

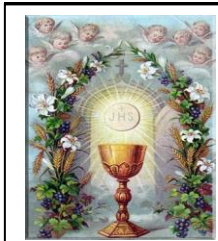
## A message from Father Quentin.....

Please welcome Deacon Dan to our parishes!

Rev. Mr. Dan Weger comes to us from Lenexa, KS where he was born and raised. His home parish is Holy Trinity. After attending public elementary and middle school, he enrolled at St. Thomas Aquinas High School, where he played in the band, was a goalie for soccer, and starred in a few plays.

Upon graduation, he moved out to Manhattan, KS and got his degree in Electrical Engineering from KSU. He played in the KSU Marching Band for 5 years. Through his fraternity and time at their Newnan Center, Deacon Dan decided to enter seminary immediately following his time at KSU.

Deacon Dan has been at University of St. Mary of the Lake, Mundelein Seminary for the past 5 years, with one more year to go until priesthood. He was ordained a deacon on May 19th with Deacon Nicholas Ashmore. He's excited to be here for the summer.



### Feast of Corpus Christi

**Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ our Lord**

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

SJ	3pm - 11:30pm	Wednesday
SFX	8am - 10:00pm	Thursday
ST	9am - 9:00pm	Thursday



Sat June 2 1st Saturday  
 8:00am SFX SI of Father Quentin  
 5:00pm ST + Butch Ludolph by the Ludolph family  
 6:30pm SP + Madeline Appelhans by Kenny & Mary Rausch

Sun June 3 Feast of Corpus Christi  
 8:30am SFX SI for the people of all 4 parishes  
 10:30am SJ + Bobette Brandon by Joe & Shirley Lichtenauer

Mon June 4 No Masses today

Tues June 5  
 12:05pm SFX Communion Service

Wed June 6 No Masses or Communion Service this day

Thur June 7  
 8:30am ST Communion Service

Fri June 8  
 7:00am SFX Communion Service

Sat June 9  
 5:00pm ST SI for the people of all 4 parishes  
**No 6:30pm Mass this evening**

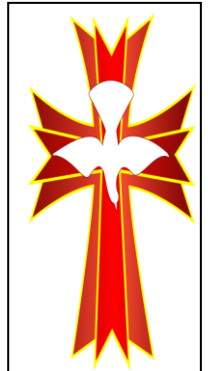
Sun June 10  
 8:30am SJ + Clarence Thimmesch by Joe & Shirley Lichtenauer  
 10:30am SFX + John & Mary Jean Henitz by Donna & Pat Patterson

### Register NOW For Confirmation

Any student 7th grade or older in the Fall that wants to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation needs to be signed up in the office with the following information:

- Full name & Parish
- Best contact number

Class preparation will begin over the summer and your student needs to be registered with the office. Please email: [stfrancisoffice@embarqmail.com](mailto:stfrancisoffice@embarqmail.com) or call directly # 620-364-5671. Thank you



**Welcome!** If you are new to the area and would like to join one of our four parishes, or are visiting and need anything during your stay, please notify the office or Fr. Quentin directly. God Bless You!



### Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:30 – 5:55pm	SJ	Wednesdays
7:30 – 8:00am	SFX	Fridays
4:30 – 4:55pm	ST	Saturdays
7:30 – 7:55am	SJ	Sundays
7:00 – 7:55am	SFX	1 <sup>st</sup> Saturdays

## The Feast of Corpus Christi Procession

will be held on Sunday - June 3  
following 10:30am Mass at  
St. Joseph, Waverly

Lunch will follow in the parish  
hall. Everyone is encouraged and  
invited to attend this Eucharistic  
Celebration!

**Please pray for our shut-ins and all  
those ill and in need of the Lord's  
healing touch...**

Don Adams, Ron Anderson family, Sue Baldwin, Rachel Belcher, Baby Girl Braden, Wallace Birk, Jim & Linda Booth, Patt Bray, Penny Buffo, Amy Chapman Courtney Cowan, Tom Dieker, Marty Ferrell, Lynn Foster, Bob Fitz, Mary Fraas, Fr. Paul Frank, George French, Paige Grasser, Keith Hall, Jan Heins, Ronald Heinz, Garald Hodges, Mark Hopkins, Rick Huber, Ken Hughes, Gary Jackson, Tony Jamar, Doyle Johnson, Molly Keehn, Jean Kraus, Sandra Kraus, Marilyn & Roy Kuhlmann, Cade Lenon, Al Lielshnieder, Frankie Marie, Matt Mahoney, Garrett McCoy, Shawn Mead, Tonja Mead, Deb Neil, Jim Nolan, Helen Pauly, Angela Rehm, Sarah Rehm, Dennis Rice, Kay Salisbury, Charlene Saueressig, Brenda Schulte, Cameron Schilling, Jack Slayman, Caroline Spatz, Kinsley Spletcher, Harold Stubby, Ann Wiley, Danielle Wooten, Deanna Zeilmann



### **Please pray for the following:**

- + For our Holy Father, Pope Francis; Archbishop Naumann; Fr. Quentin and all religious that serve us in their calling.
- + For Nicholas Ashmore, Brent Stull, Joe Wahlmeier and those discerning vocation.
- + For Noah Foster, Kyle Mares, Stephen Szalsky, Greg Smith, Dominic Wahlmeier & all military family members.
- + For all our faithful departed, those that die this day and for all the souls in purgatory.

***"This is my body,  
given up for you."  
These words are spoken at  
Mass and Jesus is present in  
the Blessed Sacrament.***

## The Story Behind the Feast of Corpus Christi



The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, historically known by its Latin name, Corpus Christi, celebrates the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist – Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity. It is traditionally celebrated on the Thursday following the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity. The feast dates to the Middle Ages and originated with a visionary nun and a Eucharistic miracle.

In 1263 a German priest, Fr. Peter of Prague, made a pilgrimage to Rome. He stopped in Bolsena, Italy, to celebrate Mass at the Church of St. Christina. At the time he was having doubts about Jesus being truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. He was affected by the growing debate among certain theologians who, for the first time in the history of the Church, began introducing doubts about the Body and Blood of Christ being actually present in the consecrated bread and wine. In response to his doubt, when Fr. Peter recited the prayer of consecration as he celebrated the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, blood started seeping from the consecrated host and onto the altar and corporal.

Fr. Peter reported this miracle to Pope Urban IV, who at the time was nearby in Orvieto. The pope sent delegates to investigate and ordered that the host and blood-stained corporal be brought to Orvieto. The relics were then placed in the Cathedral of Orvieto, where they remain today.

This Eucharistic Miracle confirmed the visions given to St. Julia of Mont Cornillon in Belgium (1193-1258). St. Juliana was a nun and mystic who had a series of visions in which she was instructed by Our Lord to work to establish a liturgical feast for the Holy Eucharist, to which she had a great devotion.

After many years of trying, she finally convinced the bishop, the future Pope Urban IV, to create the special feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament where none had existed before. Soon after her death, Pope Urban instituted Corpus Christi for the Universal Church and celebrated it for the first time in Orvieto in 1264, a year after the Eucharistic Miracle in Bolsena. This feast day continues today throughout the world.



### St. Patrick Parish Announcements

Feast Day: March 17  
The Apostle of Ireland

June church cleaners: Cookie Rausch, Dorothy Messick

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>June 9</b>
Lector	<b>No 6:30pm Mass this evening</b>
Eucharist	
Offertory	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>June 16 – 6:30pm</b>
Lector	Joan Gagnon
Eucharist	Alice Lickeig & Cara Engelken
Offertory	Jake & Alice Lickeig



### St. Francis Xavier Parish Announcements

Feast Day: December 3  
The Apostle of the Indies & Japan

Faith, Friends & Franzia presented by Megan Drumm & Lindy Katzer will be held on June 9 from 7 – 9pm at the parish hall. The evening of fun for all ladies is free and open to the public. Light hors d'oeuvres, Franzia boxed wine and refreshments will be served. This event is sponsored by the Ladies Altar Society. For more information contact Leslie Mahoney or Nichole Louia.

June church cleaners: Altar Society members

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 10 – 10:30am</b>
Greeters	John Massoth
Offertory	Nichole & Ryan Louia
Lector	Donna Patterson
Eucharist and Cup	Nichole Louia Diane Marshall, Denise Humlicek
Sacristan	Leslie Mahoney
Cross	Keegan Kuhlmann
Servers	Sage Kuhlmann, Matthew Dekat
Ushers	Paul Herrman & Janet Wahlmeier
Hospitality	Michelle Baldwin & Tim & Katherine Austin
Rosary	Philip Decker
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 17 – 10:30am – Father's Day</b>
Greeters	Damon & Gennifer Birk
Offertory	Damon & Gennifer Birk
Lector	Richard Mahoney
Eucharist and Cup	Leslie Mahoney Kim Robrahn, Michelle VanderLinden
Sacristan	Leslie Mahoney
Cross	Christian Decker
Servers	Cheyenne Clay & Caleb Robrahn
Ushers	Greg Stice, Derek Birk
Hospitality	None – Happy Father's Day
Rosary	Susan Mueller



### St. Joseph Parish Announcements

Feast Day: March 19  
Patron saint of Fathers

Mass Intentions are available for the parish at this time starting in June. Contact the office to have a Mass said or for a specific date. Thank you.

Altar Society Dues are now being collected. The \$20 dues can be given to Jennifer Stukey or put in the collection in an envelope marked Altar Society Dues. All ladies of the parish are considered members. The dues go towards parish activities, CCD activities and items for the church. If you have questions, contact Pres. Theresa Biggs, Vice-Pres. Heidi Arb, Sec/Treas. Jennifer Stukey

What is Hospitality? It is a monthly breakfast (coffee & donuts) on the 1st Sunday of the month and hosted by a couple of parish families after the 8:30am Mass. Please contact Terry Arb if you are interested in hosting. We will need volunteers in October, November & December.

June Cleaners: Shirley Lichtenauer, Diane Chapman  
Hospitality: Jay & Theresa Biggs

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 10 – 8:30am</b>
Offertory	Don Foster
Lector	Kenneth Combes
Eucharist	Pete Foltz, Kevin Thimmesch
Servers	Jackson Biggs, Andy Foltz
Ushers	Kevin Thimmesch, John Lichtenauer
Rosary	Jennifer Stukey
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 17 – 8:30am – Father's Day</b>
Offertory	Jim & Cheryl Plank
Lector	Kenneth Combes
Eucharist	Pete Foltz, Kevin Thimmesch
Servers	Jackson Biggs, Andy Foltz
Ushers	Kevin Thimmesch, John Lichtenauer
Rosary	Jennifer Stukey

Planning has begun for.....

### Vacation Bible School

**July 8 – 12**

St. Francis Xavier, Burlington

### TOTUS TUUS

**July 22 – July 27**

St. Joseph, Waverly

Volunteers are needed for each event, please contact the office if you would like to help. Thank you!

## Upcoming Events.....

### **Faith, Friends & Franzia Event**

with Megan Drumm & Lindy Katzer will be held on June 9 from 7 – 9pm at St. Francis Xavier parish hall. The fun evening for all ladies is free and open to the public. Light hors d'oeuvres, Franzia boxed wine and refreshments will be served. This event is sponsored by the St. Francis Xavier Ladies Altar Society.



### *The Turning Point:*

### *The Gospel According to John*

by Dr. Allen Hunt

Presented by Deacon Dan at 7pm on Tuesdays June 5 – July 31 at St. Francis Xavier at and Thursdays June 7 – August 2 at St. Joseph. Each week the sessions are the same, so feel free to attend either evening. A free will donation of \$15 for materials will be collected, but is not required to attend. Donations can be given when you receive your participant packet. The packet includes a workbook, a DVD set, the Gospel According to John and a CD, "The #1 Reason I Love Being Catholic" Contact Leslie Mahoney for more information # 620-364-6013.

### **National Right to Life Convention**

will be held at the Sheraton Hotel Overland Park, KS June 28-30 During this 3 day event, national experts on life gather to equip the pro-life grassroots with knowledge and skills needed to advance our cause. Over 60 workshops to choose from including sessions with Archbishop Naumann and Alli Donohue Pro-Life Director Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas. Single day passes and babysitting are available. Cost is \$120 for adults, \$65 for seniors and \$50-\$65 for Students. Register and information available at <http://nrlconvention.com/> or by contacting the Kansans for Life Office at 913-642-5433.

### **The Kansas City Royals will host their annual Faith & Family Night**

on July 7, 2018. This event features a post-game appearance and speech from select players and executives, as well as Scott Dawson of Safe at Home, and a concert by Michael W. Smith. The Royals will play the Boston Red Sox at 6:15pm and the Faith & Family Program will begin about 30 minutes after the game. If you have questions, need additional information or wish to purchase tickets for a 20 person group or more, please contact Olivia Marksberry, at [Olivia.marksberry@royals.com](mailto:Olivia.marksberry@royals.com) or contact her directly at 816- 504-4165.



### **St. Teresa of Avila Parish Announcements**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 9 – 5pm</b>
Servers	Riley Young, Jaden Teter, Lizzie Ellington
Lector	Alice Nolan
Cantor	Evelyn Ervin
Offertory	Dan & Margie Highberger
Eucharist and cup	Dave Pracht, Alton Luldoph, Marilyn Brooks
Ushers	Terry Schillig, Wilma Setter
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>June 16 – 5pm</b>
Servers	Kate Dieker, Austin Teter, Gunner Ellington
Lector	Doug Dieker
Cantor	Gessica Tastove
Offertory	Gene Highberger
Eucharist and cup	Mary Ann Morgan Ron Ohl, Larry Dieker
Ushers	Margie Highberger, Paul Falke

#### June Cleaning

Laundry: Evelyn Ervin  
Cleaning: Rita Mechnig, Emily Brooks  
Leah Parks, Reva Pracht

Next Altar Society meeting will be Monday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm in church basement. All ladies are welcome to join.

There will be a meeting for the fundraising committee on Wednesday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm in church basement.