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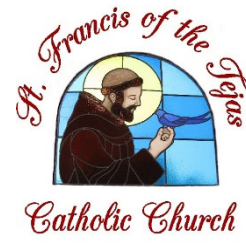
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November 7, 2021
Thirty-Second Sunday
in Ordinary Time
7 de Noviembre 2021
Trigésimo Segundo Domingo
del Tiempo Ordinario

CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE
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6 MONTHS before, for **Marriage Preparation**
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As soon as possible for **Funerals**
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Quinceañera 1 año antes de sus 15 años

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RICA
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Mass Schedule and Intentions
Misa Horario y Intenciones

Sun/Dom 07	Fr. Luis Pena 8:30am People of St. Francis 11:30am Pueblo de San Francisco
Tue/Mar 9	8:30am People of St. Francis
Wed/Mié 10	Fr. Joby Leaves on Vacation & Returns December 2
Sat/Sáb 13	Fr. Luis Pena 1:00pm Presentación Gonzalez 5:30pm People of St. Francis
Sun/Dom 14	Fr. Luis Pena 8:30am Helen Breazeale † Req by Deborah Rankin 11:30am Pueblo de San Francisco



Mass readings for the week:

Sun/ Dom	07 1 Kgs 17:10-16, Heb 9:24-28, & Mk 12:38-44 <i>Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Trigésimo Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario</i>
Mon/Lun	08 Wis 1:1-7, Lk 17:1-6
Tue/Mar	09 Ez 47:1-12, 1 Cor 3:9-17 Jn 2:13-22 <i>The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</i>
Wed/Mié	10 Wis 6:1-11, Lk 17:11-19 <i>St Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church</i>
Thu/Jue	11 Wis 7:22-8:1, Lk 17:11-19 <i>St Martin of Tours, Bishop</i>
Fri/Vie	12 Wis 13:1-9, Lk 17:26-37
Sat/Sáb	13 Wis 18:14-19:9, Lk 18:1-8
Sun/ Dom	14 Dn 12:1-3, Heb 10:11-18, & Mk 13:24-32 <i>Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Trigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario</i>



In need of prayer/En necesidad de oración
Marny Benedict, Keith Hopson, Jason & Jennifer Carter, Sherald Cecil Wood, Kristy Dancer, Doris Rekieta, Russell Bond, Connie Zuercher, Sam Armstrong, Scarlett Buys, Liz Gaylord, Michael & Joy Philips, Dean Thompson, Susan Abshire, Mary Caviness, Erin Ford, Molly Johnson, Thelma Poole, Walter Stewart, Genevieve Broeder, Rosalie Lobpries, Ralph & Bobbie Reeves, Cameron Schneider, Virginia Kinart, Lola Calvert, Kala Coclazo, Andrea Nguyen, Leo Poirer, Sharon Anderson, John Kulp, Sherrie Abbott, Phylis Shupak, Milt Brown, Kylie Cullinan, Orval Mize, Bill Hammer, Will Fremont, Jesús Ponce, Travis Bitner, Marilyn Harding, Joyce Gouldie, TJ & Julie Webb, Steve Sanford, Jonathan Foster, Judy Harwick, Jeanne Gatz, Roy Smith, Alfredo Vásquez, Sam & Margaret Burnett, Norma Powell, Sarah Swar, Bertha Cambell, Juan Bernardo Arvizu and all active military.

Prophets: Messengers of God's Mercy
If we consider that God is the Divine Bridegroom and the Church is his Bride, then the prophets can be seen as "spiritual marriage counselors." They afflict the comfortable and comfort the afflicted, calling us to return to our covenant relationship with God. They urge us to repentance, warn us of the dangers of sin, and announce the blessings of faithfulness. Their prophetic words speak to us even today, as they draw us closer to our heavenly Bridegroom.
St. Francis will begin a ten-week Bible study "Prophets: Messengers of God's Mercy" on January 9, 2022 at 9:15am in the Parish Hall, Deacon's Room. Participants will meet as scheduled to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. Class registration is available online at stfranciscrockett.com. For more information or to help in registering, contact Jim Rankin after Mass. Please note the 9:15am start time, this is to better accommodate those who have additional commitments on Sundays. A minimum of 10 registrants is required for this class to form!

We will have a Communion Service at 8:30am on: November 17th, 24th & December 1st




Tendremos un Servicio de Comunión a las 8:30 am en: 17, 24 de Noviembre y 1 de Diciembre

Ladies Guild will meet on November 14th after the 8:30am Mass. All women of St. Francis are welcome.

Hermanidad de Mujeres se reunirá el 14 de Noviembre después de la misa de las 8:30 am. Todas las mujeres de San Francisco son bienvenidas.

Birthday Blessings Bendiciones para Cumpleaños

- Nov 07 Melissa Beckham, & Ma. Elena Sánchez
- Nov 08 Ana Distefano, Adrean Gonzalez, Annie Rodriguez, Carmen Sosa, & Brandon Villanueva
- Nov 09 Ma. Elena Aguilar, & Esmeralda Torres
- Nov 10 Ellen Andreasen, Antonio Arcivar, Naomi Diaz, Mayra Martinez, & Sue Teets

- Nov 12 Aurelia Cruz, Meredith Ecord, & Maritza Mendez
 - Nov 13 Olivia Aguilar, José Cervantes, & Leo Poirier
 - Nov 14 Blanca Anzaldúa, Barbara Chenette, Andrés Cruz, Karen Erickson, & Víctor Garcia
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October/Octubre Total Regular Collections \$11,415.00
Total Given Online \$1215.00

DATE	SAT 5:30PM	SUN 8:30AM	SUN 11:30AM	TOTAL
Oct 3	\$113.00	\$939.00	\$584.00	\$1636.00
Oct 10	\$442.00	\$1469.00	\$383.00	\$2294.00
Oct 17	\$423.00	\$1384.00	\$802.00	\$2609.00
Oct 24	\$685.00	\$937.00	\$608.00	\$2230.00
Oct 31	\$425.00	\$800.00	\$1421.00	\$2646.00

Deposits for Sunday October 31 de Octubre Depositos

Regular	\$2746.00
Loaves & Fishes	\$853.00
All Saints (Nov 1)	\$123.00
Church Use Donation	\$100.00
World Mission	\$5.00
Festival	\$180.00

Dichos los pobres de Espíritu, porque de ellos es el reino de los cielos.

Hold Nothing Back
It would be easy to look at today's stories of the two widows simply as cautionary tales, there to remind us to be generous. But generosity is just a surface-level interpretation of what is laid out for us, probably because that interpretation is more comfortable and less inconvenient than the truth. The actions of these two women—relegated to the margins because of their status—focus not on if we give but how we give. The widow who makes a cake for Elijah has nothing remaining for herself or her son. Still, she trusts that all will be well and gives the last of what she has. The widow in the Gospel gives her last two coins, holding nothing back for herself. Remember the early days of the 2020 pandemic, when toilet paper shelves were picked clean and hand sanitizer and disinfectants were nonexistent? When we donated to the parish food pantry, did we throw in one of our coveted packs of toilet paper, or did we donate the cans of soup that no one in the house liked? Did we give from our abundance or from our lack? So often we view our entire lives from a place of lack—even when we are well fed and living in comfort. We cling to our "stuff" in fear that at some point there won't be enough, and we'll need our stockpile.
The widows are not just the moral of a story but a compass for the journey. Mary DeTurris Poust is a writer, retreat leader, and the author of numerous books on Catholic spirituality. She writes about the spiritual journey on her blog, Not Strictly Spiritual, and in her monthly column, Life Lines. She lives in upstate New York with her husband, Dennis, and their three children.

No Retengas Nada
Sería fácil ver las historias de hoy de las dos viudas simplemente como cuentos de advertencia, para recordarnos que debemos ser generosos. Pero la generosidad es solo una interpretación superficial de lo que se nos presenta, probablemente porque esa interpretación es más cómoda y menos inconveniente que la verdad. Las acciones de estas dos mujeres, relegadas a los márgenes por su estatus, se centran no en si damos, sino en cómo damos. A la viuda que le hace un pastel a Elija no le queda nada para ella ni para su hijo. Aún así, confía en que todo irá bien y da lo último de lo que tiene. La viuda del Evangelio le da las dos últimas monedas, sin guardar nada para ella. ¿Recuerda los primeros días de la pandemia de 2020, cuando los estantes de papel higiénico se limpiaban y los desinfectantes y desinfectantes para manos eran inexistentes? Cuando donamos a la despensa de alimentos de la parroquia, ¿tiramos uno de nuestros codiciados paquetes de papel higiénico, o donamos las latas de sopa que a nadie en la casa le gustó? ¿Dimos de nuestra abundancia o de nuestra falta? Muy a menudo vemos toda nuestra vida desde un lugar de escasez, incluso cuando estamos bien alimentados y viviendo cómodamente. Nos aferramos a nuestras "cosas" por temor a que en algún momento no haya suficientes y necesitemos nuestro arsenal. Las viudas no son solo la moraleja de una historia, sino una brújula para el viaje. Mary DeTurris Poust es escritora, líder de retiros y autora de numerosos libros sobre espiritualidad católica. Escribe sobre el viaje espiritual en su blog, Not Strictly Spiritual, y en su columna mensual, Líneas de vida. Vive en el norte del estado de Nueva York con su esposo, Dennis, y sus tres hijos.

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Family Faith Formation
Catechesis for the youth will be in the classrooms at 10am on November 7, 14 & 21 For Adults in the Church in Spanish.

Formación en la fe para la Familia
La catequesis para los jóvenes será en las aulas a las 10 am los días 7, 14, & 21 de Noviembre Para adultos en la Iglesia en español

Ministers Ministros

November 13 SATURDAY 5:30PM
Lector: John Grupa
Extraordinary Ministers: John Grupa
Altar Server: Help may be needed here.



November 14 SUNDAY 8:30 AM
Lector: Joy Thompson
Extraordinary Ministers: † Ron & Cindy Foster Larry & Barbara Shupak
Acolytes: Ron Foster & Steve Ecord
Altar Server: Malley Ecord & Alexandra Andrade

DOMINGO 14 de Noviembre 11:30 AM
Lectores: Gregorio Nava & Arturo Marcelo
Salmista: Belén Ramirez
Ministros Extraordinario: Donato y Maria Perez & Elvira De La Fuente
Servidores: Esmeralda y Camila Torres & Perla Perez

