

EASTER SUNDAY

Happy Easter! Jesus is risen! What a glorious and amazing message to know the resurrection. I hope this message moves you and excites you to spread this good news to the whole world. Jesus is counting on you to tell the world the good news of the resurrection, and that starts in your hearts, in your homes, in your families, in your workplace, in your friends etc. It starts in our parish and it begins with Sunday mass, which every Sunday celebrates the resurrection.

If this is your first time at St. Francis as a visitor, please know you're always welcome here. If this is your home, let me tell you how grateful I am for each and every one of you. If Easter is one of your few masses of the year, it's time to make a change and come back to regular mass. Jesus is counting on you to celebrate the resurrection every Sunday not just because it's an obligation and a commandment, but because of your love for Him and your gratitude in your heart. We have so much to be grateful for here at Saint Francis, and in each of our lives. He needs you to be here so that you can fall in love with Him all the more and share that love with the world that needs Him.

Welcome to the seven newest members of our parish! You are such a blessing to us. May you all have a happy Easter and a joyous time with family and friends, celebrating the gift of the resurrection today. Please keep in mind why we are celebrating today. If you are traveling, please be safe and return home to us soon. It is such a privilege to be your pastor. God bless you! He is truly risen!!

Pax et bonum,



Weekday Mass Intentions

April 1 Monday	6:30 a.m.	Harry Bernard Trimble and Carol Holtschlag		
April 2 Tuesday	6:30 a.m.	Dan Richmiller		
	5:30 p.m.	Stan Musholt and Bernice Mowen		
April 3 Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Joe Genenbacher		
	5:30 p.m.	Janice Blickhan Foreman		
April 4 Thursday	6:30 a.m.	Dan Richmiller		
	5:30 p.m.	John Busse		
April 5 Friday	6:30 a.m.	Clara O'Brien		
April 6 Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Jeffrey Steinkamp		
	4:30 p.m.	Linda Blickhan		
April 7 Sunday	7:00 a.m.	The Parishioners of St. Francis		
	9:00 a.m.	Ryan Burke and Charles & Jeanette Carlson		
	11:00 a.m.	John & Ruth Holman and Prudence Bickhaus		

Week of 3/24/2024	Week	YTD	
Regular Collection	\$23,214.50	\$997,274.48	
Loose Collection	\$1,996.50	\$62,559.21	
Total Collection	\$25,211.00	\$1,059,833.69	
Needed Support	\$30,235.00	\$1,148,930.00	
Difference	\$-5,024.00	-\$89,096.31	

	Week	YTD
Annual School	\$1,122.50	\$150,955.78
Fund		

This week in the Parish:

Monday, April 1. Parish Office Closed

- 6:30 a.m. Mass
- 7:15 p.m. BEAR meeting

Tuesday, April 2

- 6:30 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. Ladies of St. Francis Quilters
- 3:00 p.m. Grief Share
- 5:30 p.m. Mass
- 7:00 p.m. The Belonging
- 7:00 p.m. Women's Saint Study

Wednesday, April 3

- 6:30 a.m. Mass
- 8:35 a.m. School Mass
- 9:30 a.m. Adoration
- 1:00 p.m. QCS Meeting
- 5:30 p.m. Mass
- 7:00 p.m. Men's Prayer Group

Thursday, April 4

- 6:30 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. Ladies of St. Francis Quilting
 - 10:30 a.m. Ladies Card Party
- 1:00 p.m. Scripture Discussion
- 5:30 p.m. Mass
- 6:30 p.m. OCIA
- 6:30 p.m. Scripture Discussion group
- 6:30 p.m. Troop 22 meeting

Friday, April 5

- 6:30 a.m. Mass
- 3:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 5996 meeting
- 3:00 p.m. Youth Choir Practice

Saturday, April 6

- 8:00 a.m. Mass
- 8:30 a.m. Reconciliation
- 8:30 a.m. Secular Carmelites
- 3:00 p.m. Reconciliation
- 4:30 p.m. Mass

The parish office will be closed Monday, April 1. We will reopen at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, April 2.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish and school.



Caster Memorials



John and Donna Marten

Virginia Hutmacher

Joyce Amen Jim and Dorothy Costigan James Hutmacher Dick Gosnell Ray Amen Keith and Joyce Cowser Martha and Roger Grahmn **Edmund and Francis Jansen** family Wanda Armstrong Richard, Elizabeth and Dickie Cox Mary and Bob Guenther Maurice and Helen Jansen Carl J. Aschemann **Deloris and Gary Crail** Gay Gunn Tyler Johnson Mr. and Mrs. Tim Gustison Brian J. Aschemann Norma Blickhan Cramm Lee Jones Rome and Stella Averbeck Barbara and Kenneth Cramsey **Dennis Gustison** Mick Kaiser Joseph and Rosa Bacher **Tom Cramsey** Jack Gustison Howard and Catherine Kapp Mike Hamann Jim and Pat Bangert Lawrence Cramsey Karhoff/Davis/Sohn families Jeanine Crim Carl Hamann Kenneth and Imogene Barry Ruth Kathmann Andrew and Clara Barry Holly Cruz Mary Hamann Bernard Kaufmann Albert and Elisabeth Bastean Mary Dadant Max and Rosemary Hardy Martha Kaufmann Ivan Beaver Charles and Arlene Dadant Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hardy Marie Kaufmann Charles Beding Family Deerings family Francis and Alma Haugh Patrick and Mary Keane Fr. Bertman Corey Michael John Haxel Al Dempsey Mike Keane Anna Mae and Charles Blickhan Gib and Esther Dietrich Carl and Esther Haxel Michael W. Keller Mr. and Mrs. William Dietrich Ted and Alvera Haxel Jack Blickhan Tom J. Ketchum Joseph M. Blickhan Earl and Helen Doellman Debbie Heinze Ken and Byrniece Kircher Robert Blickhan Ruth and John Duppong Gary and Maureen Hess Leonard and Loretta Klauser Linda Blickhan Cyril and Edith Duesterhaus Paul and Lorraine Hidding Tom and Angie Klauser Janis Foreman Blickhan Jack and Thelma Duvall **Brad Hildebrand** Lawrence and Marie Klauser Becky Bliefnick Leonard and Elsie Hildebrand Dylag family family Bob and Mary Hilgenbrinck Bockhold/Steinkamp families Gauge Eager **Ernest and Martha Klauser** Dirk Bonebrake Patrick and Irene Ehrhardt Hirstius family Don Klingele Carl Bowler Virgil and Lucy Emerick Gretchen Hollender Eugene Klingele Ray and Doris Briddle Joe Eling Sr. Kathryn Hoener **Theodore Koetters** John and Mabel Briddle Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Ennis Roy and Virginia Hoener Mary Koetters Leroy Brinkman Mary Kay Farwell Paul and Grace Hoffman Florence and Alfred Lawrence Allison Holbrook Randy and Sandy Brinkman Charlie Finley Gisela Leckbee Lawrence and Marie Brinkman Gretchen Hollender John Finley Frank and Vera Ley Lawrence and Isabelle Broemmel **Ruth Holman** Taigen Finley Angela C. Ley **Robert Broemmel Bentley Finley** John Holman Joseph and Angela Lev **Gregory Broemmel** The Frericks family Don and Carol Holtschlag Joe and Rita Ley Teresa and Art Brown Cadan Frericks Karen Holtschlag George and Stella Liesen **Dave Brown** Mildred and Joseph Frericks Matthew and Dorothy Huber Lohman/Sohn families family Vincent Brown Michael and Alan Frericks Marie Lomupo **Bobby Huber** Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown John and Fred Frericks Mark Lugering Helen and Roy Hummelsheim Frank and Mildred Brueggeman **Doug Frese** Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luksich Ed Hummert Gerold Brueggeman Mike Frese Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt McDowell Howard F. Humphrey Marie Budde Delmer and Laurine Frese Rosie Madison Kent Humphrey Kitty Bueter Carol Frieders Mr. and Mrs. Paul Maguire **Kurt Humphrey** Kate Cain Robert Gallaher Leonard and Mary Makarewicz Howard S. and Virginia Humphrey Fr. Carberry/Fr. Kennedy Roger Geers Paula Malaney Wayne Huner Roger Cook Ghidara family Johnnie and Mary Marra Harold Hutmacher **Daulton Gibson** Waldo and Rita Cook

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Chance Wiskirchen

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BEAR

St. Francis Solanus Youth Apostolate "Friends Who Bear the Love of Christ"

Monday, April 1 - Easter Picnic & Play

Meet at Upper Mooreman Park @ 11:30.

Menu: Ham Sandwiches, Chips, Fruit and Vegetables, and Water.

Sunday, April 7 - Divine Mercy Sunday

® St. Anthony's. 2pm Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Confession, and Rosary. 3pm Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction.

Monday, April 8 - Game Night Pizza and Drinks provided.

Who: 6th - 12th grades Where: Parish Hall When: Mondays 7:15 - 8:30 coordinator Jane Ann Petty (217) 222-2898 x101 jpetty@stfrancissolanus.com

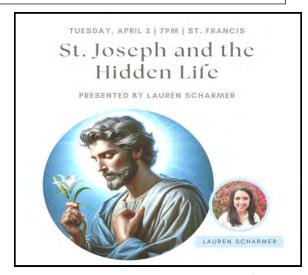
Ladies of St. Francis News:

Thank you to everyone who donated desserts for the Chicken Dinner. The next Ladies dinner meeting is Tuesday, April 16. Please join us! May you and your family enjoy a blessed Easter!

Illinois March for Life — Wednesday, April 17 at the Illinois State Capitol. Right to Life of Adams County has reserved a motor coach. Call or text Lynn Schlipmann, 217-653-0075, to reserve your spot on the bus, if possible by April 10. Go to illinoismarchforlife.org for more information.

Thank you for joining us for our Easter Sunday celebration. The St. Francis Stewardship Committee invites you to learn more about the parish by scanning the QR code.





Saints Study invites men and women of all parishes to the talk: "St. Joseph and the Hidden Life," presented by Lauren Scharmer. Tuesday, April 2; 7 p.m. in the St. Francis Parish Center.

Don't miss this opportunity to deepen your understanding of one of the most revered saints in Christian history.

St. Francis Solanus Business Manager Position Available

Position Overview: The Parish Business Manager will oversee the financial management, human resources, and day-to-day business operations of the parish.

Desired qualifications include: Proven experience in Business Administration, Finance or a related field; experience with QuickBooks, Excel, HR and payroll preferred.

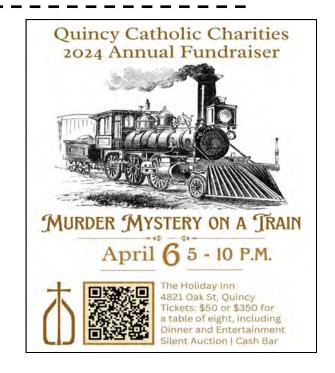
Applicants may send a resume and cover letter to Sue Holbrook, sholbrook@stfrancissolanus.com or to: Parish Office, 1721 College Ave., Quincy, IL., 62301.

Rest in Peace Launa Blickhan February 4, 1942–March 19, 2024



We will also be celebrating the April birthdays of Father Arisman and Father Rafal. Please join us!

Card Party—Sponsored by the Ladies of St. Francis. Thursday, April 4, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Cost is \$10.



April 6-7	Altar Server - Weekend	Communion Minister	Usher		Reader	Greeter/Gift Bearer
Saturday 4:30 p.m.	William Hea Owen Wheeler Callie Longlett	Logan Callahan Jessica Veith Amy Kaiser William Niewohner	Tim Reichert Zachary Maas John Veith	Michael Eling Dick Mitchell Greg Erhardt	Chryssia Hea	Betty Kaufmann Joleen Patton Gift Bearer Tim & Cindy Reichert
Sunday 7:00 a.m.	Nathan Steinkamp	Damian McDonald Auris McGee Gary Winking Sue Winking	Roch Schulte Janet Marquette Joe Bernhardt	Scott Venvertloh John Beckman Gary Hilgenbrinck	Paul Brown	Sandra Banning Joan Beard Gift Bearer Terry Niemann
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Lincoln Darnell Piper Darnell Jack Costigan	Jan Zeidler Rick Gengenbacher Becky Gengenbacher Cindy Grawe	Rich Zeidler Bing Lammers Diann Cole	Roberta Meyer Samuel Zanger Mark Meyer	James Cramsey Katherine Cramsey	Nancy Friye Brian Dreier Gift Bearer Amanda Genenbacher
Sunday 11:00 a.m.	Hayes Frericks Priya Mamdani Teo Mamdani	Doris Karhoff Michelle Meyer Ted Meyer Marvin Knuffman	Marty Karhoff Mike Fessler Drew Erwin	Melissa Arnold Rose Willer James Doellman	Maryann Cornwell	Margaret Steinbrecher Gift Bearer Jamie Friye
	day Morning ass Server	8:00 a.m.	Emmett Wiemelt and Brady Koetters			
Children's Li	iturgy of the Word	9:00 a.m.	Liz Gengenbacher			



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