

# St. Clare Chapel

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All Are Welcome!

Sunday Liturgy—10:00 am

Weekday Liturgy—8:00 am

The weekday Liturgy schedule may change during the month.

Please, check the daily schedule in the back of the Chapel.

Celebrant—Fr. Frank Jasper & Guest Celebrants

Communion Service: Tuesday 8:00 am

Adoration: First Friday of the Month 8:30 am—2:00 pm

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## WOMEN'S EQUALITY DAY

August 26th



"We honor the pioneers of women's equality by doing our part to realize the great American dream."

President Barack Obama 2011

### Women's Equality Day—August 26th

Since the inception of Women's Equality Day established in 1973 and now celebrated on August 26, it has evolved from not only being an annual observance of the anniversary of the first time voting rights were extended to women in the U.S. but as a day that acknowledges the full and equal participation of women in our Nation's life. Unfortunately, many of the remarkable contributions made by women throughout the present and past centuries have gone unacknowledged.

To that point, the U.S. marked the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the historic Apollo 11 moonwalk on Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup>. Space films of the moon, outer space, and NASA's role in the space race played non-stop on most media outlets. One film shown repeatedly was "Hidden Figures," the 2016 Oscar-nominated movie featuring the true-life story of three very talented women of color, who worked at NASA's early space program in the 1960's.

Mary Jackson, Dorothy Vaughan, and Katherine Johnson used their intelligence, courage, and leadership skills to combat the racial and gender discrimination they experienced at NASA. Unfortunately this same painful challenge of discrimination continues to plague women of color today, especially in the area of equal pay for equal work.

In April 2019 the **U.S. Census Bureau issued a statistical report for 2018** which pointed to an on-going gender based wage gap that is harmful to women, their families and the economy. The report also highlighted the fact that the gender based wage gap is especially damaging for women of color, who work full-time, year-round and are generally paid **61 cents** for every dollar paid to white, non-Hispanic men. Some reasons given for this wage discrepancy are gender and racial discrimination, workplace harassment, job segregation and a lack of workplace policies that support family caregiving. Generally, women employed full-time, year-round are paid **80 cents** for every dollar paid to men. This is not the case for women of color.

In light of the statistical facts cited here, we are called to reflect and act on how we can ensure equal pay for equal work for all women, especially women of color, and their families who are currently living with these unjust life and societal circumstances?

### ST. CLARE CHAPEL

Friday, August 2nd

2:00 PM—3:00 PM

Prayer Focus:

Healing our Relationship with Fear

Guided by: Sr. Karen Hartman



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

St. Clare Chapel

Friday, August 2

8:30 AM—2:00 PM

**LITURGY  
SCHEDULE  
CHANGE**

**AUGUST 5—10  
DAILY LITURGY  
11:00 am**

**Celebrant:  
Fr. Norm**

**HOLY  
HOUR  
FOR HOPE  
+ HEALING**

## bk2hk - Be Kind To Humankind Week

Be Kind to Humankind Week is a celebration of kindness that is recognized globally from August 25th-31st each and every year. It is a time to reflect on what we can do to make our world a better place!! Of course practicing kindness is a daily goal, but this is the week you can intentionally take it to the next level. The week consists of seven days, each with it's own unique theme on which to reflect and focus.

### **Sacrifice Our Wants For Others' Needs Sunday**

Sacrifice Our Wants For Others' Needs Sunday is a wonderful chance to do something for somebody else in need. Let your desires come second on this day and give a little something to someone else.

### **Motorist Consideration Monday**

Motorist Consideration Monday is your time to practice patience and consideration towards others while traveling.

### **Touch-A-Heart Tuesday**

Take the opportunity to show your love towards others. After all, love is eternal and a little bit of love goes a long way.

### **Willing-To-Lend-A-Hand Wednesday**

It does not have to be anything grand or large, although we would not discourage that, even the smallest bit of help to someone is great!

### **Thoughtful Thursday**

Try a little harder to break free from your own busy world and try to be more aware of other people's feelings! Be empathetic.

### **Forgive Your Foe Friday**

Every time we forgive, we dissipate anger's power and choose to be our better selves. Try your best to forgive. Love is stronger than hate.

### **Speak Kind Words Saturday**

The spoken word is extremely powerful. Think before you speak. Watch what you say. And speak kind words to others and yourself!

7TH ANNUAL EXHIBIT

**ARTLOCAL  
ART SHOW**  
AT CENTENNIAL BARN

AUGUST 23 7:00 PM—10:00 PM  
AUGUST 24 10:00 AM—2:00 PM

ARTSCONNECT

*Centering Prayer*

EVERY TUESDAY

3:30 PM

Peace Center—Garden Room  
Facilitator—Sr. JoAnn Jackowski

### **St. Clare Chapel**

Join us as we congratulate and pray for the  
August weddings of

Emily Pille & Mark Schulte  
Laura Cress & Matthew Crum  
Stephanie Deters & Daniel Clifton  
Mallory DeMott & John Mikolay



Is there a wedding in your future?  
Contact our Wedding Coordinator  
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Call 761-9040 Ext-176

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Join Us! All Are Welcome!

HEALING PRAYER CIRCLE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 2019

2:00 PM—3:00 PM

ST. CLARE CONVENT-PEACE CENTER

## **National Thrift Shop day – August 17th**

### **Franciscan Peddler—A Hidden Gem!**

Six years ago, the Franciscan Peddler Thrift Shop opened on St. Clare Campus. As crazy as this may sound, the former Franciscan Terrace swimming pool was repurposed and our thrift shop location was created.

The mission of the Franciscan Peddler serves to enhance the dignity and quality of life for those who are poor and underserved. We serve the community at large who come to shop and support the mission. The goal of the store is to bring volunteers together to raise funds to support the outreach services of Franciscan Ministries (FM). Our volunteers are served by having a mission oriented, friendly atmosphere in which to contribute their personal talents and time.

The Peddler receives donations of new and gently used clothing, shoes, jewelry, household items, books, and a variety of other items. Our volunteers sort through the items and prepare them for sale in the store. We never know what will show up in the donation bin. It is always an adventure!

### **How to celebrate Thrift Shop Day**

Come on in and celebrate National Thrift Shop Day with us! Browse the selections, find some outfits to wear and enjoy the treasure hunt! August 2-3 the Peddler is offering 50% off all items in the store and all clothing will be just a \$1! Shopping at a thrift store is never the same experience since the heaps of items changes constantly.



The Franciscan  
**Peddler**  
Thrift Store

**OPEN:**  
FRIDAYS  
SATURDAYS  
10:00 am—4:00 pm



**THANK YOU**

**FOR YOUR DONATIONS!!**  
**DROP off 24/7 - Gently Used**  
CLOTHES • HOUSEHOLD ITEMS  
Dock located next to Convent Parking

