# The Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi

# Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary ~ XXVI Domingo Ordinario September 28, 2025

### Call to Prayer & Procession/Gathering Song Llamada de Oración y Procesión/Canto de Reunión

### That I May Serve You

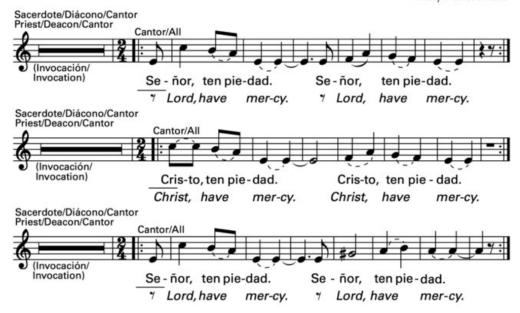
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### THE GOD OF ALL GRACE





### Glory to God ~ Gloria a Dios

### GLORIA/GLORY TO GOD



### Estrofas

- Por tu inmensa gloria te alabamos, te bendecimos, te adoramos, te glorificamos, te damos gracias, Señor Dios, Rey celestial, Dios Padre todopoderoso.
- Señor, Hijo único, Jesucristo, Señor Dios, Cordero de Dios, Hijo del Padre, tú que quitas el pecado del mundo, ten piedad de nosotros; tú que quitas el pecado del mundo, atiende nuestra súplica; tú que estás sentado a la derecha del Padre, ten piedad de nosotros.
- Porque sólo tú eres Santo, sólo tú Señor, sólo tú Altísimo, Jesucristo, con el Espíritu Santo en la gloria de Dios Padre. Amén.

### Verses

- We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
- Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
- For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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### The Liturgy of the Word ~ Liturgia de la Palabra

### First Reading ~ Primera Lectura

Amos 6:1a, 4-7

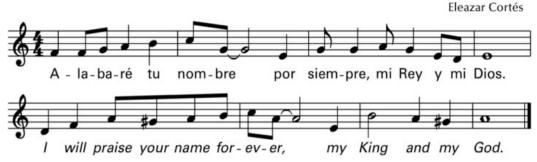
Thus says the LORD the God of hosts: Woe to the complacent in Zion! Lying upon beds of ivory, stretched comfortably on their couches, they eat lambs taken from the flock, and calves from the stall! Improvising to the music of the harp, like David, they devise their own accompaniment. They drink wine from bowls and anoint themselves with the best oils; yet they are not made ill by the collapse of Joseph! Therefore, now they shall be the first to go into exile, and their wanton revelry shall be done away with.

Esto dice el Señor todopoderoso: "¡Ay de ustedes, los que se sienten seguros en Sión y los que ponen su confianza en el monte sagrado de Samaria! Se reclinan sobre divanes adornados con marfil, se recuestan sobre almohadones para comer los corderos del rebaño y las terneras en engorda. Canturrean al son del arpa, creyendo cantar como David. Se atiborran de vino, se ponen los perfumes más costosos, pero no se preocupan por las desgracias de sus hermanos. Por eso irán al destierro a la cabeza de los cautivos y se acabará la orgía de los disolutos".



### Psalm ~ Salmo

# SALMO 144: ALABARÉ TU NOMBRE / PSALM 145: I WILL PRAISE YOUR NAME



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### Second Reading ~ Segunda Lectura

1 Timothy 6:11-16

But you, man of God, pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness. Compete well for the faith. Lay hold of eternal life, to which you were called when you made the noble confession in the presence of many witnesses. I charge you before God, who gives life to all things, and before Christ Jesus, who gave testimony under Pontius Pilate for the noble confession, to keep the commandment without stain or reproach until the appearance of our Lord Jesus Christ that the blessed and only ruler will make manifest at the proper time, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light, and whom no human being has seen or can see. To him be honor and eternal power. Amen.

Hermano: Tú, como hombre de Dios, lleva una vida de rectitud, piedad, fe, amor, paciencia y mansedumbre. Lucha en el noble combate de la fe, conquista la vida eterna a la que has sido llamado y de la que hiciste tan admirable profesión ante numerosos testigos. Ahora, en presencia de Dios, que da vida a todas las cosas, y de Cristo Jesús, que dio tan admirable testimonio ante Poncio Pilato, te ordeno que cumplas fiel e irreprochablemente, todo lo mandado, hasta la venida de nuestro Señor Jesucristo, la cual dará a conocer a su debido tiempo Dios, el bienaventurado y único soberano, rey de los reyes y Señor de los señores, el único que posee la inmortalidad, el que habita en una luz inaccesible y a quien ningún hombre ha visto ni puede ver. A él todo honor y poder para siempre.



### Gospel Acclamation ~ Aclamación ante del Evangelio

### Gospel ~ Evangelio Luke 16:19-31

Jesus said to the Pharisees: "There was a rich man who dressed in purple garments and fine linen and dined sumptuously each day. And lying at his door was a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who would gladly have eaten his fill of the scraps that fell from the rich man's table. Dogs even used to come and lick his sores. When the poor man died, he was carried away by angels to the bosom of Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried, and from the netherworld, where he was in torment, he raised his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. And he cried out, 'Father Abraham, have pity on me. Send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am suffering torment in these flames.' Abraham replied, 'My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established to prevent anyone from crossing who might wish to go from our side to yours or from your side to ours.' He said, 'Then I beg you, father, send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they too come to this place of torment.' But Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets. Let them listen to them.' He said, 'Oh no, father Abraham, but if someone from the dead goes to them, they will repent.' Then Abraham said, 'If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead."

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a los fariseos: "Había un hombre rico, que se vestía de púrpura y telas finas y banqueteaba espléndidamente cada día. Y un mendigo, llamado Lázaro, yacía a la entrada de su casa, cubierto de llagas y ansiando llenarse con las sobras que caían de la mesa del rico. Y hasta los perros se acercaban a lamerle las llagas. Sucedió, pues, que murió el mendigo y los ángeles lo llevaron al seno de Abraham. Murió también el rico y lo enterraron. Estaba éste en el lugar de castigo, en medio de tormentos, cuando levantó los ojos y vio a lo lejos a Abraham y a Lázaro junto a él. Entonces gritó: 'Padre Abraham, ten piedad de mí. Manda a Lázaro que moje en agua la punta de su dedo y me refresque la lengua, porque me torturan estas llamas'. Pero Abraham le contestó: 'Hijo, recuerda que en tu vida recibiste bienes y Lázaro, en cambio, males. Por eso él goza ahora de consuelo, mientras que tú sufres tormentos. Además, entre ustedes y nosotros se abre un abismo inmenso, que nadie puede cruzar, ni hacia allá ni hacia acá'. El rico insistió: 'Te ruego, entonces, padre Abraham, que mandes a Lázaro a mi casa, pues me quedan allá cinco hermanos, para que les advierta y no acaben también ellos en este lugar de tormentos'. Abraham le dijo: 'Tienen a Moisés y a los profetas; que los escuchen'. Pero el rico replicó: 'No, padre Abraham. Si un muerto va a decírselo, entonces sí se arrepentirán'. Abraham repuso: 'Si no escuchan a Moisés y a los profetas, no harán caso, ni aunque resucite un muerto'".



### Homily ~ Homilia

### Universal Prayer ~ Plegaria Universal

### **Profession of Faith**

### Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (At the words that follow, up to including and became man, all bow.) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### The Liturgy of the Eucharist ~ *Liturgia Eucaristía*





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### Mystery of Faith ~ Misterio de la Fe

### CADA VEZ QUE COMEMOS/WHEN WE EAT THIS BREAD

Misa Santa Fe Mary Frances Reza



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### Amen ~ Amen





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### Communion Hymn ~ Canto de Comunión



### Dismissal of Minister of Holy Communion to the Homebound

My dear friend(s), you are about to bring Communion from this Eucharistic Assembly to our sisters and brothers who are unable to be here with us. Give them our greeting and our love. Pray with them, read today's Gospel with them and minister to them this most precious sacrament.

### Sending Forth ~ Canto de Salida



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### Readings for the week of September 28, 2025

Sunday: Am 6:1a, 4-7/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 (1b)/1 Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31 Monday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12ab/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5/Jn 1:47-51

**Tuesday:** Zec 8:20-23/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 9:51-56 **Wednesday:** Neh 2:1-8/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6/Lk 9:57-62

**Thursday:** Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12 (458)/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 18:1-5, 10

**Friday:** Bar 1:15-22/Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9/Lk 10:13-16 **Saturday:** Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/Ps 69:33-35, 36-37/Lk 10:17-24

**Next Sunday:** Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14/Lk 17:5-10



### Saturday, September 27th

4:00 pm

† Andrea Martinez (17 yr. Anniv.) by Exilda Martinez

† Robert, Eileen and Jeremy Rivera by Family

† Ted S. Lopez by The Family

# <u>Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup> - 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> 9:00 am

† Teresa Silva Parsons by The Silva Family

† Placido Mercure (5 yr. Anniv.) by Marvin Gallegos

In Thanksgiving to St. Jude by Louise Riebe

11:00 am

For the People of the Parish

† Bennie M. Rivera (Anniversary) by Orlinda Rivera

† Alicia Sanchez O'Toole by Daniel O'Toole

† Family Member of the Grant and Murphy Families by Dr. James

A. Grant

## Monday, September 29<sup>th</sup> - Ss. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael 7:00 am Communion Service

Tuesday, September 30th - St. Jerome

7:00 am Communion Service

### Wednesday, October 1st - St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus 5:00 PM

Archbishop St. Francis Award Mass (No 7 AM Communion Service)

### Thursday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> - The Holy Guardian Angels

7:00 am Communion Service

Friday, October 3rd

7:00 am Communion Service

### Saturday, October 4th

4:00 pm

Mary Belack by Carolyn and Jack

† Louise Jimenez by Eladio Jimenez

† Lala G. Martinez and †Edward "Eddie" Martinez by E.J.

Martinez

† Rumaldo Roybal by Roybal Family

### Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup> - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 am

† Julia and †Lorenzo Silva by The Silva Family

† Deacon Mike Siegel (12 yr. Anniv.) by Marvin Gallegos

† Dr. Skya Abbate by Family

11:00 am

For the People of the Parish

† Frances R. Lujan by Cecilia and Emil Matic

Health of Christopher Mouer (Special Intention) by The Family

† Jerry Quintana by Faremouth and Quintana Family

### Parish Stewardship

The Cathedral Basilica is a stewardship parish and we thank you for your continued generosity and support.

**Envelopes:** 

**Total Collection:** \$ 18,297.00

\$8,523.00

**Loose Money:** 

\$ 5,526.00

Weekly need to meet parish obligations:

\$18,135.00

**Online Giving:** \$ 5, 180.00

**SNRCS Support:** \$ 818.00

### **Novena to St. Francis**

### Day 3 - Saturday, September 27

Presider: The saints had to overcome their natural aversion to the crosses and trials of this life. Francis is no exception. Not only did he have a great fear of lepers, he also had a great loathing for them. He came across a leper, went past him, then he turned around and came back to help him. Who or what are the lepers in our lives. If we can change our

response to them we will find that the lepers disappear and only Christ remains.

All: Saint Francis, all holiness stems from how we treat one another. Open my heart and my conscience to see the areas I need to change. Pray that I may act upon the grace given to respond lovingly and generously. Amen.

**Presider:** Our offering today: Throughout the day, give Your cares to the Lord. (conclude with the prayer of St. Francis)

### Day 4 - Saturday, September 28

**Presider:** If we want God to speak to us then we also must spend that time in prayer. Another word for prayer is "relationship" we speak to God and God speaks to us. As readily as we want God to listen to us so we must give that same readiness to listening to God. If we want God to answer our prayers, we must be ready as Saint Francis, to respond to God in the same manner.

All: Saint Francis, I do not often have the resolution and firmness of heart to pray as much as I should. Beg God to give me the grace of prayerful and listening heart. Amen.

Presider: Our offering today: Consider today how you can do God's will (conclude with the prayer of St. Francis)

### **Prayer of St. Francis**

Lord, make me an instrument of Your peace, Where there is hatred, let me sow love, Where there is injury, pardon, Where there is doubt, faith, Where there is despair, hope, Where there is darkness, light, And where there is sadness, joy

O Divine Master Grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive, in pardoning that we are pardoned and in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

### Congratulations to Peter and Patricia Ives 2025 Archbishop's Award Winner for 2025

The Feast of St. Francis, Archbishop's Award Mass Wednesday, October 1

5:00 p.m. Please note that there will not be 7:00am Mass

**Eccumenical Pet Blessing** October 5 1:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross Prayer Garden





September 22, 2025

My sisters and brothers, to your right you will find the annual financial report for you, the parishioners of the Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi.

Because of your generosity we can continue to grow many ministries bringing more people into a closer relationship with Christ and his Church. As you know, many visitors come to the Cathedral every day and participate with us in Mass every weekend. From the warm welcome we share with one another, to the beautiful choirs gloriously helping us to join in praising our God, to the ministers and the liturgical environment enhancing our celebration of the Eucharist, we are all incredibly blessed to be an important part of this vibrant active parish.

The youth of all ages in our parish are not only involved in religious education, but many are active in music ministry and assist with volunteer activities especially during the Christmas and Easter Season. The religious education ministry continues to grow as these young people grow closer to Christ in the life of their families.

As you have experienced, we celebrate many baptisms throughout the year, bringing young families into the life of the Cathedral Basilica community. We have also celebrated joyful weddings of many young couples as they choose to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage and become an important part of our community of faith.

You have seen many renovations and restoration projects throughout the year, including the incredibly beautiful new wood floors, the restoration of the pews and the woodwork throughout the Cathedral, the new protective glass on our stained-glass windows and rose window, and the renovation of the confessionals with etched glass images of some of our beloved Saints. All these restoration projects were made possible by designated donations from very generous donors and the Friends of the Cathedral. No Sunday collections, which pay for our operating expenses, were used for these projects.

The large surplus in operating income over expenses was possible because of a very generous donation from the estate of long-time faithful parishioners who remembered the Cathedral Basilica in their final estate – we are most grateful and remember them often at Mass and in our prayers.

Thank you very much for your generosity which enables us to continue to grow the many ministries here in this historic place of worship and community, and to continue cultivating our rich heritage of faith lived out in this cultural center of worship, with celebrations such as our Novena to Nuestra Señora de la Paz, Fiesta de Santa Fe, Native American and Spanish Markets, and many other events for years to come. Many lives are touched and blessed because of you.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. John Cannon, Rector



# The Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi Fiscal Year-End Report as of June 30, 2025

ASSETS	
The Catholic Foundation Endowment	\$1,020,957
Archdiocesan Savings Account	223,030
Archdiocesan 6 Month CD	212,294
Archdiocesan 2 Year CD	644,137
TOTAL	\$2,100,418

INCOME		
Sunday Envelope		\$ 436,160
Online Giving		255,894
Holy Day Collections		38,019
Loose Collections		228,587
Donations & Bequests		190
Designated Donations		900,000
Designated Donations-SNRCS/Envelope		pe 17,579
Building Fund/Maintenance Envelope		142,124
Maintenance Box		50,912
Rental Income		221,362
Parking Lot Income		619,457
Reimbursements-Giff	Shop	19,734
Reimbursements-Oth	ner Parishes	54,370
Other Income		1,849
ACA Rebate		9,918
Interest-Savings/CD	S	20,715
Stole Fees		18,350
Mass Stipends		5,638
Candles		75,021
Liturgy & Worship-I	lowers	11,308
Religious Education		2,101
Youth Program		1,489
Baptism Program		190
Adult Faith Formatio	n Program	923
TOTAL INCOME		\$3,131,890

EXPENSES					
Liturgy & Worship		\$	383,970		
Religious Education			76,519		
Baptism Program		970			
Youth Program	Youth Program		7,614		
Adult Formation			50,068		
Clergy Administration		59,432			
Parish Administration	ı	1	1,197,396		
SNRCS-Subsidy			35,996		
Building & Land			233,523		
Church Building			27,901		
Katherine Drexel Building			67,382		
Parking Lot Expense	s		313,657		
TOTAL EXPENSE	S	\$2	2,454,428		
INCOME-EXPEN	SE	\$	677,462		
Other Collections/I		\$	15,933		
Community Outreach Collections		_			
Community Outrea	ca Conections	\$	40,975		
ACA Goal			\$64,000		
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