



Blessing of the Animals

Are you a pet or animal lover? Do you have your own furry or feathered friends at home, or know others with animal companions? Cat and dog, pig and bird, lizard and spider, hamster and fish (in water, please!)

All are welcome to join us on **Sunday, October 3rd at 12:00pm after our 10:30 service** for a special Blessing of the Animals service. It will take place on the porch outside of our parish hall.

This special event commemorates the feast of St. Francis of Assisi, where animals have been blessed since the middle ages. No saint is more closely associated with animals than St. Francis of Assisi. He rejoiced in the value and beauty animals bring to creation.

All pets are welcome to bring their humans, of course! We hope to see you and your furry, feathered, fuzzy, and finny companions October 3rd!

We will have special treats for your furry friends and snacks for humans as well!