

Bulletin for May 25, 2025

Celebrants: Saturday 4:30pm: Fr. Shayne Duvall

Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am: Fr. Shayne Duvall

I WILL
COME BACK
TO YOU.

— JOHN 14:28 —

SIXTH 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,
St. Frances of Rome & Administrator,
St. Boniface**

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In March, our community hosted two very large events: the Ash Wednesday Soup Supper and the Lenten Community Meal on March 21. So this "Thank You" note is overdue!

It took dozens of volunteers to make these events possible, and we hope that you will thank them when you see them. If we have forgotten to include your

name below, please call the parish office at 502-896-8401 and let us know. We want to make sure our "thank you" list is up to date!

Here's our list of volunteers for both events in March. Let us know if we have missed anyone!

Our Planning Team:

Deanna Hipwell, Diane Boehnlein, Linda Steder, Robbie Steder, Rose Coomes, and Shelley Wohlleb

Everyone who contributed time and energy to make these events a success:

Anne Hogan & John Clements, Beth & Ron Wiseman, Bob Fritz, Bob Kern, Chris Haragan, Dan & Betsy Glaser, Dutch Boehnlein, Fran Wirth, Fred & Helen Fields, Greg & Marcy Brotzge, Jane Wehner, John & Mary Keyer, Judy Marcus, Kathy Huck, Kathy Leonard, Laura Harpring, Maria Hampton, Marnie McAllister, Marti & Charlie Zimmerman, Mary Ann Carter, Mary Masick, Nelda Miles, Pat & Judy Carrico, Phyllis Clay, Rose Coomes, Sr. Agnes Coveney, Sr. Mary Jo Gramig, Stephanie Massler, Steve & Melanie Ahr, Sue Peege, Susan Martin, Therese & Dilpreet Bawa with Isaac, David, and John Bawa, Voss McAllister, and Walt & Judy Olson

We also want to thank Paula Watkins, principal of Holy Trinity Clifton Campus, and all of the families and students who brought sweet treats and sold them at the bake sale during the Lenten Community Meal. It was wonderful to have them be a part of the event!

Crusade for Children Collection Next Weekend

Since 1955, the Archdiocese of Louisville has contributed millions of dollars to the Crusade for Children. This community-wide effort changes the lives of children with special needs, and families and Catholic schools in the archdiocese have benefited directly from the Crusade. Next weekend, May 31 – June 1, our parish will collect donations for this year's Crusade. Those who wish to donate may bring contributions to Mass or to the parish office.

When giving by check, please make the check payable to the parish and put the word "Crusade" in the memo line. If giving online, you can credit our parish in the "Additional Details" portion of the giving platform. The online form will ask a question about crediting a fire department. Answer no and then the form will populate a question about crediting a Catholic parish. With a yes answer to that question, the online form provides a drop-down menu of parishes.

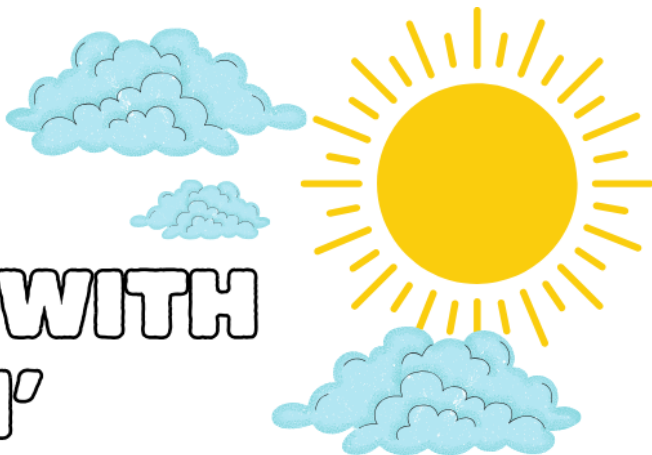


In honor of the Memorial Day holiday, the Parish Offices will be closed Monday. We will reopen Tuesday morning.

Monday morning Mass will still follow it's regular 8:30am schedule.



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CREATION CARE TEAM



CELEBRATE TEN YEARS WITH LAUDATO SI'

June 17-18 2025

With featured guest

Dan Misleh

Founder and Executive Director

Catholic Climate Covenant



JUNE 2025

■ **17 THE OLMSTED,
LOUISVILLE | 7PM**

3701 Frankfort Ave,
Louisville, KY 40207

■ **18 SISTERS OF CHARITY
NAZARETH
MOTHERHOUSE,
NAZARETH, KY | 7PM**

O'Connell Hall, 40 West
Drive, Nazareth, KY



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Readings for the week of May 25, 2025

Sunday:

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4)/
Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29

Monday:

Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and
9b/Jn 15:26-16:4a

Tuesday:

Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/
Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday:

Acts 17:15, 22-18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/
Jn 16:12-15

Thursday:

Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/
Jn 16:16-20

Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/ Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9
(6)/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/
Lk 24:46-53

Friday:

Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/
Jn 16:20-23

Saturday:

Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3,
4bcd, 5-6/Lk 1:39-56

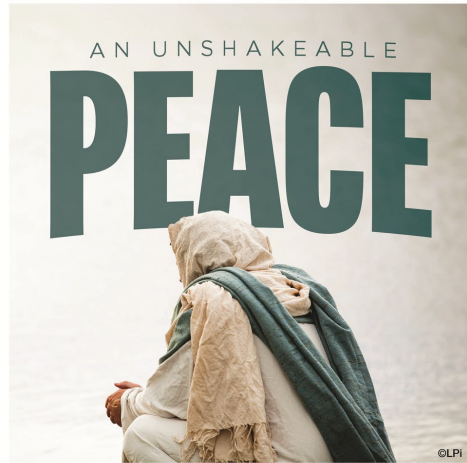
Next Sunday:

Acts 7:55-60/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/
Jn 17:20-26

Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9
(6)/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/
Lk 24:46-53



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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

Jonathan Haidt's 2024 book entitled "The Anxious Generation" argues that today's kids are marked by significant increases in anxiety, as the title suggests. Smartphones, social media, economic uncertainty, the chaos of a global pandemic, fear regarding climate change, and the so-called "meaning crisis" all contribute to strikingly high levels of anxiety in young people today. I'm a bit older than this generation, but I feel it, too. The world can be too much to handle.

The Gospel this week offers a stunning solution for troubled souls. To his overwhelmed and anxious disciples, the risen Jesus says, **"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you" (John 14:27)**. His peace is that of the one who was overwhelmed on the cross and then conquered death by the power of his divinity, his bond of love with the Father. He offers us this unshakeable peace.

Of course, mental illness does not magically disappear because of the risen Jesus. But he does walk with us and offer us his peace in the midst of our suffering. The peace the world gives is not like his because it is weak, uncertain, and self-generated. Jesus' peace is strong, sure, and given as a gift from God. He gives it to us amid our anxiety. Will you receive it as a gift? I hope so. He wants to fill the hearts of this generation with his peace.

— *Father John Muir*

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

If you keep free of these,
you will be doing what is right. (Acts 15:29)

Psalm:

O God, let all the nations praise you! (Ps 67)
Or: Alleluia.

Second Reading:

The city had no need of sun or moon to shine on it,
for the glory of God gave it light,
and its lamp was the Lamb. (Rv 12:23)

Gospel:

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you.
Not as the world gives do I give it to you." (Jn 14:27)

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Thomas needed proof to believe the amazing things that had happened. God, in His mercy, gave him that proof — but it was up to Thomas to accept it. Do we accept the proof we see of God's love every day?

Observances for the week of May 25, 2025

- Sunday:** 6th Sunday of Easter
Monday: St. Philip Neri, Priest; Memorial Day
Tuesday: St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop
Thursday: The Ascension of the Lord (holy day of obligation in some U.S. dioceses); St. Paul VI, Pope
Saturday: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Next Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord; 7th Sunday of Easter; World Communications Day



Devotions, *Explained!*

Our Lady of Perpetual Help is both a title of the Blessed Mother as well as a corresponding icon that dates to the late Middle Ages, both of which present Mary as a source of strength and comfort for Christ and his followers.

Prayer for Peace

Fill us with Your peace, Lord, as you promised in Your word.
Peace in our comings and goings,
Peace that You are working and moving,
Peace for what has happened, the places we find ourselves today, and in the future to come.
Amen.

Prayer

Dear God, change my heart so that I want to put you and other people first.

Mission for the Week

I will invite a friend over to play. I will share and take turns.

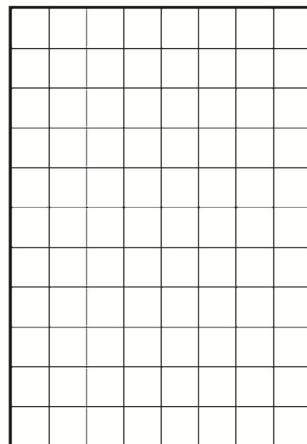
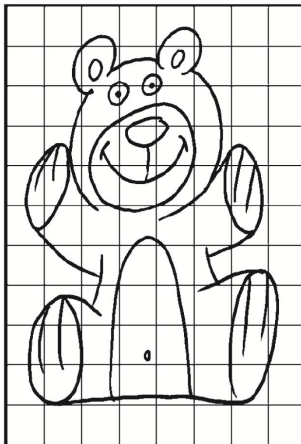
Sharing the Gospel

Jesus wants you to love him so much that you will always do what he asks. Jesus knows that if you put God first, you will have peace. Instead of wanting more toys, you will be happy to share them. Instead of wanting to get your own way, you will enjoy taking turns. You will feel good helping other people.

Now color
the picture!



Copy the picture square by square.



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 5/18/2025 \$2,300

Loose Collections \$ 434

Online giving \$1,295

Amount Needed Weekly: \$7,481

YTD vs Budget: \$25,274 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 24

4:30PM People of the Parish

Sunday, May 25

8:30AM People of the Parish

10:30AM Dr. Kenneth Henderson ✝

Monday, May 26

8:30AM People of the Parish

Wednesday, May 28

8:30AM People of the Parish

Friday, May 30

8:30AM People of the Parish

Saturday, May 31

4:30PM People of the Parish

Sunday, June 1

8:30AM Martha Jean Steiden ✝

10:30AM Honaker Family

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

Our Celebrants for the Week

- 4:30p Saturday, May 24 –Fr. Shayne
- 8:30a Sunday, May 25 –Fr. Shayne
- 10:30a Sunday, May 25 –Fr. Shayne
- 8:30a Monday, May 26–Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Wednesday, May 28 –Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Friday, May 30 –Fr. Shayne
- 4:30p Saturday, May 31 –Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Sunday, June 1 –Fr. Jerry Eifler
- 10:30a Sunday, June 1 –Fr. Ron Knott