

Masses: SATURDAY 4:30pm · SUNDAY 8am, 10am, 12pm, 5pm · MON - FRI 8:30am

St. Francis of Assisi "Let me sow your love"

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JOHN 6:57-58

JUNE 11, 2023 • THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST

#### **OUR MISSION**

**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 10, 2023

4:30pm - Wayne A. Sitart, Teresa Taylort

#### **SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2023**

8:00am - St. Francis Parishioners 10:00am - Lucille Gonzales⊅, Brendan Byrne⊅, Ints. Bishop John Barres

 12:00pm - Frank & Anna Trotta♥, Nicholas & Rose Trotta♥, Frank Russo♥, Dcn Kenneth Clifford♥
5:00pm - Youth of St. Francis

### MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2023

8:30am - Eileen Shields⊕ TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 2023

8:30am - Ints. to St. Anthony, St. Jude & Padre Pio

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 2023 8:30am - A poor soul

**THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 2023 8:30am** – Ints. of the DeStefano Family

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 2023 8:30am - Barbara Brennant

# SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 20234:30pm - Those enrolled in the Father's Day Novena of Masses

#### **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 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

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2023

4:30pm - Lector - Lorraine Fusaro Eucharistic Ministers - Deacon Jean Cantave, Emilia Caravousanos, Mary Schlaikjer

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 2023 -

**ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:00am - Lector -** Rosemarie Esteibar

Eucharistic Ministers - Deacon Allan Longo, Gawaine Esteibar, Lorraine Longo 10:00am - Lector - Michael Mordarski Eucharistic Ministers - Deacon Jim Byrne,

Peter Dowd, Charles Giardino

12:00pm - Lector - Kathleen Dyckes Eucharistic Ministers - Deacon Jean Cantave, Thomas Buckley, Mary Ann Farmer

**5:00pm - Lector -** Jeffrey Froh **Eucharistic Ministers -** Catherine Kitakis, Laurel Waite

**THE RECTORY:** Will be closed on **JUNETEENTH** (JUNE 19TH), After that it will be open at regular hours **9AM - 3PM**.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday 2PM - 3:30PM, Call Rectory for private confessions

#### BULLETIN REFLECTION

In today's Gospel, we hear a part of the Bread of Life discourse. Jesus is telling us, NOT metaphorically, that He IS the Bread of Life and we are to eat of His body.

#### LIVING STEWARDSHIP PILLAR OF FORMATION

70% of Catholics do not believe that the bread and wine used for communion actually transform into the Body and Blood of Christ. Pray for those who do not believe in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist (Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity) and teach those about the beauty and miracle of the Eucharist.

# THE PASTOR'S DESK A MESSAGE FROM FATHER PETER

## More on Pentecost!

We Catholics still have a way to go in understanding Pentecost and its place in our lives. We all know that on the liturgical scale it ranks very high with Easter and Christmas! However, we need to know exactly why! Jesus said very clearly: to live fully the new Christian life we need "another advocate"- The spirit of truth. At His ascension He spoke of waiting to be clothed with "power from on high." At our baptism and confirmation we received the gifts of the Holy Spirit but as small seeds that need to grow, to ripen and develop over time.

We have the gifts now; our living calls us to use and develop them, and grow strong in them. At the heart of the Spirit's work is a certain unpredictability and suddenness. We cannot control his coming, although in responding correctly we channel his power toward recipients! Our faith in God is meant to be a living active force of love. The True Christian is never bored! The Holy Spirit sees to that!







June 11th: The Solemnity of Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

> Today as we celebrate the gift of the Body and Blood of Christ let us pray for those who are hungry, malnourished and starving.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St.Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are hungry.

\*Checks made payable to Society of St. Vincent de Paul and dropped in the collection baskets will help us serve our neighbors in need throughout the Greenlawn area.



# Greenlawn Father's Day Weekend Charity Wiffle<sup>®</sup>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, 1<sup>st</sup> 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 Home Run Derby, Pitcher's Challenge, and other Contests, Raffles, and Trophies

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

Registration Link: <u>https://bit.ly/wiffleball2023</u>

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

Home Plate Sponsor	Home Plate Sponsor \$1,500			Bat / Ball Sponsor \$250		
Tee Shirt Sponsor	\$4	00		Banner Sponsor	\$100	
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Slow Pitch Tournament - Minor	League					
Fast Pitch Tournament - Major	eague					
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	3 - 5 plav	/ers	_Individual			
Registration Link: https://bit.ly/wiffle	ball202	3				

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



Proceeds will support the local outreach efforts and programs at Greenlawn Civic Association & Society of St. Vincent de Paul.



## our community

# **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.





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EUCHARISTIC

ADORATION CHAPEL

**STARFISH YOUNG ADULT** 

**COFFEE HOUSE** 



COMMUNITY





Contact Mike & Ellen Lobasso at 631.486.2155



**BIBLE STUDY** instructed by Barbara Campbell



**Contact Mary Ann Farmer** 631.351.1148 • inthedel@gmail.com

# **DIVINE WILL STUDY GROUP**



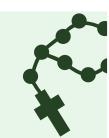
## **ST. FRANCIS SENIORS**



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SERENITY

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#### **OUR LADY'S HOME VISITATION PROGRAM**

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# STEWARDSHIP

Contact Pat Brennan 631.757.8775 • pjb813@aol.com



## our ministries

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### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

FEATURED MINISTRY

Learning about our faith sets all children on a path towards a lifelong relationship with God. Religious Ed prepares students for the sacraments of Reconciliation, Holy Communion, and Confirmation, and helps them develop an understanding of themselves and others. The program promotes spiritual, moral, social and cultural development so important today, and families as well as children are invited to participate fully in deepening their faith. For more information, or to register a student, please visit the parish website, or contact Anita Modelewski at (631)754-6436.

**CHOIR** 





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## **BAPTISM** PREPARATION



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### INSTRUMENTS OF PEACE YOUTH ROCK BAND



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Contact Adam Wessinger awessa@gmail.com Come Hear the Voices and Instrumentalists of St. Francis in Concert

# Performing Works by:

Mozart, J.S.Bach, Piazzolla, John Rutter and more.....

## Featuring:

The St. Francis of Assisi Choir, Instrumental Ensemble and Soloists

# Saturday, June 17th / 7:30pm

St, Francis of Assisi Church 29 Clay Pitts Rd., Greenlawn, NY 11740

FREE WILL DONATION TO BENEFIT THE ST. FRANCIS MUSIC MINISTRY life & social ministries

# ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI FUNDRAISER Parish Paint Night

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

# The spirit of huntington Hosted by ARTCENTER Spirit Of Huntington Art Center

# 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

### **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.





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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





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**EVANGELIZATION** 

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# RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE



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## **2023 PARISH** ADVISORY COUNCIL

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# Our Faith in Action Plan

Embracing Dramatic Missionary Growth.

**GET INVOLVED!** 



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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!"** 

# **ALL HANDS ON DECK!**

Our appeal for help with a Summer Parish Picnic has gathered several responses! Just a few more, and we will have a good number for a committee to make this a great event!

**TENTATIVE DATE:** Late August, or around Labor Day weekend

A Fun-filled Relaxing Day of Food, Activities, and Community Camaraderie! Open to suggestions on activities to include

Contact the Rectory to add your name to the list of planners.

# Here's your chance to contribute your best ideas!

"Many hands make light work!"

# **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

# 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.



Kiaralis Amaya, Kathleen Stevens Ashbaugh, Helen Brchnel, Shirley Brown, Sophia Capobianco, Jorge Luis Camacho-DeJesus Debbie Carson, Carol Cheshire, Sharon Chillemi, Joe Clines, Kaylee Elizabeth Collins, Linda Connors, The D'Amora Family, Miranda D'Angelo, John Dougherty, Peggy Evans, Helen Gillen Flanders, Carole Giordano, Joseph & Cynthia Giordano, Daniel Goodman, Bridget Connors Groeger, Hans Kaemmlein, Christopher Klemfuss, Chelsea & James Leblanc, Karen Leibold, Janice Lewis, Leo Marcotte, Hedwig Maranchuck, Debbie Mascioli, Michael McGloin, Theresa McQuade, Robert Mecca, Chad Morris, Esmeralda Mosone, Margaret Murray, Dorothy Ott, Maria Parisa, Maryann Plump, Veronica Porter, Frank Prisinzano, Arlene Russo, Viviana Trapani, Theresa Villani, Jeffrey Wheeler, Karen Winterlich, John Zammillo, Irene

Our prayer list is updated monthly in alphabetical order. Please **contact the Rectory** with any additions or changes. **631.757.7435** • stfrancisgreenlawn@gmail.com



#### **SUNDAY COLLECTION - 2023** Total Donations for the Week Ending in May 27/28: \$6,222.00 Donations in the Pew and Mail-in for Week Ending in May 28: \$475.00



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