

ST. FRANCIS SOLANUS parish

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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

JUNE 15, 2025

Proverbs 8:22-31; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

From all eternity, there is only one God. From all eternity, there are Three Persons in this one God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. As far as their attributes, whatever can be said of the Father, can also be said of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

The Father is eternal, almighty, infinite in perfection; so also is the Son; so also is the Holy Spirit. But there are not three "almighties" or three "eternals," but only one almighty, eternal God infinite in perfection. The Father is not the Son is not the Holy Spirit. They are distinct Persons who share and completely possess the one nature of God.

From all eternity, the Father begets the Son; from all eternity, the Son is born of the Father. From all eternity, the Holy Spirit proceeds from the Father and the Son. (The Oriental Churches express this as "from the Father through the Son.")

In time, about 7 B.C., only the Son became incarnate: The Word was made flesh. The Second Person of the Trinity became fully man without ceasing to be God. Jesus Christ is equal to the Father in his divinity, but less than the Father in his humanity: But he is One Person, ever to be adored in his majesty.

All of this is very heady theology! In fact, absolutely nothing is known of the Trinity in the Old Testament. Only Jesus reveals to us this central mystery of our faith. He revealed it as the practical basis of our spiritual life.

The Father loves us with an everlasting love; yet, in the Old Testament, he seems clouded in unapproachable light. We can scarcely visualize him as a Person. He seems so far above us.

The Eternal Son of God became man to show us the Father. When we see Jesus, we see the love of the Father. He is one of us. He is our access to the Father, our Mediator, our Savior. He assures us of the Father's forgiveness. He is the model of what God intended us to be. He gave his life for us. In him, we can have confidence in approaching the Father.

But we no longer see Jesus; he has returned to the glory of the Father. He has not left us orphans, however. He has sent the Holy Spirit, the "Paraclete." "Paraclete" means "one who stands by." He stands by us as our advocate, as our defense attorney against all the trials of this earth. He stands by us to comfort us and strengthen us. He stands by us to make us one in Christ Jesus. He manifests the Son to us, just as the Son manifested the Father.

In the Holy Spirit, we are joined with Mary and all the saints in Christ. Our spiritual life, then, must be rooted in the mystery of the Trinity. We give glory TO the Father, THROUGH the Son, IN the Holy Spirit, WITH the Blessed Virgin Mary and all the saints! Let us live and pray as we profess to believe.

--Msgr. William Carr © 2019 by Sunday Missal Service 1012 Vermont Street • Quincy, IL 62301

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Holy Trinity Sunday is the hardest Sunday of the Church year to preach. How does one scratch the surface of the Trinity and do so carefully as to not put oneself in heresy? We declare the oneness of God in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The beauty of this weekend is to realize that God always was, always is and always will be. He is always one and has always been three persons.

In the reading from Proverbs, we hear about how He was always there and His delight day by day. We hear in the Gospel about the Spirit and the oneness of God. All of these readings point to the fact that God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, has always been, and always will be. One God in three persons. This Sunday the thing to remember is the loving God that desires a relationship with you and desires you to be in His presence forever.

Lastly, please sign up to volunteer for the parish picnic! Many hands make light work. We want it to be a successful event! Come out and invite all you know to come to the party! It is a great event and a lot of fun. This is hugely important for the well-being of our school. Pray for good weather! Volunteer! And I hope to see you there.

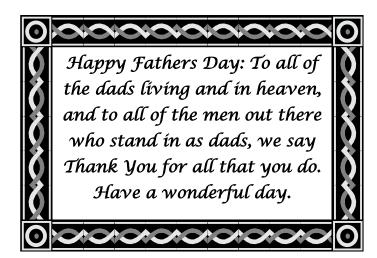
Fr. Arisman

Thought for the Week

"Live like you were dying." It's a brilliant idea. And of course, it means different things for different people depending on what you believe comes next. If you don't believe in God and you think this life is all there is, then this idea of living like you were dying is an invitation to recklessly indulge every hedonistic appetite imaginable. But if you believe in God and you trust what His Son Jesus shared with us during His time on earth, "live like you were dying" is a sobering reminder that life is short, eternity is long, and there are consequences to the way we choose to live our lives.

For a non-believer, to "live like you were dying" leads to a life of colossal selfishness and devouring hopelessness. For a Christian, to "live like you were dying" leads to a life of astounding love, rigorous discipline, heroic generosity, and an unconquerable hope. What do you believe comes next?

- Excerpt from 33 Days to Eucharistic Glory.



Weekday Mass Intentions

June 16 Monday	6:30 a.m.	Phyllis Lugering	
June 17 Tuesday	6:30 a.m.	Tom Lepper and family	
	5:30 p.m.	Becky Vogel	
June 18 Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Paul and Grace Hoffman	
	5:30 p.m.	Jean Powers and Robert Duesterhaus	
June 19 Thursday	6:30 a.m.	Sally Andrews	
	5:30 p.m.	Bruce Klingele	
June 20 Friday	6:30 a.m.	Marvin Russell and Virginia Schonarth	
June 21	8:00 a.m.	Barb and Dick Mitchell and Gary Clark	
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Carl, Connie and Fr. Gary Bernhardt	
June 22 Sunday	7:00 a.m.	Louis Demers and Phyllis Lugering	
	9:00 a.m.	The Parishioners of St. Francis	
	11:00 a.m.	Dick Gengenbacher and John Busse	

Week of 6/8/2025	Week	YTD	
Regular Collection	\$27,625.72	\$1,247,085.81	
Loose Collection	\$1,972.66	\$84,130.80	
Total Collection	\$29,598.38	\$1,331,216.61	
Needed Support	\$32,000.00	\$1,568,000.00	
Difference	\$-2,401.62	\$-236,783.39	
Annual School Fund			

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Week: \$1,562.08; YTD: \$183,821.16

This week in the Parish:	
<u> Monday, June 16</u>	
:30 a.m. Mass	
:00 a.m. Totus Tuus	
:00 p.m. Secular Franciscans	
:00 p.m. Acts Bible Study	
:30 p.m. Totus Tuus	
2:00 p.m. Rosary for Peace	
uesday, June 17	
:30 a.m. Mass	
:00 a.m. Ladies of St. Francis quilters	5
:00 a.m. Totus Tuus	
:30 p.m. Mass	
:30 p.m. Totus Tuus	
Vednesday, June 18	
:30 a.m. Mass	
:00 a.m. Totus Tuus	
:00 p.m. Adoration	
:30 p.m. Mass	
:30 p.m. Jesus and the Eucharist stu	dy
:30 p.m. Totus Tuus	
<u>hursday, June 19</u>	
:30 a.m. Mass	
:00 a.m. Ladies of St. Francis Quilter	s
:00 a.m. Totus Tuus	
:00 p.m. Scripture Discussion	
:30 p.m. Mass	
:30 p.m. Scripture Discussion	
:30 p.m. Finance Council	
:30 p.m. Totus Tuus	
riday, June 20	
::30 a.m. Mass	
:00 a.m. Totus Tuus	
aturday, June 21	
:00 a.m. Mass	
:30 a.m. Reconciliation	
:00 p.m. Reconciliation	
:00 p.m. Mass	
:00 p.m. Parish Picnic	



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Mark and Sara Reuschel and their children Ellie, Nora, and Cecilia. We are delighted you have chosen St. Francis Solanus to be your new parish home.

Rest in Peace Davíd Ehrhart March 18, 1931 — June 3, 2025 & Dennís Duesterhaus May 1, 1944—January 9, 2025

The Parish Picnic is Next Weekend!

It's not too late to sign up to volunteer, so please sign up if you're available at:

stfrancissolanus.com/picnic-volunteer.

The Picnic Committee and many others have been working for months to make this picnic a fun and successful evening. Please make sure you have turned in your raffle chances and basket and/or silent auction items. If you still need to buy raffle tickets you can do so here:



If you are available please join us for the picnic clean-up on Sunday, June 22, starting at 8 a.m. **The 2025 Parish Picnic Committee is:** Amy Cragg: 865-386-8551 Danielle Jacobs: 217-653-3540 Bob & Ashley Mitchell: 217-248-6249 Brock & Jennifer Sousa: 217-316-1912; 217-316-9594 Cole & Lauren Terwelp: 217-965-9998;217-209-9957 Cody & Shawnee Deters:217-617-7466; 217-430-2090

St. Francis Parish Picnic



Saturday June 21, 2025 5:00 PM-Midnight



Come Enjoy Good Food, Entertainment, Fun and Games for Children & Adults

Heidelberg Band 5:30-7:30 PM	Cash Raffle, Quilt Raffle
Violet Hill 7:30-11:30 PM	Silent Auction, BINGO
Kiddie Korner 5-9 PM	Cookie Walk, 50/50
(Games, Bounce House, Train Ride)	Dunk Tank

Tenderloins, Burgers, Walking Tacos, Roast Beef, Brats, Chicken Strips, Maid Rites, Onion Rings, French Fries, More!!

Beer (Bud, Coors & Miller), Wine (Spirit Knob), Margaritas, Soda

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

Calling all classic cars enthusiasts! The fourth annual Allison Holbrook Memorial Car and Truck Show will take place on Sunday, August 24 from 7:30 a.m.-noon at St. Francis. We're looking for parishioners only to enter a car, truck, tractor, boat, motorcycle or other vehicle that is at least 30 years old. For more information contact Deacon Dennis Holbrook, 217-257-4384 or Alan Blickhan, 217-257-1445. <u>Holy Name News:</u> Please join us on Sunday, June 29 from 8 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. for the RED WHITE AND BLUE PANCAKE BREAKFAST, sponsored by the Holy Name men. It's a great way to kick off your Fourth of July week! We are still looking for volunteers for our food tent at the Parish Picnic, June 21. If you can help out, call Jason Costigan at 217-779-3584. It's not too late to pay your \$10 Holy Name dues. You can drop them in a marked envelope in the collection basket. Thank you!

Knights of Columbus News: The Thursday Night Raffle is up to \$35,735. Tickets are sold from 6-7:45 with the drawing at 8:00. Mark your calendars for the K of C BBQ, August 8-10 this year!



June is the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Join us for devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus immediately after the 6.30 a.m. Mass on Fridays in June.

Farewell Reception for Fr. Bruce Scott Sunday, June 29 after all Masses, until 1 p.m. Stop by the parish center and enjoy a Red, White and Blue pancake breakfast until 12:30 p.m., or light refreshments until 1 p.m. We all want to express our gratitude and well wishes to Fr. Scott as he moves on to become pastor of Holy Family parish in Decatur.

Boy Scout Troop 1 will be having a centennial celebration Sept. 20 at 3 p.m. at the Machinists Lodge in Quincy. The committee is looking for any past members who have stories to share from their time with Troop 1. You can email kbaker@knapheide.com for more information.

Ladies of St. Francis News:

We hope everyone will join us when meetings resume in September. Until then, we wish you all a healthy and blessed summer.

> The premiere of the film **Tolton Speaks** will take place at St. Peter Church in Quincy on June 22 from 3-5 p.m. This documentary follows Fr. Tolton's journey to become America's first recognized African-American Catholic priest, using expert interviews, historical documents and never-beforeseen letters. Tickets are \$10 at the door or in advance by scanning the QR code. For more information you can visit

> > tolton.spirituality.center@gmail.com



Totus Tuus Update:

Our 1st-6th Grade Day Program is now FULL! Thank you to everyone who registered their children. Starting now, we will be placing new registrants on a waitlist. Please note: Due to the day program being at capacity, if you show up in person during camp without having registered, we will unfortunately not be able to accommodate your child. We appreciate your understanding! Good news for our older students! We still have slots available for our 7th-12th Grade Evening Program! If you know a teen who would benefit from a fun and faith-filled week, encourage them to sign up soon before those spots fill up too! Don't miss this opportunity for spiritual growth and community. Register for the evening program today!

https://dio.org/totus-tuus-camper-registration/ For more information, email Grant at gwilson@stfrancissolanus.com.

St. Francis Solanus School INSPIRING FAITH, KNOWLEDGE & SERVICE

St. Francis School Job Openings:

After School Childcare Coordinator—Must be at least 21 years old. Hours are 3-5:30 p.m. Childcare Workers - Must be at least 16 years old by the time school begins. Hours are 3-4:30 p.m., or earlier.

Library Coordinator— Wednesday and Friday, 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Please contact Principal Julie Radel at 217-222-4077 or jradel@stfrancissolanus.com. All people will have a background check with fingerprinting from the Springfield diocese at their expense. School Summer Office Hours June and August: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Office closed in July. People may reach St. Francis School throughout the summer by leaving a voicemail message or sending an email; 217-222-4077 or school@stfrancissolanus.com. We will return your message. Principal Julie Radel's email is: jradel@stfrancissolanus.com.



Before school wrapped up for the year the PMO Band and Choir had a concert at St. Francis School. PMO stands for Parochial Music Organization. The band is comprised of students from all of Quincy's parochial schools. The choir is directed by Mr. Josh Crowl. The band teachers are Mrs. Jill Steinkamp and Mrs. Sara Reeder.

June 21-22	Altar Server - Weekend	Communion Minister	Usher	Reader	Greeter/Gift Bearer
Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Brynn Carpenter Finley Meehan Julia Meehan	Patti Blickhan Steven McMillen William Niewohner Theresa Rohrer	Michael Bickhaus Edward Mitchell Brian Dreier John Obert Jim Kaiser Russell Rohrer	Rick Gengenbacher John Venegoni	Angel Miranda <u>One Needed Please</u> Gift Bearer Angela Gutting
Sunday 7:00 a.m.	Carter Steinkamp Chloe Terwelp	John Benz Gary Hilgenbrinck <u>Two Needed Please</u>	Janet Marquette Mary Terwelp Gary Terwelp Jack Terwelp Timothy Venvertloh Emilie Venvertloh	Roseann Stuckman	Jerald Meyer Jan Zeidler Gift Bearer Richard Zeidler
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Carson Kerkhoff Bo Weiman Belle Wiemelt	Donette Cannady Cindy Grawe Robert Haas Ronald Upper	Robert Haistings John McDowell Terry Kistner Michael Zanger Mark Meyer <u>One Needed Please</u>	Simon Bruening Aaron Weiman	Mary Fitzsimmons Prudy Patterson Gift Bearer Amanda Genenbacher
Sunday 11:00 a.m.	Benjamin Eling William Eling Genevieve Hamann	Alice Arnold Caitlin Kendrick Marvin Knuffman Carol Steinbrecher	Melissa Arnold Dennis Greving Diann Cole Sam Vranjes Ron Gengenbacher Steven Obert	Kayleigh Ketchum Karen Steinkamp	Margaret Steinbrecher Brenda Wand Gift Bearer Amanda Venvertloh
	rning Mass Server turgy of the Word	June 21, 8:00 a.m. June 22, 9:00 a.m.	Peyton Kendrick and Quinn Wiewel Not offered during the summer		



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