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MASSES

Sunday Obligation: Saturday evening: 4:30 p.m. for Sunday Sunday: 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 a.m. Weekdays: Monday thru Friday 6:30 a.m. Tuesday thru Thursday 5:30 p.m. 8:00 a.m. Saturday 8:35 a.m. Wednesday during school year Holy Day Obligation: Anticipated 5:30 p.m. Holy Day 6:30 and 5:30 p.m.

EXPOSITION AND RECONCILIATION

4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, 8:30 a.m. AND 3:00-4:00 p.m. Saturday, or call the Parish Office for an Appointment.

Resurrection of the Lord

APRIL 9, 2023 Acts 10:34a,37-43; Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-9

The message of the primitive Church was simple: Jesus was the anointed of God (the Messiah) who went about doing good, but was killed by evil people. But God raised him up. In him we have the forgiveness of our sins, and we shall share in his resurrection!

Today's first reading is a sermon by Peter to those who would be the first Gentile or non-Jewish converts to Christianity. The risen Jesus was not seen by everyone, but was seen by many reliable witnesses.

The second reading reminds us that we share in the Lord's resurrection by our baptism. We have died to sin; we have been raised up to grace. So we must now live lives which seek what is above, rather than what is below.

Through our baptism we were called to perfection; most of us have failed. But during Lent we have done penance; we have experienced the Lord's mercy. Now we renew our baptismal promises that we shall be dead to sin but alive to God in Christ Jesus.

The Gospel seems simple and straightforward. Mary Magdalene tells Peter and John that she has seen the risen Lord. They run to the tomb. The younger, "beloved disciple," outruns Peter, but waits for him. They see the burial garments.

So why do they believe? First of all, because of the empty tomb. The Romans had stationed a guard there so that no one might steal the body of Jesus; yet the tomb was empty. Second, if someone stole the body, they would not take time or trouble to slip off the burial garments.

But third, in the original language, the sentence which we translate "wrappings on the ground" is much more profound! It should be translated that they saw the burial garments "still in their folds" or "still with the contour of the body." If someone had ripped off the burial garments, they would not maintain the contour of a body! But here it was, as if the body had simply evaporated! There could be no other explanation except the resurrection!

So what does this mean for you? If Christ Jesus has risen, the faith is true. There is life eternal. There is forgiveness – provided that we follow the Lord with all our heart. Let us renew the fervor of our faith and be loyal to Jesus Christ each day.

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EASTER SUNDAY

Christos Anesti! (Christ is Risen!) *Alithos Anesti!* (Truly, He is Risen!) This is the common Greek greeting on Easter between two people. One announces, "Christ is Risen" and the other person responds, "Truly, He is Risen!" What great news this is, which is why we rejoice and sing Alleluia. This great word of praise to God who has saved us! In Christ's resurrection we have redemption and grace poured forth. In His resurrection, He leads us to where we all long to be! Eternally raised in the resurrection! Our heavenly experience, because of the resurrection, is not just one of the spirit, but one of the resurrected and perfected body! No more pain! No more disease! No more suffering! No more tears! No more death! Christ experienced all to conquer all!

We uncover the statues after these last two weeks of the season of Passiontide. They weren't covered because they needed a nap. They were covered to veil our focus on heaven and the saints and angels and heavenly realm, to focus on the passion, crucifixion, and death. To focus on the cross and Christ's suffering, we cover the heavenly reminders. That is until this Easter Sunday when the resurrection and the heavenly realities are made present in Christ risen from the dead, calling all of us to be those saints here so we may be those saints reigning eternally with Him! So, we sing Alleluia!

The triduum and Easter liturgies are so beautiful and moving, especially gathered here at St. Francis! It is such a privilege and joy to be your pastor. It is surreal that it is almost three years here already! We have accomplished so much together in the Lord, but we have so much more work to do!

Go and announce the joy of the Easter message to a world in darkness and sorrow and pain! Announce the light of Christ and the excitement of the resurrection! Announce to all you encounter of what the risen Christ has done in you and continues to do in you! Announce the good news of what Jesus is doing here at St. Francis Solanus! It is such a joy to tell people all of the exciting things happening here in God's grace! Don't keep it to yourself but go and tell everyone just as Mary Magdalen went to tell the apostles! Then run with those people you tell this good news to, back to the tomb to show them the joy of the resurrection they can not only experience but receive here in the Eucharist! Run back with them and Peter and John and the other apostles to see that Christ is Risen! Truly, He is Risen!

So, on behalf of myself, Fr. Rafal Pyrchla, Deacon Wayne Zimmerman, Deacon Dennis Holbrook, and all of the parish and school staff, Happy Easter to you, OUR family! Happy Easter to your families and all you love! May the joy of this day resonate in your time together celebrating the resurrection. To those of you visiting, always know you have a home in this wonderful parish! Christ is Risen! Truly, He is Risen! Alleluia!

Ber. Steven Airman

WeekdayMass Intentions

April 10 Monday	6:30 a.m.	Karen Holtschlag		
April 11 Tuesday	6:30 a.m.	Rosemary Hinkamper		
	5:30 p.m.	Paul Kemner		
April 12 Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Sharon Waterkotte		
	5:30 p.m.	Keith Wiemelt		
April 13 Thursday	6:30 a.m.	Leonard Vandermaiden		
	5:30 p.m.	Barbara Vahle & Barbara Ostermueller		
April 14 Friday	6:30 a.m.	Dick Gosnell		
April 15 Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Norma Obert		
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	James Zanger & Don Klingele		
April 16 Sunday	7:00 a.m.	John Horman & Margherita Schutte		
	9:00 a.m.	The Parishioners of St. Francis		
	11:00 a.m.	Don Fessler		

10:30 a.m. Ladies Card Party 2:00 p.m. Scripture Discussion Group 5:30 p.m. Mass 6:00 p.m. RCIA 6:30 p.m. Scripture Discussion Group 6:30 p.m. Troop 22 Scout Meeting Friday, April 14 6:30 a.m. Mass 9:00 a.m. Digital Scrapbooking 5:00 p.m. Pinewood Derby 6:00 p.m. SFS School Dance Saturday , April 15 7:00 a.m. Pinewood Derby 8:00 a.m. Mass 8:30 a.m. Reconciliation 3:00 p.m. Reconciliation 4:30 p.m. Mass

The parish office will				
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April 10.				
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April 1-2 Collection:

Regular Collection:	\$32,785.58		
Weekly Support Needed:	\$27,820.00		
Deficit/ Surplus:	\$4,965.58		
Regular Support (YTD):	\$1,106,798.83		
Regular Support Needed (YTD):	\$1,112,800.00		
Deficit/Surplus (YTD):	(\$6,001.17)		
Annual School Fund:	\$2,571.00		
Annual School Fund (YTD):	\$131,080.04		
Capital Campaign (YTD):	\$143,092.84		
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Happy Bírthday Father Rafal! Join us in wishing our parochial vicar a happy birthday on April 13. Please keep him in your prayers for another year filled with God's abundant blessings.

This week in the Parish:

Monday, April 10 6:30 a.m. Mass 7:00 p.m. Rosary Tuesday, April 11 6:30 a.m. Mass

5:30 p.m. Mass

<u>Thursday, April 13</u>
6:30 a.m. Mass

9:00 a.m. Ladies of St. Francis Quilting

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6:15 p.m. Women's Prayer Group 6:30 p.m. Pastoral Council 7:00 p.m. The Belonging Wednesday, April 12 6:30 a.m. Mass 9:30 a.m. Adoration 2:00 p.m. Grief Share 6:00 p.m. Holy Name Meeting 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice 6:30 p.m. Liturgy Planning Committee

Liturgy of the Hours For the Octave of Easter — the eight day period beginning on Easter Sunday and ending the following Sunday — Morning Prayer will continue at 7 a.m. There will be no evening prayer on Easter Sunday.



Jane Elizabeth Arnold Kenny Arnold Carl Aschemann Brian Aschemann Rome and Stella Averbeck Joe and Rosa Bacher Pat and Jim Bangert Frances Barry Virgil Barry Kenneth and Imogene Barry Albert and Elisabeth Bastean Ivan Beaver Karen Beckett **Charles Beding Family** Bill and Verna Blersch Charles and Anna Mae Blickhan Joseph M. Blickhan Jack and Norma Blickhan **Robert Blickhan Raymond and Hazel Bliss** Gene and Darlene Bockman Dirk Bonebrake Carl Bowler Jr. Dana Boyd Neval Boyd Sam Boyd Stan Boyd Joseph Bracy Virgil and Virginia Brecht Ray and Doris Briddle John and Mable Briddle Dan O. Brinkley Jim and Betty Brinkman Leroy Brinkman Randy and Sandy Brinkman Lawrence and Marie Brinkman **Raymond and Hazel Briss** Mary Brocksmith Lawrence and Isabelle Broemmel **Robert Broemmel Gregory Broemmel** Willard and Louise Brower

Caster Memorials

Art and Teresa Brown Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown Mildred and Frank Brueggeman Gerold Brueggeman Marie Budde **Roy Burris** John Busse Paul Carnivale Susan Carnivale Patty Carnivale Gary Clark Donna Conrad Jeff Conrad **Roger Cook** Jim and Dorothy Costigan Joyce & Keith Cowser Gary and Delores Crail Moritz Cramsey family Marcia Cray Jeanine Crim Holly Cruz **Charles and Arlene Dadant** Vail Daggett Lelen (Estle) E. and Adelia Ann Davis Al Dempsey G.B. and Esther Dietrich Mr. and Mrs. William Dietrich Earl Doellman Helen Doellman Christopher Doellman Patricia Dorsey Cyril and Edith Duesterhaus Ruth and John Duppong Jack and Thelma Duvall **Guage Eager Rita Eberle** Carol Eickelschulte **Evelyn and Ray Eickelschulte** Patrick and Irene Ehrhardt Susan Einhaus Joe and Angela Eling Virgil and Lucy Emerick

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Ennis **Charles Finley Taigen Finley Bentley Finley** Lee Fischer Roy and Alberta Fischer Harvey Fitzsimmons Roy and Sylvia Foust Frankenhoff and Willer families Matt and Rosemary Frericks Mildred and Joe Frericks Michael and Alan Frericks Fred and John Frericks Cpl. Michael Frese **Delmer and Laurine Frese Doug Frese Rich and Peggy Frese** Robert Gallaher **Roger Geers** Daulton Gibson Mary and Ralph Goehl Dick Gosnell Rodger and Martha Grahmn James and Judy Greer Mary and Bob Guenther Dennis Gustison Mr. and Mrs. Tim Gustison John and Theresa Gutting Matthew, Dorothy and Bobby Haber Carl Hamann Mary Hamann Mike Hamann Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hardy Max and Rosemary Hardy Jason Harvey Francis and Alma Haugh Joan Heeger Debbie Heinze **Brooke Hermesmeyer** Gary and Maureen Hess Barbara Hibbs Frank and Irene Hilbing



Leonard and Elsie Hildebrand Bob and Mary Hilgenbrinck Christine Hirsch Paul and Grace Hoffman Allison Holbrook Gretchen Hollender John Holman **Ruth Holman** Don and Carol Holtschlag **Jim Huffington** Helen Huffington Rov and Helen Hummelsheim Ed Hummert Howard F. Humphrey Kurt S. Humphrey Kent P. Humphrey Howard and Virginia Humphrey Wayne Huner Harold Hutmacher Virginia Hutmacher James Hutmacher Mick Kaiser Howard and Catherine Kapp Imogene Karaff Karhoff, Davis and Sohn families Bernard Kaufmann Martha Kaufmann Marie Kaufmann Patrick, Mary and Mike Keane Mary Keane Michael Keller Peyton Kerkhoff **Tom Ketchum** The Keller family Ken and Byrniece Kircher Harold and Birdie Kirlin Ron Klaas Lawrence and Marie Klauser family Leonard and Loretta Klauser Tom Klauser **Eugene Klingele**



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Don Klingele Martha Klinner **Robert Klinner** Roman Klinner Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Koetters **Oland Kraft Richard Lauer** Vera and Ed Lauer Angela Ley Frank and Vera Ley Joseph and Angela Ley Rita Ley George and Stella Liesen Anthony and Ruth Lohman Mickey Durst-Lohmeyer Maria Lomupo Linda McCulla Joan McMahill Mr. and Mrs. Paul Magurie Paula Malaney Johnnie and Mary Marra Jerry Marsik Dee Mast Jim and Rosie Mast Chris and Loretta Mast Tim and Leona Mast Phyllis Maxwell Chuck and Irene Milder Gertrude Large Miller **Richard Mitchell** Dale Mixer Kathy Mixer Mary Lynn Mizera Leo C. Monckton **Billy Moore** Cheryl Ann Moore Jim and Ella Moore Eugene (Smokey) and Ruth Mueller Joe and Ursula Musolino Kelly Naderhoff Fred and Martha Narup George Newbanks IV **Barbara Nichols**

Virgil Obert **Rosalie Obert** Georgann Oppie Joseph and Irene Ormond familv Alfred and Lillian Osinski Barbara Ostermiller Jerry Ostermiller **Our Grandparents Our Parents Our Siblings** Lawrence and Virginia Paben James and Florence Patterson **Denny Peter** Andy and Leona Peter **Ron Peter Dale Peter** Don and Evelyn Phillips **Mike Phillips** Betty and Merle Pieper Herman and Lucille Pinkelman **Becky Postle** Daniel Postle Howard and Helen Postle Wayne Powers Mary Rose and Jim Prior John S. Rainbolt Louis and Catherine Rakers Margaret Ravenscraft The Reckers family Howard Richmiller Frank and Mary Rose Tom Rose Elmer and Marg Rossmiller **Kelly Rossmiller** Ken Rossmiller Fred and Gertrude Rosswog Sister Rose Anthony Rosswog Chris Ruff Marvin H. Rull Sandy Runser Diane (Peter) Russell Eugene and Joan Schenkel

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Holy Name News

A big THANK YOU to all who attended or helped make our Palm Sunday Chicken Dinner a huge success! Happy Easter from the Holy Name men! The next Holy Name meeting will be Wednesday April 12 at 6 p.m. The Holy Name annual banquet is scheduled for Ascension Thursday, May 18.

Knights of Columbus News

The Big Raffle will be back on Thursday, April 13. The jackpot is up to \$90,564. Only 11 chances remaining on the Big Board. Tickets are sold from 6-7:45 p.m. with the drawing at 8 p.m.

Please consider signing up for an **hour of adoration** during our All Day Adoration this Wednesday, April 12. There's a sign up sheet in the Gathering Space.

St. Francis will have a **Divine Mercy Sunday** Prayer Service with St. Anthony Church, Sunday, April 16 at 2 p.m. at St. Anthony of Padua Church in Quincy.

- 2 p.m.—Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Confessions, Rosary.
- 3 p.m.—Recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Benediction.

3:30 p.m. - Refreshments.

For more information contact

Trisha Mathews, 217-653-8733.

Fr. Augustus Tolton Pilgrimage

Men are invited to join in this year's walking pilgrimage May 5-6 to honor Fr. Tolton. Over two days we will walk from the church where he was baptized in Missouri to St. Peters cemetery, where he is buried. The all-inclusive cost is \$40. Call or text David Spillman for more information, 217-722-4792. Deadline to sign up is April 20.

Men's Grief Share

Deacon Dennis Holbrook will be facilitating a 13-week Men's Grief Share for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one. Sessions will be held on Tuesday evenings from 6-8 **starting April 18**. Each session will include a video and time for confidential discussion. If you would like to participate or have any questions please contact Deacon Dennis, 217-257-4384 or dholbrook@stfrancissolanus.com.

Ladies of St. Francis News:

The next card party will be this Thursday, April 13. Doors open at 10:30. Kathy Finley and Diane Andrew will prepare a roast beef dinner, including dessert and a drink. Cost is \$10, which includes a chance for a door prize. Please call Pat Winking, 217-257-0416 to reserve a spot.

The next Ladies Dinner Meeting is Tuesday, April 18. Mass at 5:30, dinner at 6:30, meeting at 7. Call Jan Zeidler, 217-779-0290 to reserve a spot. Cost is \$10. Please bring a pair of new socks (adult or child) for our "Sock it to Spring" sock drive. Thank you!

Ladies of Charity Spiritual Retreat — Sunday, April 30, 1-3 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Church Gathering Space, Quincy. All women are welcome for an afternoon of solidarity and planning. RSVP to Brenda Ehrhardt 217-258-8832.

Fathers, Sons and Young Men Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, April 29 sponsored by Quincy Knights of Columbus Council 583. Mass and breakfast at St. Anthony Church and hall starting at 8 a.m. A complete buffet breakfast (\$15 apiece) will follow. The keynote speaker is Fr. Mark Schulte: Men of Faith. Send reservations and registration fee by April 22 to Roch Schulte, 3802 N. 12 St., Quincy 62305. Checks payable to K of C. Please mark envelope Prayer Breakfast.

April 15-16	Altar Server - Weekend	Communion Minister	Usher	Reader	Greeter/Gift Bearer
Saturday 4:30 P.M.	Aubrey Waterkotte Quinn Wiewel	Teri Struck Bridget Ehrhart Christina Ehrhart Logan Callahan	Jim Kaiser Joe Venvertloh Dick Mitchell Harold Vahle Philip Kemner Mary Ann Thomas	Steve Davis	Karen Venvertloh Peggy Kaiser Gift Bearer Gabriel & Kelly Wheeler
Sunday 7:00 A.M.	Chloe Terwelp Isaac Steinkamp	Kay Gallaher Carolyn Briddle Tony Freiburg Jane Gregory	Joyce Frericks Kevin Frericks George Venvertloh James Terwelp Roger Gallaher Joe Bernhardt	Paul Brown	Emilie Venvertloh Jerry Meyer Gift Bearer Brad & Lisa Soebbing
Sunday 9:00 A.M.	Reno Venvertloh Urban Venvertloh	Ric Hinkamper Holly Hummel Carol Darnell Robert Haas	Troy Hummel Gary Darnell Mike Patterson Karl Venvertloh Diann Cole Melissa Arnold	Bruce Broemmel	Prudy Patterson Brian Dreier Gift Bearer Roberta Meyer
Sunday 11:00 A.M.	Hailey Terwelp Jacob Collins	Doris Karhoff Debra Beard Christy Woodward Marcia Steinkamp	Bud Voss Marty Karhoff Steve Obert James Doellman Brent Frericks Drew Erwin	Rosanna Voss	Margaret Steinbrecher Nancy Hufendick Gift Bearer Kevin & Betsy Terwelp
Saturday Morning Mass Server April 15, 2023		Jack Costigan and Amelia Koetters			



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