



# St. Francis

OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## January 14, 2024 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### Mass Schedule

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

### Daily Spanish Masses

Tuesday /Martes - Thursday/Jueves 7 PM

### Sunday Masses

Saturday/Sábado 5:30 PM - English (Vigil)

**7:00 PM - Spanish**

Sunday /Domingo 7 AM - English

**\*Sunday /Domingo 8 AM - Spanish**

\*Sunday/Domingo 10 AM - English

Sunday / Domingo 11:30 AM - English

**Sunday /Domingo 1:00 PM- Spanish**

*Sunday /Domingo 3:00 PM - Portuguese*

Sunday /Domingo 5:30 PM - English

**Sunday /Domingo 7:00 PM - Spanish**

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**Confessions** English Saturdays 4 - 5 pm & Tuesday 6-7pm

Spanish Wednesday / Miércoles & /Thursday / Jueves 6 - 7 PM

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

Please call/ Favor llamar al **(925) 682-5447**

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**the Blessed Sacrament/ *Exposición del Santísimo***

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

### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS/ HORAS DE OFICINA**

Our office is open Monday—Friday

9:00 am— 7:00 pm

Closed 12:00 – 2:00 pm for Lunch

**Reminder: Parish Office will be closed on  
Jan.15<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

Nuestra Oficina esta abierta de Lunes - Viernes

9:00 am - 7:00 pm

Cerrada de 12:00 pm— 2:00 pm para almuerzo

Cerrada Sábados y Domingos

**La Oficina estará cerrada**

**15 de enero del 2024**

### **Walk for Life West Coast 2024**

Join fellow Catholics and Pro-Lifers from all over California and beyond as we stand up for the littlest among us at the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk for Life West Coast in San Francisco on January 20, 2024. There will be Mass at 9:30 am celebrated by Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone at St. Mary's Cathedral. The rally begins at 12:30 pm in San Francisco's Civic Center Plaza, and the Walk, down the city's Market Street, begins at 1:30 pm. For more information visit

www.walkforlifewc.com or call 415-658-1793.

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Saturday, Jan 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024

8:30 AM † Thomas Francis Daley

5:30 PM † Jean Kreutzman

\*7:00 PM † Ramona Lopez

### Sunday, Jan 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024

7:00 AM † Henry Go

\*8:00 AM † Jose Pinto

10:00 AM † Mauro M. Arizapa

11:30 AM † Bill Ratto

\* 1:00 PM † Jose Maria Hernandez Ortiz

\* 3:00 PM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

5:30 PM Sp. Int. the Jacinto Family

\*7:00 PM † Macedonio Magallon Flores

### Monday, Jan 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024

8:30 AM † Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

### Tuesday, Jan 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024

8:30 AM † Margaret & Donald Kelly

\*7:00 PM † Luis Carlos & Sergio Gonzalez Cruz

### Wednesday, Jan 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024

8:30 AM Sp. Int. Audrey McEachran

### Thursday, Jan 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024

8:30 AM † David Carlson

### Friday, Jan 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024

8:30 AM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

### Saturday, Jan 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024

8:30 AM † Harry Fegan

5:30 PM † Judy Raleigh

\*7:00 PM Sp. Int. Fr. Fernando Rubio

\* Masses in Spanish

## CHURCH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

December Sunday Collection \$ 17,786

Faith Direct Collection \$ 7,178

December Parish Repairs \$ 788

Immaculate Conception Collection \$ 2138

**Operating Income** through November **\$1,190,909**

**Operating Expense** through November **\$1,158,122**

**Year to date Excess \$32,787**

**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 on Thanksgiving Day 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.



### Saint Francis of Assisi CYO Track & Field

Open to all youth 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Practice starts February 5, 2024

**Days/Times** Monday, Wednesday, Thursday  
5:30pm -6:30pm (No practice if it is raining)

**Location:** Ygnacio Valley High School

For Registration and information contact

George Francis at 925-765-0256

[coachfrancisvhs@hotmail.com](mailto:coachfrancisvhs@hotmail.com)

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

**New Location—Rossi House**

St. Vincent de Paul has moved to the Rossi /Assisi House, their hours of service will continue as Wednesday 9:30am – 11:30am Saturdays 9:00am—11:30am.

**La oficina de San Vicente de Paul** tiene una nueva ubicación, se mudó a la Casita Rossi/Assisi House. Los horarios de atención son los siguientes: Miércoles: 9:30am – 11:30am; Sábados 9:00am—11:30am. (925) 682-5811

**St. Francis of Assisi  
Crab Feed dinner and fundraiser**

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Saturday, January 20, 2024  
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm**



**St. Francis of Assisi Family Center**  
860 Oak Grove Road, Concord, CA  
(Family Center (aka the gym) located in the back parking lot)  
\$70 per person for crab  
\$25 per person for chicken as a substitute for crab

**Menu:**

- Crab (of course) gr
- Chicken (1/2 of a rotisserie chicken)
- Pasta
- Salad
- Bread
- Dessert

**Auction:** Prizes TBD

**Raffle:** Traditional lotto sombrero and more

**Reservations can be made in-person after masses or online by searching on**  
**SFAGrill.org**

*Reservations are limited and must be purchased in advance.*

Sponsored by St. Francis of Assisi Knights of Columbus Council 13179



**Church Restroom's Under Repairs**

Church Ladies Restroom will be under repair starting Monday January 15, 2024. Restroom's in the John Paul Center will be available during the weekends.

Sorry for the inconvenience.

**Reparación de Baño**

El baño para damas de la iglesia estará bajo construcción a partir del 15 de enero. El baño del salón Juan Pablo II estará disponible para su uso durante el fin de semana.

**Planning to Baptize your Baby in 2024?** Contact our Parish Office Monday to Friday for available dates, requirements and more information.

**¿Planeando bautizar a su bebé?** Contacte o visite nuestra oficina parroquial de lunes a viernes para obtener los requisitos y las fechas disponibles.

**Parish Office/ Oficina Parroquial (925) 682-5447**

**VIEW OUR NEW WEBSITE: [www.sfaconcord.com](http://www.sfaconcord.com)**

*We've Changed*

*But it's all good – we've just launched our new look website. It's now even easier (we hope!) to find the important information and discover some exciting new ones at the same time. With better navigation and more in-depth information, we hope you love it as much as we do.*

*You can sponsor to our website and your advertisement will appear in our website to help popularize your business.*

**VEA NUESTRO NUEVO SITIO WEB: [www.sfaconcord.com](http://www.sfaconcord.com)**

Hemos cambiado

Pero todo está bien: acabamos de lanzar nuestro nuevo sitio web. Ahora es aún más fácil (¡esperamos!) encontrar información importante y descubrir información nueva e interesante al mismo tiempo. Con una mejor navegación e información más detallada, esperamos que te guste tanto como a nosotros.

**Puede patrocinar nuestro sitio web y su anuncio aparecerá en nuestro sitio web para ayudar a popularizar su negocio.**



# 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR ADMISSION

NOW ACCEPTING  
APPLICATIONS for TK-8



For more Information:

[www.sfaconcord.org](http://www.sfaconcord.org)

925-682-5414



### *Caminata por la Vida de la Costa Oeste 2024*

Caminata por la Vida de la Costa Oeste 2024: Únase a compañeros Católicos y Pro-Vida de toda California y más allá, mientras luchamos en nombre de los más pequeños entre nosotros en la vigésima Caminata por la Vida de la Costa Oeste en San Francisco, el 20 de enero del 2024. Habrá Misa a las 9:30 am celebrada por el Arzobispo Salvatore Cordileone en la Catedral de Santa María. La manifestación comienza a las 12:30 pm en la Plaza del Centro Cívico, y la Caminata por la Calle Market da inicio a la 1:30 pm. Para obtener información completa sobre la Caminata, visite [www.walkforlifewc.com](http://www.walkforlifewc.com) o llame al 415-658-1793.