



## Blessing of the Animals Sunday, October 2 ~ 2:00 pm

Pets are special to us. They can become members of our families, and they themselves are a special blessing in our lives. God first created animals and called them good, and then created humanity to live with wildlife. We were meant to live together in harmony! On **October 2 at 2:00 pm** we will have a ceremony in honor of St. Francis giving thanks to God for the Blessing of our Animals - each animal will receive an individual blessing plus a "Blessing Certificate." Please call the office in advance with your pet's name. There will also be special treats for all our special pets.