanie Chilek - squirerosestfoa@gmail.com

Knight of Columbus Council 12480

The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic based Fraternal Organization. We are Catholic men building a bridge back to faith. As Knights, our duty is to lead our families, protect our parishes, and serve our communities. We strive to put faith into action.

Contact: Michael Kells-Murphy - gkcouncil12480@gmail.com

Lectors

Lectors proclaim God's word during Mass and other liturgical celebrations throughout the year. Open to adults and confirmed youth. If you feel called to proclaiming God's word then being a lector might be for you!

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Ministerio de Madre a Madre - MAMÁS

El ministerio de MAMÁS reúne a mujeres de diversas edades y experiencias de vida para participar en un proceso de autoconocimiento y crecimiento espiritual y personal que les permita fortalecer sus lazos familiares y desempeñar su labor de madre siguiendo el ejemplo de la Virgen María.

Contact: Lili Arroyo - ranita181967@gmail.com, Juanita Solís - juanisolisal@hotmail.com

Ministry of Mothers Sharing - MOMS

The MOMS ministry focuses on empowering mothers through the enrichment of Catholic faith and friendships to best serve our families, our parish, and our community.

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Monday Morning Prayer Group

The Monday Morning Prayer Group provides an opportunity each Monday for prayer. The time includes presentation of petitions, scriptural rosary, meditation, and singing of Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Francie Farr - fandr2026@yahoo.com, Bobbie Rigatuso - btuso10@gmail.com

Movimiento Familiar Cristiano Católico - MFCC

El Movimiento Familiar Cristiano Católico USA es una agrupación de familias Católicas que con la asistencia de obispos, sacerdotes, diáconos y religiosos/as, unen sus esfuerzos para promover los valores humanos y cristianos de la familia.

Contact: Eduardo y Karol Flores - edufk88@gmail.com

Music Ministry

The Music Ministry leads the parish in song during the Mass. It is not necessary to be able to read music, only to be able to sing on pitch, blend with the group, and convey a sense of prayer through song.

Contact: Kevin Shelley - kshelley@stfoafrisco.org

Nursing Home Ministry

The Nursing Home Ministry brings Holy Communion and fellowship to those at local senior care facilities. If you feel called to help the elderly and bring Christ to the lives of all those who cannot always make it to mass, this ministry is for you!

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Padres con Hijos Especiales

El Ministerio de Padres con Hijos especiales brinda apoyo con información para todos los padres con hijos especiales que necesitan navegar los recursos que existen, compartir experiencias y conocer donde acudir.

Contact: Elia Huerta - elia.huerta@hotmail.com.

Prison Ministry

The Prison Ministry is a diocesan wide ministry that is tied with the Kolbe Ministry in the Diocese of Dallas. The Prison Ministry holds retreats within different correctional systems within the Dallas Fort-Worth area to bring Christ to those who are in need. There is special training involved in terms of ministering and bringing Christ to inmates that is provided by the Diocese.

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Programa Mujer

El ministerio de Programa Mujer ofrece el programa ANSPAC con un diplomado de 3 años donde se cubren temas de formación humana y formación moral. Todos los temas están dirigidos al crecimiento de la mujer como pieza clave de la familia y la sociedad. Formamos un grupo donde buscamos que cada miembro se sienta incluido y encuentre apoyo y respuesta a todas sus dudas y necesidades del día a día.

Contact: Elizabeth Gutierrez - programamujerfrisco@gmail.com

Pro-Vida

El ministerio de Pro-Vida existe para defender la vida humana desde la concepción hasta la muerte natural, promoviendo una "cultura de la vida" y creando conciencia de la santidad de toda la vida, especialmente de los no nacidos.

Contact: Martha Banuelos- txmarthab@yahoo.com

Respect Life

The Respect Life ministry promotes and defends the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death by working to build up the Culture of Life through prayer, word, and deed.

Contact: Kerry Rhodes - respectlife.stfoa@gmail.com

Safety Ministers

Safety Ministers strive to provide a safe and secure environment for our parishioners to gather and worship together. The Safety Ministers prevent/mitigate disturbances by relying on established skills and expertise obtained through their career/experience. To participate, you must have experience in active or retired law enforcement, EMS/fire, government, certified security, military, or martial arts.

Contact: Ginny Milich - gmilich@stfoafrisco.org

Salve Regina

Salve Regina focuses on supporting and empowering parents so they feel equipped to educate their own children. We are committed to forming both mind and spirit, with a primary goal of sharing eternity with our Father in Heaven.

Contact: Stephanie Chilek - stephanie@salveregina.us

Society of St. Vincent de Paul - SVDP

St. Vincent de Paul provides Christ's love and financial support for the needy, regardless of race, origin, religion or gender. We invite you to volunteer. If you need assistance call our Helpline — (469) 305-0391.

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Spiritual Direction

Spiritual Direction is an opportunity for an individual to sit in conversation with an individual trained in the art of spiritual direction. The spiritual director invites the directee to sit in conversation with him/her and the Lord.

Through open, wondering and exploratory questions the director leads or guides (directs) the directee to grow in their relationship with the Lord. Spiritual direction is not pastoral counseling or problem solving sessions. It is an opportunity for the directee to explore God's presence in his/her everyday life.

Contact: Amy Yoste, Cathy Gonzalez - sfoasadministry@gmail.com

St. Catherine's Heart

St. Catherine's Heart Ministry provides support and resources to families experiencing miscarriage, infant loss, and infertility, while asking St. Catherine of Sweden, the patron saint of protection against abortion and miscarriage, to always keep all who are experiencing these struggles in her prayers.

Contact: Carrie Fontenot, Jacqueline Rochau - stcatherinesheart@gmail.com

Stephen Ministry

Stephen Ministry is focused on equipping lay caregivers, called Stephen Ministers, to accompany people who are hurting. We provide high-quality confidential Christ-centered care.

Contact: Cathy Gonzalez, Margaret Scott - stfrancisstephenministry@gmail.com

Substance Abuse Ministry

Substance Abuse Ministry (SAM) focuses on ministering to those in the community who suffer the devastating effects of addiction. SAM serves not only the person with the addiction problems, but also their families, friends and faith community. All calls are confidential.

Contact: Pending

Talleres de Oracion y Vida- TOV

El ministerio Talleres de Oracion tiene como enfoque el aprender a orar para aprender a vivir. Es una escuela de oración y vida, donde descubres la infinita ternura del Padre para saberse amado y dejarse amar. Te ayuda a mejorar tu relación con Dios, contigo mismo y con los hermanos. Aprende a liberarte de angustias, miedos y tristezas, para avanzar a la liberación interior y recobrar la estabilidad emocional y el encanto de vivir.

Contact: Jesus Huerta - jhuerta316@yahoo.com

Teams of Our Lady Marriage Movement

Teams of Our Lady is an international movement of married spirituality focused on deepening the graces of the Sacrament of Marriage. It is for all married couples, all ages, with or without children.

Contact: Amy and Kevin Klimczyk - amyk2006@sbcglobal.net, ksquared68@gmail.com

That Man is You

That Man is You is a program that focuses on addressing the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers.

Contact: Mike Gage- tmiystfrancis@gmail.com

Thanksgiving Box Ministry

The Thanksgiving Box Ministry functions through donation of cash, gift cards, or purchase a list of ingredients. One Sunday in November these are inventoried, boxed and delivered to Frisco Family services for distribution to families in our community in need or in crisis allowing them to prepare a special Thanksgiving meal.

Contact: Raul Perez- lepgecko@icloud.com

Ushers

Ushers help assist in the logistics of the mass. Ushers have responsibilities such as assisting in seating, taking up the collection, directing parishioners during Holy Communion and distribution of bulletins at the end of mass. They work together with the Safety Ministers ensuring everyone is safe and accommodated in the pews.

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Women of St. Francis

The Women of St. Francis focus on cultivating the spiritual growth of the women of the parish and to assist in the promotion of the activities of the parish. It is an organization of women dedicated to spirituality, service and fellowship. Website: www.wosf.org

Contact: Marla Johnston - marlajane2@att.net

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a group of Encountered Couples who meet monthly to enrich their sacrament of marriage through communication and dialogue.

Contact: Bryan and Melissa Causey - melissacausey@gmail.com

Young Adults

St. Francis Young Adults primary mission is to share the joy of Christ with the Young Adults (ages 18-35) of St. Francis and to spread His love, peace, and mercy with the world.

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