

ST. FRANCIS de SALES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil ----- 5:00 pm
Sunday ----- 8:00 am & 10:30 am

SPIRITUAL CARE OF THE SICK: Please contact the office when a parish member has been admitted to the hospital or has become home bound. Upon request, the Sacrament of Anointing will be celebrated and Holy Communion will be brought monthly.

RECONCILIATION: Saturday at 4:00 - 4:45 pm. At any other time by appointment.

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THE MISSION OF ST. FRANCIS de SALES PARISH

Guided by the gentle spirit and practical teachings of St. Francis de Sales, we strive to "Live Jesus" in our daily lives. We proclaim the Gospel, celebrate the Holy Eucharist, and are nourished through prayer, worship, love, and service to others. Together we are building a community that brings joy to our faith and light to the world, which one day will become the City of God.

BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated during Mass or on Sundays after the 10:30 Mass. Parents are asked to contact the parish office to arrange a time for preparation and to schedule the baptism.

CONFIRMATION AND EUCHARIST: Each child must have received a full year of religious education at St. Francis prior to beginning the sacramental preparation classes.

MARRIAGE: In order that the requirements for marriage preparation may be fulfilled, couples are to contact the parish office at least six months before the desired wedding date.

NEW MEMBERS: Please register at the office, or pick up a form in the back of the church. We are delighted to welcome you.

WILLS AND DONATIONS: Please consider designating St. Francis de Sales Parish in your last will and testament so that the blessings the



June 12, 2022 ✧ *The Most Holy Trinity*

Mass Schedule for the Week:

Saturday, June 11, 2022 *The Most Holy Trinity*

5:00 PM Elizabeth McQuade

Sunday, June 12, 2022 ~ *The Most Holy Trinity*

8:00 AM John Nicotra

10:30 AM Our Parishioners

Saturday, June 18, 2022 *The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ*

5:00 PM Father's day Memorials

Sunday, June 19, 2022 ~ *The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ*

8:00 AM Father's Day Memorials

10:30 AM Father's Day Memorials

Pray For Our Sick

Edward Bellina, John Binder, Rosemary C., Mary DeLong, Rick & Wren Dillon, Joseph Disabella, Dennis & Mary Ann Flemming, Mary Fletcher, Judith Goelz, Nicholas M. Headley, Lorraine Held, Karen Houck, Rose Howard, Mark Hyde, John Jones, Raymond Kasprovciz, Robert Koch, Leslie Livinghouse, Walter Muir, Joe Noll, Pat Snyder, Andrew Strangarity, Tom Suchon, Eleana Wilson, Edwin Zeltzer

Lector & Server Schedule

Saturday, June 18th

5:00 PM ~ Servers: Bross Lector: Giacobbe

Sunday June 19th

8:00 AM ~ Servers: Lector: Eckenroth

10:30 AM ~ Servers: Mirabella Lector: Balthaser

Parish Schedule for the Week:

Wednesday, June 15 @ 1:00pm - Prayer Shawl

Thursday, June 16 @ 10am - 12 Noon - Adoration

10:00am - Exposition

10:00am - 12 Noon - Adoration.

12 Noon - Mid Day Prayer and Benediction



St. Ignatius Mass Schedule

Weekdays: Monday – Friday 6:30 & 8:00 AM

Saturday 8:00 AM

First Friday 7:00 PM

Weekends: Saturday: 4:00 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30 AM; 9:00 AM; 10:30 AM;

12 Noon; 5:30 PM

Eucharistic Day of Prayer/Adoration (Chapel)

Tuesdays ~ Exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament after 8:00 AM Mass until 10 PM

AND

Wednesdays ~ Exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament 6 AM until 7 PM

Evening Prayer & Benediction

Confession: Saturdays: 3:00 – 4:00 PM;



Readings for the Week

The Most Holy Trinity

Pro 8:22-31; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15

Monday

1 Kgs 21:1-16; Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday

1 Kgs 21:17-29; Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday

2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday

Sir 48:1-14; Mt 6:7-15

Friday

2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Mt 6:19-23

Saturday

2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Gn 14:18-20; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

Our Return to the Lord

Week of June 5, 2022

Offertory ~ \$ 6,388.00



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Thank you

Spiritual Thought

*Love above all else our merciful Father in heaven,
and serve him with all your strength and purity of
heart.*

St. Francis of Paola

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Recently, Western Berks Shepherding has had a big increase in new clients seeking our transportation services. We are in need of new adult volunteers to drive our clients to local medical appointments. Volunteers can choose when and where they wish to drive as well as how often. It is a great way to volunteer that is flexible, very little commitment and extremely rewarding!!!!



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WesternBerksShepherding@gmail.com.



<https://www.oblates.org/sundays-salesian-feed/trinity-sunday-june-12-2022>

In today's Gospel, Jesus reveals to us the intimate life of our God: three distinct persons (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit), equal in majesty, undivided in splendor, yet one Lord, one God.

We hear Jesus telling us that the action of the three persons is one. Jesus is Wisdom incarnate - the Word of God become flesh, human like us. Whatever he speaks, he has heard from his Father, and whatever the Spirit will speak he has heard from Jesus. Together our God has created all that is, and together our God has willed and brought about our salvation.

As St. Paul tells us, "now that we have been justified by faith, we are at peace with God through Jesus. Through him, we have gained access to the grace in which we now stand." That grace is God's gift of making us sharers in the very life of the Trinity. "The love of God has been poured out in our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us." The Spirit present in us is the source of our peace with God. He is also the source of our hope - our confident assurance of complete union with the Trinity in the fullness of life to come.

While our sharing in divine life is very personal, it is also communal. Because we share the one Spirit, we are part of one another in the Body of Christ. Therefore, the love we have for God is the same love we must learn to have for one another. How we live with one another as Christians ought to reflect in a very real way the unity of Persons in our God. Our unity with one another is possible because we share the same love of God, which Paul told us "has been poured out in our hearts through the Holy Spirit."

What a wonderful gift we have been given in our baptism! Each day, you and I can be the continuing revelation of God's loving presence in our world. When we struggle each day to live as Jesus taught us to live, when we have confidence in Jesus' promise to be with us each day, when we try to love one another as Jesus has loved us - we are giving witness to the reality of our triune God who has created us out of love, redeemed us by his love, and made us one with him in love.

Let's recommit ourselves today to our baptismal mission as Church. May the way we live our faith continue to touch the hearts of those around us and turn them and us more fully toward our loving God who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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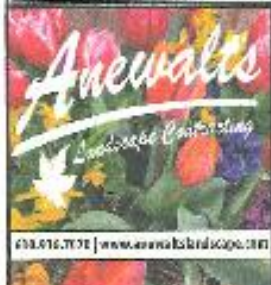
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