

## THE RECTOR'S DESK

Dear Friends of St. Francis Church,

I pray that you and your families are well! In the Collect for today's mass, we ask God to grant to all of us professing the name of 'Christian' that we would pursue the things befitting that name, and reject those opposed to it. In doing so, we address Him as one who shows the light of his truth to those wandering astray. God will give us the light to recognize when, by our thoughts, words, deeds, or omissions, we stray from the path of Christ, but we must ask Him also to grant us the humility, docility, and good will to return to that path. If we are faithful in doing so, we will have good hope of fulfilling St. Paul's desire for others who see us, that "they may, by the good works which they shall behold in you, glorify God in the day of visitation." May the good God bless you and your families!

In the Love of our Risen Lord,

Fr. McCambridge, F.S.S.P



*A little while, and now you shall not see Me.*

FRATERNITAS SACERDOTALIS SANCTI PETRI

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



## St. Francis of Assisi Church

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

APRIL 21-27, 2013

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## LITURGICAL CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, April 21, Third Sunday After Easter

8:30 am Cynthia Martinez  
10 am *Pro Populo*

### MONDAY, April 22, Ss. Soter & Caius, Popes & Martyrs

7 am Special intention of Attia Sprouse  
8 am Celebrant's intention

### TUESDAY, April 23, Feria in Paschaltide

7 am Mr. Josef Bisig+  
8 am Celebrant's intention

### WEDNESDAY, April 24, St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Martyr

7 am Special intention of John and Charlotte Hope  
8 am Celebrant's intention

### THURSDAY, April 25, St. Mark, Evangelist

7 am Mrs. Stacy Schieber  
8 am Celebrant's intention

### FRIDAY, April 26, Ss. Cletus & Marcellinus, Popes & Martyrs

7 am Mary and Lucy Mollard  
8 am Celebrant's intention

### SATURDAY, April 27, St. Peter Canisius, Confessor & Doctor

8 am Norene Abrahamson

### SUNDAY, April 28, Fourth Sunday After Easter

8:30 am Corey Martinez  
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>High 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.

#### 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.

#### Sorrowful Mother Novena (Dolorosary):

Friday 6:30 pm

#### Legio Mariae (Legion of Mary)

Monday 7:30 pm

#### 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

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.

**First Friday Eucharistic Adoration** will next be held Friday, May 3. 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!

**Investiture in Miraculous Medal:** On Sunday, May 12, Miraculous Medals will be blessed, and the rite of investiture with them will be carried out after both masses. The *Mater Dei* praesidium of the Legion of Mary has provided the medals on chains; those who wish to do so may present their own medals with which to be invested.

**Meals for the Guevaras:** While their young son, Matthew, recovers from his surgeries, help from those wishing to prepare meals for the Guevaras will be gratefully accepted. Please call Mrs. Therahlee Guevara to arrange this, (402) 805-5073. God bless you for your charity!

**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).

**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!

**Coffee Social Donations:** To cover the costs of coffee, sandwich ingredients, and disposable utensils and paper goods, donations from those who partake in the Socials are encouraged and appreciated. Additionally, donations of crackers, cheese, chips, graham crackers, and cookies are always welcome. Thank you for your consideration!

**Please Pray for the Sick:** Matthew Guevara, Shirley Bauer, Terry Hornback, Sr. Angela, O.C.D., Philip Gerard Johnson.

## FINANCES

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Collection for April 14:      | <b>\$1784.15</b>                    |
| Collection counters April 21: | <b>Doug Pfeifer and John Pepino</b> |
| Collection counters April 28: | <b>Dan Fix and Troy Butcher</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.