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## St. Francis of Assisi Parish

A Capuchin Ministry  
where we see ourselves as more  
than a church: **We are a family!**



17th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Decimo Septimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

*Thank you to all who supported the Parish Picnic on July 9th!*



Pastor Fr. Michael Bertram, OFM Capuchin • Parish Office Manager: Melissa Fernández  
Deacon Troy Major • Director of Religious Education Karen Hill and Aurora Brookens  
RCIA Program: Víctor Vela and Mable Johnson  
RCIC Program (Rite of Christian Initiation of Children) Lisa Barczyk  
Hispanic Ministry Coordinator Mariano Avilés • Youth Ministry Maggie Edlebeck

**Monday July 31** 6:00pm Bible Classes in Spanish / Clases de Biblia en español

**Tuesday Aug 1** 6:30pm Youth Group / Grupo de Jóvenes • 6:30pm Parish Council

**Wednesday Aug 3** 9:00am Cooking Crew for St. Ben's Meal

**Friday Aug 4** 2:00pm Blessing of the Sick / Bendicion a los enfermos

- 5:00pm Alcoholics Anonymous / Alcohólicos Anónimos

## Mass Schedule

### Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am +Linda Morelli from Mary, Gene and family

10:30 am Intentions of the Capuchin Order

6:15 pm Parishioners

**Monday - July 31** Weekday / Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

**Tuesday - Aug 1** Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

5:45 pm Intentions of the Capuchin Order

**Wednesday - Aug 2** Weekday

5:45 pm Intentions of the Capuchin Order

**Thursday - Aug 3** Weekday

5:45 pm Intentions of the Capuchin Order

**Friday - Aug 4** Saint John Vianney, Priest

7:00 am Intentions of the Capuchin Order

**Saturday - Aug 5** Weekday / No Mass

**Sunday, August 6th**

**The Transfiguration of the Lord**

8:30 am +Anthony Bertram

by Gerald & Bernice Schmitz

10:30 am Intentions of the Capuchin Order

6:15 pm Parishioners

## Church Support

Fiscal Year July 2017 - June 2018

Sunday Collection July 23	\$2,285.11
Received to date	\$11,080.44
Building Fund to date	\$75.00

**Thank you for your generosity!**

## Ministers for August 6th

### 8:30 am Mass

**Readers:** Gloria Alexander & Jody Bloyer

**Cup:** Mary & Will Sykes

Dave & Ruth Burant

**Counters:** Hilda Esteves & Will Sykes

**Children's Word:** Kyla Fernández

### Misa de 10:30 am

**Lectores:** 1. TBD

2. TBD

**Copa:** TBD

**Contadores:** Francisca Colon & Maria Ruiz

**Liturgia de los Niños:** Gladys Rivera

## Church Cleaners-Saturday, August 5th

### Team 7

1. Mary Tagliavia

2. Marielle E. Pratt

3. Gladys Rivera

4. Rosa Zizzo Ortiz

5. Adela Gonzalez

Thank you for your service!



**Wedding Banns III**  
Jennifer Childress & Tony Browne

**Wedding Banns I**  
Natalia Torres & Jonathan Ramos



**Pray for...**

Evelyn Bolar • April Booker • Trudy Klapperich • Drucilla Lyles • Beato Miranda • Lillie Sims • Iris Gonzalez • Mariano Aviles • Adela Gonzalez • Diane Stanfield • Jill Jeneer • Rickey Lewis • Grant Bielinski • Vera Campbell

If you would like a hospital visit, please call the Parish Office. Call the Parish Office to remove your name from this list.

Si desea una visita a un hospitalizado favor de llamar a la oficina. Por favor avisa a la oficina cuando ya no necesitas estar en esta lista.

### Spanish Retreat for Troubled Marriages

¿Casado y con problemas? Retrouvaille puede ayudarte. ¿Te sientes solo en tu matrimonio? ¿Te sientes enojado o engañado con tu esposo(a)? ¿Pelean todo el tiempo o solamente ya no se hablan? ¡El programa Retrouvaille (redescubrimiento) ha ayudado a miles de parejas en tiempos difíciles en sus matrimonios, y puede ayudarte, también. Retiro en Español: 25-27 de Agosto 2017 Rockford, Illinois. Para más información visite [HelpOurMarriage.org](http://HelpOurMarriage.org).

Tel. (847) 792-1367

### Justice Issues in the Philippines

Monday, August 7 – 1:00 p.m.

St. Joseph Hall, 1501 S. Layton Blvd.

(Greenfield Ave. at 27th St.), Milwaukee

The School Sisters of St. Francis invite you to a free, one-hour presentation by Sister Antonette Lumbang, OP, justice promoter for the Adrian Dominican sisters in the Philippines. Sister Antonette will share her firsthand experience encountering a variety of social issues in the Philippines today, including the death penalty and land redistribution. Convenient free parking in the St. Joseph Center lot, 29th and Orchard.

Information: Sister Durstynne Farnan, [414-385-5261](tel:414-385-5261) or [dfarnan@sssf.org](mailto:dfarnan@sssf.org).

### Jubilee Celebration for Married Couples

Join the Office for Marriage & Family Life in celebrating your silver or golden wedding anniversary! The annual Archdiocesan Jubilee Celebration is **Saturday, October 7, 2017**, beginning at 10:00 a.m. at **St. Joseph Parish**, S89W22650 Milwaukee Ave., **Big Bend**. **This Mass honors those married in 1992 or 1967, celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup> (silver) or 50<sup>th</sup> (golden) wedding anniversaries. Couples married over 50 years are also welcome to attend this celebration.** A reception will follow the Liturgy. Cost is \$40.00 per couple and includes a commemorative certificate and a professional photo. For more information, please call [414-758-2201](tel:414-758-2201). Registration is required. visit <http://tinyurl.com/2017Jubilee-MKE> to print a flyer with registration



### San Ben's Community Meal

Wednesday, Aug 2nd

Every first Wednesday of the month, St. Francis Parish sponsors St. Ben's Community Meal. For those who would like to donate some food or dessert, please drop it off at the Parish Office during week. Volunteers are always welcome to help. Thank you very much for your support!



### Baptism Preparation Class / Clase de Preparación para el Bautismo

Baptism Preparation Class will take place on the third Tuesday of each month. **The next class will take place on Tuesday, Aug. 8 at 6pm in the parish office.** The class can be directed in English or Spanish, depending on the need of the family. Godparents are encouraged to attend with the parents of the child. Interested families are asked to contact the parish office to register for the class.

*La clase de Preparación Bautismal se llevará acabo el tercer martes de cada mes, **la próxima clase será el martes 8 de agosto a las 6 pm en la oficina parroquial.** La clase se puede dirigir en inglés o español, dependiendo de la necesidad de la familia. Se invita a los padrinos a asistir con los padres del niño. Se les pide a las familias interesadas que se pongan en contacto con la oficina parroquial para inscribirse en la clase.*

### Readings for the Week

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13; Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9;

Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37;

Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12

Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;

2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9