



# ST. FRANCIS

OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## October 29, 2023 - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### Liturgy Ministry

**Liturgy Meeting:** All Liturgical Ministers are invited to attend a work shop on Wednesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> from 7- 8:30pm in the church.

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### ALL SAINTS DAY— NOV. 1 2023 ( Day of Obligation)

English Masses: 8:30 am, 12 noon, 5:30 pm.  
Bilingual Mass: 7: 00 pm.

#### ALL SOULS DAY Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>

English Mass 8:30am; and 7pm. Spanish Mass

### Mass Schedule

**Daily English Masses:** Monday - Saturday 8:30 AM

### Daily Spanish Masses

Monday /Lunes - Thursday/Jueves 7 PM

### Sunday Masses

Saturday 5:30 PM - English (Vigil)

**Saturday 7:00 PM - Spanish**

Sunday 7 AM - English

**\*Sunday 8 AM - Spanish**

\*Sunday 10 AM - English

Sunday 11:30 AM - English

**Sunday 1:00 PM- Spanish**

*Sunday 3:00 PM - Portuguese*

Sunday 5:30 PM - English

**Sunday 7:00 PM - Spanish**

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**Confessions** Saturdays 4 - 5 PM Eng/Spa.

Mondays 6 - 7 PM Spanish

Tuesdays 6- 7 PM English

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**Sacrament of the sick / Unción de los Enfermos**

Please call/ Favor llamar al **(925) 375-1065**.

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**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament/ Esposición del Santísimo**

Monday-Friday/ *Lunes -Viernes* from 9 am – 7pm.

### EARLY REMINDERS

- Day Light Savings Time ends on Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>. Please remember that clock goes back one hour.
- Parish Office will be closed on Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup> in observance of Veteran's Day. Will reopen on Monday, November 13<sup>th</sup>.
- Senior Luncheon - Tuesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon in the John Paul II Center. Enjoy a delicious meal, games and wonderful friendship.

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Saturday, Oct 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023

8:30 AM † Dn. Chuck Palomares  
5:30 PM † Margaret & Donald Kelly  
\*7:00 PM † Sp. Int. Devoto de San Judas Tadeo

### Sunday, Oct 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023

7:00 AM Sp. Int. Norilda Arredondo  
\*8:00 AM † Maria de Jesus Torres Hernandez  
10:00 AM † Neville Lecey  
11:30 AM Sp. Int. Aitrieus Wright  
\* 1:00 PM Sp. Int. Atzimba Sierra  
\* 3:00 PM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi  
5:30 PM † Michael Cordova  
\*7:00 PM † Roque Martinez

### Monday, Oct 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023

8:30 AM † JoAnn Riener

### Tuesday, Oct 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023

8:30 AM † Deceased members of Reyes Family  
\*7:00 PM † Rosa Miranda

### Wednesday, Nov 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 All Saints' Day

8:30 AM † Avito Moniz  
12:00 PM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi  
5:30 PM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi  
\*\*7:00 PM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

### Thursday, Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 All Souls' Day

8:30 AM All Souls in Purgatory  
\*\*7:00 PM All Souls in Purgatory

### Friday, Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> 2023

8:30 AM † Roland-Elex Punu

### Saturday, Nov 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023

8:30 AM † Manuel Horacio Almeida  
5:30 PM † Rolinda Atienza  
\*7:00 PM † Endelicia Chacon, Javier Villa, Jose Pinto  
\* Masses in Spanish  
\*\* Masses are bilingual

## HORARIO DE MISAS

### NOVIEMBRE 1<sup>o</sup>, 2023 Día de Todos los Santos

#### Día de precepto

Misas en Inglés : 8:30am, 12 mediodía y 5:30pm.  
Misa bilingüe a las 7: 00 pm.

**Fieles Difuntos, 2 de Nov.** Misa en inglés 8:30am;  
y Misa en español a las 7:00pm.

**Cambio de hora**— Recuerde que el domingo 5 de noviembre es el cambio de hora (1 hora atrás).

La oficina parroquial estará cerrada el **viernes 10 de noviembre** en observación del día de los veteranos.

## CHURCH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

September Sunday collection was \$ 51,026

**Operating Income** through September \$965,860

**Operating Expense** through September \$973,170

Year to date Shortfall (\$ 7310).

September Food Sales was \$ 4,168

Thank you for your generous donations. God Bless!

Parish Repair donations will be strictly restricted to parish maintenance and repairs. Chapel roof needs to be replaced. All funds collected from breakfast sales will be used to cover the expenses.

I ask you to prayerfully consider supporting our parish with electronic donations through Faith Direct. You can sign up online at [faith.direct/FD2](https://faith.direct/FD2), / text 'Enroll' to (Text-to-Give Number) / or call Faith Direct customer service at 866-507-8757.



Puede registrarse en línea en [faith.direct/FD2](https://faith.direct/FD2), enviar un mensaje de texto con la palabra "Inscribirse" al (número de texto para dar) o llamar al servicio al cliente de Faith Direct al 866-507-8757.

## Latino Ministry/ Ministerio Latino

- **Talleres para Matrimonios:** Los talleres para parejas serán 1 vez al mes, los días jueves de 7 a 9pm y nos ayudarán a explorar diferentes temas concernientes a la relación de Pareja. Nuestro segundo taller es

**“RENOVANDO NUESTRO ROMANCE “.**

Día y hora : **Jueves, 16 de Noviembre 7 pm.**

**Lugar:** Salón St Juan Pablo II. Información: Víctor y Malena (925) 7053164 .

- **Reuniones de jóvenes adultos** edades 18 - 30 años. La reuniones se realizan los días Jueves a las 7:00pm de en la Casa Assisi/ Rossi. Para más información llamar a la oficina parroquial.

# Vocation Month Celebration

Saturday, Nov. 18

12PM - 8PM

Location: St. Michael Parish Hall  
and Church  
458 Maple Street Livermore CA



12:00pm Exhibits and Food - in the school classrooms and walkways

2:00pm HOLY HOUR and chaplet of the Divine Mercy- Church and Testimony of a Permanent Deacon (Deacon Eric Simontis)

3:30pm Vocation Testimonies- in the Church

4:30pm Break

5:00pm Mass with Bishop- in church

6:15pm Dinner with Bishop Seminarrians, Priests, Deacons and Religious Q & A -in the parish hall



### Candle offering to The Blessed Sacrament.

You may offer 6 red devotional candles to the Blessed Sacrament on behalf of your family.

Suggested donation for offering \$45. Contact our Parish Office for more information.

\*\*\*\*\*Velas

**Rojas para el Santísimo**, usted puede ofrecer 6 velas en nombre de su familia para el Santísimo. La donación sugerida es de \$45. Favor contactar la oficina parroquial para más información.

### Festival Raffle / Rifa del Festival 2023

#### Happy Winners/ Felices Ganadores

Evelyn Suarez, Jose A. Ramirez, Salvacion Balabis  
Gabby Arellano, Careli Valdivia, Leonel Gonzalez -

Note: All prizes have been redeemed./ Todos los premios ya han sido colectados.

### 2024 MASS INTENTION BOOK

The Mass intention book is open, please contact the parish office for available Masses.

#### Libro de Intenciones de Misa del 2024

El libro de Intenciones de Misas esta disponible, favor contactar la oficina parroquial para ver disponibilidad de Misas.

### Carondelet and De La Salle High School's 23-24 Admissions Season is open!

The application deadline for both schools is December 8, and Financial Aid applications open on December 1.

To learn more about Carondelet, come to our Open House on November 5 from 1:00 - 3:00 PM. De La Salle will be hosting an Open House from 9:30 AM - 12:00 on November 5<sup>th</sup> as well.

To register for Open House, find out more about both schools, and apply, visit [carondeleths.org](http://carondeleths.org) and [dlschs.org](http://dlschs.org).



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## SAINT FRANCIS CHURCH

INVITES YOU TO OUR 2ND ANNUAL SAINTS

SAN FRANCIS TE INVITA  
A NUESTRO 2DO  
**TRUNK  
TREAT OR**



OCTOBER 31, 2023

@ 5:00PM

THERE WILL BE A PRIZE FOR  
THE MOST CREATIVE TRUNK  
AND CUSTOM

WE NEED PARISHIONERS TO VOLUNTEER  
TO HOST TRUNKS! YOU ARE  
RESPONSIBLE FOR DECORATING YOUR  
TRUNK WITH YOUR FAVORITE SAINT OR  
BIBLE STORY AND PASSING OUT CANDY.

PLEASE HELP WITH CANDY DONATIONS



OCTUBRE 31, 2023

@ 5:00PM

HABRA PREMIO PARA LA CAJUELA  
MAS CREATIVA Y MEJOR NIÑO@  
VESTIDO DE SANT@

NECESITAMOS VOLUNTARIOS QUE  
DECOREN SUS CAJUELAS!  
USTEDES SERAN RESPONSABLES DE  
DECORAR SU CAJUELA CON SU  
SANTO FAVORITO O PASAJE DE LA  
BIBLIA Y REPARTIR DULCES.

POR FAVOR AYUDEN CON DONACIONES DE DULCES