August 15, 2021
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

St. Francis of Assisi
Roman Catholic Church

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A STEWARDSHIP PARISH

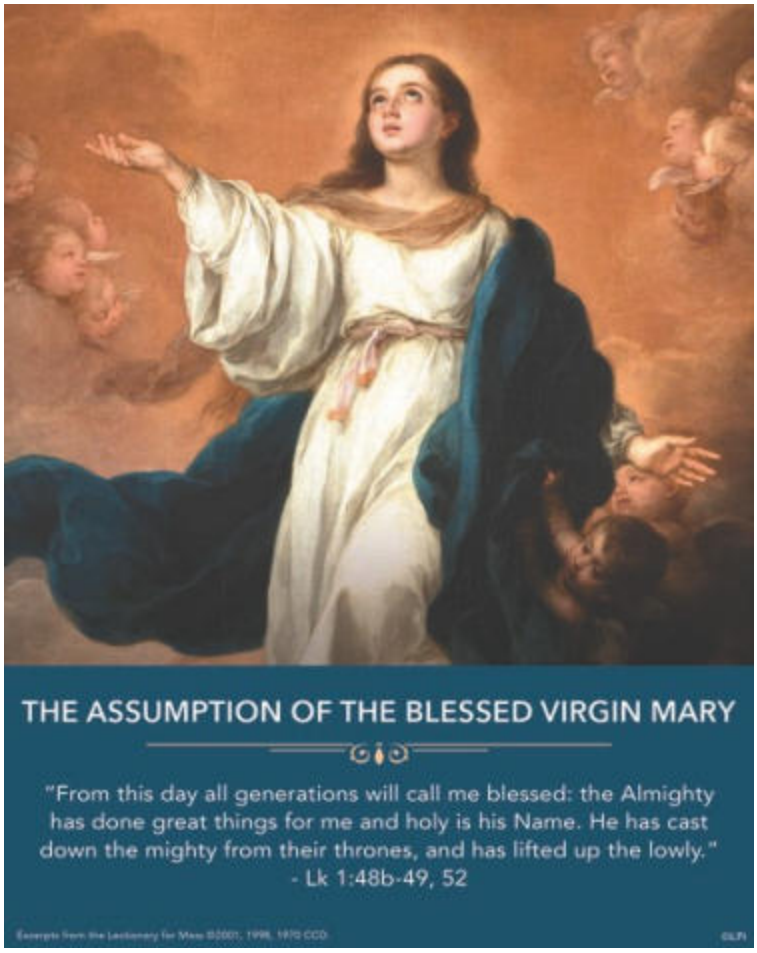
Mass Schedule
Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm
Sundays 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am, 1:30pm (Spanish) & 5:30 pm
Weekdays 9 am Mon - Sat and 6 pm Mon - Fri

Reconciliation/Confession
Monday-Friday 8:30am, Fridays 6:30 pm, Saturday 4 pm or by appt..

Baptism
Please call the parish for preparation information and scheduling.
Parish registration and Baptism classes are prerequisites.

Marriage
Preparation sessions should begin 12 months before the marriage date.
Please contact the parish secretary before making any arrangements.

Sick or Homebound
If you wish to receive Eucharist and are unable to attend Mass, please call the office to be referred to our Homebound/Nursing Home Ministry.



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or Castle Rock Catholic Young Adults

Sign up to get the bulletin delivered directly to your inbox at
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Welcome, New Parishioners

If you are new to St. Francis,
please contact the Office to register.
303-688-3025
The Office is open.
Hours are 10 am - 5 pm, Monday - Friday,
Closed for lunch from 12 - 12:30 pm

The office is closed on Saturday and Sunday

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Contact these Ministry Leaders to see how you can get involved in our parish!

Parish Ministry Leadership

We are a Stewardship parish and many volunteers help run our ministries. For more information contact the person listed:

Worship Ministries

Altar Servers	Dom Cingoranelli	dom@successioninstitute.com
Altar Linens	Carolyn Cline	303-359-0852
Art & Environment	Gloria Nussbaum	303-506-3634
Communion to Homebound	position open	Call Office 303-688-3025
Emergency Response Team	Jeff Bennis	jsbennis@hotmail.com
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Bev Shiker	303-663-5597
Hospitality Ministry	Pat Cernyar	303-519-9417
Lector Ministry	Larry Jaeger	ljaeger39@gmail.com
Music Ministry	Don Billings	dbillings@stfranciscr.org
Sound Technicians	Don Billings	dbillings@stfranciscr.org
Spanish Mass Ministers	Vicki Arndt	varndt@stfranciscr.org

Councils to the Pastor

Parish Council	Lana Falke	lana.falke@gmail.com
Finance Council	Andy Robinson	ajrafab@comcast.net
Emergency Response Team	Christine Billings	christinebillings@ymail.com

Spiritual Enrichment/Prayer Devotion

Adoration	Mary Jo White	whitemom4life@gmail.com
Baptism Preparation for Infants	Lana Falke	lana.falke@gmail.com
Bible Study	Janice Harper: mickaharper@msn.com or Amee Cave: astadler7@msn.com	
Men's Ministry	Kevin Zink	zinkev99@gmail.com
Love Chain for Expectant Moms	Maxine Biggs	stfranciswomensministryCR@gmail.com
Prayer Chain	Mary Kochivar	303-688-3025
Prayer Shawl & Baptism Knitters	Mary Vinci	m1vinci@hotmail.com
Secular Franciscans	Dcn Tom Liotta	deacontomliotta@comcast.net
Vocations	position open	Call Office 303-688-3025

Ministry within the Parish

Book Club	Katie Keller	ktj324@sbcglobal.net
Bulletin Stuffers	Mary Kochivar	303-688-3025
Coffee & Donuts	position open	Call Office 303-688-3025
Funeral Luncheon	Ann Salek	justustwo@comcast.net
Gift Shop	position open	Call Office 303-688-3025
Homeschoolers	Laura Dryer	dougcocatholichomeschool@gmail.com
Lady Bug Gardeners	Lynne Liotta	liottal@hotmail.com
Library	Tracy Brend: tracybrend @gmail.com or Lynne Liotta: liottal@hotmail.com	
Marriage & Family Life	Matthew Morrison	matthewandmarcela@gmail.com
Movimiento Familiar Cristiano Católico	Oralia Rodriguez	oralia200@gmail.com
New Parishioner Welcome	Lana Falke	lana.falke@gmail.com
Parish Picnic	Andrea Cihak	acihak@stfranciscr.org
Respect Life	Mary Jo White	whitemom4life@gmail.com
Stephen Ministry	Maggie Cingoranelli	303-945-6929
The Gathering 55+	Janet Searle	janet.searle@colorado.edu
Weekday Warriors	John Graboski	603-757-2817
Women's Ministry	Erin Nowak	stfranciswomensministryCR@gmail.com

Community Outreach

American Heritage Girls Troop 8909	Cheryl Mondragon	cheryl.mondragon@yahoo.com
Catholic Charities	Paul Narduzzo	720-215-4521
Cub Scout Pack 260	Lisa Clark	lisaelaineclark@yahoo.com
ESL	Catholic Charities office	720-215-4521
Knights of Columbus	Fred Aesquivel	grandknight@kofc8909.org
Military Outreach Ministry	Dcn Ed DeMattee	dcned4@icloud.com
St. Vincent de Paul	Christina Steeg	303-847-2606
St. Paul Street Evangelization	Matt Martinez	mateomtz@aol.com

This Week's Message From Our Priests

Clement of Alexandria

In every age, there have been men who were seekers of truth. In the second century, one such man was *Titus Flavius Clemens*, known better today as Clement of Alexandria. Although born to pagan parents, Clement realized that there must be a deeper meaning to life than the mundane pursuit of material riches and sensual pleasures. He heard about men who renounced the ordinary pursuits of life in order to seek after truth. These men were called philosophers, which means 'lovers of wisdom.'

So Clement studied the works of all the great philosophers who had lived before him, including the writings of thinkers from faraway lands such as Persia. From studying the works of these men, Clement learned that there was one true God who was above all the gods and goddesses worshiped by people of his day. He also learned that there was a more satisfying way of life than what most of the people seek.

From his years of study, Clement came to be one of the most learned men of his day. Yet, he sensed that the philosophers had only knocked on the door of truth, that there was still greater truth that they had never discovered. When he finally heard the gospel of Jesus Christ, he knew this was the great truth he had been seeking all his life.

After his conversion, Clement traveled throughout the ancient world to learn Christianity firsthand from the most respected teachers of his age, men who taught by deeds, not just words. Clement eventually settled in Alexandria, Egypt, where he served as a leader. In recognition of Clement's gift of teaching, the church of Alexandria appointed him as the instructor of new Christians.

With fraternal affection,

Fr. Homero C.

Worship - Prayer - Stewardship

Readings for the week of August 15, 2021

Sunday	Rv 11:19a, 12:1-6a, 10ab 1 Cor 15:20-27 Lk 1:39-56	
Monday:	Jgs 2:11-19	Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday:	Jgs 6:11-24a	Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday:	Jgs 9:6-15	Mt 20:1-16
Thursday:	Jgs 11:29-39a	Mt 22:1-14
Friday:	Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22	Mt 22:34-40
Saturday	Ru 2:1-3, 8-11, 4:13-17	Mt 23:1-12
Next Sunday:	Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b Eph 5:21-32 Jn 6:60-69	

We greatly appreciate the donations that have been mailed or brought into the office, and appreciate your continued support.

THESE OUR GIFTS OF LOVE

August 2-8, 2021

Regular Offertory	**$21,615.63**
Weekly Budget	$27,000.00
5YFF Debt Reduction	**$1,710.00**
Weekly Budget	$6,157.00
SVDP Poor Box	**$219.00**

Whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.
~~ Mt 25:40

The Bishop's Dispensation from in person attendance at Mass has expired

On June 1st New Policies Started:

- **Reservations are not needed - for any Mass.**
- **Masks are not required, except in the Purple section.**
- **There are no longer any seat assignments.**
- **There are no longer space limitations at any Mass.**
- **Use hand sanitizer when entering.**

Choose your own seat in the Sanctuary, until it is FULL, then there will be overflow seating in the Narthex

Masks are required for EVERY Mass
Only in the Purple section
(by the working sacristy)

We are a Stewardship Parish.
In gratitude to God for all His gifts, the Faith Community of St. Francis will donate this week's tithe to

Praying Hands Ranch

Mass Intentions

Monday,	**August 16, 2021**
9:00 am	+ Erik Fischer
6:00 pm	+ Montgomery Moynahan
Tuesday,	**August 17, 2021**
9:00 am	The Evan & Leah Frazier Family
6:00 pm	+ Bob Calhoun
Wednesday,	**August 18, 2021**
9:00 am	The Jolene Howard Family
6:00 pm	+ Richard J. Temple
Thursday,	**August 19, 2021**
9:00 am	+ Betsy, Maudie & Cleo Mikel
6:00 pm	Anna & Damien Chavarria
Friday,	**August 20, 2021**
9:00 am	+ Mary Ann Fitzgerald
6:00 pm	+ Rafael Gamboa Cardenas
Saturday,	**August 21, 2021**
9:00 am	+ David Van Paam
5:30 pm	+ Philip Melody
Sunday,	**August 22, 2021**
7:30 am	Owen Crane
9:30 am	Rod & Cindy Crane
11:30 am	The Parishioners of St. Francis
1:30 pm	Desmond Conley
5:30 pm	+ Montgomery Moynahan

Please continue to Pray for the Sick, those recovering from surgery and terminally ill:

John Farris
Matthew Hajde
Corey Remington
Chad Stoneking
Nicole Body
Becky Catterall
Betina Machamer
Janice Veresh,
Steven Fixter
John McGuire,
John Roscoe,
Steven Hain,
Jim Burke,
Barb Ridgeway,
Cimberleigh Smith,
Wes Rabens,
Kathy Card,
Tressa Guthrie,
Megan Mehl,
Kaye Le May,
Kimra Dietrich,
Audra Hehr,
Gary Dempsey,
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Teenie Modrigal,
Colleen & Wayne Boddicker,
Sarah Sloat,
Everett Hughes,
Fr. Dana Christensen,
Darby Kucinski,
Ben Bilder,
John Maguire,
Gary Kuntz,
Shelly Busby,
Marilyn Wandersee,
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Reece Rubino,
Alaina Griffith,
Susan Cvikota,
Leona Hightower,
Rebecca Hightower,
Rosemarie Olmstead,
Nancy,
Michael Klausner,
Jonny Landis,
Zachary Quick,
Ann Hurley,
Gary McFarlen,
Owen Collins,
Robert Cooney,
Brenden Tronick,
Katherine Bylsma,
Harley Rothmeyer,
Kathleen Wilson,
Janet Kane,
Megan Hakes,
William Mulcahy,
Frances Staahl,
Kenneth Osredker,
Marguerite Purichio,
Michael Mulvaney,
Gabriel Ryan,
Austin Eddy,
Addie Flores,
Helen Wagner,
Arleen Gillen,
Bob Delaney,
Lynne Schoefield,
Dolores Braun,
Jessica Tidball,
Ceara Bristol,
Katlyn Pride,
Bob & Emma Rietsch,
Joe Mack,
Richard Salome Quintana,
Barbara Skene,
Denise & Mike Cortellini,
Sara McKinney,
Connie & Jackie Bilder,
James Davis,
Jonathan Dahlem,
Teagan Mc Donald

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May the healing presence of Christ comfort them.

If your loved one's name has been on this list for more than two years, please call the office to let us know if prayers are still needed.

"There are those who seek knowledge for the sake of knowledge; that is Curiosity.
There are those who seek knowledge to be known by others; that is Vanity.
There are those who seek knowledge in order to serve; that is Love."
St. Bernard of Clairvaux .

Announcements

Annual Parish Picnic
This Weekend!!

Sunday , August 15
3:00pm to 7:00pm
Rhyolite Park
in Crystal Valley Ranch

Don't forget to bring your lawn chairs & side dishes

The Parish will provide :
Hamburgers, hotdogs, buns, drinks and condiments

Because of Health Concerns the picnic is **NOT** a potluck

Parishioners provide :
Side dish and/or dessert for your family
(no sharing this year)

Fun games for all ages and a **Pie Baking Contest**
Drop off pies by 3:45pm at the Pie Content Table

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)
Inquiry Session August 22nd
at 1:00pm in Assisi Hall

Are you interested in joining the Catholic Church?

Do you know an adult who is interested in learning more about the Catholic Church?

We offer classes for those who would like to receive the Sacrament of Baptism, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation as an adult.

Contact Nick Morey at 'nickmorey@yahoo.com or call 406-698-0738 for more information.

RETROUVAILLE
A LIFE LINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Marriage Help Program beginning with a weekend on September 10-12

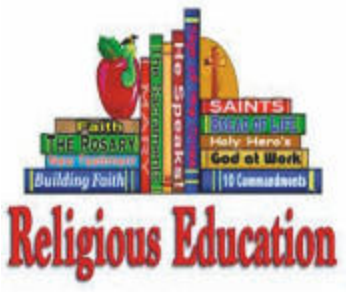
Thinking about Separation or Divorce?
Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce?
Do you feel helpless?

Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. It helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced.
For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on September 10-12, 2021,
call (303) 317-5111
or email: retrouvialle.co@gmail.com or visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

Faith Formation

Classes start September 19th

Register now to secure your 1st class choice



Faith Formation Times

Elementary (Kinder —5th grade)
Sundays 3:45pm —5:00pm
Tuesdays 4:45pm —6:00pm
Wednesdays 4:45pm —6:00pm

Middle School (6th—8th grade)
Sundays 3:45pm —5:00pm
Tuesdays 4:45pm —6:00pm
Wednesdays 4:45pm —6:00pm

High School (9th—12th grade)
Sundays 6:30pm—8:30pm

RCIA (not Baptized)/SFBC (missing Sacraments)
Children/Teens ages 7-17
Sundays 11:00am—12:30pm

Catechists and Volunteers Needed for All Classes and Times

The Cenacle of the Two Hearts

A prayer group devoted to
the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary

First Fridays of every month, beginning on Friday, September 3rd
3 - 4 pm in the Choir Room

The word cenacle refers to the upper room where the Last Supper took place. A prayer cenacle is a group of the faithful who gather regularly to pray for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit and God's blessings upon their congregation and the world.

The prayer format of *The Cenacle of the Two Hearts* will include a time of praise with guitar and singing, prayers of contrition and thanksgiving, the Holy Rosary, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, readings from St. Faustina's Diary, as well as prayers of supplication/intercession, including the group's individual needs. We will conclude with a consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Please join us in prayer!

For more information please contact **Sue Bryan: 303-929-2648**

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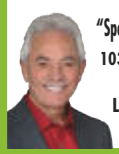

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Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with our Food Pantry on August 14th. We know that summer is a busy time, so we really appreciate your help.

Next August Food Pantry:

Saturday – August 28
9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Parking Lot,
In conjunction with our partner,
Food Bank of the Rockies

We need your help with food donations. We always accept your donations of non-perishable food items, but we are especially in need of the following items:

Pasta Sauce
Snacks
Cereal
Canned Corn
Jelly
Oatmeal

You can leave these items in the Red Wagons outside Assisi Hall and in the Narthex

We also need cash donations as well to offset our clients in need of other expenses including rent and utilities. It is also used to purchase perishable items such as milk, eggs and butter

Cash can be left in the Poor Box in the Narthex or mailed to the Parish Office, "Attention SVDP"

Catholic Charities

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Castle Rock Office

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Monday - Friday
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

This Week's Parish Calendar

Sunday , August 15, 2021

3:00pm	St. Francis Parish Picnic	Rhyolite Park

Monday, August 16, 2021

8:20am	Rosary, Confession & 9:00am Mass	Sanctuary
10:00am	Adoration for 2 hours	Sanctuary
2:00pm	Adoration for 3 1/2 hours	Sanctuary
6:00pm	Cub Scout Pack 260	Assisi Hall

Tuesday, August 17, 2021

8:20am	Rosary, Confession & 9:00am Mass	Sanctuary
10:00am	Adoration for 7 1/2 hours	Sanctuary
10:00am	ENDOW: Redemptoris Mater	Assisi Hall
1:00pm	Prayer Shawl & Baptism Blanket Ministry	Library
7:00pm	Troop 637 Court of Honor	Assisi Hall
7:00pm	Altar Server Training	Sanctuary

Wednesday, August 18, 2021

8:20am	Rosary, Confession & 9:00am Mass	Sanctuary
10:00am	Adoration for 2 hours	Sanctuary
4:30pm	Wedding Rehearsal: Robin/Torres-Quintanilla	Sanctuary
7:00pm	Troop 637 Court of Honor	Assisi Hall

Thursday, August 19, 2021

8:20am	Rosary, Confession & 9:00am Mass	Sanctuary
10:00am	Adoration for 2 hours	Sanctuary
10:00am	Grief Share	LL East
2:00pm	Wedding: Robin/Torres-Quintanilla	Sanctuary
4:00pm	Finance Council Meeting	Library

Friday, August 20, 2021

6:00am	Men's Ministry	LL East
8:20am	Rosary, Confession & 9:00am Mass	Sanctuary
10:00am	Adoration for 2 hours	Sanctuary
4:30pm	Wedding Rehearsal: Bossow/Dudeck	Sanctuary

Saturday, August 21, 2021

7:30am	Knights Planning Meeting	Library
9:00am	Mass	Sanctuary
12:00pm	Herencia Mexicana	Lower West Hall
2:00pm	Wedding: Bossow/Dudeck	Sanctuary
4:00pm	Baptism: Eleanor Liffrig	Sanctuary
4:00pm	Confessions	Sanctuary

Room Reservations for the 2021-2022 year are open
Please submit to Andrea at acihak@stfranciscr.org

New Altar Server Training
Tuesday, August 17th
7 pm in the Sanctuary

If you wish to become an Altar Server or have not trained in 2021 with our new priests, please come to this training.

Diocese of Colorado Springs
Young Adult Ministry
Northern Deanery August Meetings

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Ad Orientem Mass
Tuesday, August 24th
6:30pm

St Marks Catholic Church
9905 Foothills Canyon Blvd
Highlands Ranch, CO

Adult Faith Formation

THE BIBLE TIMELINE: THE STORY OF SALVATION HISTORY

(A beginning study from Ascension)

Tuesdays, Sept 28, 2021 thru March 29 (24 sessions)

10:00am – 12:00pm

McGivney Hall in Lower Level

Study Leader: Jan Redmond (303-619-2951)

We know the story of Adam and Eve and we know Jesus died for our sins. This study will tie the Old and the New Testaments together. We will discover the early world, walk through the Egyptian desert, sit with David and watch Solomon build the temple, suffer the Kingdom's split, and listen to the Prophets. … and the beginning of our Church. It is good stuff!

All are invited! You who have no understanding of Scripture, you whose curiosity is piqued, you who want a renewal and those who just want to join us. You won't regret joining the group.

INTRODUCTION TO JAMES: Pearls for Wise Living

(Ascension Press Study)

Thursdays September 9th - December 9th (11 sessions)

at 6:45 pm - 8:45 pm

Lower Level Classroom

Study Leader: Amee and John Cave (astadler7@msn.com)

In this introduction to the Epistle of James, Jeff Cavins presents a preface to explain the wonderful pearls of wisdom found throughout this letter. There are ordinary and practical messages of hope to strengthen you in your everyday walk of life.

Materials Fee: $29.95 + shipping

Materials can be ordered online from Ascension Press at:

Ascension Press James: Pearl for Wise Living

(https://study.ascensionpress.com/studies/56363/registrations/new)

With online purchase, you are able to access the videos for 1 year. If you do not have the ability to order online, please contact Amee Cave 720-271-7406 to obtain materials.

Hebrews The new and eternal covenant

8 sessions Wed. Mornings Sept. 15th– Nov. 10th 10-11:30am at SFA

Workbooks are $29.95 plus shipping

Presented by Andrew Swafford and Jeff Cavins, *Hebrews: The New and Eternal Covenant* draws out the riches of this sublime book in a way that makes them easier to understand. It draws connections between the Old and New Testaments, the Liturgy, the Eucharist, the priesthood, and so much more. Most importantly, *Hebrews* will help Catholics appreciate the astounding generosity of God as they see the wonders he has given us in the Church.

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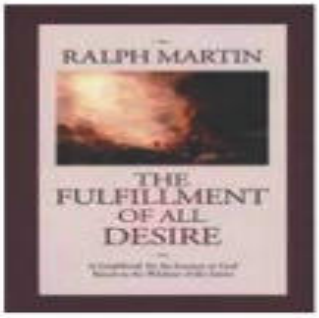


We are all called to be saints, but we may not have a clear idea of how to make that happen.

In this course based on the modern classic by Ralph Martin, we'll cover the wisdom of the mystical tradition of the Church. Drawing on the lives and writings of seven great saints, it will provide a comprehensive overview of the path to union with God.

Classes begin Sept. 7th, 6:30 p.m.

Contact dominic@sojournerpath.com with questions or to register.

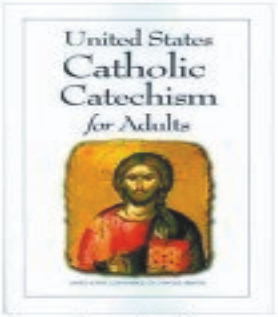
The Fulfillment of All Desire class will meet once a week for 14 weeks.

Cost of materials is approximately $40 per person

Adult Formation including Confirmation

Are you a baptized Catholic who wants to learn more about our faith?

Are you a baptized Catholic who wants to be confirmed this coming Pentecost?



This in-person, interactive class is for you!!

Classes begin Sept. 12th, at 10:45 a.m.

Contact dominic@sojournerpath.com with questions or to register.

Adult RE/Confirmation Prep will meet once a week until approximately the last Sunday before Pentecost. –

No cost to participants for materials.

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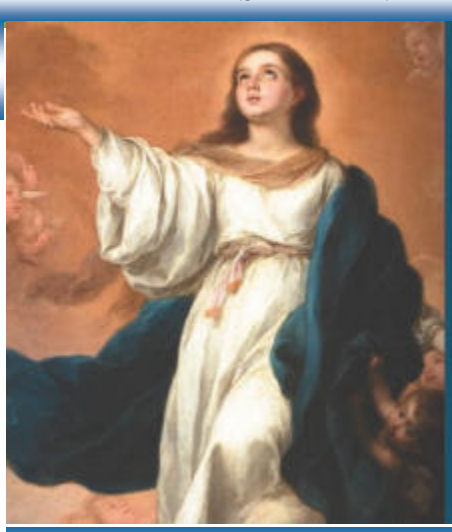

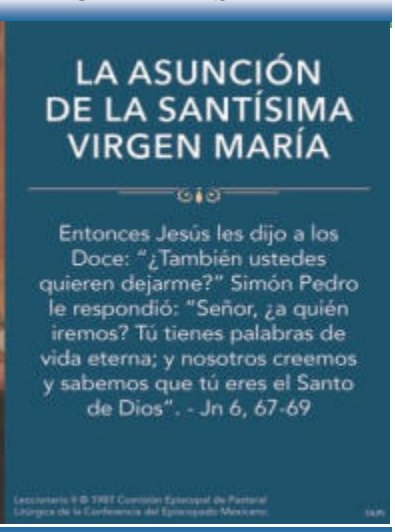

Mensaje Seminal de Nuestros Sacerdotes

Clemente de Alejandría

En todas las épocas han habido hombres buscadores de la verdad. En el siglo II, uno de esos hombres fue *Titus Flavius Clemens*, mejor conocido hoy como Clemente de Alejandría. Aunque nació de padres paganos, Clement se dio cuenta de que la vida debe tener un significado más profundo que la búsqueda mundana de riquezas materiales y placeres sensuales. Escuchó acerca de hombres que renunciaron a las búsquedas ordinarias de la vida para buscar la verdad. Estos hombres fueron llamados filósofos, que significa "amantes de la sabiduría".

Así que Clemente estudió las obras de todos los grandes filósofos que habían vivido antes que él, incluidos los escritos de pensadores de tierras lejanas como Persia. Al estudiar las obras de estos hombres, Clemente aprendió que había un Dios verdadero que estaba por encima de todos los dioses y diosas adorados por la gente de su época. También aprendió que había una forma de vida más satisfactoria que la que busca la mayoría de la gente.

A partir de sus años de estudio, Clement llegó a ser uno de los hombres más eruditos de su época. Sin embargo, sintió que los filósofos solo habían llamado a la puerta de la verdad, que había una verdad aún mayor que nunca habían descubierto. Cuando finalmente escuchó el evangelio de Jesucristo, supo que esta era la gran verdad que había estado buscando durante toda su vida.

Después de su conversión, Clemente viajó por todo el mundo antiguo para aprender el cristianismo de primera mano de los maestros más respetados de su época, hombres que enseñaban con hechos, no solo con palabras. Clemente finalmente se estableció en Alejandría, Egipto, donde se desempeñó como líder. En reconocimiento al don de enseñar de Clemente, la iglesia de Alejandría lo nombró instructor de nuevos cristianos.

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