

THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS UPON ME.

— LUKE 4:18 —

Bulletin for January 26, 2025

Celebrants: Saturday 5:30pm: Fr. Steven

Sunday 8:30am: Fr. Jerry Eifler & 11:30am: Fr. Chuck Walker

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

©LPi



St. Frances of Rome Catholic Parish

Mass Schedule

Monday, Wednesday & Friday-8:30 a.m.

Saturday-5:30 p.m.

Sunday-8:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

Rosary after each weekday Mass

Fr. Shayne Duvall: Pastor

Fr. Steven Henriksen: Associate Pastor,
St. Frances of Rome & Administrator,
St. Boniface

2119 Payne St.

Louisville, Ky 40206

stfranrome@sflou.org 502-896-8401



On Receiving Communion

From time to time, I am asked to offer guidance on the norms governing receiving Holy Communion. This most typically occurs weddings, funerals or whenever a person initially worships at a Catholic church. I hope this helps you in answering questions, too.

For Catholics

As Catholics, we fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when we receive Holy Communion. We are encouraged to receive Communion devoutly and frequently. Regular participation in the Sacrament of Reconciliation (penance/confession) is encouraged for all.

For our fellow Christians as well as non-Christians

We welcome all to worship with us. For our Christian brothers and sisters, we pray that our common baptism and the movement of the Holy Spirit will draw us closer to one another and diminish any divisions which separate us.

Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are not to receive Holy Communion.

Consistent with the spirit of welcoming, we ask that all of our fellow Christians as well as non-Christians to receive a blessing from the presiding priest or lay people distributing Communion (referred to as Extraordinary Ministers of Communion). Simply cross your arms over your chest to let the minister know of your interest in a blessing. The blessing will be short (as in “know of God’s love for you” is a common one) and is not considered an expression, on your part, of any intent or interest in joining the Catholic Church.

Thank you for worshipping with us!

Peace,

-Fr. Steven

New Mass Times Begin Next Week!

Beginning February 1st and 2nd the new Mass times will be:

- *Saturday at 4:30pm*
- *Sunday at 8:30am*
- *Sunday at 10:30am*



Please help spread the word to your fellow parishioners, and don't be late!

For Catholic Schools Week



EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION

in the Clifton
Neighborhood

FRIDAY
JANUARY 31
STARTING
AT 12:30PM

The procession will begin at Holy Trinity Clifton Campus and process through the neighborhood. As you see it pass, please come and join us in the procession or pray with us from your home!

Readings for the week of January 26, 2025

Sunday:

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15
(see Jn 6:63c)/1 Cor 12:12-30
or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Monday:

Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4,
5-6/Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday:

Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11/
Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday:

Heb 10:11-18/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 4:1-20

Thursday:

Heb 10:19-25/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/
Mk 4:21-25

Friday:

Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-
40/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday:

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/
Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday:

Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/
Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32



Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.
The English translation of Psalm Responses from Lectionary for
Mass © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in
the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.



Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

A young couple in my parish told me they were expecting their second child, a baby boy. I knew that their five-year old only child Emma had been desperately wanting to be a big sister for years, so I said, “Emma must have been so happy when you told her the news.” “Actually,” they said, “she burst into tears. She wanted a baby *sister!*” How often in life God wonderfully fulfills our desires and we are sad because we don’t approve of the way he does it. We want to control the gift and the delivery method.

The same thing occurs in the Gospel this week when Jesus announces in his hometown that the promise of an Anointed One bringing glad tidings to the poor is **“fulfilled in your hearing” (Luke 4:21)**. After a moment of elation, his fellow townsfolk realize *this man* is the way God is fulfilling his promises, and they erupt into a violent outburst. So Jesus departs. How sad for them.

Every single Sunday at Mass, including this one, some version of this happens to many of us. God’s word announces the fulfillment of God’s promises in Christ, and we easily overlook or disdain it. His way is almost never according to our narrow expectations. What’s required of us is to set these aside, and to embrace a new openness to God’s gifts, no matter how he wishes to give them. God is fulfilling his promises the way He likes — why be sad?

— *Father John Muir*

Assisted Listening Devices Available



Please try one of these assisted listening devices. Simply place the earpiece over/in your ear, turn on the receiver, adjust the volume once someone has spoken in the microphone, and you are ready to go!

Please clean the earpiece with an alcohol wipe when you return it to the basket.

Assisted Listening Devices Available



If you would like to try one of our assisted listening devices during Mass this weekend, pick up one on the table to the right of the main entrance. They are easy to use, and all are in good working order.

At the end of Mass, just return it to basket and wipe off the earpiece with the alcohol wipes provided. Let us know what you think.

Lenten Opportunities for Our Community



Mark your calendars now and plan to join us after the Ash Wednesday evening Mass for a simple soup supper in the Holy Trinity Clifton Campus Reception Hall. Watch this space for more details in the coming weeks.

And if you are a soup maker, contact Sharon Bidwell at the parish house. We can use your culinary talents!



Paint and Pray


The Women's Ministry at Holy Trinity is sponsoring a Paint and Pray night for fellowship and faith, on Tuesday, March 4 at 6:30 pm in the Multipurpose Building. We would love for all women to join us. The painting will be taught by Pinot's Palette, and we will be reflecting on Hope in this Jubilee Year.

Please see the sample painting to give you an idea of the finished product. There will be food and drinks provided. The cost is \$40.


Please register through this link:
<https://www.wesharegiving.org/App/Form/76bd0676-5349-4324-b892-7fd4f84ae88>

Back by popular demand....


STEVE WISER
 Louisville architect and noted historian




**LOUISVILLE'S
 OUTDOOR
 ART**

Monday, February 10, 2025
 Noon
 Holy Trinity's MultiPurpose Bldg.
 501 CHERRYWOOD ROAD



11:30 Lunch
 Donations accepted



**RSVP to Mary Scott at 897 5207 x 1110
 OR mherrington@htparish.org**

Pick Up a Funeral Planning Packet



Thank you to everyone who joined us for the funeral planning party on Wednesday night. If you were not able to attend, but still want to know more about how to plan a funeral Mass

for yourself or a family member, call or stop by the parish office. Elizabeth Jackson, our music and worship director, has prepared a comprehensive and easy-to-follow guide that you can pick up.

Once you have filled out the funeral plan, give a copy of it to Sharon Bidwell, who will make sure it is on file at the parish. If you have any questions, call the parish office at 502-896-8401.

Join Seniors on Monday, February 10 at Holy Trinity to gain insight into Louisville's public art with SFR parishioner Steve Wiser.

Program starts with lunch at 11:30am (donations accepted). The event will be held in the Multi-Purpose Building at Holy Trinity Parish.

RSVPs are necessary. Please call Mary Scott Herrington at 502-897-5207, ext. 1110 or send an email to mherrington@htparish.org a week before the program.

St. Frances of Rome Catholic Church

<https://saintfrancesofrome.org/>

To reach a staff member at St. Frances of Rome, you may call the parish office directly at (502) 896-8401 and leave a voicemail. For a sacramental emergency, please call our hotline at (502) 899-9687. You may also reach us via email by using our first initial and last name:
 Rev. Fr. Shayne Duvall = sduvall@htparish.org.



Phone List

- Parish Office 502-896-8401
- Our Emergency Line 502-899-9687 (For those in need of Anointing of the Sick, or Last Rites)
- Rev. Fr. Shayne Duvall, Pastor 502-897-5207 X1100
- Rev. Fr. Steven Henriksen, Assoc. Pastor 502-896-8401
- Bruce Hines, Business Manager 502-897-5207 X1103
- Steve King, Director of Facilities and Operations 502-896-8401 SFR/ or 502-897-5207 X1120 HT
- Sharon Bidwell, Director of Faith Formation & Pastoral Outreach 502-896-8401
- Elizabeth Jackson, Director of Sacred Music & Liturgy 502-897-5207 X1107
- Allison Deaton, Director of Finance and Human Resources 502-897-5207 X1116
- Jill Greer, Finance Admin. Assistant 502-897-5207 X1109
- Betty-Jean Cobb, Dir. Stewardship & Engagement 502-897-5207 X1100

St. Frances of Rome Parish Council

Rev. Fr. Shayne Duvall, Pastor

Mary Masick –Chair

Dutch Boehnlein –Finance Chair

- Jane Wehner
- Laura Harpring
- Therese Bawa
- Greg Brotzge
- Mary Keyer
- Sr. Agnes Coveney
- Anne Hogan

The St. Frances Parish Council meets on a monthly basis. The Council has discussed ways to improve communication with parishioners and others interested in joining our community.

If you have thoughts or comments to share, please email them to either Mary Masick, Council Chair, Maryschneider@bellsouth.net, Father Shayne sduvall@htparish.org, or Fr. Steven Henriksen shenriksen@sfrlou.org.

Collection 1/19/2025 \$6,472

Loose Collections \$239

Online giving \$815

Amount Needed Weekly: \$7,481

YTD vs Budget: \$15,094 AHEAD

Text Donations

You can now donate to our parish using text messaging! You can use the following phone number to make a donation. Just text **"Give"** to 502-743-4434. It's super easy, and much appreciated.

Mass Intentions for the Week and 2025 Prayer List

Saturday, January 25

5:30PM People of the Parish

Sunday, January 26

8:30AM Marcella Clay †

11:30AM Tristan Brians †

Monday, January 27

8:30AM People of the Parish

Wednesday, January 29

8:30AM People of the Parish

Friday, January 31

8:30AM People of the Parish

Saturday, February 1

5:30PM Arnold Brown †

Sunday, February 2

8:30AM People of the Parish

11:30AM Honaker Family

The Family of Kirk Bergman

The Family of Marlyn Brian

Ann Burton

Jerry Clayton

Patricia Elliott

Mary Elmore

Katie Evers

Alberta Fenimore

Judy Theobald Fitzhugh

Allie & Masey Goatley

Michelle Hagan

Betsy Hilinski

Joseph Hohmann

Rita Hohmann

Carolyn Holman

Ann Browning Mayer

Joyce McKiernan

Anne McMahon

Ann Mary Mehling

Joyce Mitchell

Don Mirka

Toni Mullins

Nancy Ostertag

Susan Rappa

Raleigh Ridge

Ed Schoenbaechler

Garland Sharpe

Linda Waddell

Jean Watson

Leora Williams

Arthur Woolery

Mary Wright

Our Celebrants for the Week

- 5:30a Saturday, Jan 25 –Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Sunday, Jan 26 –Fr. Jerry Eifler
- 11:30a Sunday, Jan 26 –Fr. Chuck Walker
- 8:30a Monday, Jan 27–Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Wednesday, Jan 29 –Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Friday, Jan 31 –Fr. Shayne
- 5:30a Saturday, Feb 1 –Fr. Shayne
- 8:30a Sunday, Feb 2 –Fr. Shayne
- 11:30a Sunday, Feb 2 –Fr. Shayne