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**St. Francis of Assisi** is a Roman Catholic Church steeped in history, yet forward thinking, creating a positive impact on our community while bringing brothers and sisters in Christ together to be the hands and feet of Jesus. In the true Franciscan way, we sow the seeds of the future in the good soil of tradition.

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### **SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2023**

11:30am - Grayce Fazio♥, Gabrielle Manganero♥ 4:30pm - Cornell Alesi♥, Martha Brenner♥

### **SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023**

8:00am - St. Francis Parishioners

10:00am - Ruth Terc \( \Pi \), Leon Joseph Zeibaq \( \Pi \), Kate & Charles Porto \( \Pi \)

12:00pm - Grayce Fazio♥, Eileen Shields♥,

Gabrielle Manganero , Dot O'Donnell 5:00pm - Felisa Hingpit , Youth of St. Francis

### **MONDAY, JUNE 5, 2023**

8:30am - Carl Abramowitz₽

**TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 2023** 

8:30am - Gwendolyn Neary

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 2023

8:30am - Maria Cristina de Vizcaino &

### **THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 2023**

8:30am - Ruth Terct

**FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 2023** 

8:30am - Ints. of the DeStefano Family

### SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 2023

4:30pm - Wayne A. Sitar ₽

### **DEVOTIONAL LIFE - HOLY HOURS**

### **HOLY HOUR FOR PRIESTS**

- Mondays: 12:30pm - 1:30pm

### SACRED HEART HOLY HOUR

- Wednesdays: 6:30pm - 7:30pm

PATRIOTIC HOLY HOUR - Fridays: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

**ADORATION** - Mondays & Fridays: 9:00am - 5:00pm

**ROSARY** - Daily at 8:00am in the church

**HAITIAN MASS** - Every 3rd Saturday at 6:30pm

Deacon Jean Cantave: 631-896-3747

### **LECTOR/EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

### **SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2023**

4:30pm - Lector - William O'Brien

**Eucharistic Ministers** - Deacon Allan Longo,

Anne Bardunias, Michael Bardunias

### **SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023 -**

### **SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

8:00am - Lector - James Gribbin

**Eucharistic Ministers** - Deacon Allan Longo, Erin O'Hea, Carol O'Hea

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10:00am - Lector - Peter Dowd

Eucharistic Ministers - Deacon Jean Cantave,

Louise Mordarski, Michael Mordarski

12:00pm - Lector - Nancy Christensen

**Eucharistic Ministers** – Deacon Jim Byrne

Thomas Buckley, Teresa Iaquinto

5:00pm - Lector - Diane Young

**Eucharistic Ministers** - Catherine Kitakis, Laurel Waite

### SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 2023

4:30pm - Lector - Donna Tanzi

**Eucharistic Ministers** - Deacon Jim Byrne,

Marie Ingrid Dejoie, Carol Ann Gallo Russo

### SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2023 - SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

8:00am - Lector - Gawaine Esteibar

**Eucharistic Ministers** - Deacon Jean Cantave,

Catherine Armstrong, Rosemarie Esteibar

10:00am - Lector - Andrej Brchnel

Eucharistic Ministers - Deacon Allan Longo,

Lorraine Longo, Karen Murphy

12:00pm - Lector - Ellen Lobasso

**Eucharistic Ministers** - Deacon Jim Byrne

Kathleen Dyckes, Teresa Iaquinto

5:00pm - Lector - Michael Kitakis

**Eucharistic Ministers** - Catherine Kitakis, Diane Young

**THE RECTORY** office will be open at regular hours **9AM - 3PM**. Masks must be worn in the office.

### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**

Saturday 2PM - 3:30PM

Call Rectory for private confessions

### BULLETIN REFLECTION

We have a loving God who gave us His only Son so that we may have eternal life.
Glory and Praise be to God, forever!

## LIVING STEWARDSHIP PILLAR OF SERVICE

This week, be sure to take time out of each day to say "thank you" to our God for all the gifts and blessings He has bestowed on you.

## THE PASTOR'S DESK A MESSAGE FROM FATHER PETER

### **Corpus Christi Procession**

Our American Bishops have asked us to all become involved with a special effort to revive belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist by participating in a Corpus Christi Procession next Sunday, June 11. This is an authentic revival of a Catholic devotion stemming from the countless moments of faith response of believers.

The feast of Corpus Christi itself stems from the response of believers to the dramatic Eucharistic miracles reported in the Middle Ages. The most dramatic is probably the miracle that occurred near the Umbrian city in Italy of Orvieto. A foreign priest was



journeying to Rome on business for his Bishop. He doubted at the moment of consecration that anything really happened. He received a sign from God to help his wavering faith – the Host bled onto the corporal (alter cloth) and thoroughly stained it. The priest, his faith restored, hurried back to Orvieto where the bishop planned a great procession through the city.

Join us for our own procession through the streets of Greenlawn. Immediately after the 12:00 Mass next Sunday we will gather at the front of the church; Deacon Jean will carry the Monstrance and Host, and the other deacons and I will be part of the procession. We will process just under a mile through a quiet neighborhood (Frost Pond, Pine Hollow area.) This is meant to be a joyful, public celebrating event demonstrating our faith in Christ's real presence in this great sacrament. Long ago many such processions occurred in our streets. We want all the world to see our gratitude to God for so great a gift. Once again, Join us!

St. Francis of Assisi Upcoming Events

**June 2023** 



Saturday, June 3
Box City Overnight
Youth Ministry

Sunday, June 11 Feast of Corpus Christi After 10:00am Mass

Friday, June 16 Parish Paint Night 7:00pm

Friday, June 16 Overnight Adoration 9:00pm - 5:30am Saturday, June 17 Haitian Mass 6:30pm

Saturday, June 17 Wiffle Ball Tournament

Check-in 8:30am 1st Pitch 9:00am Rain Date: June 18

Saturday, June 17 St. Francis Liturgical

St. Francis Liturgica Ensemble & Choir 6:30pm

For more details, visit our website at: stfrancisgreenlawn.org

# AN UPDATE FOR Eucharistic Revival AT ST. FRANCIS

"Will You not revive us again, that Your people may rejoice in You?" - Psalm 85:6

Because of great interest from our parishioners in participating in the Revival scheduled for October, the following has resulted in:

- Expansion of Adoration hours each Thursday from 1:00pm through 8:00pm
- The following ministries will be processing through the neighborhood with the Blessed Sacrament Sunday, June 11 the Solemnity of Corpus Christi after 12noon Mass:
  - o Society of St. Vincent de Paul
  - The Carmelites (will host refreshments after Benediction)
  - o Divine Will Study Group
  - Religious Educators and students
  - Sacred Heart Novena members

We look forward to hearing from other parish groups. Call Mike Lobasso, 631 486-2155



# Greenlawn Father's Day Weekend Charity Wiffle Ball Tournament to benefit those in need

(Slow & Fast Pitch)

Saturday, June 17, 2023

**Harborfields High School (Tennis Court Entrance)** 

Check- In begins at 8:30am, 1st Pitch at 9:00am

Rain Date: Sunday, June 18, 2023

\$50 registration fee for teams of 3 - 5 players; individuals may register for \$10 and be added to a team. Singles welcome and will be assigned to a team. All must bat and play defense. Must swing with both hands. No base running. No baseball gloves or cleats. Bat & balls will be provided.

Registration starts May 1, 2023
Please register by June 10, 2023
There will be same day registration

Registrants will receive a free t-shirt. As supplies last.

Registration Link: <a href="https://bit.ly/wiffleball2023">https://bit.ly/wiffleball2023</a>

Sponsorships Available. Contact Philip at St. Vincent de Paul 631-651-2655, or email Phil at Wiffletime@yahoo.com

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Pitcher's Challenge, and other Contests, Raffles,

and Trophies

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Banner Sponsor \$100

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Slow Pitch Tournament - Minor League	
Fast Pitch Tournament - Major League	
Name of Captain and email address:	
Name of Team:	
Number of Players on team:	
Shirt size for team members: S# M# L#	_XL#
Registration fee Whole Team 3 - 5 players Individ	lual
Registration Link: https://bit.ly/wiffleball2023	

Registration forms with checks can also be mailed to Greenlawn Civic Association PO Box 332, Greenlawn, NY 11740





### STARFISH COFFEE HOUSE

We have heard a lot from this ministry lately! The members of the Coffee House gather on a regular basis to share faith and talk about issues of the day. Geared towards adults from 18 to 40, the group is open to new members, and has a schedule of activities related to relevant issues today. Meetings are in person and on Zoom. Make Coffee an Instrument of Your Peace! For more information contact onestarfishthrower@gmail.com.





## **HAITIAN**COMMUNITY

Contact Deacon Jean Cantave 631.896.3747 • jdcantave1961@gmail.com



Contact us at onestarfishthrower@gmail.com





## THIRD ORDER LAY CARMELITES

Contact Mike & Ellen Lobasso at 631.486.2155

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL

Contact Mary Lamagna 631.662.1036





## **SERENITY CINEMA**

Contact Ellen Lobasso 631.486.2155

### **BIBLE STUDY**

instructed by Barbara Campbell







## HANDICAPPED ENCOUNTER CHRIST

Contact Deacon Allan Longo als68longo@yahoo.com

## **DIVINE WILL** STUDY GROUP

Contact Tom & Anne Buckley 631.651.2619 Contact Ellen Lobasso • 631.486.2155





## OUR LADY'S HOME VISITATION PROGRAM

Contact Louise Mordarski 631.796.2070 louisemordarski@gmail.com

### ST. FRANCIS SENIORS

Contact Pat McDonough 631.261.4206





### **STEWARDSHIP**

Contact Pat Brennan 631.757.8775 • pjb813@aol.com

### **BETANIA XIII**

Contact Tom & Anne Buckley 631.651.2619 buckleya032@gmail.com





### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

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## **ADULT CHOIR**

Contact Peter Schubart stfrancismusic29@gmail.com



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## **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Contact Anita Modelewski 631.754.6436 • stfrancisreled@aol.com

## USHERS & GREETERS

Contact Steven Hearl 631.219.0637 • shearl43@verizon.net





## **CHRISTIAN**INITIATION

Contact Deacon Jim Byrne 631.757.3389 1cor12v4to11@gmail.com

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Contact Ivonne Porpora 631,499,3780 saintfrancisyouthministry@gmail.com





### **ALTAR SERVERS**

Contact Deacan Allan Longo als68longo@yahoo.com

## **BAPTISM**PREPARATION

Contact the Rectory 631,757,7435





## INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE

Contact Peter Schubart stfrancismusic29@gmail.com

### INSTRUMENTS OF PEACE YOUTH ROCK BAND

Contact Greg Gullotti 516.449.4346 • ggullotti1@optonline.net





## LITTLE PEOPLE'S LITURGY

Contact Adam Wessinger awessa@gmail.com

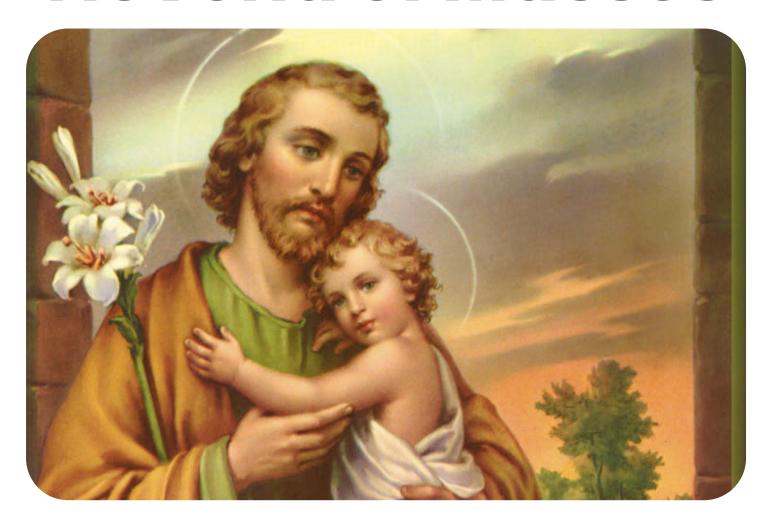
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# FATHER'S DAY Novena of Masses



Remember your Father and Grandfather, living or deceased, with a loving spiritual gift-remembrance in the

### Father's Day Novena of Masses June 17 – June 23

Return your envelope with intentions and remittance to the Rectory, to the special box in the main lobby, or in the Sunday collection.

# ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI FUNDRAISER Parish Paint Night



# Friday, June 16 • 7PM in the Lower Church \$50.00 per person



## SAVE THE DATE

Join us for a fun evening of painting as we create a landscape scene on canvas!

Includes the following: all art supplies, coffee, tea, wine, snacks
Reservations & Payment must be made in advance in the rectory – no admission at the door!

Deadline: Wednesday June 14 Call the Rectory at 631-757-7435

Email: stfrancisgreenlawn@gmail.com

### life & social ministries

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### **PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY GANG**

This ministry gathers together on the third Sunday of each month to make as many peanut butter & jelly sandwiches as possible to hand out to people in our community experiencing food insecurity. Different groups have participated together – sports teams, parish ministries, students for community service – all are welcome to help, as they are always trying for a new record! Please consider pitching in to make sandwiches with new friends in this worthy ministry. The next meeting is Sunday, July 16 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. Let's Outnumber Hunger! For details, please contact Leslie Kulewicz at lesliekulewicz@hotmail.com.





### **BABY CORNER**

Contact Eileen Byrne 631.757.7435 ext2 eileenpbyrne@gmail.com

### **PB&J GANG**

Contact Ivonne Porpora porporas7@gmail.com Contact Leslie Kulewicz 631.754.2132 • lesliekulewicz@hotmail.com



# SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Contact Phyllis Pottinger 631.651,2655 • aphenomenal@optonline.net

### ALTAR SOCIETY

Contact Clare Internann 631.261.3473 intey@optonline.net



### **EVANGELIZATION**



Contact Peter Dowd 631.235.8493 peterdowd1213@yahoo.com

## RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE





## 2023 PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL

Tom Buckley Deacon Jean Cantave John Destefano Steven Hearl Deacon Allan Longo Michael Mordarski Paul Sepp Deacon Jim Byrne Neil Coscio Mary Ann Farmer Michael Kitakis Kelly McGuiness Rosie Nelan Diane Young

### Our Faith in Action Plan

Embracing Dramatic Missionary Growth.

**GET INVOLVED!** 

# St. Francis of Assisi > BOOSTER CLUB May Winners of 2023

### \$60 Weekly winners

May 1st - Margaret Kozub May 8th - Marie McConnell May 15th - Robert Emprimo May 22nd - Tom Buckley

## \$300 Monthly winner May 29th - Patty Amirrato

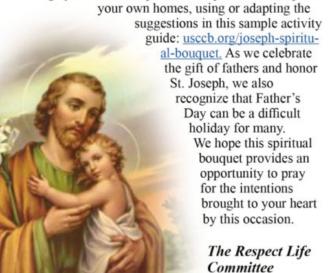
You can still join our Booster Club and support our parish. Return your tickets or purchase at the Rectory/online at our parish website.

\$50 per ticket is in the running all year long!

"GOD LOVES A CHEERFUL GIVER!"

### **Father's Day Prayer Intentions**

This Father's Day weekend, we invite you to join us in offering a spiritual bouquet to St. Joseph, seeking his intercession and thanking him for his fatherly care. We invite you to share with us your prayer intentions to be entrusted to St. Joseph. Please place your intentions and/or prayers of Thanksgiving in the baskets found in the lobbies. Your intentions will be placed in front of the Statue of St. Joseph on the altar on Father's Day. We also encourage you to offer a spiritual bouquet to St. Joseph in



## HELP AND HOPE for Kensington Supply Drive

The Kensington Community in Northern Philadelphia is an area in dire need of food and other necessities. Michael Grogan, whose ministry serves the poorest among us, brings help and hope to people otherwise forgotten. With the help of donations, he can bring needed supplies and the comfort of God's word to those who are suffering.

Donations of the following items would be greatly appreciated!

Please bring items to the Lower Church Room 7 no later than Wednesday, June 14.

### Non-perishable food items

- Large bags of rice
- Canned red and black beans
- · Canned vegetables
- Tuna fish
- Canned soups
- · Chicken & Beef broth
- Cans of Chef Boyardee products
- · Skippy/ Jif jars of peanut butter
- Jelly
- Ramen noodles
- Boxes of cereal (Ex: corn flakes, Cheerios, etc.)
- Oatmeal
- · Coffee, teabags, hot chocolate
- Pasta
- Jarred tomato sauce
- Boxes Mac & Cheese
- Boxed stuffing
- Trail Mix

- Ketchup & mustard
- Canned crushed tomatoes in bulk (to make large pots of chili)
- Small chip bags and snack bags for the homeless
- Pancake Mix
- Cake mixes & frosting
- Powder drink mixes like iced tea and lemonade
- Non perishable fruit juices

### **Toiletries**

- Bars of soap
- Shampoo /body wash
- Toothpaste and toothbrushes
- Deodorant sticks for men

### **Cleaning supplies**

- Mops
- Dish soap
- Cleaning solutions to clean countertops and floors
- Sponges and rags

### **Paper Goods**

- Plastic sandwich bags in bulk
- · Large freezer bags in bulk
- Kitchen size garbage bags
- Aluminum foil
- Plastic utensils particularly spoons in bulk
- Plastic or paper bowls or Styrofoam bowls in bulk for food distribution to the homeless

### **Bedding**

Twin size bed sets of sheets Pillows and pillowcases

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Our prayer list is updated monthly in alphabetical order. Please **contact the Rectory** with any additions or changes.

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### **SUNDAY COLLECTION - 2023**

Total Donations in May 13/14: \$6,883.00 | Faith Direct in May: \$8,454.00 Donations in the Pew and Mail-in for Week Ending in May 14: \$1,785.00



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