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MASSSES

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.

Pentecost Sunday

JUNE 8, 2025

Acts 2:1-11; 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7,12-13;
 John 20:19-23 or John 14:15-16,23b-26

On Sunday, after the second reading, the Sequence “*Veni Sancte Spiritus*” (*Come Thou Holy Spirit, Come*) is sung. Only two Sequences remain in our Roman liturgy, one at Easter and one at Pentecost. At the end of Mass, the Paschal Candle is extinguished, a sign that the Easter season is over.

Our first reading describes the coming of the Holy Spirit in power. The rushing wind, the quaking, and the fire are intended to recall the theophany of Mt. Sinai, when Moses received the Torah. The inaugural of the new covenant recalls the theophany of the covenant made with Moses. The theophany is also a “substitute parousia.”

Jews expected the glorious coming in power of the Messiah; they believed that all wrongs would be righted, that all suffering would cease, that the dead would rise, and that there would be perfect peace and justice forever when the Messiah came.

There would also be the outpouring of God’s Spirit. It didn’t happen exactly that way. The Spirit comes, and the community of the Church is empowered by the Spirit. But the full perfection of the kingdom must wait for a while.

“Pentecost” means “fiftieth.” It was a Jewish festival which celebrated the full harvest of wheat and the inaugural of the covenant of Mt. Sinai. In our Christian Pentecost, the harvest is not of wheat, but of people – all the people of the earth are called to salvation. Even in the Jewish festival, there were overtones of the inclusion of Gentiles in salvation! This has now been fulfilled.

In the second reading, Paul describes the variety of the gifts of the Holy Spirit. All gifts are to be used for the building up of the Church in unity of faith and love.

The Gospel describes Jesus’ conferral of the Holy Spirit on Easter: The Spirit enables the Church to do what Christ himself had done: to forgive sins, to teach truth, and to sanctify all people.

--Msgr. William Carr
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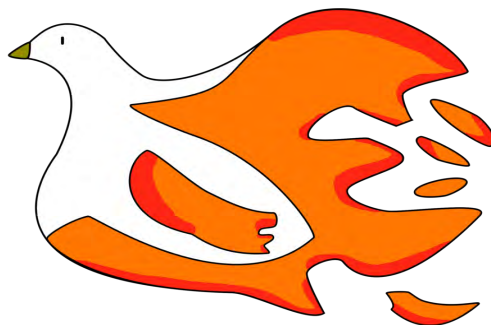
PENTECOST SUNDAY

We come to this final weekend of the Easter Season, Pentecost. Fifty days after Easter Sunday we end the Easter Season. The outpouring of the Holy Spirit, the birth of the Church given a new life, courage, and protection by that Spirit. We hear in the Acts of the Apostles about the moment of Pentecost. It says they were gathered in one place. Some imagine this taking place in the upper room. The scriptures don't tell us directly where, yet they do. It says all in one place, and the Spirit filled the house. What house? Then after the outpouring of the Holy Spirit it states: "as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim. Now there devout Jews from every nation under heaven...they gathered in a large crowd." Most scripture scholars would say this took place in the temple itself. First, where else would there be a multitude of Jews gathering in one place for them to preach to? More importantly, the prophet Ezekiel prophesied that the Shekinah, the glory of the divine presence, would return to the temple one day. In Pentecost this takes place, as the temple is God's house filled once again with the Holy Spirit, as well as the Apostles, the new temple, the Church is filled with the Holy Spirit. What a beautiful moment. We are promised the Advocate in the Gospel today and taught real love. We hear a lot of what people think real love for the Lord is all about. Our culture tells us it's permissiveness. Jesus tells us it's obedience to Him. So may we be inspired by the Spirit to do our best, with His help, to live out the commands of Jesus Christ; not what I want, or you want, but what He wants from us. May we be animated, given courage, and protected by this great Spirit to live out and follow the Word that is Jesus Christ.

Please make sure you volunteer to make our picnic great this year! It is coming up and I know there are many opportunities to make this event a wonderful experience and profitable fundraiser for our school.

With the end of the Easter Season, we will return to the friars' choir/chapel for daily Mass.

Lastly keep my uncle, Msgr. Leo Enlow in your prayers as he celebrates 50 years a priest! What a gift to have an uncle with such experience as a brother priest. My WHOLE family will be around this weekend in Quincy to celebrate with him.



*"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you."
(John 14:26)*

Weekday Mass Intentions

June 9 Monday	6:30 a.m.	Jerry Eberhardt and family
June 10 Tuesday	6:30 a.m.	Dan Richmiller
	5:30 p.m.	Robert Duesterhaus
June 11 Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	David Summers
	5:30 p.m.	Harry Edward and Michael McAfee
June 12 Thursday	6:30 a.m.	Jerry Carnivale
	5:30 p.m.	Susan Schoonover and DD Fischer
June 13 Friday	6:30 a.m.	Sylvia Brocksieck and Mary Dadant
June 14 Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Brenda Frericks and Pete and Betty Harman
	4:30 p.m.	Donald Klingele and Keith Wiemelt
June 15 Sunday	7:00 a.m.	Alma Haugh and Bruce Klingele
	9:00 a.m.	Bill and Katie Brink and Launa Blickhan
	11:00 a.m.	The Parishioners of St. Francis

This week in the Parish:

Monday, June 9

6:30 a.m. Mass
8:00 a.m. Blanket Project
5:30 p.m. CYO Board Meeting
6:00 p.m. Acts Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Rosary for Peace

Tuesday, June 10

6:30 a.m. Mass
9:00 a.m. Ladies of St. Francis quilters
5:30 p.m. Mass
6:30 p.m. Women's Prayer Group

Wednesday, June 11

6:30 a.m. Mass
1:30 p.m. QCS Pastors meeting
4:00 p.m. Adoration
5:30 p.m. Mass
6:00 p.m. Holy Name meeting
6:30 p.m. Jesus and the Eucharist study
7:00 p.m. Men's Prayer group

Thursday, June 12

6:30 a.m. Mass
9:00 a.m. Ladies of St. Francis Quilters
1:00 p.m. Scripture Discussion
3:00 p.m. Welcome Committee meeting
5:30 p.m. Mass
6:30 p.m. Scripture Discussion

Friday, June 13

6:30 a.m. Mass

Saturday, June 14

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

Week of 6/1/2025

Week

YTD

Regular Collection	\$24,531.68	\$1,219,460.09
Loose Collection	\$1,614.82	\$82,158.14
Total Collection	\$26,146.50	\$1,301,618.23
Needed Support	\$32,000.00	\$1,536,000.00
Difference	\$-5,853.50	\$-234,381.77

Annual School Fund:

Week: \$2,308.00
YTD: \$182,259.08



*Congratulations and Welcome
Wade Mark McFarland
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June 1, 2025*

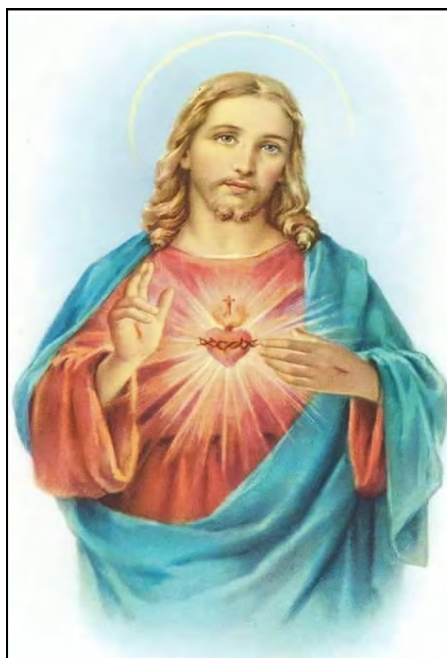


*Rest in Peace
Regina Blickhan
November. 28, 1929 — May 26, 2025
&
Wilfred "Will" Altgilbers
October 9, 1932 — May 27, 2025
&
Justin Main
August 17, 1978 — May 31, 2025*

Quote of the Week:

"He that hath a talent, let him see that he hides it not; he that hath abundance, let him quicken himself to mercy and generosity; he that hath art and skill, let him do his best to share the use and the utility hereof with his neighbor."

– St. Gregory the Great



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.

Totus Tuus is almost here. Make plans to attend!
St. Peter and St. Francis are working together to bring another Totus Tuus Camp to our area this summer.

Totus Tuus is a week filled with fun and faith! The **Evening Camp** runs from **Sunday, June 15 through Thursday, June 19** from 6:30 - 8:15 at St. Francis School. Teens who are entering 7th – 12th grade in the fall of 2025 are welcome to attend.

The **Day Camp** will take place **Monday, June 16 – Friday, June 20** from 9:00—2:30. This camp is for students entering 1st grade through 6th grade this fall. **The cost of the camp is \$25 per child or \$60 for three or more siblings. All area youth are welcome! To sign up please, use this link:**

<https://dio.org/totus-tuus-camper-registration/>.

**Quincy Museum Hosts Talk Exploring Pope Leo XIV's
Local Roots**

Tuesday, June 10 from 6-7 p.m. at the Quincy Museum, 1601 Maine St. Veteran local journalist David Adam will share the story of the new pope's grandfather, who lived and worked in Quincy under the name John Riggitano. Born Salvatore Riggitano in Sicily, he arrived in the U.S. in 1903 and a short time later he settled in Quincy, where his two sisters already lived. Come and hear the rest of the story! The event is free and open to the public.

**PARISH
PICNICS**

Mark Your Calendars

June 7 - JuneFest
@ St. Dominic School grounds

June 21 - St. Francis Solanus Picnic

July 19 - St. Anthony Picnic

August 23 - St. Peter Picnic

Sept. 6 - Septemberfest
@ Blessed Sacrament

Holy Name News: It's not too late to pay your \$10 Holy Name dues. You can drop them in a marked envelope in the collection basket. The next Holy Name meeting will be Wednesday, June 11 at 6 p.m. We will be discussing plans for running the Holy Name food stand at the Parish Picnic, June 21. Please come and get involved!

Knights of Columbus News: The Thursday Night Raffle is up to \$35,037. Tickets are sold from 6-7:45 with the drawing at 8:00. Parking is available on the grass by the shelter house. Ball season has started and there will be no more Friday night dinners until September. Mark your calendars for the K of C BBQ, August 8-10 this year!

The Quincy 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-before-seen 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



Ladies of St. Francis News:

Thank you to all of the Ladies of the parish who joined us for our final dinner meeting of the spring season, May 20. We hope everyone will join us when meetings resume in September. Until then, we wish everyone a healthy and blessed summer.



Jesus and the Eucharist Study Summer Session

The Jesus and the Eucharist small group study is being offered one more time—on seven Wednesday evenings this summer. This video study provides an opportunity to grow closer to Jesus. Each session is full of rich theological content, powerful testimonies, and unique and timely messages from some of the most brilliant voices in Catholicism today. This is a great opportunity to explore the mystery of the Eucharist anew, and to grow in community together.

Please join us on Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8:30, June 11-July 23 in the parish center. You can register through the parish office by June 9. Study handouts will be provided at no charge. Facilitators are Bob and Jane Haas. You may call them at 217-257-0533 for more information.

Spring "Cleaning" for the Food Pantry

Please consider giving hygiene and cleaning items to the food pantry for the rest of this spring season. People in need struggle to find the extra money for hygiene and cleaning items, so let's help them out! Items may be left in the food pantry bins located at all entrances to church.

News from the Picnic Committee:

Please reach out to a committee member or visit stfrancissolanus.com/picnic-volunteer/ to volunteer. Envelopes that include picnic information, raffle tickets, etc. can be picked up from the back of church or the gathering space. Purchased tickets, baskets and donations can be turned in at the parish office or purchased online here:



Raffle tickets can also be placed in the collection basket at Mass.

Remember! The picnic takes place Saturday, June 21, from 5:00 p.m. until midnight.

The 2025 Parish Picnic Committee is:

Amy Cragg: 865-386-8551

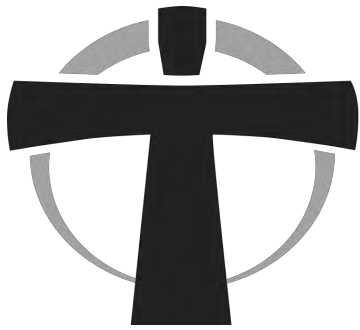
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St. Francis School Job Openings:

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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.

PTO will be having a meeting to talk about the upcoming school year this Monday, June 9 at Bob Mays Park, 2533 N. 18th St. The meeting will run from 6:30-7:30 p.m.



All-day preschool students at St. Francis School are headed to kindergarten next year. But first, they had a graduation ceremony May 16. Jennifer Mast (pictured) is their teacher. The students said they learned so much from "Miss Jen!"

June 14-15	Altar Server - Weekend	Communion Minister	Usher	Reader	Greeter/Gift Bearer
Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Blake Curry Stella Curry Hadley Carrier	Christine Fisk Darlene Mayes Nancy Venegoni John Venegoni	Greg Ehrhardt Zachary Maas Michael Eling Jerald Meyer Thomas Ennis James Waterkotte	Martin Makarewicz <u>One Needed Please</u>	Russell Rohrer <u>One Needed Please</u> Gift Bearer <u>One Needed Please</u>
Sunday 7:00 a.m.	Theodora Gengenbacher Alexandra Gengenbacher	Carolyn Biddle Anthony Freiburg Paulette Freiburg Vieve Veith	John Beckman Terrence Obert Kevin Frericks Roch Schulte Larry Klausner Perry Terwelp	Paul Brown	Sandra Banning Joyce Frericks Gift Bearer Emelie Venvertloh
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Lincoln Darnell Piper Darnell Alexander Lawrence	Anne Betts Katherine Cramsey Ted Genenbacher Brad Kendrick	Jason Costigan Steven Eling Gary Darnell Rob Frese Joseph Darnell Terry Nall	Sarah Genenbacher Gerald Koettters	Brian Dreier Prudy Patterson Gift Bearer Makenzie Holtmeyer
Sunday 11:00 a.m.	Jacob Collins Luke Deters Reese Meehan	Dennis Greving Sue Holbrook Michelle Meyer Ted Meyer	James Doellman Marty Karhoff Drew Erwin Evan Reichert Mike Holbrook Rose Willer	Dennis Steinkamp Jan Zeidler	Jane Haas Nancy Hufendick Gift Bearer Doris Karhoff
<u>Saturday Morning Mass Server</u> <u>Children's Liturgy of the Word</u>		June 14, 8:00 a.m. June 15, 9:00 a.m.	Allison Ormond & Whitney Ormond Not offered during the summer		

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