

Welcome to
St. Francis de Sales
Parish

Parish Office:

324 S. Sherman St.
Denver, CO 80209
Phone: 303-744-7211

Parish Office Hours:

9:00 am to 3:00pm
Monday-Friday

Mass Schedule:

Monday-Friday 12:10pm

Saturday 5:30 pm

Sunday

9:00 am & 10:30 am

Adoration

Friday after Mass

Reconciliation:

After Weekday Mass
4:30pm Every Saturday

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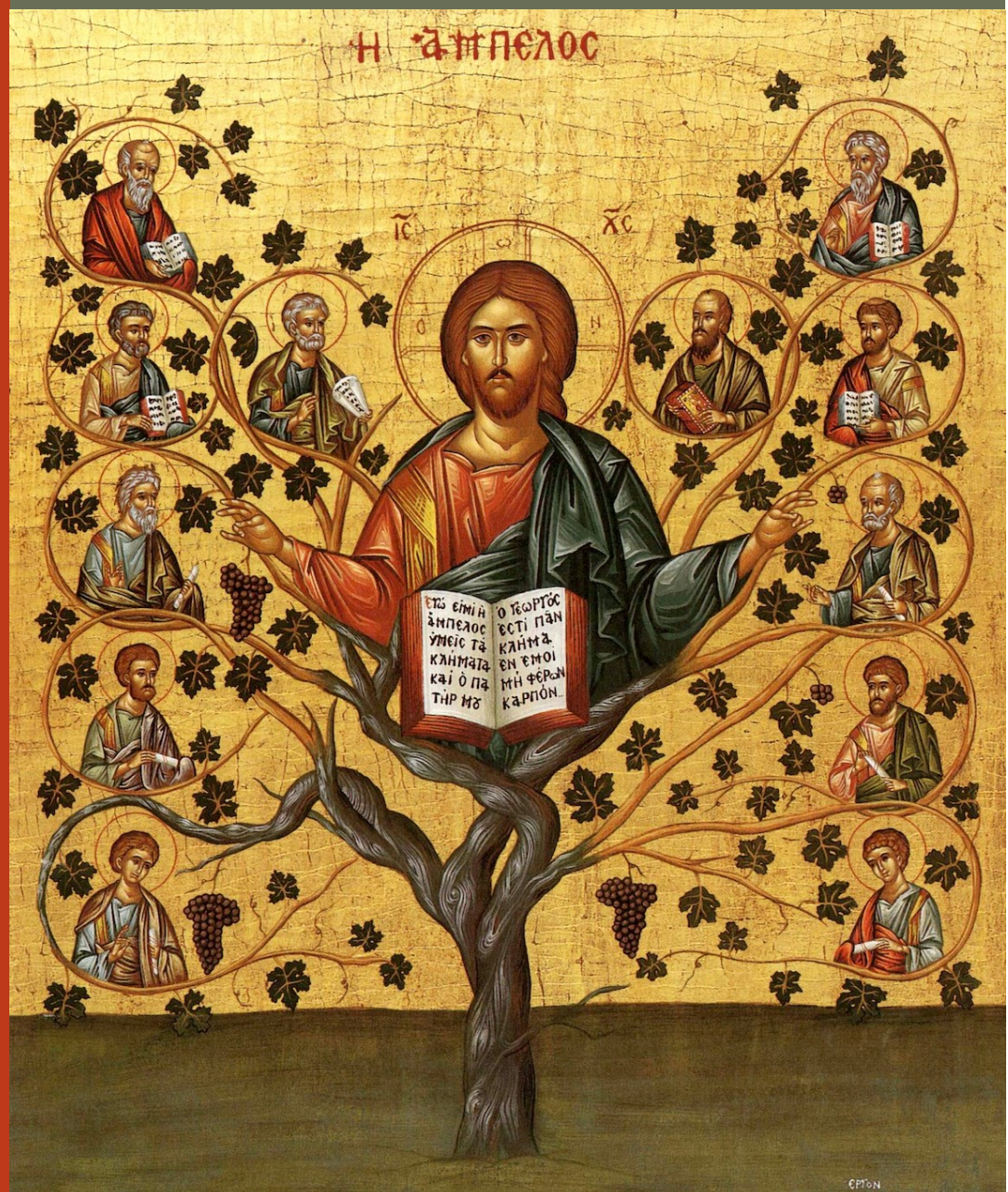
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Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 28, 2024



Remain in me, as I remain in you.
Just as a branch cannot bear fruit on its own
unless it remains on the vine, so neither can
you unless you remain in me.

Jn 15:4

In Preparation for
Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 5, 2024

Jn 15: 9-17

Jesus said to his disciples: "As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and your joy might be complete. This is my commandment; love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I no longer call you slaves, because a slave does not know what a master is doing. I have called you friends, because I have told you everything I have heard from my Father. It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and adopted you to go and bear fruit that will remain, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name he may give you. This I command you; love one another."

Volunteers Needed

We are seeking volunteers to help with cleaning duties to keep our church space welcoming and nice for everyone. The brothers and sisters involved in this ministry meet every Thursdays after the 12:10 mass. In addition to that, we are looking for someone to care and clean the linens used for the chalice and the paten (namely purificators and corporals.) It is a way to show your love for Christ and His Church. If God moves your heart to help with this service, please contact either the office or Fr Basso or Diann Heflin.

We are looking for volunteers who are available to bring Communion to parishioners who are homebound and are not able to come to mass. Moreover, If you would like to let us know of anyone who is homebound and needs to receive Communion, please let Fr. Basso or the office receptionist know, name, address, and phone number.

This section is dedicated to the spiritual life of St. Francis de Sales. Each week there will be an insert from Introduction to the Devout Life by St. Francis de Sales.

Chapter 30



**Further Notice
of Conversations**

Simplicity is better and more desirable than any amount of cleverness. Worldly prudence and carnal deceptions are characteristic of this world's children, but children of God walk a straight path and have no guile in their hearts. "He that walks sincerely walks confidently." Scripture says, [Prov. 10:9]. Lies, duplicity and dissimulation are always signs of a feeble and mean mind. Let us, therefore, be as precise and balanced as possible in our words. St. Augustine wrote in his *Confessions* that he and his friend were but one soul and that at his friend's death he had a horror of this life because he did not want to live a half-life, and yet he feared dying lest his friend should wholly die. Upon later reflection, these words seemed so artificial and exaggerated to him that he retracted them, treating them as absurdities! Admire, Philothea, this great saint's delicacy of conscience.

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Apr 27 Mass Intentions May 05

Saturday, April 27

5:30pm Bertram Frei +
By Norman Frei

Sunday, April 28

9:00am Danielle Hannes
By Ginger and Andrew Castillo
10:30am Kathleen Reddig +
By Mary Sullivan

Monday, April 29

12:10pm Frank Morfeld
By John Duran

Tuesday, April 30

12:10pm Kathleen Reddig +
By Mary Sullivan

Wednesday, May 1

12:10pm Chrystal Spence
By Cecilia Carpenter

Thursday, May 2

12:10pm Sandra Rodriguez Estrada
By Cecilia Carpenter

Friday, May 3

12:10pm Daniell Spence
By Cecilia Carpenter

Saturday, May 4

05:30pm Bertram Frei +
By Norman Frei

Sunday, May 5

9:00am Wilhelmus and Maria Klaassens
By Ellen Klaassens

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Jesus uses images to describe our reality and using his words 'without me you can do nothing.' Our enemy does the opposite he drives us to believe an imaginary life, an idea of happiness that does not exist, does not fulfill, unreachable and unfulfilling. God 's intention is that we 'bear much fruit,' which means that He wants us to have a life worth living. This is possible only if God is truly part of our life and not a detached observer looking at us while we are drowning. Courage, God is truly a good Father!

Respect Life Rosary

Please join us at St. Francis de Sales Church to pray the Rosary for the protection of the unborn

Saturday, May 4th
at 10:00am.

Lord Hear Our Prayer

Prayers for deceased: Souls and families in Purgatory. Evelyn Deudor Gomez +. Families: Romero, Dr. Taylor and Dr. Patrick Powers, Jeff and Patty Hahn, Tom and Linda Paris, Basquez, Baca, Medina, Gonzales, Vigil, and Martinez. Sick: Gary Slaven, Joe Jordan, and Maria Hern, and Marysol Valladaries, Tony Romero. Lisa Spears, Loraine Valentir, Bob Perkins, Hank Betz, Sam Sayed, Dr, Van Horn, Norma and Dennis Powers, Jerri and Ester Bry, Nusau family: Abbey, Sofia, Milo, Drego, and Tony. Alvarez Family: Ernesto, Sandra, and Edelmiro. Booth family: Terrance, Tracy, and Brian. Yamoke family: Bert Jr, and Bert Sr... and Nichole. All priests. Prayers for clergy: Pope Francis, Archbishop Aquila, Cardinal Stafford Fr. William Jungmann, Fr. Basso, and brothers Angel and Mario. Good Job decisions, chaste relationship, love in the world and hope for all, and thanks for trauma doctors. Eva Bevelaqua and Sandra. Prayers for those addicted to alcohol or drugs. Prayer for immigrants and homeless and adoption rather than abortion. Prayers for John, Mary Familignetti and Mike Thomson.

Archbishop Catholic Appeal

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April 16.....\$1,574.36

April 23.....\$2,674.43

