

# St. Francis Parish

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Office Hours: 9am to Noon & 1pm to 4pm

Tuesday through Friday

## MASS & OTHER SERVICE SCHEDULE

### Friday Harbor

5:30 pm Saturday and 9:00 am Sunday

Spanish Mass at 6:00 pm Sunday

### Orcas

10:30 am Sunday

### Lopez

10:30 am Saturday (Spring, Summer, Fall)

**1:15 pm Saturday (winter)**

### Roche Harbor

Closed until Summer

### Holy Days

Same as week-end schedule

### Recitation of the Holy Rosary

FH: Following weekday Masses

Orcas & Lopez: Immediately before Mass

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Friday Harbor

4:00 to 5:00 pm on Saturday

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the Month on Lopez – after Mass (**except during winter ferry schedule**)

Sundays before Mass on Orcas

### Weekday Mass in Friday Harbor

9:00 am

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS:** Please take a moment to register using the forms located in the entryway of the church. Forms are also available by calling the parish office.

**BULLETIN AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Please submit items to the parish office prior to 12:00 Noon on Tuesday for the bulletin and by Thursday for announcements.

## Our Weekly Offerings – Thank you!

**Feb 22 & 23, 2020**

Location	Friday Hbr	Orcas 3 weeks	Lopez	Roche Hbr closed
No. of Envelopes	18	36	7	
Envelopes & Checks	\$ 4,355.00	\$ 1,540.00	\$ 490.00	
Loose Cash	205.00	610.00	37.00	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 4,560.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,150.00</b>	<b>\$ 527.00</b>	

**Year to date income: \$169,038.80**

**Year to date spending: \$180,960.10**

**Net Income: \$-11,921.30**

## COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

**PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL:** FH Tom Cogan; **ORCAS:** Jonathan Loop; **LOPEZ** Kit Latta; **PASTORAL COUNCIL:** FH: Teddy & Michele Gosinski (Church, & office maintenance); Teddy Gosinski and Ryan Smith (Cemetery & Madden Lane maintenance); Mary Jo Bolte (Hospitality); Frank Bruch **LOPEZ:** Lou Bailey; Raphael Velazquez **ORCAS:** Charlie Clark, Dave Dilling, Demetrio Salinas, Carol Marcin, and Ting Zimmermann

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### (DELETED AFTER 30 DAYS UNLESS CALLED IN AGAIN)

**FRIDAY HARBOR:** Nora Boyce Nash; Dave Powell (Paula Jameson's brother-in-law); Barbara Calhoun (Paula Jameson's sister); Pam Figlewicz; Joyce Crain; Dee Hutchins; Georgeann Salerno (Irene Herring's sister); Kathleen Wilson; Sue Ayotte (Sheila Ellis' daughter); Willy Schatz (Janine Wells' cousin); Ryan Stratton; Gloria Loudon; Irene (Susan Mahoney's great-grand-niece); Marge Iten (Marti Hughes' aunt); Debbie Danz (Michele Gosinski's cousin) and for the repose of the souls of Annette Krumenacker (Carl Krumenacker's sister-in-law); Andrew Greene (Don & Georgann's son) and Doug Holzer (Georgann's brother).

**ORCAS ISLAND:** Robert & Donna Burke's nephew; Anne Marcin; David McCombs (Shelly Russell's father) and for the repose of the soul of Bob Lucas.

**LOPEZ ISLAND:** Sally Zimmerman; Lucy Anjaldia (Sally's mother); Ginni Keith; Marge Stensrud; Del Schuld and for the repose of the souls of Maureen Rogers and Sally Zimmerman's niece.

**SHAW ISLAND :** For good health for all the Mothers at Our Lady of the Rock Priory and the Sisters of Mercy at Our Lady Star of the Sea

**OTHER:** For the repose of the soul of Archbishop Brunett. For justice and healing for victims of abuse and their families; suffering Christians in the Middle East and for the repose of the souls of the victims of terror. For blessings on Sister Julia (formerly of Orcas Island) and her mission in E. Timor.

# Our Parish Vision: To know, love, and serve the Lord and His people and to support one another in our spiritual journey.

## ALL ISLANDS

### POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION

**Catholics in China-** We pray that the Church in China may persevere in its faithfulness to the Gospel and grow in unity.

### Called to Serve as Christ

**We are currently at 30% of our goal with 21.3% parish participation. Please return your pledge cards. Thanks for your generosity.**

## ORCAS

### LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS:

March 11 Catholic Church hosts  
March 18 Episcopal Church hosts  
March 25 Lutheran Church hosts  
April 1 Community Church hosts

**Service at 5:30 Soup at 6pm**

**LUNCH AT THE FOOD BANK:** Our turn is every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month. Please sign up and help out. The list is on the bulletin board in the vestibule. God bless you for your service.

**ORCAS CONTACTS:** Property maintenance: Barbara Clever 376-4042. Reader schedule: Tony Giefer 376-6117. Rosary for Life: Shelly Russell 376-4792. Religious Ed: Sister Mary Danielle 468-3134. For sacristy supplies call the office, 378-2910.

## LOPEZ

**MEN'S ROSARY GROUP** 7pm Wednesdays at Center Church.

**THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION WILL NOT BE CELEBRATED DURING THE WINTER FERRY SCHEDULE.**

**LOPEZ FOOD BANK:** Please bring your donations to Mass on the LAST Saturday of each month.

## FRIDAY HARBOR

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS: 3 PM FRIDAYS DURING LENT

**NEXT FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION–March 6th** following the 9 am Mass and ending with Benediction at 11:45.

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** meets on Tuesdays at 10 am in Heffernan Hall.

**MEN'S BIBLE STUDY** – Father would like to start a Men's Bible Study. If you are interested in being a part of that please let Father or Jan know.

## FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

**March 3 – St. Katherine Drexel (1858-1955)** Saint Katharine Drexel founded the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament to minister primarily to Native and African Americans in the United States. She used much of her inherited wealth to support both the sisters and the ministry. She entered religious life as a Sister of Mercy before founding her new community which opened its first foundation in Santa Fe, New Mexico, in 1894. Patron Saint of racial justice.

**March 4 – St. Casimir of Poland (1458-1483)** While Saint Casimir was born into a noble family, and was himself in line to be king, he opted instead for a life of prayer, and as a youth vowed perpetual chastity. Opposed by his family, Saint Casimir held fast to his ideals until his early death at the age of 25. In his native land and elsewhere, he is considered an example of perseverance. Patron saint of Poland and youth.

**March 5 - St. John Joseph of the Cross (1654-1734)** Saint John Joseph of the Cross entered the Franciscan community at the age of 16. A humble man, he was asked to serve his community in a number of leadership roles, including provincial minister. Yet he retained his simplicity throughout and retired to the quiet service of confessor. Patron saint of Ischia.

**March 6 – Sts. Perpetua & Felicity (died 203)** The Church faced persecutions early on in its history. Saints Perpetua and Felicity are two well-known names among the martyrs. While we don't know much about them, we do have Saint Perpetua's diary that gives a few facts about their last days. Patron saints of expectant mothers, mothers, butchers, and ranchers.