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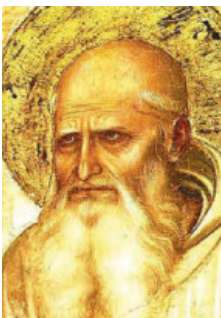
JUNE 18, 2023 - ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



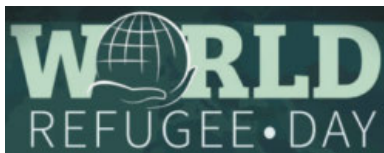
11TH SUNDAY IN  
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“Without cost you have  
received; without cost you  
are to give.” - Mt 10:6-8

**Happy Father's Day!**



June 19 -  
St. Romuald, Abbot



June 20 - World Refugee Day



June 21 -  
St. Aloysius Gonzaga



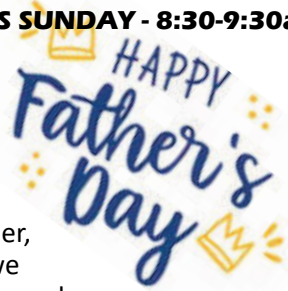
June 22 -  
St. Paulinus of Nola;  
Sts. John Fisher and  
Thomas More, Martyrs



June 24 -  
The Nativity of  
John the Baptist

Hospitality Ministry **THIS SUNDAY - 8:30-9:30am**

**Father's Day Morning**  
*All are Welcome!*



Celebrating and Honoring the men in our lives, be it a grandfather, father, son, brother, uncle or godfather, etc. who we acknowledge and recognize through their nurturing, caring, and loving qualities.

*"Blessings to them on this Father's Day!"*

**Sunday, June 18th, 2023 / 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM**  
**in Front of the our Church**

PS: the 7:30 AM Mass Hospitality Ministry will be taking off for the summer and return in the fall bigger and better. Interested in joining our ministry? Contact Gin or Richard at rah95816@aol.com.

***Have a safe and wonderful Summer!***

## WEEKLY READINGS

### Readings for the week of June 18th

- Sun: Ex 19:2-6a/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c)/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36—10:8
  - Mon: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4/Mt 5:38-42
  - Tue: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a/Mt 5:43-48
  - Wed: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
  - Thu: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mt 6:7-15
  - Fri: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 6:19-23
  - Sat: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17/  
1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17  
Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/  
Lk 1:57-66, 80
- Next Sunday: Ezek 43:1-2, 3c-7a/Ps 122/Eph 2:19-22/Mt 16:13-19

June 22

## St Paulinus of Nola

*"A good man is not a perfect man; a good man is an honest man, faithful and unhesitatingly responsive to the voice of God in his life."*



## Act of Spiritual Communion



My Jesus,  
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

## PEACE PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS



Lord, make me an instrument of your **peace**; where there is hatred, let me sow **love**; where there is injury, **pardon**; where there is doubt, **faith**; where there is despair, **hope**; where there is darkness, **light**; and where there is sadness, **joy**.

O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled, as to **console**; to be understood, as to **understand**; to be loved, as to **love**; for it is in giving that we **receive**, it is in pardoning that we are **pardoned**, and it is in dying that we are **born to eternal life**.

Amen.

*While this prayer has always been attributed to St. Francis, the author is actually unknown. The prayer does wonderfully represent the spirit of St. Francis and the Franciscan Orders.*



Tip  
**#10**

### A weekly tip on Caring for Our Common Home

Even if we don't see immediate impact from our stewardship efforts, we must continue them and keep in mind that they will ultimately benefit society "for they call forth a goodness which, albeit unseen, inevitably tends to spread." (Laudato Si', 212)





**TAIZE PRAYER SERVICE  
IN PERSON OR LIVESTREAMED**

**Each Wednesday, at 6:30 pm**

*In the church, or via YouTube at <https://bit.ly/37XEfK3>.*



**We are hiring for the part-time position:**

**Sacramental Ministry Coordinator  
(15 hours/week)**

Responsible for coordinating the sacramental ministries of the parish (Baptism, Weddings, Funerals, First Communion, Confirmation) under the direction of the Pastor and in coordination with staff and parish program leaders.

**Contact Fr. Rey for job description and further information:  
[resume@stfrancisparish.com](mailto:resume@stfrancisparish.com)**

*June 19 : Juneteenth : Freedom Day*

*Please note that the parish center will be closed, and Mass will be at 10:00am on Monday June 19.*

# VOLUNTEER

## Children's Faith Formation



Dear Fellow Parishioners,

As members of the St. Francis of Assisi Parish community, we all share the responsibility of passing on the faith to the next generation. This is why we are calling on you to consider volunteering your time and skills to help with our Children's Faith Formation program.

The Children's Faith Formation program is designed to help children from 1st grade through 8th grade to grow in their faith, prepare for their Sacraments, and to develop a deeper relationship with God. The classes run from late September through May on Sundays and are held at 11:00am – 12:00pm in the Parish Center.

There are many ways that you can get involved, whether it be as a catechist, a classroom assistant, helping with art/classroom projects, helping with administrative activities, or as a greeter welcoming the children to class on Sundays. This is also a great opportunity for those students in need of service hours.

Volunteering with our Children's Faith Formation is an incredibly rewarding experience and an opportunity to grow in your own faith. By sharing your time and talents with our children, you will be strengthening your own relationship with God and deepening your understanding of the Catholic faith.

**If you are interested or have questions about the program, please email us at:**  
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If you are not able to volunteer your time, we ask you that keep our children and volunteers in your prayers throughout the Faith Formation year.

Thank you for considering this important opportunity to serve our Parish. God Bless

Emer McKenna and Sara Pietrowski  
(CFF Coordinators/Catechists)



# All Are Welcome!

**St. Francis of Assisi Parish Pastoral Council**  
**welcomes each of you to attend our Parish Town Hall meeting.**  
 During this time together, parishioners will be encouraged to share  
 their ideas and aspirations to strengthen our parish community.

**Saturday, June 24, 2023**  
**9-11 am / Brunsman Hall**

*Preliminary Schedule*

- 8:30 Doors Open
- 9:00 Opening Prayer and Introductions
- 9:15 Review of Parish Mission and role of Parish Pastoral Council
- 9:30 Tabletop discussions on ideas and aspirations to strengthen our parish community.
- 9:45 Large group discussion
- 10:00 Tabletop discussions on strategies, roles, and opportunities for parishioners.
- 10:30 Pastor's Reflections and Closing Prayer
- 10:45 Adjourn

*Photos from the*  
**Secular Franciscan**  
**Reactivation Mass**  
*June 11, 2023*



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# The 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Francis of Assisi Parish  
June 17-18, 2023

We adore you Most Holy Lord Jesus Christ, here and in all your churches in the world,  
And we bless you, because by your Holy Cross you have redeemed the world. Amen.

## Gathering:

### **Our God is Here**

Chris Muglia

Here in this time, here in this place, here we are standing face to face.  
Here in our hearts, here in our lives, our God is here.  
Here for the broken, here for the strong, here in this temple we belong.  
Here in our hearts, here in our lives, our God is here.

**REFRAIN**

And we cry: "Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Ho - ly are you!" We cry: "Ho - ly! Ho - ly!  
Ho - ly and true!" A - men we do be - lieve our God is here. Our God is here.

Here in the Word, God is revealed, here where the wounded can be healed.  
Here in our hearts, here in our lives, our God is here.  
Here we become what we receive, here in this Eucharistic feast.  
We are his body, living as one; our God is here. **(Refrain)**

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## Penitential Rite:

### **Mass of Renewal**

Curtis Stephan

*Cantor then All*

Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son... Chri - ste, e - le - i - son... Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.

## Gloria:

*Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.  
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy, have mercy on us.  
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen, amen.*

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## Psalm: Psalm 100: "We are His People"

Sarah Hart

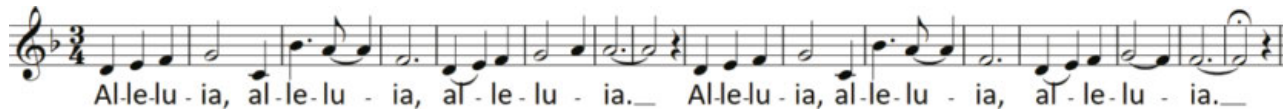
We are his peo - ple, we are his peo - ple, the sheep of his flock...

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# The 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Gospel Acclamation:

Curtis Stephan



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## **APOSTLE'S CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.

AMEN+

## Preparation of Gifts:

### **The Summons**

KELVINGROVE, John L. Bell

Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?  
Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?  
Will you let my love be shown, will you let my name be known,  
Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?

Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?  
Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?  
Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?  
Will you let me answer pray'r in you and you in me?

Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name?  
Will you set the pris'ners free and never be the same?  
Will you kiss the leper clean, and do such as this unseen,  
And admit to what I mean in you and you in me?

Will you love the 'you' you hide if I but call your name.  
Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?  
Will you use the faith you've found to reshape the world around,  
Through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?

God, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.  
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.

In your company I'll go where your love and footsteps show.

Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

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# The 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Liturgy of the Eucharist:

## **Mass of Renewal**

Curtis Stephen

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.

Amen, Amen, Amen!

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us, grant us peace.

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## Communion:

## **Ubi Caritas**

Bob Hurd

**REFRAIN**



U - bi ca - ri - tas est ve - ra, est ve - ra: De - us i - bi est, De - us i - bi est.

**VERSES**



1. The love of Christ joins us to - geth - er. Let us re - joice in
2. In true com - mu - nion let us gath - er. May all di - vi - sions
3. May we who gath - er at this ta - ble to share the bread of
4. For those in need make us your mer - cy, for those op - pressed, your
5. May we one day be - hold your glo - ry and see you face to



1. him, and in our love and care for all now love God in re - turn.
2. cease and in their place be Christ the Lord, our ris - en Prince of Peace.
3. life be - come a sac - ra - ment of love, your heal - ing touch, O Christ.
4. might. Make us, your Church, a ho - ly sign of jus - tice and new life.
5. face, re - joic - ing with the saints of God to sing e - ter - nal praise.

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## Sending Forth:

## **Bring Forth the Kingdom**

Marty Haugen


**Cantor/Choir:** You are a seed of the Word, O people:

**All:** Bring forth the kingdom of God!

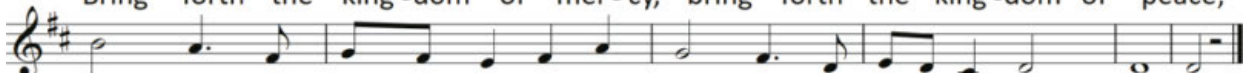
**Cantor/Choir:** Seeds of mercy and seeds of Justice

**All:** Grow in the kingdom of God! (Refrain)

**REFRAIN**



Bring forth the king - dom of mer - cy, bring forth the king - dom of peace;



bring forth the king - dom of jus - tice, bring forth the Cit - y of God.

**Cantor/Choir:** We are blest and a pilgrim people:

**All:** Bound for the Kingdom of God!

**Cantor/Choir:** Love our journey and love our homeland:

**All:** Love is the kingdom of God! (Refrain)

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