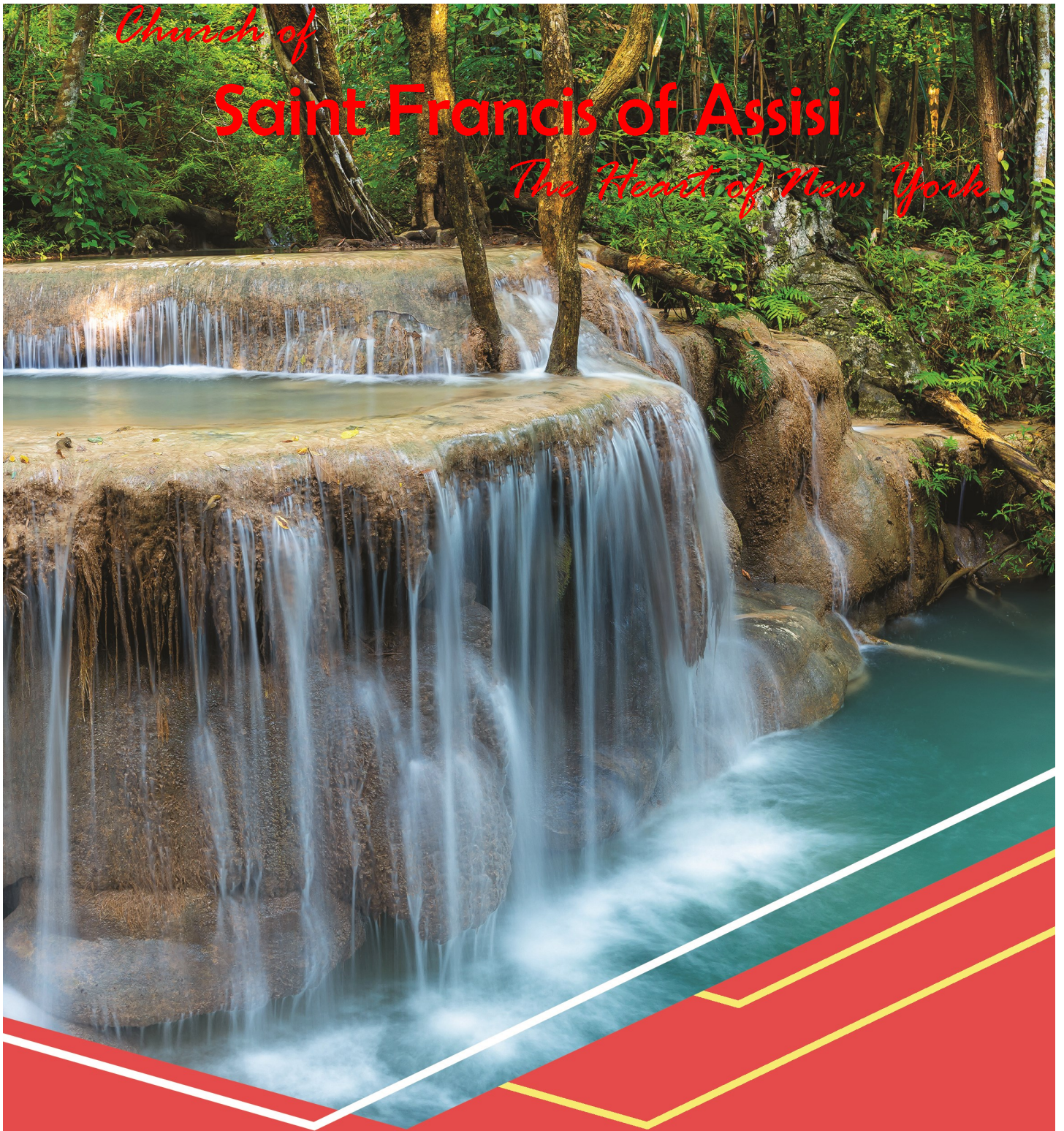


Church of

Saint Francis of Assisi

The Heart of New York



30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart,
with all your soul, and with all your mind.” - Mt 22:37

October 29, 2023

Church of Saint Francis of Assisi
135 West 31st Street, New York, NY 10001
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Welcome  Witness
Worship

The Church of Saint Francis of Assisi in Midtown Manhattan is a parish in the Archdiocese of New York and an urban ministry center staffed by the Franciscan Friars of Holy Name Province and their partners in ministry.

Inspired by our faith in Jesus Christ, and rooted in the charism of St. Francis of Assisi, we actively WELCOME all people.

We WORSHIP God through prayerful and inspiring liturgies, the celebration of the sacraments, and the devotional life of the Church. We WITNESS to our faith by ministering to everyone, especially those who are poor, alienated or oppressed.

Our Weekly Schedule

Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass

4:00 PM

Sunday Masses

8:00 AM,
9:15 AM (Korean),
11:00 AM
12:30 PM
5:00 PM

Weekday Masses

7:30 am, 12:00 PM & 5:30 PM

Saturday Morning Mass

11:00 AM

Holidays

Please check the bulletin and website for any changes to the schedule for Holidays.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday - Friday

8 - 9 AM; 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM;
4:30 - 5:30 PM

Saturday 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Sunday No Confessions

Devotions

Monday

Devotions in Honor of St. Monica
after the 7:30 AM, 12:00 and 5:30 PM Masses

Tuesday

Devotions in Honor of St. Anthony
after the 7:30 AM, 12:00 and 5:30 PM Masses

Wednesday

Devotions in Honor of St. Jude
after the 7:30 AM, 12:00 and 5:30 PM Masses

Thursday

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
after the 12:00 and 5:30 PM Masses

First Fridays

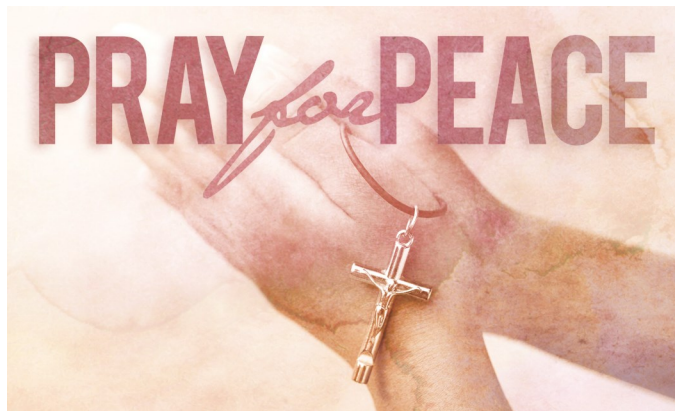
Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus
after the 7:30 AM, 12:00 and 5:30 PM Masses

Saturday

The Rosary after the 11:00 AM Mass.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday—Friday 7:30 AM - 5:00 PM
in Lower Church





A Word from Our Staff

Dear Sisters & Brothers at St. Francis of Assisi Community-
“Without Community it is difficult to find Jesus.”
– Pope Francis

Converge@St. Francis is a ministry dedicated to Strengthening Spiritual and Community Life at our beloved parish – Church of St. Francis of Assisi. Its primary mission is to strengthen the bonds of community among existing members of our parish and to welcome new people into parish life through spiritual, education and social events. We hope that as people converge at our events and projects that the spirit of belonging, love and faith is felt

among and between everyone present.

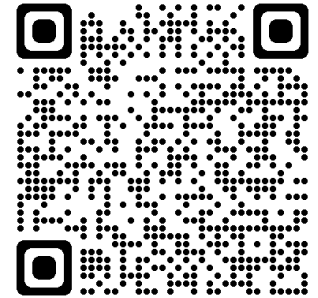
Converge@St. Francis hopes to foster belongingness and a sense of connection to and within the church and this great City.

Loida



Loida Diaz de Jesus
One of the Core Team Members of Converge

To find out more about Jimmy’s Marathon fundraising for the ministries here at St. Francis of Assisi Church click on the QR Code. You can also see how you can follow Jimmy’s Marathon progress across all five boroughs on the day of the Marathon.



Volunteers Needed!!

Canned Goods Delivery- We need people to deliver groceries locally, on foot, to the homebound. This would happen Friday mornings beginning at 9am until 10:30am. You should be able to push/pull a shopping wagon. A great ministry to help those in need!

Bi-Lingual (French/English) Volunteers for Food Pantry - Do you need to use your French language skills more? We need volunteer who can help on Monday, Wednesday or Thursday to help translate for migrants from Senegal. The commitment is minimal, 1-2 hours per week, 10am to 1:30pm. It’s a fun opportunity and a great way to meet and welcome our sisters and brothers from another part of the world!

If you are interested in any of the above opportunities, please contact Edward Trochimczuk at his office number 212-736-8500 x361 or at his email etrochimczuk@stfrancisnyc.org.



A time of warmth and gratitude

Friendsgiving

NOVEMBER 12 | 1:30PM - 4:30PM

Join us as we share our gratitude for love, friends, and our St. Francis Community.

FOR DETAILS AND TO RSVP:
www.stfrancisnyc.org/friendsgiving

Sponsored by the LGBT+ Ministry and Converge Ministry

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, October 28 2023

- 11:00 AM Elambasseril & Vattooparambil Families
Loida Cruz (D)
4:00 PM Paula Souleotis (D) & Sr. Frances and
her intentions

Sunday, October 29, 2023

- 8:00 AM Members of Franciscan Mass League
& Peter Kustera (D)
9:15 Intentions of the Korean Community
11:00 Anthony J. Math, Jr. (D) &
Cirilo Lopez (D)
12:30 PM Winnie & Mike Grady &
Jose, Librada & Jocelyn Dollosa (D)
5:00 PM Sandra Sotto (D) & 1st Anniversary
of Death of Josephine Gomez-Dizon

Monday, October 30, 2023

- 7:30 AM Elambasseril & Vattooparambil Families
12:00 PM Elizabeth Carole Michels (D)
& Dr. Neil Ferrara (D)
5:30 PM

Tuesday, October 31, 2023

- 7:30 AM Elambasseril & Vattooparambil Families
12:00 PM Dominica Dias (D) & Felisa Ocfemia (D)
5:30 PM Frank Garcia (D) & Emmanuel Abitona (D)

Wednesday, November 1, 2023

- 7:30 AM Arthur & Mary Bazzurro
& The World's Poor
12:00 PM Thomas & Edith Castellana &
Patrick J. McManus (D)
5:30 PM Deceased Members of the Carreon Family
& Poor Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, November 2, 2023

- 7:30 AM Regacho Baltazar & Verde Miranda (D)
Onesefero & Marcelina Pacina (D)
12:00 PM Elizabeth Carole Michels (D)
& Angelita Pama (D)
5:30 PM Eusebia Obsequio (D) &
Raymundo Lopez Jr. (D)

Friday, November 3, 2023

- 7:30 AM Ben, Ann Regina & Charles Rafael (D)
& Julian & Lourdes Young (D)
12:00 PM Carmen Maria Morales &
Mary Ann Burbage & Dorothy Yost
5:30 PM Alfonso, Rodolfo & Alex (D)
& Glenn Gomez (D)

Bread & Wine for Masses this week
have been given for the intentions of:

Catherine B. Puangco

If you would like to make a donation for bread and wine
used at Masses each week,
or for the Sanctuary Light,
please go to the reception desk in the
lobby of St. Francis House.

Migrant Center

The Migrant Center is partnering with
a coalition of other
agencies to provide job
fairs and job training
opportunities to newly
arrived migrants and
anyone who needs it.

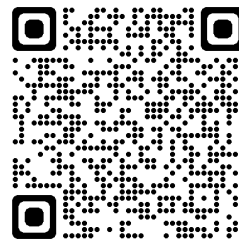


For more information
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Book Club



Converge is hosting a 4-
week Book Club on "The Imitation of Christ" by
Thomas a Kempis. The group
will meet for four weeks
beginning on October 30th
from 6:30 - 8 pm in the Clare
Room. The group is free but
pre-registration is required.
Click on the QR Code to get
more information and to
register.



All Souls Mass

Join us for our annual Our Souls
Mass at 7pm, Thursday November
2nd. Click on the QR Code to have
your loved one remembered in a
special way.

