

## Vision Statement

God's word declares, "Be holy, as I am holy." Saint Francis Campus Ministry responds to this divine call as it seeks to build up our University as a "School of Holiness". St. Francis of Assisi zealously desired to follow in the footsteps of Christ in all things. Motivated by this penitential example, Saint Francis University embraces its Catholic identity by rooting itself in this wonderful tradition.

Through evangelization, catechesis and loving Catholic service to others we proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ in liturgy, academics, social events, athletics, and in all areas of campus life. In this way the Spirit of God empowers students to faithfully learn and fervently live the radical nature of the gospel in ordinary life.

As a community of faith and love we strive to inspire conversion as we endeavor to meet the spiritual and pastoral needs of our university, especially as they are reflected in our goals of Franciscan education. For we believe that the greatest success in life can only be found by following the will of God.

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## Immaculate Conception Chapel



### Mass & Confession Schedule

Noon Mass  
Monday - Friday

Saturday Vigil— 4:30 pm  
Sunday—10:00 am, 9:00 pm

### Confessions

Friday — 11:15am —11:45am  
Saturday - 3:45pm—4:15pm

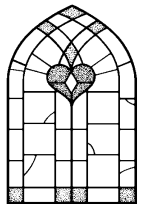
## Campus Ministry Announcements and Events

October 2, 2011

# Calendar of Events

~**Francis 4 All** is a program that provides an opportunity for people to gather for an evening of faith sharing, prayer, food, fellowship, and fun. Fishing, movie nights, and bonfires along with several guest speakers are just a few of the activities which have been planned for this year's program. The program is held Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in Campus Ministry.

~A **student prayer group** will be meeting every Wednesday morning at 7 am in the Immaculate Conception Chapel to pray a rosary together followed by breakfast! What a great way to start your day!



~**Adoration with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament** takes place each Wednesday evening at 8:00 p.m. in the Immaculate Conception Chapel.

~**Night prayer** will now be held in three places on campus! Monday thru Thurs it will be held in the Elizabeth Hall second floor lounge at 9:15, Amici Hall basement lounge at 9:45 and Francis Hall Small Chapel at 10:15. On Sunday night, it will be held directly after the 9 PM mass in the Francis Small Chapel. A peer minister will be at the door of these halls to swipe students in. All students of all faiths are welcome!

~**Sharer's of the Word** takes place in the Immaculate Conception Chapel Thursday evening beginning at 8:30 p.m. All are welcome to attend.

~Passionate about sharing your faith? Have a desire to get more involved on campus? Want to work with local high school students? Then come join us on **Wednesday Nights @ 7:15 p.m.** in **Campus Ministry** for our **Fire Starters** meeting!

### Liturgical Reflection. . .

One of the most frequently asked questions is, why are we getting a new translation for the ROMAN MISSAL? There are various reasons, but most important is that the Church is in a good position now to improve the translation and that, after forty years, the time has come to freshen the texts. Translators have a better insight now into the meaning of the original texts, and a better sense of what sounds right when it is proclaimed aloud. Also, a closer accuracy to the Latin texts will reflect the fruit of many centuries of theological reflection and pastoral experience contained in those ancient prayers. The new translation will give a clearer voice to the Church's faith.

*With One Voice*, Federation of Diocesan Liturgical Commissions, 2010, page 107-108. 2011, Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown, Liturgy Office, 925 South Logan Blvd, Hollidaysburg, PA 16648.

*Find these and other  
programs  
listed on  
the web at  
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