



St. Francis

ANGLICAN PARISH

The Second Sunday in Lent

March 16, 2025

Items in bold type are spoken or sung in unison. (†) indicates you may make the sign of the cross.

Opening Hymn..... *What Wondrous Love Is This, p. 11*

Acclamation

Celebrant Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People **His mercy endures forever.**

The Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Decalogue

Celebrant God spoke these words and said: I am the Lord your God. You shall have no other gods but me.

People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**

Celebrant You shall not make for yourself any idol.

People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**

Celebrant You shall not take the Name of the Lord your God in vain.

People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**

Celebrant Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy.
People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**
Celebrant Honor your father and your mother.
People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**
Celebrant You shall not murder.
People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**
Celebrant You shall not commit adultery.
People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**
Celebrant You shall not steal.
People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**
Celebrant You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.**
Celebrant You shall not covet.
People **Lord, have mercy upon us, and write all these, your laws, in our hearts, we beseech you.**

Kyrie Eleison

Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy; Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy, have mercy.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And with your spirit.**
Officiant Let us pray.

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities that may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

First Reading Genesis 15:1-18

After these things the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision: “Fear not, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great.” But Abram said, “O Lord GOD, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?” And Abram said, “Behold, you have given me no offspring, and a member of my household will be my heir.” And behold, the word of the LORD came to him: “This man shall not be your

heir; your very own son shall be your heir.” And he brought him outside and said, “Look toward heaven, and number the stars, if you are able to number them.” Then he said to him, “So shall your offspring be.” And he believed the LORD, and he counted it to him as righteousness. And he said to him, “I am the LORD who brought you out from Ur of the Chaldeans to give you this land to possess.” But he said, “O Lord GOD, how am I to know that I shall possess it?” He said to him, “Bring me a heifer three years old, a female goat three years old, a ram three years old, a turtledove, and a young pigeon.” And he brought him all these, cut them in half, and laid each half over against the other. But he did not cut the birds in half. And when birds of prey came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away. As the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell on Abram. And behold, dreadful and great darkness fell upon him. Then the LORD said to Abram, “Know for certain that your offspring will be sojourners in a land that is not theirs and will be servants there, and they will be afflicted for four hundred years. But I will bring judgment on the nation that they serve, and afterward they shall come out with great possessions. As for you, you shall go to your fathers in peace; you shall be buried in a good old age. And they shall come back here in the fourth generation, for the iniquity of the Amorites is not yet complete.” When the sun had gone down and it was dark, behold, a smoking fire pot and a flaming torch passed between these pieces. On that day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying, “To your offspring I give this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the river Euphrates.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 27:9-17

**Hearken to my voice, O LORD, when I cry unto you;
have mercy upon me and hear me.
You speak to my heart and say, “Seek my face.”
Your face, O LORD, will I seek.
O hide not your face from me,
nor cast your servant away in displeasure.
You have been my helper;
leave me not, neither forsake me, O God of my salvation.
When my father and my mother forsake me,
the LORD takes me in.
Teach me your way, O LORD,
and lead me in the right way, because of my enemies.
Deliver me not over to the will of my adversaries,
for there are false witnesses who have risen up against me, and those who speak
wrong.
I would utterly have fainted,
had I not believed that I would see the goodness of the LORD in the land of the living.**

**O wait for the LORD; be strong, and he shall comfort your heart.
O put your trust in the LORD.**

Second Reading..... Philipians 3:17-4:1

Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us. For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself. Therefore, my brothers, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved. Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us. For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself. Therefore, my brothers, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation.....Speak, O Lord

*Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to receive the food of Your holy word.
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; shape and fashion us in Your likeness,
That the light of Christ might be seen today in our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us all Your purposes, for Your glory.*

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Gospel Luke 13:31-35

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to Jesus, “Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you.” And he said to them, “Go and tell that fox, ‘Behold, I cast out demons and

perform cures today and tomorrow, and the third day I finish my course. Nevertheless, I must go on my way today and tomorrow and the day following, for it cannot be that a prophet should perish away from Jerusalem.' O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! Behold, your house is forsaken. And I tell you, you will not see me until you say, 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!'"

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Hymn *With Broken Heart and Contrite Sigh, p. 12*

Homily

Fr. Matt Garrison

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again 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.

We 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 worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection (†) of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of The People (*Prayer list is on page 16 of your bulletin.*)

Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, “hear our prayer.”

For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.
Lord, in your mercy:

People **Hear our prayer.**

For Stephen, Archbishop of the Anglican Church in North America; Alan, Steven and Quigg, our Bishops; for all the clergy and people of our diocese, Christ Our Hope, and for our parish family at St. Francis. Lord, in your mercy:

People **Hear our prayer.**

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others. Lord, in your mercy:

People **Hear our prayer.**

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith, especially those in Nepal. Lord, in your mercy:

People **Hear our prayer.**

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service [especially _____].
Lord, in your mercy:

People **Hear our prayer.**

For all those who are in need of spiritual guidance and those in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity [especially _____ (*Lists are found on p. 16.*)]. Lord, in your mercy:

People **Hear our prayer.**

For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, (†) [especially _____ (*Lists are found on p. 16.*)] in thanksgiving let us pray. Lord, in your mercy:

People **Hear our prayer.**

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The Confession and Absolution of Sin (*The people may kneel.*)

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry

and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Bishop or Priest stands and says:

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon (†) and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Comfortable Words

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. MATTHEW 11:28

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. JOHN 3:16

The Peace

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And with your spirit.**

Announcements

The Offertory

Celebrant . . . All things come from you, O Lord,
People **And of your own have we given you.**

The Great Thanksgiving (The Sursum Corda)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And with your spirit.**
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them up to the Lord.**
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant continues

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. You bid your faithful people cleanse their hearts, and prepare with joy for the Paschal feast; that, fervent in prayer and in works of mercy, and renewed by your Word and Sacraments, they may come to the fullness of grace which you have prepared for those who love you. Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

The Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of power and might, Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of power and might, heaven and earth are full, full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest. (†) Blessed is he who comes in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Prayer Of Consecration

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace. On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me." Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me." Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us (†) also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face. All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Fraction

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world,

Give us your peace, give us your peace.

The Prayer of Humble Access

We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Holy Communion *By Thy Mercy/Lord, Have Mercy, p. 13*

The Post Communion Prayer

Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn *O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus, p. 12*

The Dismissal

What Wondrous Love Is This

Unison



1 What won - drous love is this, O my soul, O my soul! What
 2 To God and to the Lamb, I will sing, I will sing, to
 3 And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on, and



won - drous love is this, O my soul! What won - drous love is this that
 God and to the Lamb, I will sing. To God and to the Lamb who
 when from death I'm free, I'll sing on. And when from death I'm free I'll



caused the Lord of bliss to lay a - side his crown for my
 is the great I AM, while mil - lions join the theme, I will
 sing and joy - ful be, and through e - ter - ni - ty I'll sing



soul, for my soul, to lay a - side his crown for my soul.
 sing, I will sing, while mil - lions join the theme I will sing.
 on, I'll sing on, and through e - ter - ni - ty I'll sing on.

What wondrous love is this, #439 from *The Hymnal 1982* — Words: American folk hymn, ca. 1835. Music: *Wondrous Love*, from *The Southern Harmony*, 1835; alt. acc. Carlton R. Young, (b. 1926).

With Broken Heart and Contrite Sigh

With broken heart and contrite sigh
A trembling sinner, Lord, I cry:
Thy pardoning grace is rich and free
O God, be merciful to me.

I smite upon my troubled breast,
With deep and conscience guilt
oppressed;
Christ and His cross my only plea:
O God, be merciful to me.

Far off I stand with tearful eyes,
Nor dare uplift them to the skies;
But Thou dost all my anguish see:
O God, be merciful to me.

Nor alms, nor deeds that I have done,
Can for a single sin atone;
To Calvary alone I flee:
O God, be merciful to me.

And when, redeemed from sin and
hell,
With all the ransomed throng I dwell,
My raptured song shall ever be,
God has been merciful to me.

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O The Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

O the deep, deep love of Jesus.
Vast, unmeasured, boundless, free.
Rolling as a mighty ocean
In its fullness over me.
***Underneath me, all around me,
Is the current of Thy love.***
Leading onward, leading homeward,
To thy glorious rest above.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus;
Spread His praise from shore to shore!
How He loveth, ever loveth,
Changeth never, nevermore.
***How He watches o'er His loved ones,
Died to call them all His own.***
How for them He intercedeth,
Watches over them from the throne.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
Love of every love the best.
'Tis an ocean vast of blessing;
'Tis a haven sweet of rest.
***O the deep, deep love of Jesus;
'Tis a heaven of heavens to me.***
And it lifts me up to glory,
For it lifts me up to Thee.

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By Thy Mercy

Jesus, Lord of life and glory,
Bend from heaven thy gracious ear;
While our waiting souls adore thee,
Friend of helpless sinners, hear:

From the depth of nature's blindness,
From the hardening power of sin,
From all malice and unkindness,
From the pride that lurks within,

**By thy mercy, O deliver us, good Lord
By thy mercy, O deliver us, good Lord, good
Lord.**

When temptation sorely presses,
In the day of Satan's power,
In our times of deep distresses,
In each dark and trying hour.

When the world around is smiling,
In the time of wealth and ease,
Earthly joys our hearts beguiling,
In the day of health and peace.

**By thy mercy, O deliver us, good Lord
By thy mercy, O deliver us, good Lord, good
Lord.**

In the weary hours of sickness,
In the times of grief and pain,
When we feel our mortal weakness,
When all human help is vain.

In the solemn hour of dying,
In the awful judgment day,
May our souls, on thee relying,
Find thee still our Rock and Stay.

**By thy mercy, O deliver us, good Lord
By thy mercy, O deliver us, good Lord, good
Lord.**

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Lord, Have Mercy

Jesus, I've forgotten the Words that you have
spoken;
Promises that burned within my heart have now
grown dim;
With a doubting heart I follow the paths of earthly
wisdom;
Forgive me for my unbelief, renew the fire again.

***Lord, have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have
mercy on me;
Lord, have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have
mercy on me.***

I have built an altar where I've worshipped things
of man;
I have taken journeys that have drawn me far from
You;
Now I am returning to Your mercies ever flowing;
Pardon my transgressions, help me love You again.

***Lord, have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have
mercy on me;
Lord, have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have
mercy on me.***

I have longed to know you and all Your tender
mercies,
like a river of forgiveness, ever flowing without
end;
So, I bow my heart before You in the goodness of
Your presence,
Your grace forever shining like a beacon in the
night.

***Lord, have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have
mercy on me;
Lord, have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have
mercy on me.***

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Those serving today

Intercessory Prayer	Mari Hann
Greeter	The Basses
Ushers	Dana Garrett & Tom Reese
Crucifer	Cameron Hanna
Gospel Book Bearer.....	Samuel Bonner
Lectors	Phillip & Rachel Lloyd
Chalice Bearers.....	Linda Bruce & Mark Mahaffey
Nursery 9:45 a.m.	Trina Garrison & Kristina Parks
Godly Play Storyteller	Children will go with nursery
Godly Play Doorkeeper	or third through fifth grade class
Coffee Hour	The Lloyds
Music Director	Audrey Hanna
Organist	Rosemary Parten
Altar Guild	Terry Crawley, Team Coordinator Jean Dabbs, Linda Pate

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Announcements

- **FAMILY PROMISE** is asking for assistance with the following items: breakfast and snack items for the families, laundry supplies, bottled water, plastic forks & spoons, cleaning supplies, 13 gal. trash bags, body wash (M&F), & body lotion. If you can provide any of these items, please help by placing the items on the Family Promise table in the Emanuel Room. They will be brought to FP the week of March 16th. Thank you.
- **WOULD YOU LIKE PRAYER FOR YOURSELF OR OTHERS?** 1) *During Lent*, we are encouraging parishioners to pray for one another as we try to observe a holy Lent. If you would like to participate, write your name on a slip of paper and put it in a basket in the narthex or on the table by the door leading to the Emmanuel Room. Draw the name of another parishioner and pray for them daily throughout Lent. 2) *Anytime you need prayer*, please see a prayer team member (folks at the back of the church with red badges) during communion or fill out a beige card and drop it in a red prayer box by the back or side door of the sanctuary after church.
- **NEW TO ST. FRANCIS?** If you would like more information on our parish family or would like to meet with Fr. Matt, please fill out a CONNECT card from your pew rack and give it to an usher or put it in the collection plate. This way, we can also list you in our online church directory and give you access to it so you and the congregation can more easily put names with faces. If you have a favorite picture that you would like us to use for your listing, send it to greese.sfap@gmail.com. If not, find EJ Oberkirsch after church and she'll gladly take your picture.

Mark Your Calendar

- **VESTRY MEETING** today at noon.
- **WEDNESDAY LENTEN PROGRAM** begins with evening prayer at 6:00 p.m., followed by dinner and program looking at the parable of the Prodigal Son. Some of the study will use *The Return of the Prodigal Son* by Henri Nouwen. Books are available in the office or Emmanuel Room for a suggested donation of \$10.
- **WOMEN'S BOOK & BRUNCH:** Saturday, March 22, 10:00 a.m. at Brenda Brown's (250 Lakeview Drive, Carolina Trace). We'll be discussing *Counting Miracles*, by Nicholas Sparks. Sign up in the hall, get a copy and start reading!

Adult Bible Studies

- **ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL**
 - **DISCOVERING THE OLD TESTAMENT** by Stephen F. Noll with Erika Moore: Marty Pate and Roger Buswell teach this class. The book is about \$30 including shipping. You can order directly from Trinity Anglican Seminary - tas.edu (choose About, Bookstore, Books or Foundation for Christian Ministry Series).
 - **"THE CHOSEN"** class meets in the room downstairs just past the nursery and Fr. Matt's office. Peggy Nelson and Frs. Matt and Dan lead this class.
- **TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY OF JOHN** will meet March 18 at 7:00 p.m.

St. Francis Anglican Parish Prayer List

For the concerns weighing on the hearts and minds of members of this congregation:

Bob Alwine	Jimmy Holt	Bill Ray
Raylan Andrews	Sam Jackson	* Tom Reese
Hailley Chapman	Joey Jervis	Mark Rice
Jeff Cummings	Scott Keller	Stephanie Sellers
*Georgette Dempster	Susan King	Hannah Shutt
*Paul Dempster	Pat & Dwayne Kittle	Brent Smith
*Mary Ann Dusenbury	Charline Kugler	Karen Smith
Tommy East	Liz Lazzaro & baby	Cathy Stinson
Mark Egbulefu	Michelle Leonhardt	*Mackenzie Stinson
Frannie	Rebekah McKinnon	The Sullivan Family
*Roland Frechette	*Becca Mahaffey	Charley Swing
*Joe Hanna	*Elliot Mann	*Jimmy Tatum
Alex Haynes	Travis Oberkirsch	*Jayne Taylor
*Brian Haynes	*Linda Pate	*Brian Teeter
Dorothy Headen	Edwin Patterson	Kristin Vernon
Mike Hendley	Barbara Perry	*Charles Wick
	Greg Poe	

****Member of St. Francis***

We remove names after one month if we have either no updates on their condition or details to guide our prayers, but if someone you added to the list still needs prayer, you may always contact Peggy or Gordy to extend the time.

To add, update information on, or remove a name from the prayer list, please contact Peggy Nelson (phnelson149@gmail.com) or Gordy Reese (greese.sfap@gmail.com).

Pray for those serving in our military all over the world: Corbin Andrews, Alex Bogaski, Roger Buswell, Josh Carpenter, Christian, Fortune Egbulefu, Eliza, Ellis, Evan, Katherine Gladd, Noah Gibson, Garrett Hill, Shane Lawrence, Jim Makepeace, Isaac Owensby, Matt Pate, William Puckett, Fr. Lucas Rees, Devan Siler, Fr. Nick Stavlund, Fr. Dan Steiner, Mac Swingle, Trevor, Brent Turpin, Jason Williams

Pray for the departed: Betty Barber, Linda Bonner, Rodney Cameron, Helen Evans, Richard Falck, Edwin Foushee, Mary Ann Griffin, Marion Jones, Roy Lawrence, Larry Lloyd, Everett Norlander, Mary Parish, Albert Wedge, Ken Williams, Harriette Woodeson