

SAINT FRANCIS BORGLIA



Welcomes Visitors & New Parishioners

Reaffirming our own faith in
Jesus, the Christ, we gladly
welcome you into this
community of faith, enfolding
you with our love and
committing ourselves to your care.

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SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 17

*Saint Francis Borgia was dedicated on September 30, 1952 by the
Most Reverend Francis R. Cotton, D.D. Bishop of Owensboro, Ky.*

FAITH, FAMILY & FRIENDS

SACRAMENTS

CONFESSION

Sunday 8:00 AM - 8:30 And by appointment

BAPTISM

Preparation Classes required for parents.

Please contact Fr. Ryan early in your pregnancy.

Call the office for more details.

HOLY COMMUNION

Contact Fr. Ryan or the church office

HOLY MATRIMONY

Contact Fr. Ryan at least 6 months prior to the proposed
wedding date.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Holy communion is taken to the sick and to the nursing homes
weekly. Contact the parish office for anyone in need.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JAN 17	WATER WITH BLESSINGS COLLECTION
JAN 31	CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK!
FEBRUARY	FOOD DRIVE—INFO TO COME!
FEB 07	DONUTS & COFFEE
FEB 10	ASH WEDNESDAY MASS HERE AT 6:00PM
FEB 13	ANNUAL MENS CONFERENCE OWENSBORO
FEB 27	DINNER AUCTION
MARCH	CLOTHING DRIVE—INFO TO COME!!

Our Return to the Lord

JANUARY 10, 2016

Attendance ()

Tithes	\$ 560.00
Pastoral Associate	\$ 00
Votive Candles	\$ 00
Opportunities for Life	\$ 10.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 5.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 00
Mass Intentions	\$ 125.00
TOTAL	\$ 700.00

BULLETIN BITE!!!

“Do whatever he tells you!”

Mary speaks only four times in all four Gospels [175 words]. First is her exchange with the angel at the Annunciation [Luke 1:34, 38]; next, when she visits Elizabeth and proclaims the *Magnificat* [Luke 1:46-55]; then when she confronts and chastises Jesus for staying behind in Jerusalem [Luke 2:48]. Mary's last words in the Bible are at the wedding feast at Cana. She tells Jesus *“They have no more wine”* and then instructs the servants, *“Do whatever he tells you!”* [John 3:4]. Mary is a woman of few words, but they are powerful. From *“May it be done unto me according to your word”* to *“Do whatever he tells you!”* she gives us a model of faith, courage and openness to the will of God. She challenges us to listen to Jesus in prayer and to *“do whatever he tells you.”* to become all that God created us to be. What is that *“woman of a few words”* telling us today? Probably: **“Do whatever he tells you!”**

TODAYS REFLECTION

Think of these first weeks after Christmas as a season of "epiphanies." The Liturgy is showing us Who Jesus is and what He has revealed about our relationship with God.

Last week and the week before, the imagery was royal and filial - Jesus is the newborn king of the Jews who makes us co-heirs of Israel's promise, beloved children of God. Last week in the Liturgy we went to a Baptism.

This week we're at a wedding.

We're being shown another dimension of our relationship with God. If we're sons and daughters of God, it's because we've married into the family.

Have you ever wondered why the Bible begins and ends with a wedding - Adam and Eve's in the garden and the marriage supper of the Lamb (compare Genesis 2:23-24 and Revelation 19:9; 21:9; 22:17)?

Throughout the Bible, marriage is the symbol of the covenant relationship God desires with His chosen people. He is the Groom, humanity His beloved and sought-after bride. We see this reflected beautifully in today's First Reading.

When Israel breaks the covenant she is compared to an unfaithful spouse (see Jeremiah 2:20-36; 3:1-13). But God promises to take her back, to "espouse" her to Him forever in an everlasting covenant (see Hosea 2:18-22).

That's why in today's Gospel, Jesus performs His first public "sign" at a wedding feast.

Jesus is the divine Bridegroom (see John 3:29), calling us to His royal wedding feast (see Matthew 22:1-14). By His New Covenant, He will become "one flesh" with all humanity in the Church (see Ephesians 5:21-33). By our Baptism, each of us has been betrothed to Christ as a bride to a Husband (see 2 Corinthians 11:2).

The new wine that Jesus pours out at today's feast is the gift of the Holy Spirit given to His bride and body, as today's Epistle says. This is the "salvation" announced to the "families of nations" in today's Psalm.

Yours in Christ,

Scott Hahn, Ph.D.

“do whatever He tells you!”

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 10TH
ST AMBROSE—7:00 AM
ST WILLIAM—NOON
ST FRANCIS—6:00 PM

Ministry List / Liturgical Apostolate

JANUARY 2016

Church Cleaner: Lucille Springfield
Ushers: Reburn Collins & Bob Greenwell
Holy Communion to the Sick: Beth Kemp
Rosary Leader: Irene Price (Sunday 8:15 a.m.)
Eucharistic Ministers: Emily James, Bradley James,
 & Marcy James
Lector: Mark Greer
Gift Bearers: Lisa Jones & Pam Collins
Sacristan: Reburn Collins
Coffee & Donuts: Carol & Joe French Jan 3

FEBRUARY 2016

Church Cleaner: Jama Wells
Ushers: Don Edd & David Wright
Holy Communion to the Sick: Lisa Jones
Rosary Leader: Irene Price (Sunday 8:15 a.m.)
Eucharistic Ministers: Lisa Jones, Barbara Wells,
 & Ann Conn
Lector: Greg Little
Gift Bearers: Mary Monarch & Virginia Quinn
Sacristan: Irene Price
Coffee & Donuts: Lisa & Darrel Jones—Feb 7

Stewardship in the New Year: Making Commitments to the Lord

Stewardship is a commitment of mind and heart to the Lord; a way of life that needs constant renewal and transformation. This time of year has always been one of looking forward to a new year, reflecting on the changes we need to make in our lives and resolving to follow through on those changes. Perhaps those who seek to make resolutions to be better stewards might find inspiration in this example: (a new example will be listed each week)

Stewardship of Health: Resolve to get those medical and dental checkups. Adopt healthier eating habits. Add exercise and other physical activity to your daily routine.

JANUARY Anniversaries

Don Edd & Miki Wright	01/13	48 years
Billy & Kathy Brown	01/22	34 years
Jerry & Brenda Stevens	01/24	50 years



JANUARY Birthdays

Margaret Holt	01/01	Alexess Wolfe	01/23
Roger Price	01/07	Connor Springfield	01/24
Marshall Turner	01/13	Jerry Stevens	01/26
Lucille Springfield	01/17	Olivia Arnold	01/27
Cletus Russelburg	01/20	Barb Gorman	01/28
Dustin Ray Perez Jones	01/20	Nathan Reese Wolfe	01/30
Sr. Alicia Coomes	01/22		

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Ginny Alder	Dillard Curtis	Laura Glassco	John Jenkins	Lois Rowland
Gary Ashby	Joe Daniel	Heather Green	Darrell Jones	Judy Rudd Howard
Alayna Baxter	Eula Drane	Herman Greenwell	Bernice Kamf	Cletus Russelburg
Carolyn Beaven	Dolorse Smith Drone	Mike Greenwell	Mike Keurger	Peggy Russelburg
Donnie Beaven	Keith Durbin	Rebecca Greenwel	Julie Killebrew	Sharon Russelburg
Bernadette Belt	Ronnie Durfry	Edith Greer	JoAnn Kurzendoerfer	Larry Shouse
Royce Bickett	Mary Lou Duncan	Cheri Gregory	Vinda Kurzendoerfer	Maddie Sutton
Angie Blades	Bernadette Farr	Karla Croft Gahafer	Vickie LaRue	Jimmy Thomas
Leann Blazina	D'Ann Farr	Larry Haire	Eric Livers	Lyda Thomas
John Brown	Tara Ford	Christopher Hancock	Reba Markham	Mary & Willis Thornsberry
Lisa Brown	Christopher French	Sheryl Hazel	Doug McMackin	Kathy Willett
Christine Bryant	Denny French	Kassandra Hinton	Cheryl Mills	William Turner
Merle Carrigan	Francis Joe French	Mary Holt	Mary Monarch	Randy White
Bill Cassidy	Drew Gatton	Wayne Howerton	Shane Neely	Jeanette Willett
Amber Chandler	Olivia Gibson	Cidney Hunter	Mike Oliver	Jerry A. Willett
Tony Collins	Kayla Gilland	Chuck Herm	Jamie Payton	Mary Smith Willett
Helen Conn	Vicky Gilland	Jesse James	Fr. Pike Powell	Tim Wolfe

WEEKLY LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Saturday, Jan. 16, green Vigil, SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	5:30 p.m. St. Ambrose Confession 4:00-5:00 p.m. <i>(Sat rdgs) 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Mk 2:13-17</i>	Fr. Albert Reed, CPPS (RIP) By: Joker & Jo Sheffer
Sunday, Jan. 17, SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green	9:00 a.m. St. Francis Borgia Confession 8:00-8:30 a.m. <i>Is 62:1-5/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11</i>	Amber Chandler (health) By: Greg & Marie Little
Sunday, Jan. 17, green SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	11:00 a.m. St. William Confession following Mass <i>Is 62:1-5/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11</i>	Parishioners
Monday, Jan. 18, green	7:00 a.m. St. Francis Borgia Confession following Mass <i>1 Sm 15:16-23/Mk 2:18-22</i>	Phillis Russelburg (RIP) By: Tim Thomas
Tuesday, Jan. 19, green	7:00 a.m. St. Francis Borgia Confession following Mass <i>1 Sm 16:1-13/Mk 2:23-28</i>	Bernard Brown (b.d.) (RIP) Mary Holt
Wednesday, Jan. 20, green/ red <i>Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr; Saint Sebastian, Martyr</i>	12:00 noon St. Ambrose Confession following Mass <i>Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr; Saint Sebastian, Martyr</i>	Cha Byrd (Mawmaw) health/bd By: Sr. Alicia Coomes
Thursday, Jan. 21, red Saint Agnes, Virgin and Martyr	12:00 noon St. William Confession following Mass <i>1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Mk 3:7-12</i>	Jenny Torres Family By: Alana Welch
Friday, Jan. 22, green Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children	NO MASS <i>1 Sm 24:3-21/Mk 3:13-19 (see lectionary)</i>	NO MASS
Saturday, Jan. 23, green Vigil THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	5:30 p.m. St. Ambrose Confession 4:00-5:00 p.m. <i>(Sat rdgs) 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Mk 3:20-21</i>	Parishioners
Sunday, Jan. 24, green THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9:00 a.m. St. Francis Borgia Confession 8:00-8:30 a.m. <i>Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/ Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21</i>	Eddie Thomas (RIP) By: Ray & Barbara Wells
Sunday, Jan. 24, green THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	11:00 a.m. St. William Confession following Mass <i>Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/ Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21</i>	Charles Welch (RIP) By: Alana Welch