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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.

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

MAY 26, 2024

Deuteronomy 4:32-34,39-40; Romans 8:14-17; Matthew 28:16-20

Our Scripture readings today were probably selected in order to show how our God differs from the "gods" of other religions. The readings also show how the Mystery of the Trinity responds to these wonderful attributes of God.

The gods and goddesses of other religions are capricious; you never know quite how they will act. They have to be placated or they will turn against you. You have to merit their favor. They almost act as if you are in competition with them, for they don't want you to share their eternal life.

How very different is our God! God speaks to us a saving message: He loves us even when we fail him. He calls us to share eternal life. He is not a "local" god, but is Lord of all creation. Our God is close to us – so close that we could even call him "Dad" (for that is what the Aramaic word "Abba" means!) In and through Jesus, the Son of God, we become heirs of heaven. God lives in our hearts by his Holy Spirit.

Even though we believe in the warmth and nearness of God, he may still seem far off to us. No one has seen the Father, but Jesus says that if we have seen him, we have seen the Father!

Now we know the Father in the person of Jesus. But for us who live 2,000 years after Jesus lived, it is even hard to know the Son. For this reason, the Lord has sent the Holy Spirit into our hearts to make us one in the Son.

Jesus is our Mediator, our Intercessor, and our "Advocate" ("Paraclete") at the right hand of the Father. The Holy Spirit is our "Advocate" ("Paraclete"), our Guide and our Comforter here on earth. Our entire faith life should be "Trinitarian." Let us give glory to the Father through the Son in the Holy Spirit with the Blessed Virgin Mary and all the saints!

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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

We are called to follow the commandments today and sent forth proclaiming the gospel. We are called to make disciples of all nations and baptize all peoples. You, the church, are called to do just this. Tell others of what Christ has done for you and that He desires to do the same for them! Invite them to come to know Jesus and be baptized. This is Trinity Sunday. The weekend we are grateful for the relationality of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit because it means we too can enter into that relationship! What a privilege.

I want to thank the parish council for throwing a wonderful event to celebrate my tenth anniversary in the priesthood. I want to thank all those who made that event a joy, including our Holy Name men for cooking such great chicken! Thank you to all those that came! My family just loved meeting you all and are still talking about the experience. Thank you also to those that brought cards and gifts. Your kind messages really were so encouraging. I did this event to encourage more vocations, but honestly it was so encouraging to me of my vocation. It was an unexpected boost that I didn't realize I needed. Thank you to you all for your kind words.

School is out! Thank you to our principal, faculty, and staff for their wonderful work. Enjoy a well deserved rest.

Lastly please pray for all our guys being ordained priests this weekend at the Cathedral, including our very own Fr. Bruce Scott. Pray for them as they begin their priesthood and nervously celebrate their masses of thanksgiving. What a joy it will be to see these guys I've known since the beginning of their consideration of priesthood for some of them and as I've gotten to walk with them. I am so excited to see these new priests start their ministry and touch so many lives. Pray for them!

Ber. Steven Kisman

Weekday Mass Intentions

May 27 Monday	9:00 a.m.	Memorial Day Mass at Calvary Cemetery		
May 28 Tuesday	6:30 a.m.	Maria Luttmer		
	5:30 p.m.	Mark Standley and Bill Gibson		
May 29 Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Dan Richmiller and Maxine Wavering		
	5:30 p.m.	David Russell		
May 30 Thursday	6:30 a.m.	Mel Winget		
	5:30 p.m.	Linda Blickhan		
May 31 Friday	6:30 a.m.	Dan Richmiller and Ethan Mahoney		
June 1 Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Kitty Bueter and Judy Kaylor		
	4:30 p.m.	The Parishioners of St. Francis		
June 2 Sunday	7:00 a.m.	Larry Costigan		
	9:00 a.m.	Janis Foreman and Norman and Rosie Lubbe		
	11:00 a.m.	Father Kennedy		

Week of 5/19/2024	Week	YTD	
Regular Collection	\$15,802.16	\$1,187,060.97	
Loose Collection	\$2,036.42	\$77,844.32	
Total Collection	\$17,838.58	\$1,264,905.29	
Needed Support	\$30,235.00	\$1,330,340.00	
Difference	-\$12,396.42	-\$65,434.71	

	Week	YTD		
Annual	\$1,479.50	\$165,126.53		
School Fund				

This week in the Parish: Monday, May 27—Memorial Day Parish Office Closed Tuesday, May 28 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 6:15 p.m. Stewardship Meeting ● 6:30 p.m. Women's Prayer Group Wednesday, May 29 6:30 a.m. Mass 8:00 a.m. QCS meeting • 4:00 p.m. Reconciliation • 5:30 p.m. Mass 7:00 p.m. Men's Prayer Group • Thursday, May 30 • 6:30 a.m. Mass 8:00 a.m. Troop 22 meeting 9:00 a.m. Ladies of St. Francis Quilting ■ 5:30 p.m. Mass • 6:30 p.m. OCIA • 6:30 p.m. Scripture Discussion group Friday, May 31 6:30 a.m. Mass Saturday, June 1 ● 8:00 a.m. Mass 8:30 a.m. Reconciliation 3:00 p.m. Reconciliation

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

4:30 p.m. Mass

St. Francis Capital Campaign It is never too late to make your pledge!

Please prayerfully consider an amount your household could contribute to our campaign for necessary upgrades to our church and campus. You may bring your pledge envelope to the parish office, mail it in, or drop it in the collection basket. Our sincerest gratitude to those who have already made their gift.

Rest in Peace Donna Rischar June 19, 1937 - May 17, 2024

Can you help pray for our new priest?

We are looking for seven women who are willing to take one day a week, for one hour and pray for our new priest, Fr. Bruce Scott. If you are not familiar with the Seven Sisters of the Apostolate ministry, one woman each day of the week prays for a priest for one hour. The day is assigned, but the time and place for the hour is up to you—wherever you find to be most prayerful for that day. We currently have 28 women participating: 7 for Fr. Arisman, 7 for Fr. Rafal; 7 for Fr. James Wheeler and 7 for Fr. David Beagles. If you are interested or just want to know more about this ministry, please call or text Pat Holbrook at 217-257-2570.

Changes in Online Giving

St. Francis Solanus is in the beginning stages of a diocese-wide change in software. With this update we will transition from Our Sunday Visitor (OSV) as an online giving option to Parish Staq/Push Pay. As of this June 15, St. Francis will no longer use OSV. If you have an account with OSV, please log in to your account to stop this process and begin using Push Pay before June 15. Both websites are available through our giving page at stfrancissolanus.com. Please call the parish office or email church@stfrancissolanus.com with questions. Thank you for your continued support of St. Francis!

The Parish Office will be closed Monday, May 27 in observance of Memorial Day. There will be no 6:30 a.m. Mass that day. A Memorial Day Mass will be held at Calvary Cemetery on May 27 at 9 a.m. Please bring a lawn chair. If it rains, the Mass will be held at St. Anthony's in Quincy.



Congratulations!

Georgia Wilson and Evan Scheuermann united in marriage at St. Francis Solanus May 4, 2024

&

Addy Johnson and Dalton Klocke united in marriage at St. Francis Solanus May 11, 2024



Parish Picnic News: Picnic yard signs will be available for pick up after Mass this weekend. Please put them out on June 2. Envelopes that include picnic information and raffle tickets can be picked up in church or at the parish office. Please reach out to a committee member or visit: stfrancissolanus.com/picnic to volunteer. Purchased tickets, baskets and donations can be turned in to the parish office or given to a committee member. Raffle tickets can also be placed in the collection baskets at Mass. Thank you for your support!

Matt & Ashley Daly: 816-805-9907 Joe & Amber Terwelp: 217-219-2007 Zach & Stephanie Maas: 815-878-6032 Brock & Jennifer Sousa: 217-316-1912 Cole & Lauren Terwelp: 216-965-9998 Neil & Jenn Russell: 217-617-9590

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Holy Name News: Holy Men of the parish, our next activity will be serving food at the outside food tent for the Parish Picnic June 8. Please volunteer to help if you can. Our next Holy Name meeting will be Wednesday, June 12 at 6 p.m. Please join us!

Knights of Columbus News:

The Thursday Night Raffle jackpot is up to 15,900. Tickets are sold from 6-7:45 with the drawing at 8. This year's KofC BBQ will be August 9, 10 and 11. Visit quincykofc.org for more information.

It's Time for Cardinal Baseball! Friday, July 26, 7:15 p.m. Cardinals vs. Washington Nationals

Tickets are \$95, including transportation. Bus will load at 3 p.m. from the Blessed Sacrament School parking lot off South 8th Street. You may bring food and drinks on the bus. Seats are in Section 268, handicap accessible area. Food, drinks and bathrooms are close by. Buy your tickets at the Blessed Sacrament Church Office, 1119 S. 7th St. in Quincy. Call 217-222-2759 for more information. Please join us for the fun!



Quincy Service League Award Grant

The Quincy Service League has awarded a grant to St. Francis Community Assistance to purchase hygiene products. Hygiene supplies are very important to the food pantry clients and purchasing them is more expensive than ever. The SFCA Ministry is grateful to Service League for this much needed support. If you know a Service League member, be sure to thank them for helping our parish serve those in need!

Job Openings at QND: Art teacher and Theology

teacher. To receive full consideration please submit a cover letter, resume and three letters of reference by Friday, May 31 to QND Principal Mark McDowell at mmcdowell@qndhs.org.

Open coaching position: Girls tennis coach.

Submit the same information as above to QND

Athletic Director Bill Connell at bconnell@qndhs.org.

Ladies of St. Francis News:

Thank you to everyone who attended our meeting on Tuesday. We installed our new officers. Congratulations to Helen Zimmerman, president; Michelle Obert, vice president;
Jane Gregory, treasurer and Angela Gutting, secretary. We wish them great success in the future!

Our Ladies recipe collection is available for \$15 in the parish office and at the parish picnic June 8. Or call Jan Zeidler, 217-779-0290.



Outgoing Ladies of St. Francis officers (L-R)
Jan Zeidler, Joan Beard, Peggy Koetters, and
Anita Witt want to thank everyone for their
support and cooperation these last two years.

adam's County Parish Summer Events

June 1 - Junefest, St. Dominic
June 8 - St. Francis Parish Picnic
July 14 - St. Joseph Ice Cream Social
July 20 - St. Anthony Parish Picnic
August 3 - St. Brigid Ice Cream Social
August 24 - St. Peter Parish Picnic
September 7 - Septemberfest, Blessed Sacrament





St. Francis Solanus School preschoolers celebrated their graduation on May 17.

Our school year has come to a close, but there's still time to purchase a Mega Raffle ticket before the final drawing on May 31. Purchase your tickets now online by visiting QuincyMegaRaffle.org.

Tickets must be turned in by noon on Thursday, May 30.





Pictured is the St. Francis Solanus School eighth grade class, which had its graduation ceremony May 16.



June 1-2	Altar Server - Weekend	Communion Minister	Usher		Reader	Greeter/Gift Bearer
Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Isaiah Wear Peyton Kendrick Makayla Patton	Sheila Goehl Nancy Venegoni John Venegoni Marsha Collins	Tim Reichert Mary Ann Thomas Greg Ehrhardt	Phillip Kemner Dick Mitchell Joe Venvertloh	Steve Davis	Betty Kaufmann Joleen Patton Gift Bearer Tim & Cindy Reichert
Sunday 7:00 a.m.	Chloe Terwelp	Emilie Venvertloh Bridget Ehrhart Tony Freiburg Arlene Hendren	Kevin Genenbacher George Venvertloh Gary Hilgenbrinck	Auris McGee Joe Bernhardt Roger Gallaher	Jan Zeidler	Kay Gallaher Larry Klauser Gift Bearer Kathy Klauser
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Mackenzie Sousa Allison Ormond Whitney Ormond	Ronald Upper Holly Hummel Carol Haistings Samantha Cramsey	Troy Hummel Jason Cramsey Joseph Darnell	Rob Haistings Neal Blickhan Diann Cole	Roberta Meyer	Jill Blickhan Brian Dreier Gift Bearer Brad Hummel
Sunday 11:00 a.m. Corpus Christi Procession	Aubree Fry Evan Fry Sam Bruening Maiara Spradlin Emily O' Leary Priya Mamdani Teo Mamdani 5 Needed Please	Ted Meyer Michelle Meyer Michael Wand Chris Duvall	Bud Voss Melissa Arnold Mike Fessler	Mike Holbrook Rose Willer Marty Karhoff	Kent Fry	Margaret Steinbrecher Brenda Wand Gift Bearer Jamie Friye
	ay Morning ss Server	June 1, 8:00 a.m.	Mia Vranjes and Allie Vranjes			



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