

St Francis of Assisi Parish Survey
Contact Information (Optional)

When answering, please check the appropriate box

1. Contact information is **Optional. Do Not** complete this section if you wish to keep your survey answers anonymous.

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____

2. What is Your Gender? Female Male

3. What is your age? (Optional)

14-18 Yrs.	19-24 Yrs.	25-34 Yrs.	35-44 Yrs.	45-54 Yrs.	55-64 Yrs.	65-75 Yrs.	75+

4. Are you a registered parishioner at St. Francis of Assisi? Yes No

5. How many years have you been a St. Francis of Assisi parishioner?

Lifetime Member Number of years. _____

6. On average, how frequently do you attend Mass at St. Francis of Assisi Parish?

Weekly Monthly Holidays Other

7. What do you like best about St. Francis of Assisi Parish?

8. What could be improved at St. Francis of Assisi Parish?

WORSHIP

9. Mass is celebrated with full and active participation by parishioners.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

10. Homilies relate to scripture and to real life experiences.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

11. Lectors are well trained and effective.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

12. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Eucharist are well trained and effective.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

13. Altar Servers are well trained and effective.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

14. Liturgical music enhances the Eucharistic celebration.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

15. I feel welcome and part of the Eucharistic celebration.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

16. The Parish makes sufficient effort to involve children and young adults in the Eucharistic celebration.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

17. The variety of music at liturgy suits my worship needs.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

18. Mass times are convenient for my family and me.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

19. Which Mass times do you prefer the most?

Saturday, 4:00 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 9:30AM

20. What should the Parish do to improve Eucharistic celebrations?

EDUCATION (Catechesis)

21. Skilled and knowledgeable people staff the following parish Religious Education Program/s:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure
CCD					
Bible Study					
Pre-Cana (FOCCUS)					
Youth Ministry					
Sacramental Preparation					

22. Are there sufficient adult religious education opportunities available in the Parish.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

23. Sufficient youth and children religious education opportunities are available in the Parish.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

24. Strengthening marriage and nurturing the lives of families are priorities in the Parish.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

25. Helping parents understand their roles as “ministers” to their children in the formation of Catholic Christian values is a priority for the Parish.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

26. What is your opinion on the time (scheduling) of the parish Religious Education Program?

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

27. What should the parish do to improve Religious Education programming?

28. How satisfied are you with the following *volunteer* and outreach services provided by the Parish?

	Highly Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Not Satisfied	Never Used It	Never Heard of It
Special Celebrations Assistance with Weddings, Anniversary Ceremonies, Rehearsals					
Parishioners who help clean/vacuum the church					
Ministry to the Homebound (social support for shut ins)					
St Francis Men's Group					
Rosary Society Prayer Shawl Ministry					
Gabriel Project/Generations for Life					
Prayer Chain/Oremus					

29. What should the Parish do to improve its existing services?

30. What new services should the Parish provide to parishioners? (Example Support to Widows/Widowers, Divorced/Separated Catholics, etc.)

31. I respond to the Gospel message to serve others through Parish programs.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

FINANCE

32. The Parish demonstrates fiscal responsibility for the financial and “in-kind” contributions given by its parishioners.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

33. The Parish effectively communicates the Parish’s financial information i.e. donations, bequeaths, expenses, fundraising proceeds.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

34. The Parish provides sufficient oversight of the financial well-being of the Parish.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

35. What should the Parish do to improve how it promotes or facilitates Stewardship?

EVANGELIZATION (Catholic Witness/Testimony)

36. Parishioners make sufficient effort to reach out to non-participating Catholics or those with little or no religious experience.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

37. The Parish's Religious Education Programs prepare/encourage me to "evangelize."

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

38. I feel comfortable encouraging people who left the Church/Parish to return or welcome non-Catholics to come to church.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not Sure

Optional Comment:

39. The Parish is always seeking volunteers for various opportunities throughout the Parish. Please indicate your interest in volunteering for the following Parish activities: (Check all that apply)

Sacristan-Altar Linen Launderer		Altar Server—Adult or Child	
CCD Teacher/Assistant		Choir Member/Cantor/Musician	
Lector/Reader		Extraordinary Ministers of Eucharist	
Community Service/Outreach		Funeral Mass Assistant	
Usher/Greeter		Hospitality (Welcoming) Minister	
Shut In/Nursing Home Visitor		Office Assistant	
Pre-Cana/FOCCUS Presenter		RCIA Sponsor	
Stream stress/Knitter		Special Events/Celebrations Volunteer	
Church Cleaners		Other	

40. The Parish is developing a “Talent Network” consisting of parishioners from various professions with various talents/skills. If you would like to donate your time and talent, please “circle” the appropriate skill listed below:

Carpentry		Clerical	
Electrical		Finance/Accounting	
Food Service		Human Resources	
HVAC		Information System (IT-Computers)	
Landscaping		Legal	
Painting		Plumbing	
Vehicle Maintenance		Webmaster/Web Developer	
Other			

