

JANUARY 25, 2026

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## ***SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH***



### PARISH STAFF

*Pastor:* Very Rev. Rob Adams, STL

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### MASS SCHEDULE

Vigil Mass: Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Mass: Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Adoration: Tuesday, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Daily Mass: Tuesday - Friday - Noon

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

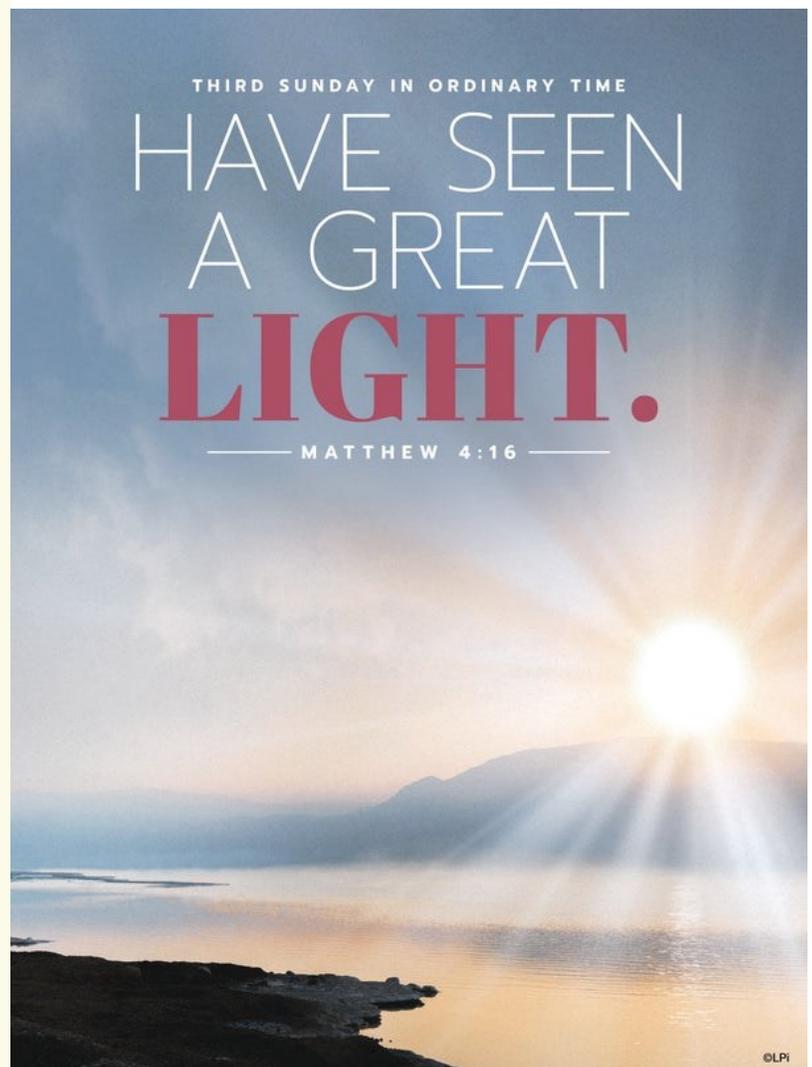
Saturday: 4:00 p.m. or by appointment.

### BAPTISM - 2 WEEKS NOTICE

Please call the office for an appointment.

### MARRIAGE PREP - 6 MONTHS NOTICE

Please call the office for an appointment.





## From the Pastor's Desk....

### Sunday Offertory

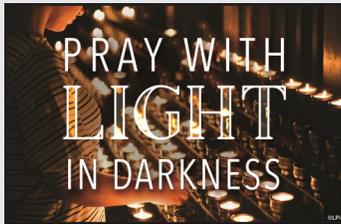
01-18-2025.....\$2,740  
 Weekly Budget.....\$3,000  
 Surplus/Deficit.....\$260  
 YTD Offertory.....\$97,392  
 Budget.....\$84,000  
Surplus/Deficit.....\$13,392  
 Food Pantry .....\$

Hi everyone,

Happy Sunday!

Not too much to report this week, but I wanted to ask everyone a question. We have been publishing lists of lay ministers for various positions. Unfortunately, most people don't show up for the job they've signed up for. This is definitely not the end of the world, but I am curious if people think this helpful. Is the schedule something that people like? Please let me know.

Fr. Rob



ISAIAH 8:23-9:3  
 1 CORINTHIANS 1:10-13, 17  
 MATTHEW 4:12-23

We have seen a great light: Jesus, the Messiah, who heals us of our sin and who is our unity and peace.

### Mass Schedule & Intentions

Saturday, January 24	5:00 pm Vigil Mass	+Mary Anne McNamee
Sunday, January 25	10:30 am Mass	For the People
Monday, January 26	<b>No Mass</b>	
Tuesday, January 27	<b>No Mass/No Adoration</b>	
Wednesday, January 28	Noon Mass	+Charles Cokley
Thursday, January 29	<b>No Mass</b>	
Friday, January 30	<b>No Mass</b>	
Saturday, January 31	5:00 pm Vigil Mass	Intentions of the Mata Family
Sunday, February 1	10:30 am Mass 1:00 pm	For the People +Fr. Simon Bishop, SJ

Readings may be found in  
 the Saint Augustine  
 Hymnal Number 985

## Parish Calendar & Announcements

### LAY MINISTRY - 01/25/2026

**Lector** - Jerry Kanney  
**Lector Fill in Only** - Isabella Ramsey  
**Gift Bearer Server** - Christopher & Lindsey Elliott  
**Coffee & Donuts** – Denny Rohrer  
**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion** - Sidney Cline

### LAY MINISTRY - 02/01/2025

**Lector** - Christina Davidson  
**Lector Fill in Only** - Isabella Ramsey  
**Gift Bearer Server** - Bob & Annice Lee  
**Coffee & Donuts** – Joseph & Pia Mata  
**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion** - Denny Rohrer

### LAY MINISTRY - 02/08/2026

**Lector** - Fadi AlAkhrass  
**Lector Fill in Only** - William Fleniken  
**Gift Bearer Server** - Cherry Rivera & Mary Jo Ratliff  
**Coffee & Donuts** – Todd & Sandra May  
**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion** - Frank Dawahare

### LAY MINISTRY - 02/15/2026

**Lector** - Frank Dawahare  
**Lector Fill in Only** - Mary Jo Ratliff  
**Gift Bearer Server** - Christopher & Lindsey Elliott  
**Coffee & Donuts** – Denny Rohrer  
**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion** - Joseph Mata

### LAY MINISTRY - 02/22/2026

**Lector** - Jerry Kanney  
**Lector Fill in Only** - MaShawna Jacobs  
**Gift Bearer Server** - Todd & Sandra May  
**Coffee & Donuts** – Zach & Jonnica Bryson  
**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion** - MaShawna Jacobs

**ROSARY** - The first Saturday of each month at **noon**.

**1ST COMMUNION CLASS:** The classes will be starting soon. Please get in touch with Frank or Theresa Dawahare either at church or by email if you have an eligible child. Frank's email is (frank.dawahare@ettky.com) and Theresa's is (theresadawahare@upike.com).

**SPECIAL COLLECTION:** We collected \$476.00 to send to the diocesan office to help assist with the Immigrant Legal Aid Fund.

### WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES - ENGAGE PARISHIONERS IN DAILY MASS AND PRAYER

#### *Readings for the week of January 25, 2026*

Sunday: Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17  
 Monday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10, 21-22, 25-26/Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday: 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: 2 Sm 7:4-17/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30/Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14/Mk 4:21-25

Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7, 10-11/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday: Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a ©LPi

### PRAYER – FOR EVERYDAY AND EVERYBODY

#### *Blessing of Light*

Where you have known darkness, may the light stretch and shine.  
 Where you have dwelt in shadows, may the sun reach its gentle rays.  
 Where you have hidden in shame, may you know light-filled redemption, healing, belonging, and rest in Jesus. Amen.  
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- Skylar Coleman and her unborn baby, Kallum
- Lakeisha Therese Tucker, 3rd stage colon cancer
- Ray Buchanan
- Cecilia Newman, Kenny Schmidt's sister
- Dana Cantrell, Anna Gomez's friend and co-worker
- Jimmie Goss
- Chona Curry
- Sharon Collins, cancer
- Wilson Vanzant, Lisa Scalf's stepdad
- Sister Kathy Avery
- Ransom McCoy, Lindsay May's dad
- Melba Schmidt, Kenny Schmidt's mother
- Wanda Baker
- Jeffrey Scalf, Lisa's son
- Sandy Lowe, cancer
- Ron Saros
- Helen Altman
- Fran Sykes
- +Peggy Anderson
- +Kenny Blackburn
- +Mary Anne McNamee
- +Sidney Tackett

#### **VOTIVE CANDLES:**

Suggested donation: Large votives \$3.00 and small votives \$0.50