

THE RECTOR'S DESK

Dear Friends of St. Francis Church,

I pray that you and your families are well! Just a couple of days ago, we observed Independence Day in the United States, and there is certainly much said in our country about liberty. But today's epistle gives us God's inspired word concerning the liberty with which we are to be concerned: "For the expectation of the creature waiteth for the revelation of the sons of God... because the creature also itself shall be delivered from the servitude of corruption, into the liberty of the glory of the children of God" (Rom 8:19,21). This is the liberty, this is the freedom to which we ought to aspire — to be freed from the slavery of sin, unto the liberty of the glory of God's children, His by adoption through baptism into the Holy Catholic Church. May the good God bless you and your families, now and always!

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

Fr. McCambridge, F.S.S.P



From henceforth thou shalt catch men.

FRATERNITAS SACERDOTALIS SANCTI PETRI

"Qui seminant in lacrimis, in exsultatione metent" (Ps 125, 5)



St. Francis of Assisi Church

FOURTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 6-12, 2014

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR

SUNDAY, July 6, Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 am Tim Ecoff
10 am *Pro Populo*

MONDAY, July 7, Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Bishops & Confessors

7 am Allington Family
8 am Mr. & Mrs. Aaron Martinez

TUESDAY, July 8, St. Elizabeth of Portugal, Queen & Widow

7 am Cynthia Judd
8 am Corey Martinez

WEDNESDAY, July 9, Feria

7 am Celebrant's Intention
8 am Celebrant's Intention

THURSDAY, July 10, Seven Holy Brothers, Martyrs and Ss. Rufina & Secunda, Virgins & Martyrs

7 am Dorothy Judd
8 am Fr. James Gordon, FSSP

FRIDAY, July 11, Feria

7 am Fr. Philip Wolfe, FSSP
8 am Fr. Dennis Gordon, FSSP

SATURDAY, July 12, St. John Gualbert, Abbot

8 am Confraternity of Christian Mothers

SUNDAY, July 13, 5th Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 am Peter John Van Vliet+
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>Highb 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 6:50 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)

Monday 6:15 pm

Altar Guild

As announced

Coffee Social: After the High 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.

Mass Intentions: Thank you for your patience in having awaited the decrease in our backlog of mass intentions. Envelopes for mass requests are once again available in the vestibule. As always, please only take an envelope at the time you intend to submit it, and please observe the limits given on the envelope. Thank you; God bless you!

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration will next be held, Friday, August 1. 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!

Novena to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: The Novena to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel will be prayed from July 8—16 at the Carmel at Valparaiso.

Pray for Life on Tuesdays: Planned Parenthood continues to end about **twenty innocent, human lives** each Tuesday in Lincoln. The mothers come from all over our state. Please pray the rosary, fast, and offer sacrifices for the unborn on that day. Please consider spending some time in prayer at the Planned Parenthood facility between 9:30 am and 3:00 pm on Tuesdays; God bless you!

Pilgrim Virgin Statue: The Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will travel for home visits once again. Hosting families will have the statue in their homes for three weeks each. Further information and a sign-up sheet are available in the vestibule. Please consider honoring Our Lady's image in your own home!

Please Pray for the Sick: Marilyn Brasil, Fr. Joseph Terra, FSSP, Shirley Bauer, Michael Ostry, Jason Greene, Sr. Angela, O.C.D., Philip Gerard Johnson, Br. Bernard Marie, O.S.B., Ernie Sabatka.

FINANCES

Collection for Sunday, June 29: **\$2511.00**

Peter's Pence Collection: **\$708.51**

Collection counters July 6: **Jeff Kohn and John Quinto**

Collection counters July 13: **Doug Pfeifer and Frank Feuerborn**

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.