

## THE RECTOR'S DESK

Dear Friends of St. Francis Church,

I pray that you and your families are well! As we are but one Sunday from the end of the Church's year, it is fitting that before we hear that mass teach us of the end of time and the Last Judgment, we should hear today of that truth which will precede it: the resurrection of the body. Here follow some thoughts from *The Cathedral Daily Missal* on today's mass:

“The resurrection of the daughter of Jairus (Gospel) is a prophetic image of our resurrection from the dead. Our Lord raised the girl by a quiet exercise of his divine power—he will raise us by his mere word. The instantaneous cure of a woman suffering with an issue of blood (Gospel) by a mere touch of Christ's garment is an image of the restoration of the body in its complete, natural perfection at the resurrection, of the triumph over all ills that precede and lead to bodily death. Christ will endow our bodies with such brightness and beauty that the just shall shine as the sun in the kingdom of their Father: 'He will reform the body of our lowliness, made like to the body of his glory' (Epistle.)”

Inspired by meditation upon these truths, let us strive to keep our bodies worthy temples of the Holy Ghost, looking forward to the glory of the resurrection. May the good God bless you and your families!

In the Love of the Holy Family, Jesus, Mary, and Joseph,

Fr. McCambridge, F.S.S.P



FRATERNITAS SACERDOTALIS SANCTI PETRI

*“Qui seminant in lacrimis, in exsultatione metent” (Ps 125, 5)*



# St. Francis of Assisi Church

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER  
PENTECOST

NOVEMBER 16—NOVEMBER 22, 2014

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## LITURGICAL CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, November 16, Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 am Mr. & Mrs. Aaron Martinez  
10:00 am *Pro Populo*

### MONDAY, November 17, St. Gregory the Wonderworker, Bishop & Confessor

7 am Health and intentions of Bishop Bruskewitz

### TUESDAY, November 18, Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter & Paul

7 am Catherine and Anastasia Arango

### WEDNESDAY, November 19, St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Widow

7 am Confirmandi  
7 pm Confirmations followed by Benediction (no mass)

### THURSDAY, November 20, St. Felix of Valois, Confessor

7 am Andrea Weis+

### FRIDAY, November 21, Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7 am Holy Souls in Purgatory+

### SATURDAY, November 22, St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr

8 am Roger and Carol Blasl

### SUNDAY, November 23, Twenty-fourth and Last Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 am Roger and Carol Blasl  
10:00 am *Pro Populo*

(For exceptions, see above, and the "Announcements" section.)

#### Regular Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday	7 am
Saturday	8 am
Sunday	<i>Low Mass</i> 8:30 am <i>High Mass</i> 10:00 am

**Confessions** are heard one half hour before each mass in the Regular Mass Schedule, and on Fridays for the first half-hour of evening devotions. Confessions will be heard at other times by a reasonable request.

**The Rosary** is prayed one half-hour before each Sunday Mass.

#### Sorrowful Mother Novena (Dolorosary):

Friday 6:30 pm

#### Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament:

First Fridays: 8 am - 6:50 pm, Dolorosary at 6:30 pm, Benediction at 5:50 pm.

Other Fridays: 6 pm Holy Hour, Dolorosary at 6:30 pm, Benediction at 6:50 pm.

First Saturdays: Simple exposition for fifteen minutes after mass.

#### Legio Mariae (Legion of Mary)

To be determined

#### Altar Guild

As announced

**Coffee Social:** After the 10:00 mass on Sunday

#### Catechism for Adults

First and third Tuesdays 7 - 8 pm

#### Catechism for Children

Wednesday (September-May) 7 - 8 pm

#### Confraternity of Christian Mothers (September-May)

After Mass on the second Saturday of the month

#### St. John Bosco Youth Group

Second and Fourth Tuesday of the month 7 pm

#### Altar Boys' Meeting

Second Saturday of the month 9 am

#### Choir

Wednesday 6 - 7:30 pm

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

**Welcome to Newcomers and Visitors** to St. Francis Church! Please join us after the 10:00 mass for our Coffee Social.

**New Phone Procedure for Sacramental Emergencies:** Henceforth, it is unnecessary to use an emergency phone number for urgent sacramental needs; rather, simply call the number for the church, (402) 477-5145, and follow the instructions given.

**The Sacrament of Confirmation** will be conferred by Bishop Bruskewitz at St. Francis this Wednesday at 7 pm, followed by Benediction. Please pray for those to be confirmed!

**First Friday Eucharistic Adoration** will next be held Friday, December 5. The sign-up sheet is posted in the vestibule. Please take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to give some time in adoration of Our Lord, and in reparation to His Sacred Heart!

**St. Michael's Defense Guild** is now established at St. Francis Church, responding in a positive way to defend our families against the onslaught of impurity on the internet, and to fight back with the power of grace. See the notice in the vestibule for details. St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle!

**Free Book on Modesty:** Copies of the book *Dressing With Dignity* are available for free in the vestibule. This book is highly recommended for anyone interested in learning about the subject of modest dress.

**Please Pray for the Sick:** Fr. Denis Coiffet, FSSP, Fr. Joseph Terra, FSSP, Shirley Bauer, Michael Ostry, Marvin Phelan, Carol Blasl, Sr. Angela, O.C.D., Philip Gerard Johnson, Br. Bernard Marie, O.S.B.

**Please Pray for the Recently Deceased:** Paul Rauert (grandfather of Mr. Matthew Rauert).

## FINANCES

Collection for Sunday, November 9:	<b>\$2095.00</b>
Collection counters November 16:	<b>John Quinto and Tom Fritts</b>
Collection counters November 23:	<b>Philip McNeely and Jeff Kohn</b>

## ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI DRESS CODE

To dress becomingly for God and neighbor, and in keeping with the reverence due to the Blessed Sacrament, kindly refrain from wearing shorts, tee-shirts, tank-tops, revealing blouses, sleeveless or backless dresses, or form-fitting clothing of any sort. Please do let dresses and skirts fall below the knee. With due regard to time and circumstance, all are encouraged to wear decorous attire befitting sacred and divine worship.