

Annunciation Catholic Church and St. Francis Catholic Church

August 14, 2022 TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, August 15—NO DAILY MASS

**Tuesday, August 16— Twentieth Tuesday in Ordinary Time
6:30 p.m.—NO DAILY MASS**

**Wednesday, August 17--Twentieth Wed. of Ordinary Time
8 a.m. Mass@Annunciation—NO DAILY MASS**

**Thursday, August 18—Twentieth Thurs. of Ordinary Time
8 a.m. Mass@Annunciation—Carol Chapman**

**Friday, August 19—Twentieth Friday in Ordinary Time
8 a.m. Mass@Annunciation—Marie Trybom**

**Saturday, August 20—Memorial of Saint Bernard, Abbot
and Doctor of the Church
9 a.m. Mass@Annunciation—Lynda Whedon
4 p.m. Confessions
5 p.m. Mass@Annunciation**

**Sunday, August 21—Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
8 a.m. Confessions@ St. Francis
8:30 a.m. Mass@St. Francis—Genevieve Cole
10:30 a.m. Mass@Annunciation
11:30 a.m.—4 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration
11:30 a.m. Confessions@Annunciation**

**WEEKLY OFFERING – August 7, 2022
St. Francis: \$691.00 Annunciation: \$2518.00
*THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!***

Anointing of the Sick is given at Mass on the Second Saturday of the month. **Next anointing is Aug 20.**

Eucharistic Adoration is **Sunday, August 21, at Annunciation**, from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Being in the presence of the body, blood, soul and divinity of Jesus Christ gives spiritual strength and nourishment in a uniquely powerful way. When we do this, we are in His Real Presence, able to speak with Him in our mind and our heart.



First Friday and First Saturday Masses: September 2&3.

A FIRST FRIDAY is a special devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus since Jesus died for us and won our salvation on a Friday and in reparation for sins and to show love to Jesus. Continue to pray for the reparation of souls each FIRST SATURDAY as our Blessed Mother asked us at Fatima. Our Lady requested us to do this in addition to the Daily Rosary, as our particular role in bringing about the triumph of her Immaculate Heart and world peace. See our webpage for more information about these devotions: <https://annunciationchurchks.org/>



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MINISTRY SCHEDULE AT ANNUNCIATION

SATURDAY, August 20, 5 p.m.

Ushers: Scott and Tonya Behrens

Lector: Gerard Arantowicz

Offertory: NEED SUB

Eucharistic Minister: Ginny Meien

Servers: NEED SUBS

Music: Teresa Riffel, Harvey Ward

SUNDAY, August 21 10:30 A.M.

Ushers: Mike and Lea Watson

Lector: Karla Wessling

Offertory: Bonnie and Brian Cramer

Eucharistic Minister: Harvey Ward

Servers: Alli Cramer, Nate Cramer, Braxton Chase

Music: Teresa Riffel, Greg Wessling

AUGUST MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS ARE OUT! CHECK YOUR EMAIL! YOUR SERVICES ARE SO IMPORTANT!

*If you can't fill your ministry, please help by finding subs through the MSP. The monthly ministry schedule is on our website and in the Ministry Pro App; all assignments are in real time on the MSP app. Please use this as your guide! FYI—WHEN THE MONTHLY AVAILABILITY IS REQUESTED, PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU **SUBMIT** YOUR AVAILABILITY OR YOU WILL BE SCHEDULED! **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE AND USING MSP!***

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Annunciation Knights of Columbus Council #11853 meets at 7 pm on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at St. Ann's Hall. **NEXT MEETING IS TUESDAY, September 13.**

First Saturday of the Month, Pro-Life Rosary recited at the Knights ground at 8 a.m.



ANNUNCIATION/ST. FRANCIS HAPPENINGS

CALENDAR INFORMATION

First Sunday of every Month: Youth Group, 4 p.m., St. Ann's Hall. Kids "after confirmation" through 12th grade from both parishes are encouraged to participate!

August 8-17: Father Joe gone to Community Retreat.

August 21: School Year Religious Education begins 9 a.m., St. Ann's Hall.

August 21: Eucharistic Adoration, Annunciation, 11:30 a.m.-4 p.m.; Confessions at 11:30 a.m.

TUESDAY EVENING ADORATION 5:30 p.m., 6:05 Rosary, 6:30 p.m. Mass at Annunciation. Prayers each week for the following families:

August 9 and 16: NO ADORATION.

August 23: Dawn and Steve Rottinghaus, John and Tania Rowe, and Jason and Renay Stithem.

August 30: Glenda Rockers, Glen Rockers, and Jerry and Julie Turner.

August 15 is the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is always a Holy Day of Obligation, except when this Solemnity falls on a Monday or Saturday, the obligation to attend Mass is abrogated (as noted by the USCCB). Take some time to reflect on the the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

On November 1, 1950, Bl. Pope Pius XII defined the dogma of the Assumption of Mary. Our Church, which is Mother and Teacher, waited for 20 centuries to declare this beautiful reality and truth about the Blessed Virgin Mary. However, the Assumption of Mary into heaven, body and soul, is not a new belief. Since the early centuries, the Doctors of the Church and the early Church Fathers, wrote about the logic of the privilege of our Blessed Mother's Assumption into Heaven.

Among the many writings considered to serve as proofs in this dogma, include Mary's Immaculate Conception. She is free from sin. Mary is the Mother of God and she has perpetual virginity. The doctrine of the Assumption says that at the end of her life on earth Mary was assumed, body and soul, into heaven by the power of her son, Jesus. This teaching makes sense with our Christian Catholic beliefs, because if death was the consequence of sin (Rom 6:23), the one who was conceived without sin, should not taste death. The early Church Fathers taught that she was assumed into heaven just as Enoch (Gn 5:24 and Heb 11:5), Elijah (2 Kgs 2:11), and some others who had been before her. The Holy Scripture also explained the power of God of taking us into heaven in body and soul (1 Thes 4:17 and 1 Cor 15:52).

Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Many non-Catholics incorrectly think that we Catholics believe that Mary "ascended" into heaven by her own power! But no, Catholics know that, only Christ, by his own power, ascended into heaven. Mary was taken up into heaven by God. She did not do it under her own power. It happened by the power of God. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) instructs us:

Remember: When we say "yes" to God, we are being like Mary. When we do good things for others in life, we are acting like Mary. When we love life and work to preserve it on earth, we are mirroring the life of Mary.

Finally the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death. The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin is a singular participation in her Son's Resurrection and an anticipation of the resurrection of other Christians (CCC 966).

What can we learn for our practical life about this dogma of the glorious Assumption of our Blessed Mother? Here, we have some practical applications that will help us to follow the Lord Jesus Christ more faithfully, as His mother did:

Mary's Assumption gives us hope in the resurrection of our own bodies.

Mary is our heavenly mother and she always intercedes for us with Jesus, her son.

Mary loves us as her own children and she shows us how to trust.

Her humility provides us with a perfect example for living:

"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior for God has looked with favor on His lowly servant" (Lk 1:46-48).

Mary, Our Lady of the Assumption and Queen of Peace, pray for us!



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