



April 21, 2024 4th Sunday of Easter

Empowered by the Holy Spirit, St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church aspires to be a vibrant and welcoming community of disciples committed to worship, grow, and serve. We invite all to a personal encounter with Jesus Christ to accompany them on their journey and send them forth to be His witnesses.

Sunday Masses* (All Masses are at the 27th St. Church during the Historic Church Restoration)

05:00 p.m. (Saturday Vigil)

07:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

12:30 p.m. (Spanish)

04:30 p.m.

*Masses are livestreamed on the Parish website except the 4:30

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Daily Masses:

M-F: 7:00 a.m. (27th St. Church in the St. Clare Chapel) Adoration follows until noon.

M-F: 12:15 p.m. (27th St. Church in the St. Clare Chapel) Adoration follows until 6:00 p.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. (27th St. Church)

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Email Tina / bulletin@stfrancisbend.org

Grief Ministry: Mary McGlone (253) 232-6789

Reconciliation +



 Saturday:
 27th St. Church
 3:00 to 4:30 p.m.⁺

 Tuesday:
 27th St. Church
 7:30 to 8:00 a.m.

 Saturday:
 27th St. Church
 8:30 to 9:00 a.m.

*Except on Holy Saturday—No Confessions

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Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Italy May 6–17, 2025 12 Days • 15 Meals: 9 Breakfasts, 6 Dinners

Tour ID/Group #1252535

Ever since I came to St. Francis in Bend, I have always wanted to lead a pilgrimage to Assisi, the birth place and the Mission field of St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of our parish. Having been to most of these places myself, I know that you would love this pilgrimage. I have carefully selected the places to include all the four major basilicas of Rome, the place of the first Eucharistic Miracle, and the tomb of Padre Pio, so I have put together this pilgrimage

HIGHLIGHTS... Rome • Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi • Holy House of Nazareth in Loreto • San Giovanni Rotondo • Tomb of

Padre Pio ● Tomb of St. Matthew the Apostle in Salerno Abbey of Montecassino ● Catacombs • Papal Audience • Christian Rome City Tour • Vatican City • St. Peter's Basilica • St. Mary of the Angels Basilica • Marian Basilica of St. Mary Major and Rome's Cathedral: St. John in Lateran, the former residence of the popes • the Sistine Chapel • the Tombs of the Popes below the Basilica of St. Peter • St. Paul Outside the Wall Basilica • a stop in Lanciano to visit the place of the first Eucharistic Miracle, and Mass every day in some of these holy places with Fr. Jose Thomas.



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-Fr. Jose Thomas Mudakodiyil

MASS INTENTIONS / SCRIPTURE READINGS

DATE		<u>TIME</u>	<u>FOR</u>	REQUESTED BY
Saturday Vigil Mass, April 20th Acts 4:18-12; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18		5:00 p.m.	Howard Miller (D)	Joleyne LaChapelle
Sunday, April 21st	(Spanish Mass)	7:30 a.m.	Judy Brandenstein (D)	St. Francis Parish
Acts 4:18-12		10:00 a.m.	Joseph Carl Jura (D)	Andy & Carol Jura
1 Jn 3:-1-2		12:30 p.m.	Jose Luis Sanchez Alvarado (L)	Miriam Sanchez
Jn 10:11-18		4:30 p.m.	St. Francis Parish (L)	Fr. Jose & Fr. Roga
Monday, April 22nd		7:00 a.m.	Bill Chase (D)	Rie & Peters Families
Acts 11:1-18; Jn 10:1-10		12:15 p.m.	The Dalrymple Family (L)	Gloria Dalrymple
Tuesday, April 23rd		7:00 a.m.	Fr. Sibi Poulose (L)	Patricia M. Cappy
Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30		12:15 p.m.	Felipa Peñafiel Pelcastre (D)	Miriam Sanchez
Wednesday, April 24th Acts 12:24—13:5a; Jn 12:44-50	(School Mass)	7:00 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 12:15 p.m.	Fr. Julian Cassar (L) Front Desk Volunteers (L) Richard Hoffman (L)	Patricia M. Cappy St. Francis Parish Maria Hoffman
Thursday, April 25th		7:00 a.m.	Howard Miller (D)	Joleyne LaChape
1 Pt 5:5b-14; Mk16:15-20		12:15 p.m.	Josephine Sheridan (D)	Her Children
Friday, April 26th		7:00 a.m.	Souls in Purgatory	Patricia M. Cappy
Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6		12:15 p.m.	Judy Brandenstein (D)	Sandy McJunkin
Saturday, April 27th Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14		8:00 a.m.	Cardinal Otunga House Sisters of Mary of Kakamega (L)	Pam & Ed Cheeney

(D) = Deceased ♦ (L) = Living

To Schedule a Mass Intention, Please call the Parish Office—(541) 382-3631—by 5 p.m. on Friday, 8 days prior to the next Parish Bulletin publication.



Come and See ...



Would you like to live the spirituality of St. Francis of Assisi? Then, visit our Parish Secular Franciscans. We meet on the 3rd Sunday of each month from 11:45 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Parish Office. Contact Mary McGlone at: (253) 232-6789 / mlhmcglone@gmail.com.

20-Decade Rosary

Come and pray the 20-decade rosary every Saturday at 6:20 a.m. in the St. Clare Chapel. For more information, please call Judy Kennedy at (541) 389-5964.

Family Holy Hour

All families are invited to join us for Adoration in the St. Clare Chapel on the **1st Friday of every month, from 6 to 7 p.m.** For more information, please call **Natasha** at (541) 213-8399.

Grief Support Group

We meet every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month. You are invited to attend, but you need to first contact Mary McGlone at (253) 232-6789 or mlhmcglone@gmail.com / griefministry@stfrancisbend.org to find out where we are meeting.

Hearts on Fire Prayer Group

This charismatic prayer group meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel. Join us for praise, worship, and listening to the Lord. For more information, contact **Deacon Steve** at (253) 222-0582.

Marriage Preparation

If you are engaged or looking to have your marriage validated, please do not schedule anything for your wedding until you have spoken to one of the parish wedding coordinators and met with a priest. Contact weddings@stfrancisbend.org.

Ministers of Care

A vital ministry in our parish, the Ministers of Care visit and bring Holy Communion to the sick and homebound in our parish. This is a richly rewarding ministry. If you



are interested in serving as a Minister of Care or want more information, send an email to **Patrick Driscoll** at <u>pdriscoll449@msn.com</u>.

Miscarriage Ministry

This ministry helps support parents who have experienced (or are currently experiencing) a miscarriage. You can reach out to either **Megan Medley** at (818) 461-2591 or **Natasha Rider** at (541) 213-8399.

Music Ministry

The Adult Choir and Children's Choir (Grades 2–5) are open to all, and we welcome new members. For more information, please contact Music Director, **Stephanie**Mowery, at music@stfrancisbend.org or call (541) 382-3631, ext. 114.



Newman Club

We meet every Sunday. We have events focused on Fun, Faith, and Service! Each time we meet is unique, so email or go to the website for an updated schedule. Open to all young adults (18–24). For information, email **Benjamin** at: bcowan@stfrancisbend.org.

Pray for Vocations

Join us for the Holy Hour on the 1st Tuesday of the month after the 12:15 p.m. Mass in the St. Clare Chapel, to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Pro-Life Rosary

The Respect for Life Ministry invites you to pray the Rosary on the 1st Sunday of the month at 9:30 a.m., in the St. Clare Chapel. Please join us in prayer for our vulnerable brothers and sisters in the womb.

RCIA

RCIA is for all who are unbaptized or baptized non-Catholic Christians and seeking to enter the Catholic Church. If you have not registered yet for RCIA, please contact **Carl** at: rcia@stfrancisbend.org.

St. Athanasius Group

All men are invited to attend a weekly men's group that **meets every Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m.** The focus is to be the men we are called to be by deepening our spiritual lives and by having a brotherhood to support us. For more information, contact **Benjamin** at: bcowan@stfrancisbend.org.



St. Clare's Helpers

Meetings are held on the **2nd and 4th Tuesdays of every month at 2 p.m.** in the
RICA Room. All women of the parish are
invited. For information, email **Sherry Rice** at: srice@bendbroadband.com.

YOUNG ADULTS B-B-Q TODAY!

All young adults (18–35) are invited to a B-B-Q **this Sunday at 5:30 p.m.** Join us for Christ-centered fun and fellowship. RSVP preferred: send an email to bcowan@stfrancisbend.org.

Spiritual Bouquet Cards

St. Clare's Helpers will be distributing Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet Ccards after Masses <u>this weekend</u> and also on the weekends of April 20th/ 21st, April 27th/28th, and May 4th/5th.

Please return the completed offering envelope to the collection basket or to the Parish Office by **Wednesday, May 8th.** (A freewill offering is appreciated.)

Mass will be offered for all those mothers on **Mother's Day—Sunday, May 12th—**as their names will be placed at the base of the altar.

The proceeds will be used for St. Clare's Helpers' projects involving service, social, and spiritual activities. (Spiritual Bouquet Cards in Spanish will be available for pickup in the Parish Office.)

Children's Choir Musical Program



The Parish is invited to a program of songs and musical dramas presented by the Parish Children's Choir next Sunday, April 28th, at 2:30 p.m., at the church. The theme of the program is "Love Your Neighbor" and will feature two musi-

cal dramas—the parable of "The Good Samaritan" and the story of "Zacchaeus." Choir children in Grades 1–4 will be dressed in costumes and will fill various roles, including narrators, actors, soloists and instrumentalists. Everyone is welcome to attend in support of our youngest singers!

Chesterton Academy of Mater Dei

We are excited to announce that the Chesterton Academy of Mater Dei—a "Joyfully Catholic Classical High School"—is coming to Central Oregon in the Fall of 2025.



Anyone interested in learning more about this Academy is invited to an information night on **Thursday**, **May 2nd**, **at 6 p.m.**, at St. Thomas Church in Redmond, **OR** on **Monday**, **May 6th**, **at 6 p.m.**, at St. Francis Church.

If you have any questions, please contact Board Chair, **Kevin Smith**, at (719) 761-0511 or send an email to: cochesterton@gmail.com. Also visit the Website at: www.chestertonmaterdei.org.

Pentecost Sunday Vigil

On Saturday, May 18th, from 2–7 p.m., we will celebrate the Pentecost Vigil with a Spiritual Concert in the Community Center with Mr. Mario Balderas who comes to us from the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Ontario, Oregon.



"Come. Follow Me"

Jesus is coming **May 26th–27th**, as the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage travels through Eastern Oregon to the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis.

Join **Bishop Cary** in greeting and accompanying our Lord through the state in need of His merciful and healing presence.

For more details and/or to register for any of the events along the Oregon route, please visit the Diocese Website at: <u>DioceseofBaker.org/NEP</u>.

Adopt-A-Patch

Adopt-A-Patch is an activity sponsored by the St. Francis Knights of Columbus to help the parish maintain the 27th St. Church grounds. It is fast getting into that weedy time of year again, and we need all the help we can get. Please call to get your very own patch assignment if you don't already have one from last year.

This can save the parish financially regarding landscape maintenance, could provide volunteer hours for St. Francis School families, and could be fun to do as a group for those who prefer that. OR, come whenever it works best for you to do your own "patch."

Please call **Vicky Hornback** at (541) 280-4436 / <u>vickyhornback@gmail.com</u> if you do not already have your own area assigned.

PLEASE help take care of our lovely St. Francis

Prayer Warriors Needed!

If you would like to be a Prayer Warrior for **Dr. Mary Healy**, contact **Deacon Steve** at (253) 222-0582, or send an email to: stephenmcglone5@gmail.com.

Please Return to Mass!

We'd like to invite people to come back to Mass during this time of Eucharistic Revival. If you know anyone who has not returned to Mass after the Pandemic, please send an email to **Deacon Phil** at: liturgy@stfrancisbend.org or you can drop the information into the Offertory basket.

—Thank you, Fr. Jose Thomas

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The mission of St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School is to educate the whole child in a Christ-centered community that values service, leadership, and academic excellence.

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St. Francis School Auction News

Dinner and Bidder Numbers for the School's major fundraiser of the year can be purchased now through May 1st. The proceeds of the auction will offset the operating budget and keep the school fiscally strong. All are invited. Dinner tickets can be purchased online at:

https://stfrancisofassisi.ejoinme.org/MyEvents/Fiesta/TicketsTables/tabid/1410490

\$150/person \$275/couple \$1,200/table for 8

Doors open at 3 p.m. Silent Auction begins to close at 4:45. Prayer, Dinner, and Live Auction at 5 p.m., Dance the night away at 6:30 p.m.



Open Enrollment

Applications and Registration is now open for Pre-school, 3-year-olds, through 8th Grade.

Financial Aid Packets are available in the School Office.

The Financial Aid deadline is April 30, 2024.

Family tours are available by appointment.

Please join us for "Songs of Mariajuana," our Spring Concert on May 16th at 6:30 p.m.



St. Francis School is eager to help prepare our Middle School students for the new regional Catholic High School, Chesterton Academy of Matre Dei, opening in the **Fall of 2025.**

A Parent Information Night will be held on **May 2nd at 6 p.m.** in the St. Francis Parish Community Center.



St. Francis School is looking to fill these positions:

- ► Principal, Full-time
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The "Candle Lighting Ceremony" at the Remembrance Mass was celebrated by Fr. Jose Thomas on Thursday, March 14th.



Notice the brightness inside the church? Extend a word of "thanks" to ERIK ALBERS. our Facilities Supervisor, who recently replaced all the burned-out bulbs in the church and parking lot. He also dusted the large crucifix, statues, pipes in the pipe organ, and window sills. Erik also had to move about half of the pews in the church to make room for the crane lift. THANK YOU, ERIK!



2024 Stewardship of Giving

Date	Weekly Offering	Weekly Needed	Difference	YTD Offering
April 13–14, 2024	\$22,018	\$25,853	(\$ 3,835)	\$458,248
April 6–7, 2024	\$31,624	\$25,853	\$ 5,771	\$436,230
March 30-31, 2024	\$38,152	\$25,853	\$12,299	\$404,606
March 23-24, 2024	\$21,115	\$25,853	(\$4,738)	\$366,454

Scholarship Fund Balance: \$351,746

Historic Church Renovation Funds Raised to Date: \$2,134,899 ◆ Funds Spent: \$1,577,445 2024 YTD Budget: \$377,795 ◆ YTD Actual: \$436,230 ◆ Variance: \$80,453



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