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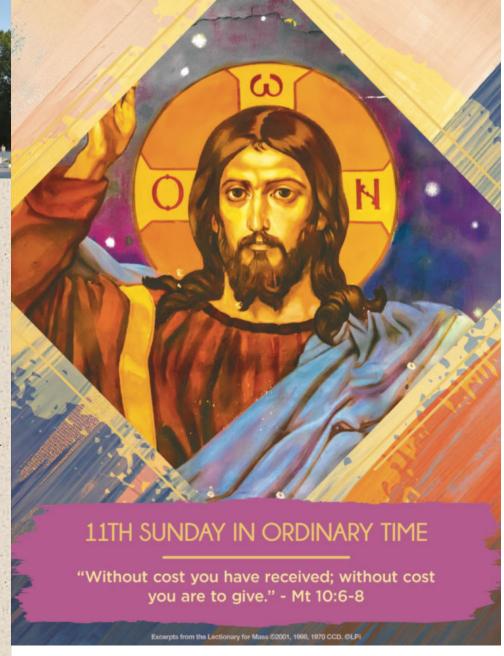
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Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:00-4:00pm
Thursday before First Friday: 3:00

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Sacrament of Matrimony:

Arrangements must be made a minimum of 6 months in advance with the Pastor.

Sacrament of Baptism:

Baptism Prep class is required before baptism. Please call the office to pre-register.

From the Pastor

Happy Father's Day! This Sunday we wish all of our fathers, grandfathers, stepfathers, God's blessings of holiness, happiness and good health as we celebrate Father's Day. We can take good old Dad for granted so easily. It's good that we have at least one day to pause and thank him for all the good he does for the family. St. Joseph is the father of the holy family. He is a good patron for all of our fathers in the parish. St. Joseph isn't known for any great saying in the gospel. Actually he isn't quoted at all in any of the four gospels. But we know he was a good husband to Mary and a good father to Jesus. Follow his example.

Our 49th annual Day of Prayer for Life is being held this Wednesday here in our church. We begin with Eucharistic exposition at 9: 00 a.m., and throughout the day we will have adoration and prayer. Various parishes are responsible for praying at different hours, and St. Francis has the hour from 9:00 to 10:00. Benediction is at 7:00 p.m. and the day concludes with Mass at 7:30. Come and pray. The issue of respecting human life is not going away, and our state of Illinois is ranked near the bottom when it comes to protecting human life. New York is not any better. Large states with large numbers of people.

We didn't get the opportunity to celebrate Corpus Christi with the procession and benedictions, but we did get some rain. I thank the people, who were prepared to decorate the altars for our celebration. And we are grateful to Barb Runde for her contribution with the sacristy and servers and the church.

PARISH DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!

Directories can be picked up in the office from 9:00 am-4:30 pm, Monday-Friday.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 19, 6:30 am: Linus Nosbisch Tuesday, June 20, 6:30 am: Mary Hoelscher Tuesday, June 20, 8:00 am: Jerry Brickley Wednesday, June 21, 6:30 am: Dolores Esker Thursday, June 22, 6:30 am: Joe Hoedebecke Thursday, June 22, 8:00 am: Ted Hinkle Friday, June 23, 6:30 am: Luella Buscher

Friday, June 23, 8:00 am: Roger & Barb Worman Saturday, June 24, 4:30 pm: Rich Goldstein Sunday, June 25, 6:30 am: Pro Populo Sunday, June 25, 8:30 am: Karen Waldhoff Sunday, June 25, 10:30 am: Melvin Uthell

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Welcome to our faith Family:

Della Ruth Wright Daughter of Alex & Lindsay (Lundquist) Wright



Worldwide Marriage Encounter presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance, enhance encounter meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. The

next three weekend experiences are listed below. Sign-up now! For more information or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

- August 4-6, 2023—St. Peters, MO
- September 29-October 1, 2023—St. Peters, MO
- December 1-3, 2023—St. Peters, MO

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember in your prayers:

Will Niccum, Joe Ruholl, Bill & Rosie Myers, Andrea Wernsing, Paula Spencer, Mark Roedl, Linus Willenborg, Cole Wellbaum, Kyndal Dasenbrock, Bob and Mary Lee, Vivie Kinkelaar, Dawson Lohman, Tanner Pruemer, Toby McMahon, Debbie Meyer, Nicholas Wente, Gary Cornell, Sharon Ghast, Jennifer Carlen, Tammy Gebben, John W. Miller, Dustin Borries, Lizzie Westendorf, Joseph F. Huber, Betty Jansen, Art Deters, Bill Frese, Linda Frese, Mickie Weber, Nora Fearday, Doug Niemerg, Brenda Vahling, Sr. Helen Vahling, OSF.

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, please call the office at 217-961-6404.

God Bless Those Serving Our Country.

Anthony Vahling, Cody Bushue, Shawn Zerrusen, Ali Kingery, Andrew Simmons, Jesse Koester, Justis Coventry, Braydan Bushue, Mallory Stone, Paul Schumacher, Damon Sabo.

Stewardship of Treasure

	6/11/23	<u>Year</u>
215 Adult envelopes	\$8,085.50	\$500,406.24
54 Online giving	\$2,097.00	\$122,047.00
Other	<u>\$958.00</u>	\$55,144.63
TOTAL	\$11,140.50	\$677,597.87
Assisi to Africa	\$305.00	\$44,182.00

Liturgy Schedule The Tenth Week in Ordinary Time June 19 — June 25

Monday, St. Romuald

Mass at 6:30 am

Adoration 1:00 pm Monday until

6:00 am Tuesday

Tuesday, Mass at 6:30 & 8:00 am Wednesday, St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Mass at 6:30 am

Thursday, St. Paulinus

Friday,

St. John Fisher St. Thomas More Mass at 6:30 & 8:00 am

Mass at 6:30 & 8:00 am

Saturday, The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Mass at 4:30 pm

Sunday, 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 6:30, 8:30, & 10:30 am

Confession Schedule

Saturday, June 24, 3:00-4:00 pm

Liturgy of the Hours with Friars

Monday-Friday—11:45 am & 4:45 pm

Advocate Training:

Training for those interested in representing the Tribunal in preparing marriage nullity cases as advocates will be held Saturday, July 15, 2023, 9:30 am-3:00 pm.

There will be no cost for the training but please pre-register by July 10 by contacting cbranyan@dio.org or 217-321-1117. Lunch will be provided.





THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

Monday, June 19

• Adoration, 1:00 pm Monday—6:00 am Tuesday

Tuesday, June 20

• Guitar practice, 6:45 pm

Wednesday, June 21

• Right to Life Day of Prayer, Benediction at 7:00 pm and closing Mass, 7:30 pm

Saturday, June 24

• Confessions, 3:00—4:00 pm



Attention Homebound

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the Homebound for Sunday, June 25, 2023 is Rita Habing at 217-857-3006.

We are currently in need of a Eucharistic Minister to the homebound, once each month. It would be greatly appreciated if you could help us with this ministry. Please contact the parish office at 217-961-6404.



We are asking for families to bring the following:

Last name A-G: 1 pie or cake

H-M: girl mystery box prizes

N-S: 2 dozen cookies

T-Z: boy mystery box prizes

<u>It takes the ENTIRE PARISH to make this a</u> SUCCESS!!!

Please donate your time and talent for your work shift!

A FRIENDLY REMINDER

We have not heard from everyone in the parish!
If you have not sent in your dues, please do so as soon as you can! You can mail it in, drop it in the collection basket at Mass, or go to www.stfrancischurch.com and click on "sodality dues" and follow the instructions.
We appreciate everyone's support in this effort! We have a wonderful parish!!

Religious Education News

Thanks to all the religion volunteers this school year. I am counting on you for the 2023-2024 school year. The program <u>needs</u> more volunteers for this fall. *Please consider giving one or two hours a week this fall as a volunteer.* Early morning supervisors, 7:15—7:45 am. Walkers and catechists, 7:45—8:40 am.

Online religion registration begins the first week of July. Please register your children! The religion program begins this fall, on August 17, 2023.

This week we congratulate Kenzi Dust, daughter of Ryan and Meredith (student of Karen Buhnerkemper) on placing 2nd place in Division II for her essay.

"Lighting up the World with Acts of Kindness"

When I was little, I wanted to try to make others happy. So I started to write letters to people. Everyone I sent a letter to would always send a letter back. I would also try to pick up trash. I loved picking up trash and writing letters and they loved having me send kind things to them. They also knew I enjoyed hearing all the good things and kind things that they have done and have written back to me in their letter. If something sad happened like if their pet died, I would help them feel better. Sometimes if it is really sad, I cry too, but I always write something nice back that will try to make them not think of it. Usually I write about what's on the bright side. Being kind was one of my favorite vibes.

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Baptism Prep Dates



- Thursday, July 6, St. Francis
- Tuesday, August 1, St. Isidore
- Thursday, September 7, St. Francis
- Thursday, October 5, St. Rose
- Thursday, November 2, St. Francis
- Tuesday, December 5, St. Isidore

All classes begin at 7:00 pm.

To register for classes at St. Francis call 217-961-6404; at St. Rose call 217-924-4553; and at St. Isidore call 217-821-9178. All dates are subject to change.

Please Note: Baptisms will take place on the first, second and third weekends of each month.

YOUTH MINISTRY CALENDAR

July 10-14—Vacation Bible School







VBS INFORMATION

Join us for Vacation Bible School this summer July 10-14, we present the "Marvelous Mystery – The Mass Comes Alive" for the Year of the Eucharist! Late registration fees

apply. Forms are available on the church website.

Day of Prayer for Life – Please mark your calendars and make it a priority to come and pray for an end to our nation's tragic disrespect for human life at the 49th annual Day of Prayer for Life to be held **Wednesday**, **June 21st**, at St Francis Church in Teutopolis. The day will begin with Eucharistic Exposition at 9:00 am followed by Eucharistic Adoration and Prayer throughout

the day. Benediction will be at 7:00 pm, with the closing Mass at 7:30 pm with honored celebrant Father Joe Carlos, OFM. A reception with refreshments will follow in St Clare Hall, adjoining the church.

St. Francis Church prays from 9:00 – 10:00 am; a silent hour with volunteers is from noon – 1:00 pm; youth prayer hour is 4:00 – 5:00 pm; and all KC Councils pray from 6:00 – 7:00 pm. All are welcome to pray any time if these hours are inconvenient.



PRAY FOR PEACE! Thank you for

praying the Rosary together prior to each weekend Mass, with the intention of peace in Ukraine and throughout the whole world! A special thanks to all the volunteers who have faithfully signed up to lead the Rosary, and for all who say yes when contacted to help out! We are in need of more volunteers who are willing to be contacted when no one has signed up, especially prior to 10:30 am Mass. If you are willing to be contacted when no

one has signed up, please call or text Angie Esker at 217-259-2495. Mary, Queen of Peace, pray for us!











Ladies of St. Francis of Assisi Parish

We are organizing an outing for a Christmas Concert at

The Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis

December 2, 2023

Bus departs at 8:00 a.m. from Church North Parking Lot to the concert. (donuts and water will be provided for the bus ride) You can bring your own snacks!

Concert is at 10:30 a.m. with reserved seating, and we will tour the Cathedral after the concert. Late lunch and drinks at Fast Eddies in Alton. At 5:00 p.m. load the bus for a Christmas Light drive thru at Rock Springs, arrive home 7:30 - 8:00 pm.

Your cost for the trip is \$50.00. CCW is covering most of the transportation cost.

Lunch and drinks you will be responsible for! We will not be responsible for any accidents!					
(One ticket sold per person)					
we will notify you, we do have a 40 passenge	a call list and if we get enough to fill another bus				
Lady attending:	Cell #				
Emergency contact:	phone #				
Paid: & number					

Liturgical Ministers for June 24/25					
<u>Ministry</u>	<u>4:30 pm</u>	<u>6:30 am</u>	<u>8:30 am</u>	<u>10:30 am</u>	
Readers	Jane Meyer Michelle Niebrugge	Sharon Wente	Michael Imburgia Amy Hewing	Patty Ruholl Sue Esker	
Ushers	*Dave Tegeler Jeremy Niebrugge Larry Habing Dylan Bloemer Glen Waldhoff Tom Hemmen	*Mike Hardiek Joe Runde Joe Esker Allen Koester Jared Runde Don Tegeler	*Dennis Gillespie Ken Ritz Jordan Niebrugge Maurus Schumacher Larry Funneman Marcus Sheehan	*Brian Ruholl Dan Beckman Jake Pals Addison Brumleve Brock Brumleve Roy Brumleve	
Servers	Martin Habing Chris Habing Sarah Habing	Eva Mette Clara Mette Anthony Mette Rayanna Mette (3 servers)	Krista Roedl Kaylee Roedl Ella Wermert	Bryson Meyer Barrett Meyer Addisyn Koester	

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You are invited to share the fun of the 33rd Annual Family Camp Renewal Days for Family and Friends of People with Physical/Intellectual Disabilities.

Sept. 30-Oct. 1, 2023 at Lake Williamson Christian Center, Carlinville, IL.

Participants share in activities: swimming, hay ride, dancing, mini golf, crafts, archery, sharing in song and prayer. Eucharist is celebrated on Sunday. People with disabilities, from the area, attend free of charge.



You are invited to a farewell Open House on June 25th for Fr. Dean **Probst** as we celebrate his new designation as Pastor Emeritus on July 1. His last Sunday Mass as Pastor will be June 25 at 10:30 am in Sam Parr State Park, Newton, IL (White Oak Shelter). The open house reception will follow and will be held in the St. Thomas Parish Center, Newton, IL from 2:00-4:00 pm with comments beginning at 2:15 pm. Light refreshments will be available with Homewood Grill providing ice cream. Enjoy cards, games, etc. Thank you for joining us as we show our appreciation for his many years of service to our parishes and Diocese!







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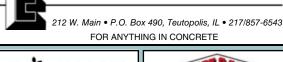




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