

## THE RECTOR'S DESK

Dear Friends of St. Francis Church,

I pray that you and your families are well! In today's Gospel, Our Lord asks the man willing to justify himself: "Which of these three, in thy opinion, was neighbor to him that fell among robbers? But he said: He that showed mercy to him." This one who showed mercy was a Samaritan, who would have been considered an enemy of the Jews. Christ holds him up as an example, that we might not exclude anyone from our love, a love proven not by mere words, but by acts: "Jesus said to him: Go and do thou in like manner." Let us pray for the good will to cooperate with God's grace, and to be living instruments of His mercy in the world. 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.



*A Certain Samaritan brought him to an inn.*

FRATERNITAS SACERDOTALIS SANCTI PETRI

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



## St. Francis of Assisi Church

TWELFTH SUNDAY  
AFTER PENTECOST

AUGUST 11-17, 2013

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## LITURGICAL CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, August 11, Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 am McNeely family  
10 am *Pro Populo*

### MONDAY, August 12, St. Clare, Virgin

7 am Kieran McCambridge family

### TUESDAY, August 13, Feria

7 am Cambria Butcher

### WEDNESDAY, August 14, Vigil of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7 am Serena Jardon

### THURSDAY, August 15, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holyday)

7 am Arango family  
7 pm *Pro Populo*

### FRIDAY, August 16, St. Joachim, Father of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7 am The Rex Mulholland family

### SATURDAY, August 17, St. Hyacinth, Confessor

8 am Confraternity of Christian Mothers

### SUNDAY, August 18, Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 am Bill and Deb Bergfeld  
10 am *Pro Populo*

#### Regular Mass Schedule (for exceptions, see above)

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, 6:05 - 6:30 pm. Confessions will be heard at other times by a reasonable request.

**The Rosary** is prayed a 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 following mass.

#### Legio Mariae (Legion of Mary)

Monday 5:30 pm (for the Summer)

#### Altar Guild

As announced

**Coffee and rolls:** After the High Mass on Sunday

#### Catechism

Wednesday (academic year) 7 - 7:45 pm

#### St. Joseph Men's Group (September-May)

Second Tuesday of the month 7:30 pm

#### Confraternity of Christian Mothers

After Mass on the Third Saturday of the month

#### St. John Bosco Youth Group

Fourth Tuesday of the month 7 pm

#### Altar Boys' Meeting

Second Saturday of the month 9 am

#### Choir

Wednesday 6-7 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.

**Holyday of Obligation:** This Thursday, August 15, is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and a Holyday of obligation.

**First Friday Eucharistic Adoration** will next be held Friday, September 6; 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!

**Visits During the Week:** For the information of those wishing to make visits during the week, when the Rector is present, the church is normally unlocked. For early morning, the front door can be used. Later, the front door is locked and the back door unlocked.

**St. Francis Church Picnic:** The annual Church Picnic will be held following the Sung Mass on Sunday, September 8, at Pioneers' Park. More details will follow; please plan to come!

**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!

**Avoiding Encounters with Sin on the Internet:** Are you and your family protected from harmful material on the internet? Much of the material available on the internet is dangerous to purity and chastity. Your child's innocence is fragile — every family with internet in the home needs an internet filter, without exception. Free filtering software is available at [www.k9protection.com](http://www.k9protection.com), and free accountability software at [www.covenanteyes.com](http://www.covenanteyes.com).

**Please Pray for the Sick:** Shirley Bauer, Therahlee Guevara, Sr. Angela, O.C.D., Philip Gerard Johnson, Br. Bernard Marie, O.S.B.

## FINANCES

Collection for Sunday, August 4: **\$2640.00**

Collection counters August 11: **Frank Feuerborn and John Pepino**

Collection counters August 18: **Dan Fix and John Quinto**

## 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.