



Welcome to St. Francis Church

We are glad you are here.
Newcomers and visitors, please see page 3 for information to help you get to know St. Francis.
It is our parish custom to observe silence in the Church prior to the start of the Eucharist.

The flowers on the altar are given by Betty Tatge, to the Glory of God,
and in thanksgiving for the birthday of my husband Bob Tatge.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONES. THANK YOU.

8:00 A.M. - THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I

Celebrant:..... The Very Rev. Paula Vukmanic
Deacon:..... The Rev. Peter Huang
Preacher:..... Tim Coleman PhD, *Senior Warden*
Prelude: III. Adagio e Dolce, BWV. 527..... J.S. Bach
Processional Hymn—Praise to the Lord, the Almighty..... **Hymn #390**
The Opening Acclamation..... Book of Common Prayer, p.323
(this and all similar page refs. refer to Book of Common Prayer)
The Collect of the Day p. 178
The First Lesson Genesis 3:8-15

They heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden at the time of the evening breeze, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. But the LORD God called to the man, and said to him, "Where are you?" He said, "I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself." He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?" The man said, "The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit from the tree, and I ate." Then the LORD God said to the woman, "What is this that you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent tricked me, and I ate." The LORD God said to the serpent,

"Because you have done this,
cursed are you among all animals
and among all wild creatures;
upon your belly you shall go,
and dust you shall eat
all the days of your life.

I will put enmity between you and the woman,
and between your offspring and hers;
he will strike your head,
and you will strike his heel."

The Response: Psalm 130, *De profundis*..... p. 784

The Epistle 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—“I believed, and so I spoke” —we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God. So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.

For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

Gospel Procession: Speak, O Lord (*first verse*)..... *Getty*



Speak, O Lord, as we come to you, to re-ceive the food of your Ho-ly Word.
 Speak, O Lord, and re-new our minds; help us grasp the heights of your plans for us.
 Take your truth, plant it deep in us; shape and fas-hion us in your like-ness; that the
 Truths un-changed from the dawn of time, that will ech-o down through e-ter-ni-ty. And by
 light of Christ might be seen to-day in our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
 grace we'll stand on your pro-mis-es; and by faith we'll walk as you walk with us.
 Speak, O Lord, and ful-fill in us all your pur-po-ses for your glo-ry.
 Speak, O Lord, 'til your church is built and the earth is filled with your glo-ry.

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Please join in singing the second verse of 'Speak, O Lord'

The Holy Gospel Mark 3:20-35

The crowd came together again, so that Jesus and his disciples could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, “He has gone out of his mind.” And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, “He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.” And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man’s house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered. “Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin” — for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.”

Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him.

A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.” And he replied, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” And looking at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.”

Please join in singing the second verse of Speak, O Lord.

The Sermon.....Mr. Tim Coleman
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Offertory Hymn—Wondrous Love.....Hymn #439

Offertory Prayer All things come of thee O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee
 The Sanctus

The Great Thanksgivingp. 333

The clergy will carry the Sacrament to anyone in the congregation who is unable to come forward for Holy Communion. Please inform one of the ushers if you would like to be served at your seat. Gluten-free Communion wafers are now carried alongside regular wafers at Holy Communion. If you require one of these, simply ask at the Altar rail.

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Recessional Hymn—Go Make a Difference.....Steve Angrisano and Tom Tomaszek

9 Go make a dif - frence. We can make a dif - frence. Go make a dif - frence in the world. _____

16 Go make a dif - frence. We can make a dif - frence. Go make a dif - frence in the world.

24 We are the salt of the earth, called to let the peo - ple see the love of God for you and me.
 We are the hands of Christ reaching out to those in need, the face of God for all to see.
 So let your love shine on, let it shine for all to see. Go make a dif - frence in the world.

We are the light of the world not to be hid - den but be seen. Go make a dif - frence in the world.
 We are the spir - it of hope, we are the voice of peace.
 And the spir - it of Christ will be with us as we go.

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Postlude: *Swing Five (Erhalt Uns, Herr)*..... Johannes Matthias Michel

WELCOME

If you are new to our parish community, here are a few notes to help you get acquainted.

1. **PLEASE TAKE A “WELCOME” CARD** from the pew rack in front of you, fill it out, and place it in the offering plate or hand it to one of our clergy after the service. We will be happy to contact you in the week ahead and help you however we can.
2. **JOIN US AFTER THE SERVICE FOR COFFEE** and other refreshments so we can welcome you more personally. Coffee hour is on the Chapel Patio (turn right as you exit the Chapel). We promise we won't leave you standing in the corner, staring at your shoes! When raining or cold, we gather in the Parish Hall (turn left when you exit the Chapel and head for the green doors).
3. **STOP BY THE WELCOME TABLE** at the Chapel doors or the rolling bulletin board near the Main Church entrance, browse the information there, and pick up our most recent “Get Connected” brochure. This brochure contains information about becoming a member, details about our outreach, ministries, classes, groups, and events. It provides a one-stop guide to help you “get connected” – to God, to the inclusive community that is St. Francis, and to many opportunities to make a difference in the world.
4. **IF YOU HAVE COME WITH CHILDREN**, please know that children of any age are always welcome to stay with you during the worship service. We have found that sitting toward the front helps children feel they are more “a part of the action”. Pew bags are available at the Chapel doors with child-friendly worship aids.



PRAYERS THIS WEEK

We pray for all those who serve in the armed and foreign services, and for their families, especially **Drew Deley, Kelly Hall, Mark Kappelmann, TJ Malzahn, Scott Ruston, Michael Strong, Jonathan Zimmerman and Steve**, that they may be kept from harm's way.

Those who are ill or recovering from surgery: **Andrea, Susie Allen, Douglas Bedell, Howard Dale, Ceri Falk, Rob Fitting, Amalia Fraker, Mary Louise Gordon, Mama Hill, Nancy Jacobsmeyer, Marjorie Morris, Munoz Family, Peter Pano, Karen Pearson, James and Reiko, Jerry Rosenthal, Anne Shepherd, Steve Smith and Phyllis Thomas**, that they may know your healing power.

We pray for all who have died,
that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.