
Pulpit Announcements

5 October 2025

Gift Shop/Bookstore

This Sunday, the 1st Sunday of the month of October,
the Shrine's Gift Shop/Bookstore will be open during morning Mass times
from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm for your convenience.

Fall has arrived – a good time to curl-up with a good inspirational book or two!
Regular hours are 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday thru Saturday. Come on in and browse.

St. Francis and the Blessing of Animals

St. Francis is the Patron Saint of animals – his feast day is Saturday, October 4th.
We will extend that celebration with a blessing of animals on Sunday October 5th.

All are invited to bring their furry or feathery friends this Sunday at 3:00 pm
to receive a blessing on the walkway fronting the Shrine. All are welcome.

Food Pantry

Non-perishable food items for the poor may be brought to stock our Food Pantry.

Market Basket Gift Cards are always welcomed to help put food on needy families's tables.

Monetary donations to our St Anthony Fund for the poor are also welcomed.

Please place those in the donation "post" at the foot of his statue.

Offertory Donations

Since we do not pass the collection baskets thru the pews at Offertory time,
all are reminded to please place your regular Offertory donation for today's Sunday Mass
in any of our Offertory Collection Boxes at the exits – as you leave the Shrine.

Thank You!
