

THE RECTOR'S DESK

Dear Friends of St. Francis Church,

I pray that you and your families are well! Today's gospel presents us with the parable of the unjust steward, called to give an account. He responds by acting with a worldly sort of "wisdom" called "carnal prudence," a mere simulation of the true virtue, since prudence is directed toward our purpose of eternal life with God, whereas carnal prudence seeks the attainment of worldly purposes.

Perhaps being reminded by this gospel of the reckoning which each will undergo, we are prompted to ask, as does one of the prayers of the mass, "What shall I render to the Lord, for all the things that he hath rendered to me?" (Ps. 115). Let us beg God in prayer for zeal and for the good will to cooperate with His grace, that we might do even more in striving for an eternal crown than do the worldly in striving for a perishable one. 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

EIGHTH SUNDAY

AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 19—JULY 25 2015

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR

SUNDAY, July 19, Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 am Canons Regular of St. John Cantius
10:00 am *Pro Populo*

MONDAY, July 20, St. Jerome Emiliani, Confessor

7 am Francis Cardinal George+

TUESDAY, July 21, St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Confessor & Doctor

7 am In honor of St. Lawrence of Brindisi

WEDNESDAY, July 22, St. Mary Magdalen, Penitent

7 am Archbishop Cupich

THURSDAY, July 23, St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr

7 am Celebrant's Intention

FRIDAY, July 24, Feria

7 am Mary Kline (in petition)

SATURDAY, July 25, St. James the Greater, Apostle

8 am Mary Kline (in petition)

SUNDAY July 26, Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 am Mary Kline (in petition)
10:00 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>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 6:50 pm.

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

First Saturday: Simple Exposition for fifteen minutes following Mass.

Altar Guild

As announced

Coffee Social: After the 10:00 mass on Sunday

Catechism for Children (September-May)

Wednesday 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 (September-May)

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

Weekly Prayer Intention for Religious in the Diocese: July 19—July 25, Sr. Maria-Emmanuel of Merciful Love, and Sr. Teresa Margaret of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Jr. Professed Novices, Carmel of Jesus, Mary & Joseph.

Second Collection: A second collection will be taken next Sunday, July 26, for the support of the Contemplative Sisters in Lincoln. May God bless your generosity!

Gregorian Chant Camp for Youth: A Chant Camp will be held for those ages 8-14 from August 3-7, 2015. Daily sessions will be held on M-F from 9 am-2 pm at the UNL Newman Center, at the corner of 16th & Q Streets. No experience is necessary; singers strongly encouraged! Cost: \$50 per child (\$125 per family of 3+). For more information or to register contact Mr. Nicholas Lemme at nlemme@olgseminary.org (402-797-7700 x141). Space is limited; sign up today! Registration Deadline is July 29, 2015.

Volunteer request for Chant Camp: Parent and/or young adult volunteers are needed for the Gregorian Chant summer camp to be held at the UNL Newman Center, August 3-7, M-F, 9am-2pm. Volunteers can sign up for a certain time of day, or for the full week. Please contact Mrs. Elizabeth Lemme for more details: Elizabeth.lemme@gmail.com, 402-417-5173. If you are unable to volunteer, but are interested in donating a simple snack during the week or a dish for the reception, please contact Elizabeth. Thank you and God bless you!

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration will next be held Friday, August 7. The sign-up sheet is posted in the vestibule, please be generous in devoting your time in adoration of Our Lord, and in reparation to His Sacred Heart.

Online Traditional 9th Grade Religion Course: Holy Angels Online Academy will be offering a traditional Catholic 9th grade religion course beginning this fall. See details at www.holyangelsonlineacademy.org. Enrollment will be limited to 20 students. Flyers are available in the vestibule.

Pray for Life on Tuesdays: Planned Parenthood kills perhaps 16 children on each Tuesday on which abortions are committed 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 time in prayer at the Planned Parenthood facility between 7 am and 3 pm on Tuesdays (a group Rosary is prayed at 9:30 am). God bless you!

Please Pray for the Sick: Shirley Bauer, Michael Ostry, Barbara McMeekin (mother of Mrs. Jennifer Butcher), Sr. Angela, O.C.D., Philip Gerard Johnson, Br. Bernard Marie, O.S.B.

FINANCES

Collection for Sunday July 12:	\$3597.25
Collection counters July 19:	John Pepino and Dan Fix
Collection counters July 26:	John Quinto and Jeff Kohn

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.