AND UPON THIS ROCK I WILL BUILD MATTHEW 16:18

Bulletin for June 29, 2025

Celebrants: Saturday 4:30pm: Fr. Shayne Duvall Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am: Fr. Shayne Duvall

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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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Readings for the week of June 29, 2025

Sunday:

Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 *Day*: Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

Monday:

Gn 18:16-33/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11/ Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday:

Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12/ Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday:

Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13/ Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29

Friday:

Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday:

Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/ Mt 9:14-17

Next Sunday:

Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1)/ Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9



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Gospel Meditation Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

What do you call brothers who are born on the same day? Twins, of course. That is what we celebrate today in the inestimable saints, Peter and Paul. Wait: twins? Yes. The early Church believed that Peter and Paul were martyred in Rome on the same day. Since the day of martyrdom is celebrated as a saints' birth into eternal life, the result is striking: Peter and Paul are twins in God's family, the Church.

Who should care about this? Well, anyone who longs to live in a world marked by love and peace. Remember, the Romans believed that twins, Romulus and Remus, founded their city through an act of fratricide, the former murdering the latter. Sadly, the structures of this fallen world emerge through violence between those who should love each other. But in the Church, a new city has been founded upon this new set of twins, embodying the non-violent power of Jesus' cross and resurrection.

That's why traditional icons represent Peter and Paul in a fraternal and warm embrace. Contrasted with the violence of Rome's founders, it challenges us with a bold claim: do we believe that structures of merciful love are more powerful and lasting than those based on power, violence, and domination? Am I willing to see others in my life as my "twin," with whom I am called to give my life for Christ, or as my rival? Am I committed to living what is embodied in Romulus and Remus, or in Peter and Paul?

- Father John Muir

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

"Now I know for certain that the Lord sent his angel and rescued me from the hand of Herod and from all that the Jewish people had been expecting." (Acts 12:11)

Psalm:

The angel of the Lord will rescue those who fear him. (Ps 34)

Second Reading:

The Lord will rescue me from every evil threat and will bring me safe to his heavenly Kingdom. (2 Tm 4:18)

Gospel:

I will give you the keys to the Kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." (Mt 16:19)

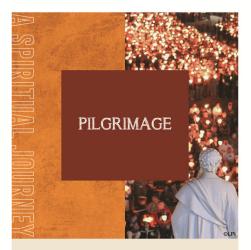
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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Peter testified to a dangerous and unpopular truth — that Christ was the Messiah. That courage, that trust in God, is the cornerstone of all we believe. Like Peter, we must always bear witness to the truth.

Observances for the week of June 29, 2025

Sunday:	Sts Peter and Paul, Apostles
Monday:	The First Martyrs of the
	Holy Roman Church
Tuesday:	St. Junípero Serra, Priest
Thursday:	St. Thomas, Apostle
Friday:	Independence Day (USA)
Saturday:	St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest;
	St. Elizabeth of Portugal
Next Sunday	14th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Devotions, Explained!

A pilgrimage is a journey to a place of spiritual significance undertaken by one who is seeking closeness to Heaven while still on Earth.

Prayer of Pastoral Care

O God,

Bless the souls You have entrusted to our care. As You hear every one of their prayers, help us to hear them, too. Answer their prayer intentions and personal needs through us and our ministry, as we all seek to do Your will.

Amen.

"You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the Kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." - Mt 16:18-19

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Questions of the Week

Invite Parishioners to Reflect and Respond to Scripture

First Reading:

In his miraculous escape from prison, Peter was convinced of God's saving work in his life. Where do you see God at work in your life?

Second Reading:

As Paul was nearing the end of his life, he realized that God had rescued him from many dangers and threats. As you reflect on your life, can you see times when God's saving hand was present for you?

Gospel:

Jesus commissioned Peter to be the foundation ("rock") of his Church. Are there any roles or responsibilities you feel called to do in your parish?

The Parish Office will be closed for the 4th of July Holiday. Have a safe and fun holiday weekend.

The office will reopen on Monday, July 7th





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Help Your Neighbors



On two consecutive days in late May, the pantry saw more than 50 visitors come in for groceries. To the best of anyone's recollection, it was a record.

At the same time, our delivery of USDA meat was the smallest many of us have seen. The meat came in as always on the third Friday of the month – when the pantry is closed – and two weeks later, we had only a few servings of USDA meat remaining, even as we scaled back how much we gave to each family.

On the bright side, our supplies of canned goods, especially vegetables, including green beans, corn and tomatoes, remains high.

The generous gift of toilet paper from St. Frances of Rome Church is finally near its end. That donation was a huge help.

This month, our needs are as follows:

- Frozen meat, especially chicken and ground beef.
- Canned soup
- Rice 📷

- Canned beans, such as kidney, pinto, black, great northern, cannellini, garbanzo
- meat in a can such as Spam, tuna, chicken
- meals in a can like lasagna, ravioli, spaghetti and meatballs
- coffee, tea, soda
- milk, powdered milk and shelf-stable milk
- spices, cooking oil, butter
- baking supplies, including sugar, flour, baking soda, baking powder
- Sanitary napkins, tampons, pads
- deodorant
- shaving cream
- shampoo, conditioner
- soap, body wash
- diapers of all sizes except newborn and size 1.
- · baby wipes
- adult diapers, all sizes
- cat food
- dog food
- · folding grocery carts for those who
- walk or take the bus to the pantry.

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Prayer

Thanks for helping me learn about the way to heaven.

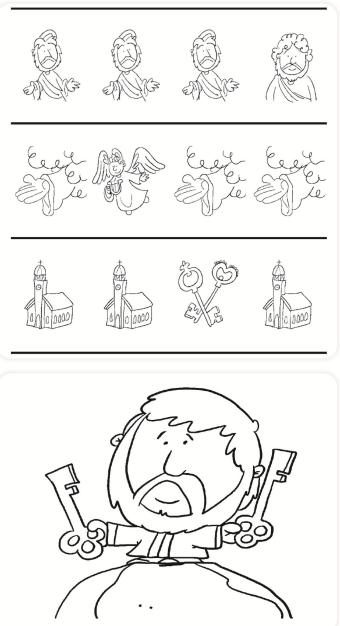
Mission for the Week

I will stand watch to keep evil out of my soul.

Sharing the Gospel

Peter told Jesus. "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Jesus gave the keys to heaven to Simon Peter. Many stories show St. Peter standing watch at heaven's gate. Jesus died on the cross so that your sins could be forgiven. He called Peter "the rock" because Peter believed stronaly in Jesus and his teachings. He made Peter the head of his church. Peter was the first pope

Now color the picture! Circle the picture that is **different**. Then color in all the pictures



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St. Frances of Rome Parish Council

Rev. Fr. Shayne Duvall, Pastor Open Position –Chair Bill Benoit –Finance Chair

- Anne Hogan
- Paul OstertagPhyllis Clay
- Kathy Leonard
- Marnie McCallister
- Matt Brotzge
- John O'Brien

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 Father Shayne <u>sduvall@htparish.org</u>, or Fr. Steven Henriksen <u>shenriksen@sfrlou.org</u>.

Stewardship of Treasure -from the June 22nd Weekend

Collection 6/22/2025 \$6,414 Loose Collections \$ 421 Online giving \$1,470 Amount Needed Weekly: \$7,481 YTD vs Budget: \$28,653 AHEAD

Text Donations

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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, June 28 4:30PM Donnie Crisp

Sunday, June 29

8:30AM People of the Parish 10:30AM Dr. Kenneth Henderson

Monday, June 30 8:30AM People of the Parish

Wednesday, July 2 8:30AM Donnie Crisp⁺

Friday, July 4 8:30AM The Williams Family

Saturday, July 5 4:30PM Arnold Brown

Sunday, July 6 8:30AM Donnie Crisp⁺ 10:30AM People of the Parish

Ann Burton **Judy Carrico Scott Dinsmore** Fr. Jerry Eifler Patricia Elliott **Mary Elmore** Katie Evers Alberta Fenimore Judy Theobald Fitzhugh Allie & Masey Goatley Michelle Hagan Betsy Hilinksi Joseph Hohmann Rita Hohmann Carolyn Holman Ceil Lanham Marilvn McGuire Michael McGuire **Ann Browning Mayer** Lynne McKnight Anne McMahon

Ann Mary Mehling Barbara "Bobbi" Merket Nelda Miles **Joyce Mitchell Toni Mullins Barbara** Ogden Nancy Ostertag Susan Rappa William Rawlings **Raleigh Ridge** Ed Schoenbaechler **Garland Sharpe Carole Sheehan Barbara Sutton** Linda Waddell Jean Watson **Gerard White** Leora Williams Patty Williamson **Arthur Woolery**

Please Pray for the Repose of Their Souls...

- Sarah O'Bannon
- Mary DeVilbiss Barton
- Ann Joyce Zimmerman Hines Mary "Kathy" Kathleen Henchey

Our Celebrants for the Week

- 8:30a Monday, June 30–Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Wednesday, July 2 –Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Friday, July 4 Fr. Shayne
- 4:30p Saturday, July 5 –Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Sunday, July 6 Fr. Jerry Eifler
- 10:30a Sunday, July 6 –Fr. Ron Knott