

Itinerarium Mentis in Deum

May- Finish Aristotle and Cicero on Friendship. Bonus class on *De Senectute*.

June- *Francis and Claire*, ISBN: **9780809124466**

July-continue *Francis and Claire*, Get Bonaventure ISBN: **9780809121212**

August and September- St. Bonaventure's *Life of St. Francis, The Soul's Journey into God*.

October 4: The Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, Our Parish's Patron.

Goals: To grow in the love and knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ, in order to catch something of the Seraphic flame of love as our souls journey deeper and deeper into God. To discern together regarding the role of The Church of the Holy Faith as a preeminent center Franciscan Spirituality in the Anglican World. Ours is the oldest and largest Parish in the entire Anglican Communion dedicated to St. Francis of Assisi, did you know that? Years ago, Dean Peggy led a pilgrimage to Assisi which continues to bear fruit to this day. Maybe it's time to look at doing this again for a new generation of Holy Faith parishioners. Maybe it's time to reestablish something of the *Regula Sancti Patris Francisci* and from here to let its peace, light, joy, and love radiate out to the whole world. Maybe it's time to let the Spirit breathe new life into the *Fratres et Sorores de Poenitentia*.

Come along on this fun *itinerarium*! Even if none of the above excites you, this is still great material regarding Spiritual Classics that has not been covered before. So come for the friendship and fellowship if nothing else!

A Prayer attributed to St. Francis

Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.