

**Sunday Collection****Week of September 8**

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| Parish General Collection     |             |
| Envelopes                     | \$12,109.95 |
| Loose Cash                    | \$801.00    |
| Online Giving (WeShare)       | \$4,185.00  |
| Tuition Assistance            | \$75.00     |
| "Build Up My Church" Campaign |             |
| Envelopes                     | \$7,286.00  |
| Online Giving (WeShare)       | \$2,000.00  |
| Mass Attendance               | 1152        |

**Weekly Mass Schedule****Sunday, Sept. 15 – 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

EX 32:7-11, 13-14; PS 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 TM 1:12-17; LK 15:1-32

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| 5:00 PM (Sat.) | † Tom Murphy (Jane Murphy)       |
| 8:30 AM        | † Duy Bui (Thuy Pham)            |
| 11:00 AM       | The people of St. Francis Parish |

**Monday, September 16 – Sts. Cornelius & Cyprian**

1 TIM 2:1-8; PS 28:2, 7, 8-9; LK 7:1-10

**Tuesday, September 17 – St. Robert Bellarmine**

1 TIM 3:1-13; PS 101:1B-2AB, 2CD-3AB, 5, 6; LK 7:11-17

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| 7:30 AM | † Ken Roberts (Biscione Family) |
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**Wednesday, September 18 – Weekday**

1 TIM 3:14-16; PS 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; LK 7:31-35

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| 7:30 AM | † Liet Nguyen (Thuy Pham)             |
| 9:15 AM | † Javier Garcia (Ron & Maria Wallace) |

**Thursday, September 19 – St. Januarius**

1 TIM 4:12-16; PS 111:7-8, 9, 10; LK 7:36-50

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| 7:30 AM | † Maria Le (Thuy Pham) |
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**Friday, September 20 – Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions**

1 TIM 6:2C-12; PS 49:6-7, 8-19, 17-18, 19-20; LK 8:1-3

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| 7:30 AM | For all souls (Lan Vu) |
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**Saturday, September 21 – St. Matthew**

EPH 4:1-7, 11-13; PS 19:2-3, 4-5; MT 9:9-13

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| 8:30 AM | † Dao Thi Nguyen (Thuy Pham) |
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**Sunday, Sept. 22 – 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

EAM 8:4-7; PS 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8; 1 TM 2:1-8; LK 16:1-13

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| 5:00 PM  | † A.J. and Mary Tinker<br>(Ed and Laura Commander) |
| 8:30 AM  | † Lena Johnston (Jeff & Cathy Ogden)               |
| 11:00 AM | The people of St. Francis Parish                   |

**Welcome New Parishioners**

Register online at [www.stfrancisokc.com](http://www.stfrancisokc.com) or fill out a green registration card in church and turn it into the collection.

**This Week at St. Francis****Monday, September 16**

6:30 PM Boy Scouts-FLC/Seminar 1,2,3;Cafeteria

**Tuesday, September 17**

6:30 PM Suicide Loss Support Group – KR  
6:30 PM Altar Server Training – CH  
6:30 PM Safe Environment Class – FLC/Seminar 1  
7:00 PM Women's Choir Rehearsal - CR

**Wednesday, September 18**

6:30 PM Altar Server Training – CH  
7:00 PM Parish Choir Rehearsal - CR

**Thursday, September 19**

3:30-6:45 PM CGS – 2<sup>nd</sup> fl. MH  
7:00 PM AA Meeting – KR  
7:00 PM 848 Assembly – MH 3<sup>rd</sup> Fl.  
7:00 PM Parish Council Meeting – FLC/Seminar 1

**Friday, September 20****Saturday, September 21****Sunday, September 22**

7:55 AM Chaplet/ Rosary—CH  
9:30 AM Coffee & Donuts – PH  
9:40-10:45 AM RE Class – RS  
9:45-10:45 PM RCIA Class – FLC/Seminar 1,2,3  
12:15 PM St. Vincent de Paul Mtg – FLC/Seminar 1  
5:00-5:30 PM Purpose Rosary - CH  
5:30-6:00 PM Purpose Dinner – FLC/Cafeteria  
6:00-7:45 PM Purpose Session— FLC/Café, Seminar 1-3

CH=Church, MH=Meerschaert House, FLC=Family Life Center, KR=Kelly Room, YR=Youth Room, RS=Rosary School, PH=Parish Hall, CR=Choir Room, TBD=to be determined

**Upcoming Parish Events****Catholic Charities 2019 Annual Appeal**

Give to Catholic Charities Annual Appeal to help those who are lost, in despair and need help, through case management, homeless services, counseling, immigration and refugee services. Donate at [givetocc.org](http://givetocc.org) or fill out a brochure in church. You can also text "providing" to 41444 to support the annual appeal as you are able.

**Young at Heart for Seniors**

We are planning a wonderful year for all; we are going to meet on 4 times this coming year. The next meeting will be the fall meeting on Wednesday, October 2, the Feast of the Guardian Angel. Please bring an "angel" story and a side dish to share. The main dish will be provided. Mark your calendar for December 4 for our "Christmas" get-together. Meetings dates are still scheduled on the first Wednesday of the month. We will meet in the parish hall at 11:30 and eat at noon. Watch the bulletin for updates and we hope you can join us!

### Altar Society Tea Party

All women of the parish are invited to the annual Altar Society Tea Party, TODAY, Sunday, Sept. 15 from 12-2:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. It's a come and go and we will be serving sandwiches, cookies and tea!

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Classes begin today, Sunday the 15<sup>th</sup> but it is not too late to join this faith journey to learn what the Church teaches! These classes are for inquirers and are open to people who are unbaptized as well as those baptized Christians from other backgrounds. Classes meet once a week on Sundays from 9:45-10:45 a.m. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Family Life Center (northwest corner of the church parking lot). Childcare is available. For information contact Deacon John Harned at [evangelization@stfrancisokc.com](mailto:evangelization@stfrancisokc.com) or call the church office.

### Calling All College Students!

The Oklahoma City University Catholic Student Association invites all college students to come and meet new and old friends and learn about our events for the semester. Email [okcucatholic@gmail.com](mailto:okcucatholic@gmail.com) for more information.

Sept. 15 – Padre Pio and Pizza

Sept. 22 – Feed the Hungry – Wiley Post Park

Sept. 29 – Adoration with Praise and Worship – KR/Chapel

### Coffee & Donuts in Parish Hall

Join us for the Sunday Coffee & Donut Social after the 8:30 a.m. Mass in the newly renovated Parish Hall.

### Safe Environment Training

The Archdiocese of Oklahoma requires all volunteers working with children/infirm to attend a Safe Environment Training class. No RSVP required. The next class dates are:

Tues., Sept. 17 at 6:30 p.m. – Family Life Center, Seminar 1

Thurs., Sept. 26 at 6:30 p.m. – Family Life Center, Seminar 1

### Altar Server Training

Two Altar Server Training sessions will be offered in the church for students of our parish currently enrolled in grade 5 through high school. The training will be on Tuesday, September 17 and Wednesday, September 18, both days at 6:30 p.m.

**Students attending Rosary School will be trained during class time but may attend extra training if desired.** Parents are asked to stay for the training if possible which should last 1 ½ hours. Altar Servers currently serving at Mass already may attend the training as a refresher.

### Parish Council Meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on Thursday, Sept. 19 at 7:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center Seminar Room.

### St. Vincent de Paul Meeting

The St. Vincent de Paul Committee will meet Sunday, Sept. 22 at 12:15 p.m. in the Family Life Center – Seminar 1.

### Suicide Loss Support Group Meeting

This is a simple gathering in a caring atmosphere offering support to survivors of suicide loss and remembering the loved ones lost. Meetings are held in the Kelley Room of the

Meerschaert House (located on the north side of the church). Next meeting date is Tuesday, September 17 at 6:30 p.m.

## Other News & Information

### Oktoberfest 2019 Vendor Booth Applications

St. Francis/Rosary School Oktoberfest will be held on Sunday, Oct. 6 from 2-6 pm. If you are interested in renting a booth in our vendor area go to [www.stfrancisokc.com](http://www.stfrancisokc.com) and click on Bulletin/Flyers and print out an application form. Deadline is October 1 to apply. Parishioner \$40 / Non-parishioner \$50.

### St. Francis Music Ministry

The *SF Women's Choir* is looking for more members. We sing monthly at the Saturday 5pm and the 8:30am Masses as well as occasional special liturgies and holy days throughout the year. Rehearsals are held Tuesday evenings from 7-8:30pm in the Choir Room on the second floor of the Meerschaert House.

The *SF Parish Choir* is looking for more members. We sing weekly at the 11am Sunday Mass as well as occasional special liturgies and holy days throughout the year. Rehearsals are held Wednesday evenings from 7-9:00pm and there is a warm up on Sunday mornings at 10:15am in the Choir Room on the second floor of the Meerschaert House.

**Interested in joining? Contact our Director of Sacred Music, Alvez Barkoskie at [music@stfrancisokc.com](mailto:music@stfrancisokc.com) or feel free to come up to the choir loft after Mass to speak in person.**

### Attention Parishioners, Parents and SF Groups:

Please help **feed** our Confirmation Youth Group Teens and Adult Core Leaders. Each Purpose Night we will take 30 mins before each biweekly session to share a meal together as a group. This "breaking of the bread" is a way for us to strengthen our relationships and by practicing what Jesus does best, which is always inviting us into communion with him, through stronger connections with one another and a deeper relationship with Him. Meals for 60 people should be prepared and ready to be served at 5:30 pm in the FLC. Warmers in the cafeteria can be used to keep any food warm. To help, type this link in your browser or use the link on the Church Website under the Confirmation tab to sign in: <https://mealtrain.com/gwmkee>. If you do not like to cook, no problem. There is an option to donate.

## Let Us Pray for the Sick

Emma Hickman, Kathy Martin, Steve Weaver, Michael Scoles, Robert Konarik, William Johnston, Edward Landgraf, John Griffith, Anna Fuhrman, Jeri Minnick, George Emerson, Jeannine Barbour, Pat Hansen, Tom Harrington, Maureen Maude, Eduardo Rodriguez, John Peoples, Luke Schaefer, Maxine Clark, Esma Brougham, Yvonne Nykl, Joe Castoro, Kathi Hamilton, Jack Page, Wilma Wadesworth, Wayne Gass, Victoria Wilson, Ginnie Schaefer, Billy Patton, Joseph Patton, Mary Ellen Scholes, Ron Wallace, Bill Naifeh, Minh Nguyen, Dottie Schaeffer, Julie Hoehner, Matthew Hoehner, Terri Cisper & Family, Ray Copeland, Cindy Emberty, Gladys Montoya, Stephanie Dunn-Ward, Barbara Steelman, Claudia Jaramillo, Colleen Moore and Louise Bishop.