# THE HARVEST IS ABUNDANT.

-LUKE 10:2



Bulletin for July 6, 2025

Celebrants: Saturday 4:30pm: Fr. Steven Henriksen

Sunday 8:30am: Fr. Joe Graffis & 10:30am: Fr. Ron Knott

### FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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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. Shavne Duvall: Pastor

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# Readings for the week of July 6, 2025

### 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

### Monday:

Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab/ Mt 9:18-26

### Tuesday:

Gn 32:23-33/Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15/Mt 9:32-38

### Wednesday:

Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/ Ps 33:2-3. 10-11. 18-19/Mt 10:1-7

### Thursday:

Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/ Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 10:7-15

#### Friday:

Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Mt 10:16-23

### Saturday:

Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/ Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7/Mt 10:24-33

### **Next Sunday:**

Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 (see 33)/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37



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## Gospel Meditation Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

In the days after the awful 2020 killing of George Floyd, a Catholic friend remarked, "Racism is today's great evil. We should put all our energy into fighting it." I admired her intuition that the church must stand firmly against evil. Amen, I thought. At the same time, something felt wrong. As months went by, I saw her steadily slide into bitterness and anger. Soon, despondency. She spoke of giving up the fight. Don't we too wonder how to fight evil without losing our joy or energy?

Jesus' words this week help. He says, "Rejoice not that you have power over demons, but that your names are written in heaven" (Luke 10:20). Notice the asymmetry in where he wants our focus: on the latter, not the former. Should we confidently embrace our God-given power to overcome evil? Absolutely. But even more so, we should emphasize the positive element of our relationship to God. It is tempting but dangerous to define ourselves by what we oppose. It is better to define ourselves by—to rejoice in—what we celebrate: in Jesus, God has written our names in heaven. This sustains our battles.

This week, our marching orders are: fight evil. But more deeply, rejoice that God knows and loves us personally, individually. We allow this joyful knowledge to undergird our fight against the darkness of our day. Then we enjoy long-term stability to be cheerful warriors, who never forget the reason for the contests we are called to fight and win: love.

- Father John Muir

Weekly Prayer

### **Sunday's Readings**

### First Reading:

Lo, I will spread prosperity over Jerusalem like a river, and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing torrent. (Is 66:12)

#### Psalm:

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy. (Ps 66)

### Second Reading:

From now on, let no one make troubles for me; for I bear the marks of Jesus on my body. (Gal 6:17)

### Gospel:

Nevertheless, do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you,

but rejoice because your names are written in heaven." (Lk 10:20)

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## Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

As he sends his disciples into the world to proclaim his name, Jesus tells them to be bold. He tells them to be flexible. To be forgiving. To be faithful. As we enter this week, let's remember these instructions. It's good advice, in any century.

# Observances for the week of July 6, 2025

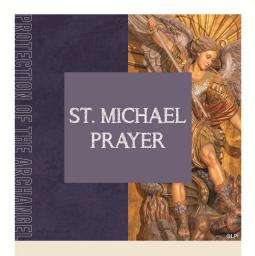
**Sunday:** 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest,

and Companions, Martyrs

Friday: St. Benedict, Abbot

**Next Sunday:** 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Devotions, Explained!

The prayer to St. Michael, composed by Pope Leo XIII, invokes the protection of the archangel Michael in the ongoing spiritual battle for the souls of all mankind. It is commonly said at the end of the rosary and by some parishes after the conclusion of Mass.

### Prayer for Evangelization

As You reach out to the world, Lord, let us be Your hands! As You answer those crying, send

Let us be Your people, answer to prayers prayed, comfort to the afflicted.

May we be laborers in Your

harvest. Amen.

Wednesday:



# Join us for a Town Hall Discussion around our Parish Planning Process



Join us for either of these two Town Halls in the Reception Hall of the Clifton School building.

There will be light snacks and good discussion with your fellow parishioners. We hope to see you there.

July 17<sup>th</sup> at 6PM or July 27<sup>th</sup> at 11:30AM

The Archdiocese of Louisville began the parish planning process in May 2025 to address evolving needs and potential challenges within the existing Archdiocesan structures.

This process involves parishes preparing reports by August, with a planning commission reviewing them and consulting with various groups from January to May 2026.

A final, comprehensive plan is expected to be prepared and announced before the end of 2026.

### St. Frances of Rome

# GATHER AT THE GRILL



**SAVE THE DATE!** 

Kid's Corner 6

### **Prayer**

Dear God, help me to remember that you will give me what I need.

### Mission for the Week

Make a card for one of your neighbors, and tell that person, "Jesus loves you!"

### **Sharing the Gospel**

Jesus sent out 72 of his followers to spread the good news about God. They were not to bring anything with them - no food, no extra clothes or shoes, not even money to spend. They were to visit strangers and completely depend on God to give them what they needed. That took a lot of faith!

Now color the picture!



Find the safest way to get to the mountain.





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### 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
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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 Ostertag
- Kathy Leonard
- Phyllis Clay
- 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 <a href="mailto:sduvall@htparish.org">sduvall@htparish.org</a>, or Fr. Steven Henriksen <a href="mailto:shenriksen@sfrlou.org">shenriksen@sfrlou.org</a>.

### Stewardship of Treasure -from the June 29th Weekend

Collection 6/29/2025 \$2,913

Loose Collections \$ 349

Online giving \$970

Amount Needed Weekly: \$7,481

YTD vs Budget: \$25,404 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, July 5

4:30PM Arnold Brown †

### Sunday, July 6

8:30AM Donnie Crisp †

10:30AM People of the Parish

### Monday, July 7

8:30AM The Gillespie Family

### Wednesday, July 9

8:30AM Elaine B. Purdum

### Friday, July 11

8:30AM Grayson Hayden

### Saturday, July 12

4:30PM Donnie Crisp†

### Sunday, July 13

8:30AM People of the Parish

10:30AM Dr. Kenneth Henderson

Ann Burton Barbara Cameron Scott Dinsmore 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 Marilyn McGuire Michael McGuire Ann Browning Mayer Lynne McKnight

Anne McMahon

Ann Mary Mehling

Barbara "Bobbi" Merket Nelda Miles Jovce 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 Woolerv** 

### Please Pray for the Repose of Their Souls...

Sarah O'Bannon • Mary "Kathy" Kathleen Henchey

### **Our Celebrants for the Week**

- 8:30a Monday, July 7–Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Wednesday, July 9 –Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Friday, July 11 TBD
- 4:30p Saturday, July 12 –Fr. Steven
- 8:30a Sunday, July 13 Fr. Joe Graffis
- 10:30a Sunday, July 13 –Fr. Ron Knott