



St. Francis Church
Hoboken, NJ

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH

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The Mission of St. Francis Church is to encounter the love of Christ through worship, service, and charity. In following the traditions of our patron, St. Francis of Assisi, we dedicate ourselves to providing a welcoming and engaging community of faith, ministering to the poor and the sick, educating the faithful, and caring for God's creatures as "The Little Church with the Big Heart."

CONTACT US

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UPDATES

Stay up to date with any
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Website: www.stfrancishoboken.net

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YouTube: St Francis Church Hoboken

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass: 8 AM Monday—Saturday
Weekly Mass : Saturday Vigil at 5:00
PM and Sunday Mass at 7:30 AM; 9:30
AM; 11:00 (Italian); 12:15 PM and 6:00
PM

Live Streaming on YouTube

Sundays at 9:30 AM

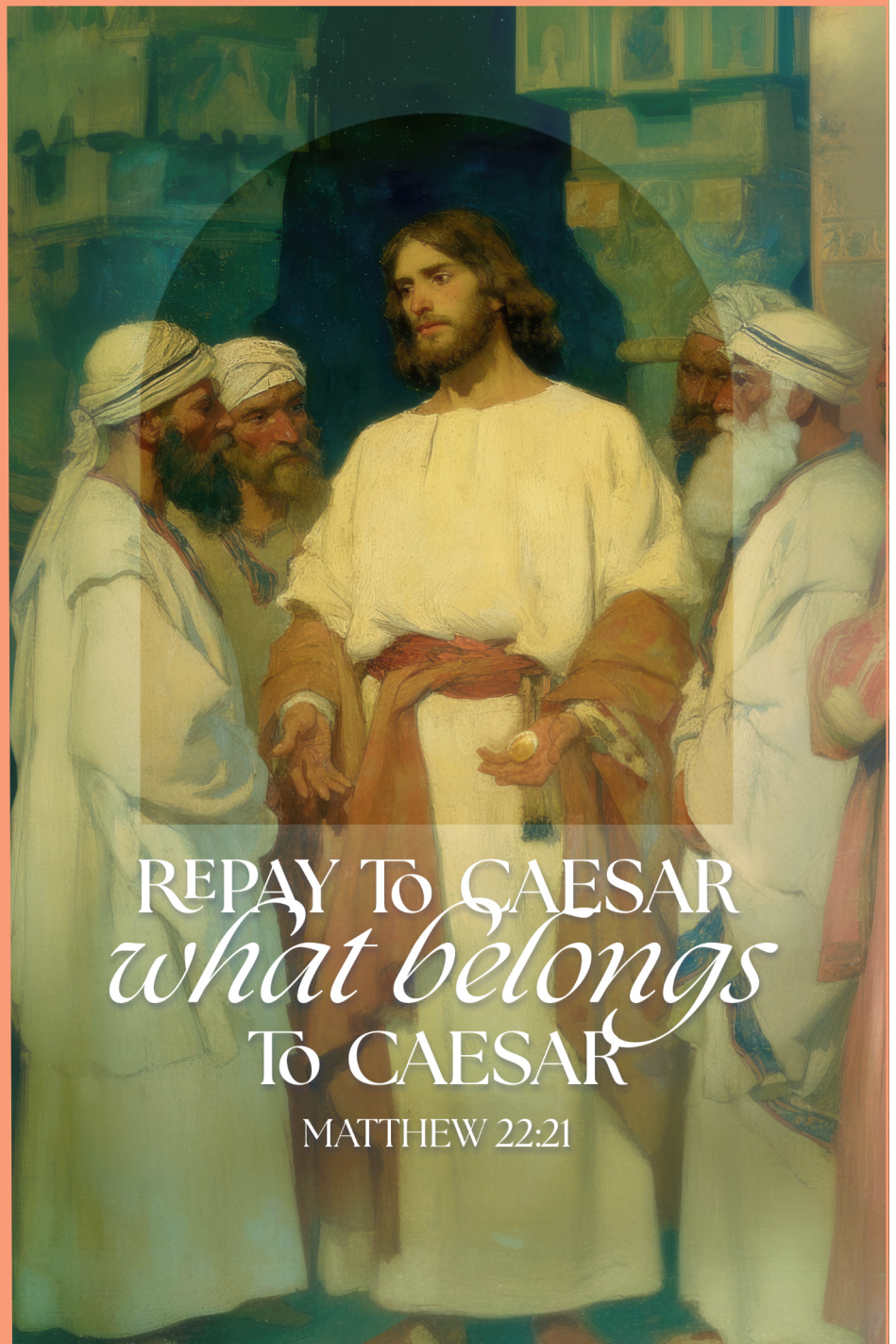
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
and Novena Mass: Thursdays 8 AM—7
PM with Mass at 7 PM.

CONFESSION

Saturdays 4:00 PM and by request.

PARISH STAFF

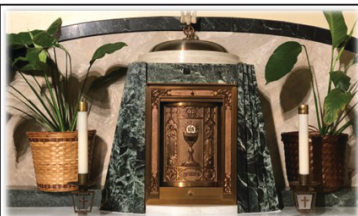
Joyce Feola, Bookkeeper
Pat Pope, Secretary
Cheryl Moritz, CCD
Aiessa Moyna, OCIA
Mitchell Lane, Music Director
Besim Binaku, Property Manager



REPAY TO CAESAR
what belongs
TO CAESAR

MATTHEW 22:21

Mass Schedule & Intentions



MONDAY 10/19

8:00 AM Conversion of All Sinners

TUESDAY 10/20

8:00 AM The Ayuso Family

WEDNESDAY 10/21

8:00 AM Phyllis Cardiello

THURSDAY 10/22

8:00 AM Ann Kowalksi

7:00 PM Margherita Gigante

FRIDAY 10/23

8:00 AM Domenico Gallo

SATURDAY 10/24

8:00 AM Those Enrolled in the Memorial Fund

5:00 PM Thanksgiving —Lord's Providence
Cecilia Zabala
Marge Sievewright Paulson
Eileen Ruiz

SUNDAY 10/25

7:30 AM For All Our Parishioners

9:30 AM Jack Proctor

11:00 AM Giacomo Gianfrancesco

12:15 PM George Ferrara

6:00 PM Josephine Amato

Sunday Readings and The Holy Gospel

First Reading: Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

Resp. Psalm: Psalm: 96:1,3,4-5,7-8,9-10

Sec. Reading: 1 Theossalonians 1:1-5b

Gospel: Matthew 22: 15-21



THIS WEEK'S READINGS: Please find this week's readings on p. 1012 of the green missal.

Memorials the Week of Oct. 18

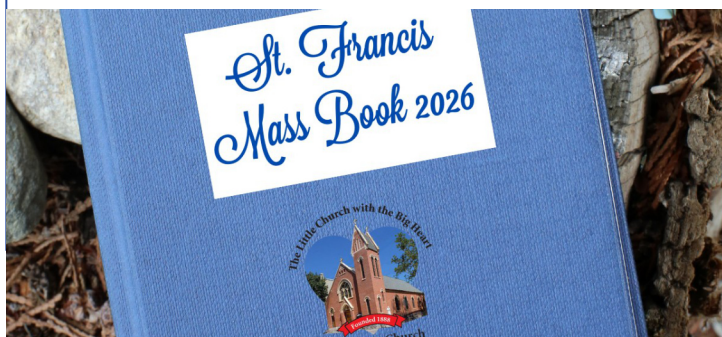
Memoriam	In loving memory:	Given by:
Altar Host	George Ferrara	Catherine Ferrara
Sanctuary Light	Lydia and Geza Baracscai	Their Loving Family
Madonna Candles	Thomas J. & Catherine Howard	Their Loving Family

SECOND COLLECTION — This weekend we have a Second Collection for World Mission Sunday. This year marks the 100th Year of World Mission Sunday. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

PRAYERS FOR POPE LEO — Please remember Pope Leo in your prayers for a swift recovery from lung cancer and a path to health after his surgery.

UPCOMING MEETINGS — Knights of Columbus Cor Meeting, Oct. 22 at 7:30 in the Parish Center; Altar Rosary Society, Nov. 4, 7 PM in the Parish Center; Holy Name Society, Nov. 12 at 7:30 PM in the Parish Center. The Holy Name Society is also hosting Volunteer Night at the Hoboken Shelter on Oct. 19.

To reserve a mass or memorial, call the office at 201.659.1772. Memorials are a nice way to pay tribute to a loved one who has gone to rest or in Thanksgiving. The Mass Book for 2027 will open on Nov. 1.



GOD'S BLESSINGS ON THE BAPTISMS OF:

REYO ANTONIO VALLEJO PALENCIA, SON OF NATASHA MONIQUE VALLEJO & CARLO ANTONIO ABRIGO PALENCIA

WYATT FRANCIS STRATEN, SON OF BRIANA STRATEN & MICHAEL STRATEN

COLIN TROY, SON OF VALERIE BURNS & PATRICK TROY

LOGAN LUCIANO GEIS, SON OF MARIA VENTRICELLI & JOSEPH GEIS

BENJAMIN ZUCKER, SON OF LAUREN MARRA & JONATHAN ZUCKER

OCTOBER 2026

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

LIVING ROSARY AND OKTOBERFEST — Since October marks the Month of the Holy Rosary and Oktoberfest we are pairing two unlikely events together. Join us on Oct. 24 for 5 PM Mass followed by the



Living Rosary, presented by the Altar Rosary Society and the Knights of Columbus. After the Living Rosary join us for our first Oktoberfest Dinner. Tickets are \$30 e/ or 2 for \$55. Tickets for children under 12 are \$15. Take-out is also available. Contact Neal at

201-223-7967 or Grand Knight Chris at 201-360-1101. Tickets must be purchased by October 21. No tickets will be sold at the door. The Knights is also conducting their Winter Coat Drive. Please bring new and gently used outerwear to the church by Nov. 8.



ALL SOULS MASS — Parishioners who have lost a family member in the past year should have received an invitation to participate in the all Souls Mass on Nov. 2 at 7 PM. The beautiful mass pays tribute to the departed with a special candlelight ceremony. Please RSVP by Oct. 28 if you will attend. If you did not receive a letter please call the office.

TRIVIA NIGHT — As part of the celebration for St. Francis Feast Day, about two dozen people competed for bragging rights and a St. Francis statue in a trivia night filled with intriguing questions and surprise answers about the life of our patron saint. Emceed by Angelo Valente, the night was a fun and informative way to build fellowship.



ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS — The dreary weather could not stop a strong turnout for the delightful and delicious tea following masses last Sunday. The gathering helped recruit new members and build community for all who attended. The Altar Rosary is also hosting a Bake Sale following all masses on



Nov. 7 and 8. Remember to come to mass with money for what promises to be a yummy selection of sweet treats and baked goods.



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE — Starting with the Oct. 31 Mass and through Nov. 19 we will collect Thanksgiving Grocery Bags. Please bring one bag filled with stuffing, instant mashed potatoes, canned yams, canned vegetables and cranberry sauce. This collection will supplement the regular grocery and fresh produce for the Fr. Michael Food Distribution on Nov. 21.

SHARE THE WEALTH THIS CHRISTMAS — Scan the code below or complete your forms for the St. Nicholas Share the Wealth raffle for a chance to win \$999. Tickets are \$20 each and we'll sell just 500 tickets, giving five lucky winners a chance to win. The drawing is Dec. 5 after 5 PM Mass.

HO, HO, HO! THE ST. FRANCIS SHARE THE WEALTH RAFFLE RETURNS!

Support St. Francis with your purchase of a Share the Wealth raffle. 500 tickets @\$20 each will create a prize of \$999 each for 5 lucky winners.

The drawing is Sat., Dec. 5 following the 5 PM Vigil.

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