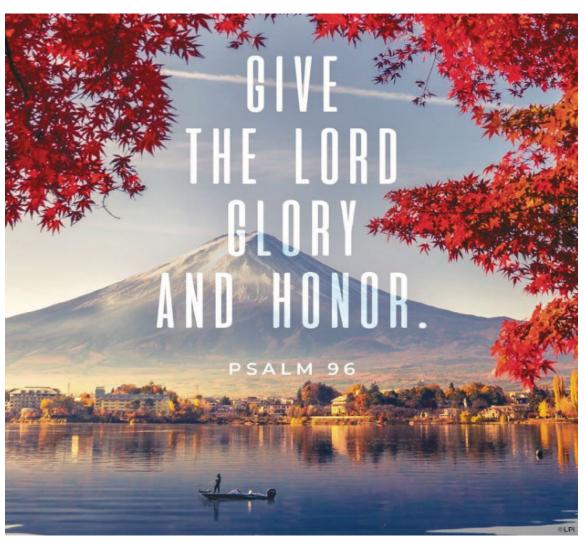


# Parish Mission Statement: To Inspire Personal Encounters With Christ That Transform Hearts and Lives!



Eucharistic Adoration - Thursday 11:00 am - 6:00 pm Masses - Thursday 7:00 am | Saturday Vigil Mass - 5:00 pm | Sunday Mass 10:00 am Confessions Offered Saturday 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm | Sunday 8:45 am - 9:45 am Office Hours - Tuesdays - Rectory 9:00 am - 3:00 pm | Gathering Space Sundays - 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

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#### Getting to Know the Saints

This month's Saint, our second Doctor of the Church, was a fourth century monk known by his fellow countrymen as "The Pillar of the Church," "The Doctor of the World," "The Eloquent Mouth," "The Poet of God," "The Prophet of the Syrians," and "Mary's Own Singer."

Poet, teacher, orator and defender of the faith, St. Ephrem is the only Syrian recognized as a Doctor of the Church. He took upon himself the special task of opposing the many false doctrines rampant at his time, always remaining a true and forceful defender of the Catholic Church.

Born in Nisibis, Mesopotamia in 306, he was baptized as a young man and became famous as a teacher in his native city. When the Christian emperor had to cede Nisibis to the Persians, Ephrem, along with many Christians, fled as a refugee to Edessa. He is credited with attracting great glory to the biblical school there. He was ordained a deacon but declined becoming a priest.

St. Ephrem has left us an important theological inheritance. His writings can be divided into four categories: works written in ordinary prose (e.g. biblical commentary); works written in poetic prose; homilies in verse; and lastly, hymns, undoubtedly his most abundant production. St. Ephrem had a great devotion to the humanity of Jesus.

He wrote many hymns against the heretics of his day. He would take the popular songs of the heretical groups and, using their melodies, compose beautiful hymns embodying orthodox doctrine. St. Ephrem became one of the first to introduce song into the Church's public worship as a means of instruction for the faithful. His many hymns have also earned him the title "Harp of the Holy Spirit."

St. Ephrem preferred a simple, austere life, living in a small cave overlooking the City of Edessa. It was here he died in 373, a victim of the disease he contracted while caring for those infected with the plague. St. Ephrem was declared a Doctor of the Church by Pope Benedict XV in October of 1920. His Feast Day is June 9. — Until Next Month-Alan

#### Knights Corner - September Highlights (What a Month it Was!)

This year's County Fair corn roast grossed \$27,219 up 14% from 2022! Donated to Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary - \$3806.34 for desks, home items, and lawn furniture. \$1000 was donated to Fr. James Arthur, a 4th Degree Knight, who visited St. Anthony's seeking assistance to complete his school in Ghana. Donations were made to Anthony Sheard (\$500) and Tom Stanczak (\$1000) to assist them as they begin their first year in the Seminary. \$1200 was donated to All Saints School for 1st & 2nd grade picture bibles for their use during Eucharistic Adoration. \$500 was donated to Giving Circle for their Dueling Piano program. \$1000 was donated to SCJA Homecoming event. \$1,000 was donated to the Alzheimer's Walk and St. Anthony's Memory Makers. The Knights donated \$640 to ASCS for mulch and sand then rejuvenated their playground. Members of the Knights packed and served food to about 25 families. Hawthorn Hollow Nature Sanctuary – Knights donated their time to park cars at Hawthorn Hollow Nature Sanctuary at the Art in the Park fundraiser. We earned over \$10,000 which was donated to Hawthorn Hollow! \$1500 was donated to the Veritas dinner and will add \$328 from St. Anthony's. St. James and St. Elizabeth - \$600 donated for church bulletin printing.

#### **ALL SOULS' MASS OF REMEMBRANCE**

On All Souls' Day we honor the memory of our departed family and friends with a special Mass. In addition, you can purchase a candle in memory of a loved one. Their name will be on the candle and it will be up front and lit for the Mass on Thursday, November 2 at 5pm. The cost is \$5 each. Simply fill out the form below put the money and form in an envelope marked "All Souls" and place it in the collection basket by October 29. The candles are yours to keep.

ALL SOULS' MASS OF REMEMBRANCE CANDLE	
Name(s) on Candle	
Name of Person Offering	
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#### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Saturday, October 21

5:00 pm +Robert Radykowski (Kurt & Debbie Lawler)

#### Sunday, October 22

10:00 am +Matus & Anna Bruchaty (Setter Family)

#### Thursday, October 26

7:00 am +Bruce Johnson (Silvana Guido & Kim Grasser)

#### Saturday, October 28

5:00 pm +Pavlik Family (Sue DeBettignies)

#### Sunday, October 29

10:00 am Fr. Todd and St. Anthony Parishioners (Dick & Mary Ann Adamson)

#### **COMING UP AT ST. ANTHONY'S**

WEDNESDAY, October 25 6:00 pm Choir Practice

THURSDAY, October 26 7:00 am -Mass & Divine Mercy Chaplet 11:00 am - 6:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration 6:00 pm Bible Study

> **SUNDAY**, October 29 11:30 am RCIA

WEDNESDAY, November 1 5:00 pm All Saints Day Mass Confessions offered 4:15 pm to 4:45 pm

Thursday, November 2 5:00 pm - All Souls Day Mass

First Reading: Thus says the LORD to his anointed, Cyrus, whose right hand I grasp, subduing nations before him. (Is 45:1)

**Psalm:** Give the Lord glory and honor. (Ps 96)

Second Reading: We give thanks to God always for all of you, remembering you in our prayers, unceasingly calling to mind your work of faith and labor of love. (1 Thes 1:2-3)

Gospel: "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." (Mt 22:21)

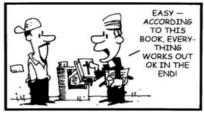
#### de Chantel Gatherings for Women

Women are invited to Saint Francis de Sales Seminary on Tuesday, November 14 to pray for vocations to the priesthood. The gatherings will be led by Fr. John Paul Mitchell, director of propaedeutic formation. The sessions include Eucharistic Adoration, spiritual formation, and hospitality. Gatherings will begin at 9:30 am and 7:00 pm at the Seminary, 3257 South Lake Drive, St. Francis. Please RSVP to <a href="mailto:lbrielmaier@sfs.edu">lbrielmaier@sfs.edu</a> or call (414)747-6463.



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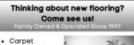
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