

# I KNOW MY SHEEP.

— JOHN 10:27 —

Bulletin for May 11, 2025

**Celebrants:** Saturday 4:30pm: Fr. Jerry Eifler

Sunday 8:30am: Fr. Jerry Eifler & 10:30am: Fr. Chuck Walker

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

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**St. Frances of Rome Catholic Parish**

## ***Mass Schedule***

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

Saturday-4:30 p.m.

Sunday-8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Rosary after each weekday Mass

**Fr. Shayne Duvall: Pastor**

**Fr. Steven Henriksen: Associate Pastor,  
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## UCHM Pantry Needs for May

Let's restock the shelves at the United Crescent Hill Ministries food pantry with high protein food items this month. Please pick up a can or two of the following when you go to the store and drop them off in the UCHM basket in the back of church this month:

- Canned chicken (or foil packets of chicken)
- Canned tuna (or foil packets of tuna)
- Canned meals of ravioli or lasagna
- Canned Chili and beans
- Canned soups and stews that are high in protein

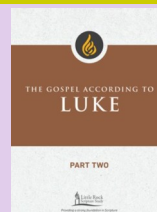
Thank you for being so generous to our neighbors!

## Let's Journey with Luke to the End

Join fellow travelers on a journey through *The Gospel According to Luke, Part Two* when we begin our final Bible study before the summer break on May 27/28. For five weeks, we will read, pray, and discuss the meaning of the text that forms the heart of the Gospel readings for this year's liturgical cycle.

Much of this text will feel familiar, but we hope to read it with fresh eyes and gain new insights into Jesus' teachings and the meaning of his passion, death, and resurrection.

Look for the books and sign-up sheets in the back of Church starting this weekend. Details of meeting dates/times/locations are on the bookmarks provided.



## Thank You from CRS!

Thank you to everyone who contributed to this year's CRS Rice Bowl. Your generous gifts totaled \$895.46. You made sure that people around the world and here at home have resources for developing sustainable agricultural practices, job development, and meeting the immediate needs of impoverished communities.

## It's Baby Bottle Boomerang time again!

Pick up your bottle in the back of the church this weekend and bring it back filled with your donation on Father's Day weekend. Thank you so much for your support of this ministry!



Support the Life-Saving Work of Little Way

### Baby Bottle Boomerang



Please pick up a baby bottle in the back of church on **Mother's Day** weekend, fill with your donation, and return on **Father's Day** weekend or visit [littleway.org/support-us](http://littleway.org/support-us)



*Your support makes these ministries possible. Thank You!*

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**Abortion Pill Rescue**  
Hope for those with a change of heart

HOLY MASS CELEBRATING THE  
TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION  
TO THE PRIESTHOOD FOR

**REV. SHAYNE R. DUVALL**



WEDNESDAY, 6 PM  
28 MAY 2025

**Fr. Shayne and the communities of Holy Trinity and St. Frances of Rome Catholic Churches request your presence in celebration of ten years of ordination to the priesthood of Jesus Christ.**

Dinner to follow Mass in the Holy Trinity Multipurpose Building.

**RSVP to Elizabeth Jackson at [ejackson@htparish.org](mailto:ejackson@htparish.org) or call 502-897-5207, x1107**

Holy Trinity Catholic Church -501 Cherrywood Rd, Louisville



## Readings for the week of May 11, 2025

### Sunday:

Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c)/  
Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

### Monday:

Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

### Tuesday:

Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn  
10:22-30

### Wednesday:

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6,  
7-8/ Jn 15:9-17

### Thursday:

Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27/  
Jn 13:16-20

### Friday:

Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn  
14:1-6

### Saturday:

Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/  
Jn 14:7-14

### Next Sunday:

Acts 14:21-27/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 (see  
1)/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35



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## Gospel Meditation

### Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

A few years back, I felt as if I couldn't hear God's voice the way I used to. The words in the Bible seemed like cold ink on a page. Prayer felt like sitting anxiously in a lonely room. I was worried — how could I, a priest, preach or help others if I couldn't hear God's voice? It went on for months.

Then a friend encouraged me to go on a retreat and spend as much time as possible in silence. After a day or two of quiet prayer, I noticed gentle but clear thoughts of repentance in two specific areas of my life. I asked God for the grace to change, and I went to confession. Suddenly, the divine silence that haunted me was filled with a sense of God's closeness and goodness. I realized, gratefully, that God had been speaking to me in the quiet voice of my conscience.

This week we hear Jesus say, **“My sheep hear my voice. I know them and they follow me” (John 10:27).** Jesus links the hearing of his voice to following him. He speaks to us in our conscience in an intimate, personal way, when we most need to hear him. When you feel deaf to God's voice, perhaps it is time to listen in silence for His voice in your conscience calling you to hear and follow the Good Shepherd of your soul.

— *Father John Muir*

## Sunday's Readings

### First Reading:

The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this and glorified the word of the Lord.  
All who were destined for eternal life came to believe, and the word of the Lord continued to spread through the whole region. (Acts 13:48-49)

### Psalm:

We are his people, the sheep of his flock. (Ps 100)  
Or: Alleluia.

### Second Reading:

"For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to springs of life-giving water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes." (Rv 7:17)

### Gospel:

Jesus said:  
"My sheep hear my voice;  
I know them, and they follow me." (Jn 10:27)

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## Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Jesus said, "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me." To follow him, we must know him. This week, how can we know Jesus better?

## Observances for the week of May 11, 2025

- Sunday:** 4th Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations; Mother's Day
- Monday:** Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs;  
St. Pancras, Martyr
- Tuesday:** Our Lady of Fatima
- Wednesday:** St. Matthias, Apostle
- Thursday:** St. Isidore
- Saturday:** Armed Forces Day
- Next Sunday:** 5th Sunday of Easter



## Devotions, *Explained!*

Spiritual retreats are an act of removing oneself from daily life for a period of prayer and reflection, with the intent of returning transformed. There are many kinds of retreats, but all share a common purpose: communion with God.

## Prayer to the Good Shepherd

Beloved Shepherd,  
You guide in a way often  
beyond my understanding.  
You lead to paths yet  
undiscovered.  
Keep me in Your care, as  
together we seek green  
pastures and still waters.  
Amen.

## Prayer

I want to recognize and hear your voice, O God.

## Mission for the Week

I will pray for the children who cannot hear anyone's voice at all.

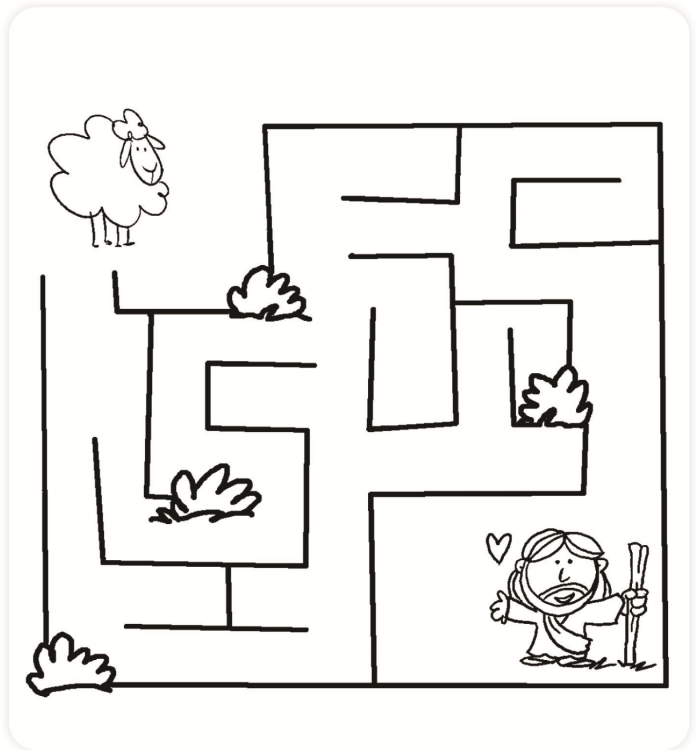
## Sharing the Gospel

Your daddy knows when you are talking to him. You know when your daddy is talking to you. Your eternal Father wants you to recognize his voice, too. God's voice always says good things to you. His voice warns when you are in danger. He tells you the right thing to do. He tells you how to stay away from bad things. His voice keeps you on the road to heaven. Listen to him.

**Now color the picture!**



Help the sheep find Jesus.



## 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](mailto: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](mailto:Maryschneider@bellsouth.net), Father Shayne [sduvall@htparish.org](mailto:sduvall@htparish.org), or Fr. Steven Henriksen [shenriksen@sfrlou.org](mailto:shenriksen@sfrlou.org).

Collection 4/04/2025 \$4,720

Loose Collections \$ 494

Online giving \$780

Amount Needed Weekly: \$7,481

**YTD vs Budget: \$27,232 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, May 10

4:30PM Arnold Brown ✝

Sunday, May 11

8:30AM Martha Jean Steiden ✝

10:30AM The S. Hayden Family

Monday, May 12

8:30AM People of the Parish

Wednesday, May 14

8:30AM People of the Parish

Friday, May 16

8:30AM People of the Parish

Saturday, May 17

4:30PM People of the Parish

Sunday, May 18

8:30AM People of the Parish

10:30AM John Masick ✝

Diane Boehnlein	Ann Mary Mehling
Ann Burton	Barbara “Bobbi” Merket
Jerry Clayton	Joyce Mitchell
Scott Dinsmore	Toni Mullins
Patricia Elliott	Barbara Ogden
Mary Elmore	Nancy Ostertag
Katie Evers	Susan Rappa
Alberta Fenimore	Judy Rawlings
Judy Theobald Fitzhugh	William Rawlings
Allie & Masey Goatley	Raleigh Ridge
Michelle Hagan	Ed Schoenbaechler
Betsy Hilinski	Garland Sharpe
Joseph Hohmann	Carole Sheehan
Rita Hohmann	Barbara Sutton
The Family of Douglas	Linda Waddell
Holmberg	Jean Watson
Carolyn Holman	Gerard White
Ceil Lanham	Leora Williams
Michael McGuire	Patty Williamson
Ann Browning Mayer	Arthur Woolery
Lynne McKnight	The Family of Mary Wright
Anne McMahon	

Our Celebrants for the Week

- 4:30p Saturday, May 10 –Fr. Jerry Eifler
- 8:30a Sunday, May 11 –Fr. Jerry Eifler
- 10:30a Sunday, May 11 –Fr. Chuck Walker
- 8:30a Monday, May 12–Fr. Shayne
- 8:30a Wednesday, May 14 –Fr. Jerry Eifler
- 8:30a Friday, May 16 –Fr. Shayne
- 4:30p Saturday, May 17 –TBD
- 8:30a Sunday, May 18 –Fr. Jerry Eifler
- 10:30a Sunday, May 18 –Fr. Ron Knott