



## St. Francis of Assisi Parish

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**Sunday Mass Schedule:**

Saturday: ..... 6:00 p.m. (Vigil)  
 Sunday: ..... 8:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

**Holy Day Mass Schedule:** Refer to bulletin

**Weekday Mass Schedule:** Monday - Saturday 8:30 a.m.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Daily: 9:00 a.m.  
 Saturday: 12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. or by appointment

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Baptism is celebrated any  
 Sunday at 12:15 p.m. Parents are required to  
 attend a Preparation Class prior to the Baptism.

**Sick Calls:** Notify the Rectory for hospital visits  
 or Communion to the sick or shut-ins.

**Bulletin deadline:** Monday at Noon

**Child Abuse Line:** 1-888-808-1235

**A Family Perspective** - Parenting is a Eucharistic activity because from the first moment of conception children consume us, our flesh, blood, energy, time and resources. If we don't sacrifice ourselves, our children would not have life. This is the priesthood of parenting. Christ is present in this self sacrifice.

### **The Most Holy Trinity - The Inexpressible Mystery**

The God of the universe is mysterious. Science has not been able to solve the mystery of how the universe came into being or explain exactly what continues to give it creative energy and masterful design. No religion asserts that it has found words to name fully the ineffable mystery of God, for no matter what name we use, God always transcends our limited ability to understand. God is a mystery to be believed, not known. And yet, we Christians believe that our name for God best expresses that inexpressible mystery: God is the Most Holy Trinity of three persons united in a communion of love, pouring forth that creative, saving, sanctifying love into the world. Today's scriptures celebrate the mystery of the Trinity and give us clues for living that mystery in our lives.

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**Still waiting for a Chairperson for the Picnic to volunteer.** Everyone knows their job and each year it's the same folks for the event. Please call 724-348-7145.

**Business Owners and Professionals**, self-employed: use our bulletin to advertise your work. Liturgical Bulletin folks are now taking ads. Give us a call here at the Parish Office. (724-348-7145)

**St. Francis Prayer Chain** is a group of parishioners who will pray for your need. Call Kathy at 724-941-0347.

**Prayer Blanket Ministry** is available for the asking. Have an intention that you want prayers for, someone sick, facing surgery, going on a trip, let us know, we'll pray for that intention.



**Flag Day June 14th!**  
**"Fly it with pride."**

**New Altar Servers needed!** We need new Servers at Mass on Sundays. Please call us if your fourth grader is willing to help us. It's a good way to promote vocations too. Many a priest was an altar server in youth. Call the Parish Office at 724-348-7145. Training will take place this summer.

**Bingo** - Congratulations to the winners of both Magic Numbers. Join us Tuesday for Bingo in Finley Hall. The Jack-pot will be \$650.00 in 54 numbers. A new Magic Number will be started. The 'All Nighter' game will be \$1,190.00 until it is won. Early Bird Games begin at 7:15 p.m. Regular Games at 7:30. This may be your lucky night!

### **Parish Picnic**

**August 20th - 1:00 - Dark**

**Circle the date on your calendar as part of your Summer plans.**

**Theme Basket & Craft Items** will be needed for the Picnic Raffles. If you would like to put together a complete Theme Basket, that would be great, or bring in items you may have around the house that you have not used and we'll make up the baskets. **Use your imagination.**

Bring Items for the baskets by Sunday, August 6th, and complete Baskets by Sunday, August 13th to the room next to the kitchen. Thank you.

**Country Store** - Featured items at the Country Store will be nearly new items, small handmade items, plants, produce, books, parcel post packages (marked "man", "woman", "child") Start saving your items now and bring them to Finley Hall beginning August 14th, 7:00 a.m.- 2 p.m., Monday - Friday.

**Booth Sponsors for the Parish Picnic** - Each year businesses in the local area donate \$25.00 to sponsor a booth at the Picnic. The name of the Company is clearly posted in one of the booths during the Picnic. If you would like to sponsor a booth this year call 724-348-7145. Please patronize our advertisers.

**'Serengeti Trek' Vacation Bible School** at our parish will be Monday, June 26 through Friday, June 30th, 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. in Finley Hall. Free to everyone. See the flyer in today's bulletin to register or to volunteer.

**Destination Cancun** - Fr. Tusky is planning an 'All Inclusive' trip to Cancun October 21-28, 2017. This includes non-stop flights, insurance, and all food & beverages! If interested, contact the rectory for details. **"You're gon'na like it!"**

**Ministry Schedule - June 17/18**

**6:00 p.m. Saturday**

Ministers: D. & B. Lewis, Checque, Brucker, Deluliis, Wietrzykowski, Weisdack

Lector: K. Lewis

Servers: T., T., & T. Smida

**8:00 a.m. Sunday**

Ministers: Barner, Jurofcik, Durost, Fox, Sherred, H. & M. A. Lassige

Lector: L. Obringer

Servers: C. & E. Rega, A. Kolano

**11:00 a.m. Sunday**

Ministers: A. & S. Parker, Bublak, Greco, Mansmann, Folz, Pitzer

Lector: L. Kenavey

Servers: G. Mucci, Z. & Z. Bublak

**Marriage Moments** - Marriage is often made up of two “stiff-necked people.” (Exodus 34-9) What are you most stubborn about in your relationship? It’s natural to want to get one’s way. However, sometimes it’s better to give way as a sign of love.

**Parenting Pointers** - We sacrifice our time, money, and ego for those we love. Which of these is easiest and hardest for you to sacrifice for your own child?

**Kentucky Trip - October 10-12** - Tour several famous abbeys and monasteries, and “Ark Encounter” (replica of Noah’s Ark (no, not Kennywood) the first ark. \$499.00 Double, \$479 Triple, \$679 Single. Included are transportation, 2 night lodging, 2 breakfast, 1 dinner, free guided tour. More? 412-608-2939. Sponsored by St. Valentines’s Women’s Guild. Peg Starzynski 412-835-7320.

**Hospital Volunteers needed.** A variety of meaningful volunteer opportunities are available with Jefferson Hospital. Whether you would enjoy working directory with patients in the surgery center, volunteering in the Gift Shop or behind the scenes in an office, volunteering at Jefferson is a wonderful way to bring happiness into the lives of others. To learn more, contact Janet O’Brien at 412-469-5885.

**Columbiettes** are collecting unused personal care items for the Pregnancy Resource Center.

Place in bag marked “Columbiettes” in Finley Hall.

**Knights of Columbus** - Any Catholic man age 18+ who would like to join other Catholic men in Charity, Unity, and Fraternity are welcome to be part of this special organization. Contact Keith 724-348-0504 or Frank 724-348-6537 for information.

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

**Today, June 11, The Most Holy Trinity**

*Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52-55; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18*

6:00 p.m. (Sat.) Jake & Ruth Scheidhauer - Family

8:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish

11:00 a.m. 51st Wedding Anniversary of Steve & Alma Roper

**Monday, June 12, Weekday Mass**

*2 Cor 1:1-7; Ps 34:2-9; Mt 5:1-12*

8:30 a.m. Mary Ann Satter - Bob & Barb Scarnati

**Tuesday, June 13, St. Anthony of Padua**

*2 Cor 1:18-22; Ps 119:129-133, 135; Mt 5:13-16*

8:30 a.m. Richard Kriston - Elaine Dzimiera

**Wednesday, June 14, Weekday Mass**

*2 Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5-9; Mt 5:17-19*

8:30 a.m. James J. Dixon, Sr. - Cora Dixon Family

**Thursday, June 15, Weekday Mass**

*2 Cor 3:15 — 4:1, 3-6; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 5:20-26*

8:30 a.m. Ruth Sarsfield - Jim & Nancie McNally

**Friday, June 16, Weekday Mass**

*2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 116:10-11, 15-18; Mt 5:27-32*

8:30 a.m. Robert Chilson - Roseann Laughlin

**Saturday, June 17, Weekday Mass**

*2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Mt 5:33-37*

8:30 a.m. Special Intention - Rick & Mary Jane

**Confessions after 8:30 a.m. Mass daily**

**Sunday, June 18, The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ/Father’s Day**

*Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58*

6:00 p.m. (Sat.) For the People of the Parish

8:00 a.m. Helen Fehriens - Carol & Jim Pierce

11:00 a.m. Joe Polacek - Shirley & Family

**Home with Christ** - Please pray for the soul of *Jean Adams*, sister of Donald (Marian) Campitella. *May she rest in peace.*

**The Sanctuary Candle** will burn this week “*In Memory of Albert Sil*” requested by the Kenny Family.

**TO THE GLORY OF GOD**

*The Flowers on our Altar today are presented*

*“In Memory of our parents,  
Walter & Agnes Obringer and  
William & Cecilia Woistman”*

requested by Jim, Lois & Family.



*“In honor of our military in service  
to our Country.”*

requested by Denny & Christi Vamos.

**Financial Overview**

Needed/week.....	\$8,266.74
Last week .....	\$6,918.00
Deficit/Surplus.....	(\$1,348.74)