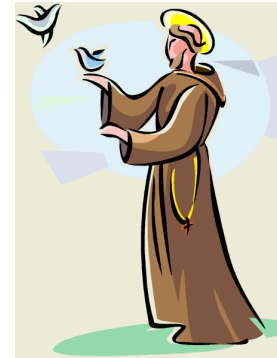


February 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Parish Council Meeting 4th, Finance Meeting 3rd Sunday	1 Monday of the Fourth	2 Presentation of the	3 Blase, B & M; Ansgar,	4 Thursday of the Fourth	5 Agatha, V & M Memorial	6 Paul Miki and com-
7 Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time	8 Jerome Emiliani; Josephine Bakhi-	9 Tuesday of the Fifth Week of	10 Ash Wednesday Weekday	11 Our Lady of Lourdes Commem.	12 Friday after Ash Wednesday	13 Saturday after Ash Wednesday
14 First Sunday of Lent Sunday	15 Monday of the First Week of	16 Tuesday of the First Week of	17 Seven Founders of the Order	18 Thursday of the First Week of	19 Friday of the First Week of	20 Saturday of the First Week of
21 Second Sunday of Lent Sunday	22 Chair of Peter, Ap Feast	23 Polycarp, B & M Commem.	24 Wednesday of the Second Week	25 Thursday of the Second Week of	26 Friday of the Second Week of	27 Saturday of the Second Week of
28 Third Sunday of Lent Sunday	29 Monday of the Third Week of					

Date Mass	Altar Servers	Lectors	EEM	Presentation of Gifts	Announcements	Church Cleaning
Feb 14	Andrew David Elijah	Gerald Danny	Paul Dale Sharon	Jim and Aneta Younger and Family	Kay	Tara
Feb 21	Susie Angelina Jason	Doris Tara	John Peggy Craig	Herold and Sharon Bertrand and Family	Karla	Shannon and Joyce
Feb 28	Kailee Aaron John	Jim Aneta	Karla Clint Sharon	Mike and Peggy Zamora and Family	Peggy	Rachael and Diane



Mass Times

- 9:00 am Sunday
- 8:00 am Tue-Friday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

- 8:30-9:00 am every Sunday of the month, except the first Sunday.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

- Anointing is available to all by appointment. Please call Father to take care of any spiritual needs before or during a hospital stay or a sudden illness.

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February 14, 2016 | First Sunday of Lent

Reading I, Deuteronomy 26:4-10

⁴ 'The priest will then take the basket from your hand and lay it before the altar of Yahweh your God.

⁵ In the presence of Yahweh your God, you will then pronounce these words: "My father was a wandering Aramaean, who went down to Egypt with a small group of men, and stayed there, until he there became a great, powerful and numerous nation.

⁶ The Egyptians ill-treated us, they oppressed us and inflicted harsh slavery on us.

⁷ But we called on Yahweh, God of our ancestors. Yahweh heard our voice and saw our misery, our toil and our oppression;

⁸ and Yahweh brought us out of Egypt with mighty hand and outstretched arm, with great terror, and with signs and wonders.

⁹ He brought us here and has given us this country, a country flowing with milk and honey.

¹⁰ Hence, I now bring the first-fruits of the soil that you, Yahweh, have given me." 'You will then lay them before Yahweh your God, and prostrate yourself in the presence of Yahweh your God.

Parish Information	Announcements
<p>Religious Education: Class time: 10:30 am – 11:15 am Director: Karla Neusch 335-3154 Feb 07– Class Feb 14– Class Student confessions 10:30 am Feb 21– Class Feb 28– Class</p> <p>Hall Chairperson: Peggy Zamora 806-537-3141</p> <p>Liturgical Committee: Gerald Detten Doris Smith Karla Neusch Peggy Detten Danny Detten John Neusch</p> <p>Pastoral Council: President:: Vincent Detten Vice president:: Louis Detten Secretary: Margie Heymer Members: Diane Detten Ed Montana Jeff Detten John Neusch</p> <p>Women’s Council: President: Sharon Bertrand Vice: Doris Smith Secretary: Lorri Hernandez Treasurer: Judy Tomlison</p> <p>Finance Council: Jim Younger Leland Gable Joe Garcia Troy Skarke Kay Ledbetter</p>	<p>If anyone would like a box of envelopes please see Edward.</p> <p>The newspapers in the hall are prepaid and cost a dollar.</p> <p>If you would like to receive updates please sign up with your preferred method, landline, text message, or email with Stacy Detten You may call, text, or email prayer requests.</p> <p>AMARILLO ACTS LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP For All Spiritual Companions And anyone who wants to be considered as a Director or Co-Director for an upcoming ACTS Retreat Team members and ACTS Community who would like to know more about what ACTS is about and what it is doing in our hurting world Join us as we welcome and learn from ACTS Missions from San Antonio in their effort to stay in closer contact with their out-lying chapters and dioceses, which includes Amarillo ACTS. This leadership day will be Feb. 20, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Mary's in Amarillo. Cost is \$40, which includes lunch and a ticket to Re-Kindle in April. Anyone who is interested in attending can sign up online at: http://www.actssamarillo.org/leadership-workshop-registration Our goal is 40 participants so we make this worth San Antonio's time and effort. Please help us fill the workshop and express our appreciation for all they've done in bringing ACTS to the Amarillo Diocese!</p>

Jan	Mass Intentions	The Ladies of Mother Theresa’s Circle meet every 2nd Wed. of the month at 7pm in the Hall.	Prayer Line Stacy Detten 806 433 2197 stfrancisprayerline@gmail.com
Sun 14	St. Francis Church		<p>Lord, hear our prayers for: Dave Henderson Family Cookie Wetmore Dan Wetmore Bonnie DeMeyer Janie Metcalf Haiduk Jordan Jernigan Joanie Meachem Polly Avent John Andrew Detten Leland and Lana Gable Glenn Leven Ginger Younger Bryar Beghtel Ethen Arndt</p>
Tue 16			
Wed 17			
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Fri 19			
<p>Parish Council Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parish Council Meeting 4th Sunday Next Meeting Sunday Feb 28. 		<p>Liturgy Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Liturgy Meeting 2nd Thursday Next Meeting Feb 14. Reconciliation services are now scheduled for thirty minutes before mass every Sunday except the first Sunday of the month. Feb. 12, 19, 26, March 4, 11, 18– Weekly Station of the Cross at 5:30 pm. (Friday) Feb. 28– Third Sunday of Lent, Last Sunday of the Month Anointing of the Sick. Mar 06– Fourth Sunday of Lent, First Sunday of the month Exposition before mass at 8:30 am. 	
<p>Financial Council Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finance Meeting 3rd Sunday Next Meeting Sunday Feb 21. 			
<p>Women’s Council Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Next Meeting is Feb 14. Following Mass, in Classroom B Parish Hall. Father encourages all the women of the parish to attend the meeting. Any question feel free to visit with any member of the Women’s council. 			