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and deed;

Committed
To be Christ to one
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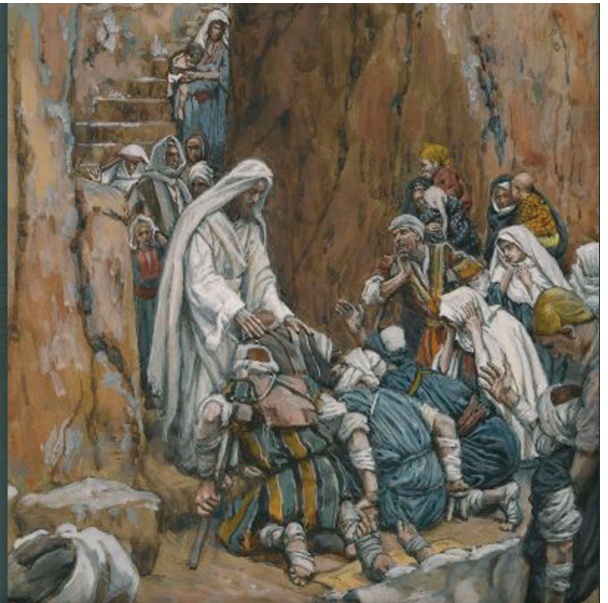
GOD AND COUNTRY RENEW MY CHURCH



FEBRUARY 11
2018

A leper came to Jesus
and begged him:
"If you wish,
you can make me clean."
Jesus stretched out his hand,
touched him, and said,
"I do will it. Be made clean."
The leprosy left
him immediately.

Mark 1:40-42



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL PARISH FIX-IT TOGETHER CAMPAIGN



WELCOME TO ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH!

We welcome you to St. Francis de Sales. Organized as a parish in 1949 by the Archdiocese of Chicago, St. Francis de Sales Parish encompasses the communities of Lake Zurich, Deer Park, Hawthorn Woods, North Barrington, Kildeer, Long Grove and has a strong spiritual and temporal presence in Lake County.

If you are new in these neighborhoods or are returning to the practice of our Catholic faith, we welcome you to our Parish. Please call or, better yet, stop by the Ministry Center so we can meet you. If you are a visitor, we know that you will take some of our goodwill with you as you return to your home parish.

**Sunday, February 11, 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time,
World Marriage Day, World Day of the Sick**

- **Rel. Ed. Preschool:** 9:30 a.m.—School
- **Vicariate 1 Junior/Senior Confirmation Class:** 7 to 8:30 p.m.—Ministry Center

- **Youth Ministry Life Night/1st Year Confirmation Class:** 4:45 to 8 p.m. (Church & Ministry Center)
- **Adult Confirmation Class:** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Parish School
- **Emmaus House Comm. Dinner:** 6 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

Monday, February 12, Lincoln's Birthday

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m.—Church
- **Yoga:** 9:30 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **Prayer Shawl Gathering:** 9:30 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **Art & Environment:** 6 p.m.—Church

- **Rel. Ed. Middle School Classes (MS North & Outside L.Z.):** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **SPRED Catechist Prep (Ages 11-16):** 7 p.m.—Ministry Center

Tuesday, February 13

- **Mass:** 7 a.m.—Church
- **NAMI Family-to-Family Class:** 6 to 9 p.m.—Ministry Center (Registration required.)

- **Rel. Ed. Middle School Classes (MS North & Outside L.Z.):** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Boy Scouts Troop 309:** 7:30 to 9 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall
- **Handbell Choir Rehearsal:** 6:45 to 8:30 p.m.—Church



**Wednesday, February 14,
Ash Wednesday, Fast and Abstinence,
St. Valentine's Day**

- See page 6 for our Ash Wednesday Mass and Prayer Service schedule.

Thursday, February 15

- **Mass:** 7 a.m.—Church

- **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 6 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Art & Environment:** 7 p.m.—Church

Friday, February 16, Fasting and Abstinence

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and noon—Church
- **Stations of the Cross:** 7 p.m.—Church

- **Girl Scouts:** 2 to 3:30 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall
- **Knights of Columbus Lenten Fish Fry:** 5 to 8 p.m.—Columbus Center

**Saturday, February 17, The Seven Holy Founders of the
Servite Order**

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.—Church
- **Catechist Certification Class:** 9 a.m. to noon—Ministry Center

- **Confessions:** 11 a.m. to noon—Church
- **Knights of Columbus District Free Throw Competition:** 8 a.m.—Transfiguration

Sunday, February 18, 1st Sunday of Lent

- **Rel. Ed. Preschool:** 9:30 a.m.—School
- **Home Study Family Session:** 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

- **Emmaus House Comm. Dinner:** 6 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

This Weekend
February 10 & 11, 2018

*Annual Catholic Appeal
(Follow-Up Weekend)*



Next Weekend
February 17 & 18, 2018

Knights of Columbus (Speaker)

February 11, 2018: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

It is to those who have the most need of us that we ought to show our love more especially.

-St. Francis de Sales

GIVE GOD THE GLORY

A curious feature of the first half of Mark's Gospel is the pattern of Jesus working a miracle, then telling the recipient of the miracle to keep still about it. Many theories have been offered: Mark is setting the stage for the great "secret" revealed when Peter will proclaim Jesus the Messiah at Caesarea Philippi; more skeptical commentators offer that Jesus, fully aware of human nature, knew that the way to spread the news was to tell people to keep it secret. The insight into this secret-keeping that serves us well, however, is that Jesus was initiating his public ministry according to the pattern that Paul describes. He was doing it for the glory of God—not for his own benefit, but for that of all. Paul would later write in Philippians that Jesus "humbled" himself to become like us. And we see this humility at work in today's healing of the leper. Jesus is trying to reveal the presence of God's reign among the people, not so that he himself might receive the glory, but so that God would be glorified through him. Imitating this pattern, which Paul encourages the Jewish and Greek Christian factions in Corinth to do, still serves us well today.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The leper will dwell apart, making an abode outside the camp (Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46).

Psalm — I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation (Psalm 32).

Second Reading — Do everything for the glory of God (1 Corinthians 10:31 — 11:1).

Gospel — The leprosy left him immediately, and he was made clean (Mark 1:40-45).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: J1 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6ab, 12-14, 17; 2 Cor 5:20 — 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15

Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

Sunday: Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Marriage Day; World Day of the Sick

Monday: Lincoln's Birthday

Wednesday: Ash Wednesday; Valentine's Day; Fast and Abstinence

Friday: Abstinence

Saturday: The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

WORDS OF WISDOM: WORD OF LIFE

"Sometimes our actions speak for themselves; other times, words are needed. Whatever the situation, Jesus knows how to speak to each person's heart; we simply need to follow where he leads."

- USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today's Gospel centers on the plight of a leper and Jesus' response of healing. In Hawaii, the bacterium that causes leprosy probably entered from China in the mid-1800s, and the native islanders were susceptible. In 1866, the government dumped the sufferers on a remote and inaccessible island peninsula with towering cliffs. Thrown off ships into the sea, the sick people were told to swim for the beach and head for caves, and for seven years the only supplies were similarly cast into the sea to drift ashore. In 1873, a 33-year-old Belgian priest, Damien de Veuster, went voluntarily to Kalaupapa. Before long, he cajoled the government into funding his mission and its hospital, built a village with proper homes and sanitation, and recruited Mother Marianne Cope to bring sisters from Syracuse, New York, to nurse the sick. Damien, who eventually died of leprosy, has been canonized, and Mother Marianne as well.

Although leprosy has been curable since the 1940s, today a few patients remain in their lifelong home, now a national historic site. The peninsula is still isolated from the outside world. The hospital is still well-staffed and equipped, but access is regulated and visitors must take an official tour, often involving a descent down the cliffs by "Molakai mule." There are few places on earth that evoke the healing power of Jesus, or our call to follow the Healer, more than Damien's beloved island mission.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK SPEECH BY PRINCIPAL KYLE SCHMITT

Parish School Principal Kyle Schmitt delivered the following remarks at the 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m., and 11 a.m. Masses on Sunday, January 28 to introduce Catholic Schools Week.

Good morning. For those of you who do not remember me from the last time I spoke at the masses, my name is Kyle Schmitt and I am your parish school principal. For those of you who DO remember me from last time I spoke at masses you can breathe easy, my remarks are considerably shorter today.

Today marks the first day of Catholic Schools Week. Catholic Schools Week is an annual, week-long, national celebration of Catholic Schools.

When I look around at the world today, I see that Catholic education today is more important than it ever was. A Catholic Education forms a Catholic identity as a disciple of Jesus Christ and that is a foundation for greatness in life personally, and in how we can impact the world.

I see unprecedented income and wealth inequality in the world and in our country and I see the need for a generation practicing the Catholic Church's teachings on social justice.

I see our national political divisiveness and I wish we all could hear Jesus calling us to love of neighbors, without qualification. Jesus didn't say love your democratic neighbor or your republican neighbor.

I see us politically ignoring the scientific consensus on anthropogenic climate change and I see a need for the next generation to have a spirit of stewardship AND deep scientific understanding – and we have our science fair during Catholic Schools week.

I see an epidemic of school shootings and opium overdoses and I wish the nation's youth can ALL find a life of meaning and purpose that comes with discipleship and living a life to get to heaven – instead of seeking pleasure or acting with violence here on earth.

In all, I see a world that needs Catholic Education more than ever before.

The prevailing public opinion in this country is that Catholic education is in decline. Particularly here in the Archdiocese, we hear about dropping enrollments and schools that are closing. Over the last five years total Archdiocesan Catholic School enrollment has dropped about 3% each year and a few schools have closed each year. People interpret this to mean that our schools are in decline. In these conversations, you rarely hear it noted that by comparison, CPS has experienced roughly the same 3% average annual drop in enrollment in the last five years, and announced this December its plan to close 50 schools. This year the Arch plans to close 5. I can tell you first-hand that Catholic Education in the Archdiocese is alive, well, and experiencing renewal. Many schools in the archdiocese are thriving with strong local leadership – from principal, pastor, and the wider parish community – which is exactly what we are blessed to have here at St. Francis.

Our enrollment goal next year is for 1% growth in enrollment from last year. I believe we can hit that goal. But whether we do or not, the true metric of Catholic education is not enrollment numbers.

Some of the metrics I see come from talking with people. Last night at Travinia people spoke to me about the strong sense of community that St. Francis is a family and means home to them. That they are here for good, "I'll never leave" I believe in what we are doing" and "Thank you for what you are doing for our kids"

I see incredible academic successes as just this Friday we found out we are advancing to the final round of the Blue Ribbon award application process in large part based on our academic results.

I see a parish/school community moving with purpose and direction in raising the next generation of disciples.

And so, I invite you to celebrate next week all our successes and give thanks for our many blessings at our Open House next Sunday, February 4, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Thank you!

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO—OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL



November 30, 2017

Dear Father Ryan,

Usually I begin my letter to you on the Annual Appeal with a report on how we have done in this past year. But, this time I just want to tell you how grateful I am to each and every one of you for your help. My years as a pastor have taught me that the personal involvement and support of the pastors for the ACA is essential and I thank you for that. Now to where we stand. With two months still remaining in the 2017 Annual Catholic Appeal, over \$14.3 million has been raised to date, continuing the generous support of the people of God in the Archdiocese of Chicago. You are directly responsible for this year's success. Thank you!

Our Annual Catholic Appeal is framed in the words of Jesus: *Come, follow me*. It is an invitation to be Christ for others and to live in a community of discipleship. As Christ's community we help to sustain Catholic schools and parishes in need, support programs of religious education, ministerial formation, and promote the protection of life and peace and justice. Through the Annual Appeal, we together support the efforts of Catholic Relief Services that cares for people across the globe who struggle and suffer because of natural disasters.

It is tempting to take for granted the good will and commitment that people demonstrated during the previous years. But, that would be a mistake. Instead, I ask that you attend to the procedures that have been developed to insure a successful Annual Catholic Appeal again in 2018.

Since St. Francis de Sales elected to participate in the ACA Incentive Plan in 2017, your 2018 goal is reduced to 75% of your regular goal. Therefore, your 2018 goal is 4.5% of the previous year's offertory income.

Your offertory income for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 was \$2,036,797. Therefore, your target is \$91,656.

When parishioner contributions exceed the parish goal, St. Francis de Sales will receive a rebate of 100% of the funds donated over the goal.

If you and/or your Leadership Team have any questions about the 2018 Annual Catholic Appeal, please contact Barbara Shea Collins (312-534-7944 or bcollins@archchicago.org) or Jeremy Monty (312-534-7939 or jmonty@archchicago.org) and they will be happy to assist you.

Thank you in advance for your leadership in this important effort.

Just as you have my gratitude, you also have my prayers. Let us pray for one another. Together, as his disciples, we can do so much to bring Jesus to a world that is deeply in need. With God's grace and help, we will fulfill our mission.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich, Archbishop of Chicago

Eleventh Report: 2017 Annual Catholic Appeal as of January 19, 2018

Amount Pledged:	\$361,920
Amount Assessed:	\$60,075
Amount Paid:	\$358,187
Rebate Returned:	\$267,944
Balance Due	\$3,733
Donor Count:	795

FINAL Report: 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 23, 2017

Amount Pledged:	\$385,913
Amount Assessed:	\$122,707
Amount Paid:	\$381,803
Rebate Returned:	\$259,096
Balance Due	\$4,110
Donor Count:	945

ASH WEDNESDAY: FEBRUARY 14, 2018



Please join us for any of our Ash Wednesday services:

- 6:30 a.m. Prayer and Distribution of Ashes
- 8:30 a.m. Mass with Distribution of Ashes
- 11 to 11:45 a.m.: Confessions
- Noon: Mass with Distribution of Ashes
- 2:30 p.m. Prayer and Distribution of Ashes
- 3:30 to 4:15 p.m.: Confessions
- 4:30 p.m. Prayer and Distribution of Ashes
- 6 to 6:45 p.m.: Confessions
- 7 p.m. Mass with Distribution of Ashes



Every Friday during Lent, we will offer a noon Mass in addition to our usual 8:30 a.m. Mass. Stations of the Cross will be offered at 7 p.m.

ASH WEDNESDAY ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

This year, the largely secular celebration of Saint Valentine's Day (Feb. 14) coincides with Ash Wednesday and some have inquired if a dispensation from the obligations to fast and abstain from meat will be given.

Catholics throughout the world recognize Ash Wednesday as the solemn beginning of a period of prayerful reflection and penance, as is evident by the large number of churchgoers on this day.

In view of the significance of Ash Wednesday the obligation of fast and abstinence must naturally be the priority in the Catholic community. Saint Valentine's Day can appropriately be celebrated the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday, which also happens to be Mardi Gras, a traditionally festive time before beginning our Lenten observance.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us in the Church at 7 p.m. every Friday during Lent for Stations of the Cross. Unfamiliar with this devotional practice? The Stations of the Cross offer a 14-step prayer pilgrimage recalling the events that occurred on Jesus Christ's last day on Earth. The Stations of the Cross can be found in most Catholic Churches, either as a series of paintings or plaques. At St. Francis de Sales, the plaques are located on the rear wall of the Church.

Participants pray and meditate together before each Station. Our Stations typically last 20-30 minutes.



LENTEN REGULATIONS

(from February 14, 2018,
Ash Wednesday, to the Paschal Triduum)

Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on Ash Wednesday and on all the Fridays of Lent.

Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted. The special Paschal fast, as well as abstinence, are prescribed for Good Friday and encouraged for Holy Saturday.

LENTEN RESOURCES

Living Lent Daily: Daily e-mail series delivering fresh reflections based on the Scriptures of Lent. (www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/liturgical-year/len/living-lent-daily/)

Best Lent Ever | Lent 2017 | Dynamic Catholic: Sign up for the free, video-based e-mail program. (www.dynamiccatholic.com/bestlentever/)

Redeemed Online (#ShareJesus): Join us this Lent as we walk through the Gospel of Mark. (www.redeemedonline.com/len/)

2018 Lenten Gospel Reflections:
www.lentreflections.com

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

Dear Parents of Brothers and Sisters in the Risen Christ,



On behalf of St. Francis de Sales Bereavement Ministry and Forever in Our Hearts Grief Support Group, I invite parents and family members to share in a liturgy to honor children now entrusted to God's loving care. To reach out to parents who have lost a child and to help parents take another step on the long road to healing, a Mass of Remembrance to honor children who are deceased will be celebrated on **Saturday, February 24 at 11 a.m.** Whether death came recently or long ago, and whether they departed this life before birth, or as infants, young children or teens, or in adulthood, the lives of our beloved children were far too short. Please join us to pray with other parents who have also lost children and share our hope in the Resurrection.

You may know of another family who has experienced the loss and grief of a child or children. Please extend to the family or families this invitation for gathering at the Lord's Table at the parish.

All bereaved parents and family or close friends are welcome. Please join members of our Forever in Our Hearts Grief Support Group and Bereavement Ministers in the Gathering Space following Mass for refreshments and fellowship.

God give you peace, Father David F. Ryan, Pastor

MINISTRY OF CARE TRAINING FOR NEW MINISTERS OF CARE

Presenters: Sr. Jane Schlosser, RSM, Sr. Mary Barbara Hassler, Carol Holden, D.Min., Deacon Jim Minor

Topics: Spirituality in Ministry, The Experience of Suffering, Theology of the Eucharist, Prayer in Care Ministry, Ministerial Procedures, Pastoral Communication Skills

Full participation in **both** training sessions will fulfill Archdiocesan requirements for mandation.

When: Saturdays, February 24 & March 3, 2018

Time: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (Sign-in: 8:45 to 9 a.m.)

Where: St. Francis de Sales Parish,
135 S. Buesching Rd., Lake Zurich, IL

Food: Continental breakfast as well as lunch with coffee, tea, and water

Reservations: You **MUST** register by visiting www.vic1chicago.org.

Contact Judy Brault at 312-749-5094 or Nancy Fanciullo at 847-438-8279 for more details.

ADULT CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

If you are...A practicing Catholic, between the ages of 17 & 99, who has made First Communion, but has not received Confirmation...



We are offering a series of formation sessions that will allow you to be Confirmed this spring. Our meetings will be held roughly every two weeks on Sunday evenings from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in the Parish School. (Class dates include 2/11, 2/25, 3/11, 3/25, 4/8, 4/22, and 4/29.) Rehearsal for Confirmation will take place on Thursday, May 10 at 7 p.m. at St. Alphonsus Liguori in Prospect Heights. The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Monday, May 14 at 7 p.m. at St. Alphonsus Liguori. For information or to sign up, please contact Christine DePrez at (847) 436-2265 or e-mail cdeprez@cornerstonenb.com.

PRO-LIFE LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Saturday, February 17, 2018 • Sponsored by Lake County Right to Life
Registration: 8 a.m. • Complimentary Breakfast • Program begins: 9 a.m.

Location: Christ Church Crossroads, 1350 IL-137, Grayslake, IL

Featured Speakers: Senator Dan McConchie; Representative Sheri Jesiel; Representative Nick Sauer; Representative Barbara Salvi Wheeler; Elise Bouc - ERA

The 2018 legislative session in Springfield will be a very difficult year for Pro-Life. This presentation will provide essential information to equip you for action needed to save unborn babies as well as other vulnerable lives. Registration is required. Call 847-223-7022. This event is FREE for the public.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES JUBILEE GARDEN

NEW COORDINATOR NEEDED FOR LAST YEAR AT THE HABERSTROH FARM!

The Jubilee Garden is in need of a new leader for our upcoming 20th season! Eighteen of these wonderful years have been spent at the Haberstroh Farm located on Route 22 just east of Quentin. The land was owned by Bill Haberstroh, who passed away last year, may he rest in peace. Bill's family has been gracious enough to extend the use of their land for one more season!

At the end of last season, Al and I retired after 15 blessed years at the farm. We are looking for someone to lead the farm for the last year at the Haberstroh property. Several volunteers are on board to help!

This is an extremely rewarding ministry. The farm grows organic vegetables - you can be the judge on how much you want to grow - for our St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry and our Sunday Community Dinner. We will be happy to help with the transition in any way we can!

Please consider helping us out so we can utilize this beautiful land for one more growing season!

Please contact Janet Gozzola at jgozzola@comcast.net or 847-540-0672 with any questions.

Thank you to everyone who has helped and supported the Jubilee Garden! This is truly a team effort and it has been an immense pleasure serving this ministry!

SAVE THE DATE FOR LECTOR AND EME TRAINING

Formation & Training for New Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Saturday, April 7, 2018

Presenter: Fr. Joe Curtis

Where: St. Joseph Formation Center,
112 N. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, IL 60048

Time: 8:30 a.m. Registration, 9 to noon Workshop

Register: Go to www.vic1chicago.org

Questions? Sue Matousek at smatous@stmota.org

A follow-up session will take place in your parish that will include a practicum on the particular practices for distribution of the Eucharist.

This training meets the Archdiocesan requirements for mandation or remandation.

Lector Training (For NEW Ministers Only)

Saturday, April 7, 2018

Presenter: Maureen Evers, Pastoral Associate,
St. Mary of Vernon

Where: St. Joseph Formation Center,
112 N. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, IL 60048

Time: 8:30 a.m. Registration, 9 to noon Workshop

Register: Go to www.vic1chicago.org

Questions? Sue Matousek at smatous@stmota.org

THANK YOU FROM THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference at St. Francis de Sales Church would like to send a special thank you to all who so generously donated money and food to help us stock the pantry and allow us to serve those in need. We continue to see the need grow and we have been very fortunate to be able to serve those who come for help.

If you made a monetary donation made payable to St. Vincent de Paul in the Church provided envelope, you will not see this donation included in your year-end tax statement from St. Francis de Sales. Contributors who donated amounts in excess of \$250 will automatically receive a separate tax letter from us; however, letters for amounts below that will only be issued on request. If you need a letter, please leave a message on the St. Vincent de Paul voice mailbox (847-726-4890) and we will send one to you. Once again thank you for all your continued generosity!



Attention: GIFT OF LOVE SPONSORS Signed Tax Donation Forms Available for Pick-Up

If you submitted a tax donation form for gifts or donations you provided, look for your signed form in an envelope in the Gift of Love thank you note bins located in the Gathering Space. Tax forms and thank you notes that have been received are available for pick up now.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR—REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Shake off those winter blues, throw on a green sweater, and join the fun—Irish or not! It is time to celebrate the Feast of our Good Saint Patrick!



Friday, March 16, 2018, 7 p.m., Fr. Valker Hall

\$35.00 Ticket includes: Open Bar, Extensive Irish/Italian Buffet, Live Entertainment All Night, Dancing, Raffles! Bring your neighbors, family and friends! (21+) Featuring the Shannon Rovers Irish Pipe Band, Irish step dancers and live music performed by Out of Storage and Seamus O’Kane!

Register online at www.stfrancislzparish.org. For more information, contact event co-chairs Helen Cawley, Trisha Rose, or Megan Mack at hicawley@hotmail.com.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP MEETING CANCELLED THIS MONTH

Due to Ash Wednesday, this month's Cancer Sharing and Support meeting has been cancelled. We will gather next month once again. If you are interested in learning more about our group, please contact Mary Manson at (847) 382-3051 and let's begin our journey together.

EUCCHARIST FOR PERSONS WITH CELIAC-SPRUE DISEASE

At St. Francis de Sales, we have become aware of several parishioners who suffer from Celiac-Sprue disease. This disease makes a person sick when they ingest gluten. Gluten is a component of wheat flour and this means that our standard Communion hosts contain gluten. Low-gluten hosts are available for sufferers of this disease. These hosts have a very small amount of gluten (.01%) and can be consumed by many persons with the disease. If you suffer from Celiac-Sprue disease and wish to learn more about this option and how to go about the process of obtaining these hosts, please contact Father Ryan at (847) 726-4723.

Knights of Columbus
All You Can Eat

Lenten Fish Fry and Bake

Will also include:
Fish Taco's, Slaw, Pizza, French Fries,
Macaroni & Cheese, Hush Puppies, Veggies, Coffee & Dessert

Save the Dates in 2018:

February 16th & 23rd.

March 2nd, 9th, 16th & 23rd.

Time:

Doors open at 4:30PM. Dinner Service 5:00–8:00PM.

Location:

Columbus Center
365 Surryse Road, Second Floor, Lake Zurich 60047
Between Kits Soccer Center and Ahlgrims
Entrance on East side of Building



Cost:

Adults	\$13.00
Seniors – 65 years and older	\$ 9.00
Children - 6 to 11 years old	\$ 6.00
Children - 5 years old and under.	Our Guest

All children must be accompanied by a Parent

Proceeds will be donated to Local Charities that help individuals with intellectual difficulties.

DO YOU LIKE TO SEW?

Rest In His Arms is hosting a sewing workshop where you can learn to turn wedding dresses into "angel gowns." These angel gowns are given to grieving families when a baby does not make it home due to miscarriage, stillbirth or infant death. They are sent to hospitals, funeral homes and individual families. You'll be shown the process to be provided time to work on them. Unfinished projects can be completed at home. Wedding dresses, patterns, and samples will be provided - along with lunch. A workshop will be held on Saturday, April 21st, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in Fr. Valker Hall. Bring your sewing machine, scissors/rotary cutters, pins and seam rippers. Please contact nadineberczynski@gmail.com to RSVP or visit RestInHisArms.org for further details.



SAVE THE DATE FOR TOTUS TUUS!



St. Francis de Sales Parish will once again host the Totus Tuus Youth Catholic Program this summer. The dates will be Monday, June 18—Friday, June 22. The program is for children entering grades 1 to 6 in the fall. All are welcome!

Mark your calendars now and stay tuned for registration information!

CONGRATULATIONS TO PAM LYNCH!

Pam Lynch, Director of Young Adult and Youth Ministry at St. Francis de Sales, received her Master of Arts from the Franciscan University of Steubenville in December 2017. Congratulations to Pam on her achievement after years of hard work!



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645 N. Rand Rd.



Thursday, February 22nd, 4-8PM

Join fellow parishioner Kathy Woloshyn and her grandson Mac DeLozier who was diagnosed with Type 1 in the fight to raise money for JDRF!

The following will be donated to JDRF Illinois:

- All donations from 4-8PM on February 22
- \$1 from every Concrete Mixer sold throughout the day
- Donations collected from February 1-22



LIFETEEN PROGRAM

There are so many ways to stay connected and build your faith, so come join the fun! Join us every Sunday at 5 p.m. Mass. Life Nights follow in the Ministry Center from 6:15 to 8 p.m. Open to all high school students! Join us for dinner and dessert!

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2018
LIFE NIGHT**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2018
NO LIFE NIGHT**

"...Youth Ministry is bringing the Good News to young people by the art of living well - and it begins and ends with the Lord. May we remain faithful to the challenges of our own time, and using the gifts before us, including technology, may we bring many people to live well in this life and the next."

-His Excellency, The Most Reverent Frank J. Caggiano of Bridgeport, CT, Committee on Laity, Marriage, Family Life and Youth

REFLECT RETREAT

Mid-life Singles (mid-30s to 50s): Looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Then register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at the Cardinal Stritch Retreat House, Mundelein, IL (in the northern suburbs), on March 2-4, 2018. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$215 for meals and a single room. Call (630) 222-8303, e-mail reflect.chicagoland@gmail.com, or visit www.ReflectRetreat.com for details.

THANK YOU FROM OUR LADY OF TEPEYAC

Dear Patricia Linares and Our Lady of Tepeyac Sharing Parish Committee Members,

THANK YOU for once again making girls smile, appreciate their gift, be reminded of the importance of the season, and that others care for them! It's so fun to watch them as they choose a gift, pose for a photo, discuss their crazy socks, bags, etc.

We are so blessed to receive your commitment and hard work for our girls.

Sincerely,

Joni Thompson
President, OLT Schools

† **Mass Schedule** †

Monday, February 12, Lincoln's Birthday

8:30—Intention for Police Officers and Firefighters
 8:30—Souls in Purgatory
 8:30—Kelsey Box, Req. by Larry Box
 8:30—President Abraham Lincoln

Tuesday, February 13

7:00—Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
 7:00—Intention for Persecuted Christians
 7:00—Intention for Cathy Orlando
 7:00—Thomas Callahan (Month's Mind Mass)
 7:00—Daniel J. Ryan

**Wednesday, February 14, Ash Wednesday,
 Fast and Abstinence, Saint Valentine's Day**

6:30 a.m.—Prayer and Distribution of Ashes
 8:30 a.m.—Mass with Distribution of Ashes
 11 to 11:45 a.m.—Confessions
 Noon—Mass with Distribution of Ashes
 2:30 p.m.—Prayer and Distribution of Ashes
 3:30 to 4:15 p.m.—Confessions
 4:30 p.m.—Prayer and Distribution of Ashes
 6 to 6:45 p.m.—Confessions
 7 p.m.—Mass with Distribution of Ashes

Thursday, February 15

7:00—Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
 7:00—Mary Jane Ryan
 7:00—John Hudek

Friday, February 16, Abstinence

8:30—Intention for Charlene Johnstone
 8:30—Intention for Barbara Schlosser
 8:30—Intention for Kitty Dembski
 8:30—Intention for Jennifer Hicks
 8:30—Peter Bolssens, Req. by Willy and Linda Bolssens
 8:30—Patricia Nolan

Saturday, February 17,

The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

8:30—Intention of U.S. Veterans
 8:30—Intention of Those Missing in Action,
 Prisoners of War, and Refugees of War
 8:30—Intention for Kitty Dembski
 8:30—Robert Bush
 5:00—Intention for Omar David Spitz
 5:00—Raquel Carmona, Req. by Family
 5:00—Louie Jaacks
 5:00—Penny Mae Richter
 5:00—Jake and Elsie Reiser
 5:00—Andrew Jackson Higgins

Sunday, February 18, First Sunday of Lent

6:30—Intention for Robert Marcocchio
 6:30—Intention for Ed Olczyk
 6:30—Robert O'Donovan
 6:30—Patrick Flavin
 6:30—Richard Waters
 8:00—Intention for Mary Jo Osterman
 8:00—Sital Daiya Belmont, Req. by Ron and Geri Gaj
 8:00—Ethel Dahm
 8:00—Sue Chapa
 9:30—Marcella Blua,
 Req. by Society of St. Vincent de Paul
 9:30—Kelsey Box, Req. by Larry Box
 9:30—Richard Duffy
 9:30—Audrey Jahnke
 9:30—Thomas Kowalski
 11:00—Intention for Jeremy Graham and Family,
 Req. by Family
 11:00—Steve Palmer, Req. by Martin Schuett
 11:00—Mr. and Mrs. August Schuett,
 Req. by Martin Schuett
 11:00—Phil Aromi, Req. by Martin Schuett
 11:00—Peggy Zizzo, Req. by Family
 11:00—Bob Auclair, Req. by Loving Family
 11:00—Edith Kirkpatrick Carlsen,
 Req. by Loving Family
 11:00—James Duff
 11:00—Father Jacques Hamel
 12:30—Intention for Sayra Stom
 12:30—Stephen Foh, Req. by Ron and Geri Gaj
 12:30—Louie Jaacks
 5:00—Intention for Life Teen Youth Ministry and the
 People of St. Francis de Sales Parish
 5:00—Intention for Intentional Discipleship within our
 Parish
 5:00—David Anderson
 5:00—Michael Morrissey

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY
 BAPTIZED AND THEIR FAMILIES**

Gianna Nicole,

Daughter of Nicholas and Nicole Richmond

Adalyn Marie,

Daughter of Matt and Molly Lippert



† Please Pray for the Sick †

As members of our parish faith community, we remember those who are ill, who are homebound, and all nursing home residents and ask for your prayers.

Please call Fr. Ryan (847-726-4723) or Ministry of Care (847-438-6622) when a parishioner is in the hospital for visitation or to request the Sacrament of Anointing and/or Holy Communion.

Please call the parish office when someone on this list has recovered, wants to remain on the list longer than 3 weeks or has gone to their eternal rest.

Jennifer Hicks (Niece to Father Ryan)
Will Juarez (Parishioner)
Rose Schranz (Sister to John (Alice) Schranz)
Andrew Thomas (Husband to Rita)
Theresa Sukup (Parishioner)
Teagan Strauss (Granddaughter to Jo Anderson)
Chrissy Krause (Cousin to Bill Krause)
Raquel Brown (Niece to Hillary Marchel)
Tulia Mahoney (Niece to Tish Ginter)
Alex Coffell
Lucille Griep (Parishioner)
Joan Wray (Wife to George)
Inez Horcher (Parishioner)
Audrey Raclaw (Parishioner)
Maria Thoma (Parishioner)
Robert Montcalm (Parishioner)
Brendan Teofilo (Nephew to Katie and Bill Norek)
Mary Monti (Mother to Lori and
 Grandmother to Christopher)
Patricia Mizak (Parishioner)
Baby Omar (Son to Marc and Morgan Spitz,
 Grandson to Denise and Robert Haire)
Mathew Morgan (Grandson to Gene Bader)

We continue to pray for the recipients of Prayer Shawls and for...

William Miller, Mary Jo Osterman, Carolynne Fox, Kevin Kleine, Ed Olczyk, Fr. Ron Gollatz, Jean Marie Brefeld, Jane Polnaszek-Gray, Bruce Dille, Scott Urban, Kendall Urban, Charlene Johnstone, Marianne Bailey, Bill Norris, Patrick Rams, Duane Blackwell, Marlys Marie Williamson, Cheryl Jonelis, Sayra Stom, Kristy Williams, Barbara Schlosser, Laura Huebner, Helen Mazur, Nancy Grasso, Laura Williams-Payne, Barb Grabarek, Jack Lococo. Alyssa Matney, Beatrice Flitman, Chris Koster, Brian Ford, Lydia Oliver, Doreen Planman, Morgan Naczi, Dwayne Shepherd, Robert Haren, Melinda Rodriguez, Wayne Dreyer, Robert Marcocchio, Peter Powers, Liza Hassler, Chrisi Rusk, Cathy Orlando, Veronica Hoehne, Chuck Bartels, Tim Youngman, Jane O'Reilly, Eduardo Farias, Dorothy Parola, Carolyn Brefeld, Barb Westerlund, Judy Patton, John Duffy, Karen Di Tommaso, Steven Sobie, Jerry O'Hearn, Janet Grashoff, Jim Kuczora, Phil Falson, Gina Meeks, Thomas Janowicz, Frank Koob, Angela Orlando, Janet Burrows, Dolores Guzy, Audrey Krupa, Ligia Jiménez, Sam Orlando, Reyes & Milton Jerard, Tripp Buckman

† In Sympathy †

Thomas Callahan (Husband to Rita)
Mary Ellen Warren (Mother to Scot (Lisa) Warren)
Grace Virgilio (Mother to Paul (Adrienne) Virgilio)
Lou Deluca (Uncle to Jackie Romolo and
 Uncle to Pam Lynch)
Anna Weber (Aunt to Joyce and Michael Glynn)
Josephine Lunetta (Mother to Bill (Olga) Lunetta)

MINISTRY OF CARE SERVICE

February 12 to 18, 2018

Lexington HCC:

Mon. 2/12—Presider: Bonnie Balster
 Audrey Spoerlein, Cathy Criel, Fran Farruggio
(Sub: Trish Nelson)

Wed. 2/14—Cathy Criel, Fran Farruggio,
 Chris Misak, Audrey Spoerlein

Silverado:

Sat. 2/17—Jo Anderson

Good Shepherd:

Tues. 2/13—Kathy Duggan
 Thurs. 2/15—Mary Manson
 Sat. 2/17—Sue Bartus, 2 Spots Open
 Sun. 2/18—Bob Kopfer, 2 Spots Open

Cedar Lake:

Sat. 2/17—Sherylann Phillips

On Call:

Mon.: 2/12 to 2/14—Marie Kraft
 Thurs.: 2/15 to 2/17—Kathy Staes

Lake Zurich Meadows:

Week of 2/11—Frank Dodds

Azpira Place:

Wed. 2/14—Pam Urban
 Sat. 2/17—Nancy Fanciullo

Homebound Min. Week of 2/11/18:

To Be Scheduled



EMMAUS HOUSE OF HOSPITALITY COMMUNITY DINNER

**Sunday Nights (unless otherwise noted*),
 6 to 7:30 p.m. in Fr. Valker Hall**
 For more information: www.emmaus-house.org

February Coordinator:

Laura Zickuhr, lazfamily@juno.com

March Coordinator:

Jackie Pasha, 847-540-9764



Only two defining entities have ever offered to die for you.
 One was Jesus Christ. The other is the American Soldier.
 One died for your soul † The other died for your freedom!



We thank you for your continued dedication and service to our country. You are in our prayers.

Terrance Cullinan: Stationed in Iraq, Nephew of Mary Layton
Al Stroh: U.S. Air Force, Stationed in Iraq, Friend of Sharon Anderson
Larry Herrera: 5th Deployment, Stationed in Afghanistan, Friend of Susan Wilberding
Stephen Morris: Great Nephew of Annette Feller
First Lt. Richard Evans: 1-504 Brigade of the 82nd Division of The Army Airborne, 3rd Deployment to Iraq, Nephew of Raymond & Deanna Clutts
LTJG Scott Burrill: U.S. Navy, Stationed in Jacksonville, Florida with the USS McInerney, Friend of the Talbott Family
Captain Jason Finkenkeller: U.S. Army, Deployed to Taji Iraq North of Baghdad, Nephew of Robert & Irene Louis
Matthew Schrock: II National Guard, Stationed in Afghanistan Nephew of Steve & Joan Schultz
Staff Sgt. Andrew Pelc: Stationed in Iraq, Friend of the Glazik Family
L Cpl Edward Mc Donough: U.S. Marines, Deployed to Afghanistan Cousin of Susan Pflaumer
Major Jon Zachary: Redeployed to Afghanistan, Son of Frank Zachary
Staff Sgt. James Stonehouse: U.S. Marines, Deployed Overseas Nephew of Joe & Diane Collins
Commander Colleen Glaser-Allen: U.S. Navy, Stationed in Japan Cousin of Mary Margaret Matuga
Cpt. Bryan Marone: U.S. Army, Deployed to Afghanistan, 2 Previous Deployments to Iraq, Husband to Melissa
Major Joseph Andresky: U.S. Air Force, Stationed in Washington, D.C., Nephew of Laurie & Mike Sweeney and Patti & Steve Yellin
Michael Scott Guzy: U.S. Marines, Stationed in Pensacola, FL Grandson of Dee Guzy & Nephew of Megan Bajor
Lt. Kristopher LoveKamp; E.O.D.: U.S. Navy, Stationed in Niceville, FL, Cousin to Fr. David F. Ryan
Captain Michael Vyn: U.S. Air Force, 5th Deployment to Kuwait, Grandson to Marie Fries
Commander Cory Rosenberg: U.S. Marines, Deployed to Afghanistan; Brother-in-Law of Angie Kula
L. Cpl. Cameron Kasmar: U.S.M.C., 2nd deployment to Afghanistan Boy Scout Troop 927 Eagle Scout
Captain Christopher Aument: U.S. Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, CA, Grandson of Barb & Bill Donnan
Lance Corporal Allan Borowick: Stationed in Afghanistan. Friend of Mary Margaret Matuga
LCpl Brandon Helm: U.S. Marines, Stationed in Afghanistan, Nephew of Ric & Diane Bloch
L. Cpl. Scott Johnson: U.S. Marine Corps, Deployed to Afghanistan Friend of Kathleen Guzy
Bradley Vicciollo: Stationed in Japan, Nephew of Parishioner
Private First Class Blake Sieben: Stationed in Fort Lewis, WA, Son of Paul and Pamela Sieben
L. Cpl. Donald Adams: U.S. Marines, 2nd Deployment, Stationed in Iraq, Grandson of Rich & Carol Lehman
Sgt. Nicholas Raeff: U.S. Marines, Nephew of Anne and Russ Parsons
4th Class Midshipman Lindsey Moritz: Annapolis, MD; Daughter of Dan and Kim Moritz, Niece of Don and Tina Murray
Thomas Corcoran: Boatswain Mate 2nd Class, U.S. Coast Guard Station, Washington, D.C., Son of Terrence and Christine Corcoran
Amie Maychszak: Stationed in Norfolk, VA aboard the U.S.S. George H.W. Bush Aircraft Carrier, Great Niece of Barbara Yellin

Alex Gozzola: Nuclear Machinist Mate-Chief, U.S. Navy, Deployed, Son of Allen and Janet Gozzola
Major Eric Penney: U.S. Air Force, Stationed at Altus Air Force Base, Oklahoma, Son of Wayne & Linda Penney
Thomas Barrett: Lackland Air Force Base, Texas Nephew of Rose and Bill Weismann
PFC Nicholas Whitman: U.S. Marine Corps, Son of Renee Whitman, Grandson to Penny Whitman
Sgt. Lucas Jokisch: Illinois National Guard, 4th Tour of Duty, Returned from Afghanistan, Cousin to Father David F. Ryan
Petty Officer 3rd Class Gregory Gornik: U.S. Navy, Deploying on the USS Harry Truman S. Aircraft Carrier, Nephew of Rick & Kathy Gornik
SN Mitchell W. Gornik: U.S. Coast Guard, cutter ACTIVE, Stationed in Port Angeles, Washington, Nephew of Rick & Kathy Gornik
Trey Ross: U.S. Marines, Stationed in San Diego waiting for Deployment, Friend of Karoline Yacono
Lt. Michael Hornacek: MC U.S. Navy, Stationed on the USS Essex, Son of Michael and Claudia Hornacek
Pvt 1st Class Ben Schick: U.S. Marines, Stationed South Korea, Grandson of Anne Schick
2nd Lt Charles (Chad) Bohac: 2nd Battalion 4th Marines, Camp Pendleton, Son of Chuck & Ginger Bohac
David Gudgeon: Air Force, Stationed in Colorado Springs, Grandson of Christian and Priscilla Roder
PFC Robert Mahute: U.S. Marines, Deployed to Middle East, Nephew of Joanne and Tom Jacobi
Patrick Shoaff: U.S. Army Ranger, 2nd Lieutenant, Fort Campbell, Nephew of Thackray Family
Pvt 1st Class Brandon Mahute: U.S. Navy, Deployed to Middle East, Nephew of Thomas and Joanne Jacobi
Dylan Becker: U.S. Army, Deployed to Afghanistan, Nephew of Mark and Dana Petraglia
Sgt. 1st Class Alex Tirabasso: U.S. Army Special Forces, Nephew to Phil and Yolanda Strutzel
Petty Officer 3rd Class Michael Geske: U.S. Navy, Stationed on USS Harry Truman; Son of John and Cathy Geske

Do you have someone in the military stationed in harm's way that needs our prayers? Please call (847) 438-6622.

Returned Safely Home:

1st Lt. Timothy Kirshner, Lt. Col. Joseph Thill, 1st Lt. Josh Bell, Navy Petty Officer Nicholas Thill, Sgt. Linsey Roland, Lt. David Benning, Spc. Rogers Ramirez, Captain Matthew J. White, Marine Corp. Tony Carponelli, Private Joseph Grimmig, Adam Colon, Timothy Krajewski, Col. Vince O'Connor, CPO Guy Hetterling, Capt. Kristen Brockman, Spc. Joseph J. Muraeski, PFC John McGinley, Sgt. Sabrina Scarselletti-Derhammer, Matt Brown, Private Todd Jackson, Lt. J.G. Daniel Gackowski, Jeff Austin, Bryan Broyles, L Cpl Conor Camicia, Aaron Cornelius, Col. Daniel Klippstein, Joe Little, S.S. John M. Butler, Staff Sgt. Scott Sloss, Sgt. Joe Basgall, Tom Mahoney, Spec. Sean Anthony Whippo, Corp. Andrew Kremmel, Lt. Jack Connor, Private Michael Szydelko, Staff Stg. Rod Jacobs, Staff Sgt. Rich Bolger, Cdr. Mike Sheedy, Sr. Airman Michael Connolly, Airman Joshua Emmons, S. Sgt. Brad Ginn, Sgt. Sarah Leigh Forgey, Petty Officer Stephen McKean, E4 Jonathan Mele, Michael McGarry, Alec M. Brown, Capt. Bryan Blackburn, Jesse Ward, 1st Lt. Clayton Rife, 1st Lt. Christopher Best, 2nd Lt. Luc Logan, L Cpl. Kenneth Trygstad, Capt. Bianca Lane, Airman Robert William Dones



Veterans and their families can take advantage of Veterans Administration and other helpful resources by connecting with the Lake County Veterans and Family Services representative and parishioner, Bob Gorman. Bob can be reached at (847) 322-5176, robertegorman@sbcglobal.net.

Financial Report from Business Office

2017-18 Monthly Collections

July	\$144,238
August	\$142,758
September	\$130,075
October	\$150,981
November	\$125,880
December	\$152,276
January	
February	
March	
April	
May	
June	

Christmas (2017)	\$175,175
Christmas (2016)	\$224,463
Easter (2017)	\$159,887

Special Appeals

Our Lady of Tepeyac Sharing Parish	\$16,230
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2016)	\$7,512
Holy Family Food Pantry (2016)	\$7,971
Little Sisters of the Poor (2016)	\$22,700
Lake Zurich High School Choir (2015)	\$2,827
Eagle Scout Projects (2015)	\$2,769
Molly's Adopt A Sailor (2014-15)	\$3,259
Lenten Collection for Ghana (2014)	\$15,189
Community Flood Relief (2013)	\$26,554
Southern IL Tornado Relief (2012)	\$31,302
LZHS Choir Trip to Vatican (2012-13)	\$23,480
Eagle Scout Projects (2012-13)	\$8,177
5 Seminarians (including M. Olson) to India (2008)	\$8,000

Archdiocese Required Second Collections: July 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017

Hurricane Harvey Help	\$21,946
Little Sisters of the Poor	\$11,826
Seminaries	\$7,430
Project Kashalala Lake Victoria	\$18,595
Hurricanes Irma and Maria Help	\$4,081
CCHD	\$6,703
Retired Religious	\$10,106

2013 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$170,679
2014 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$197,218
2015 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$227,145
2016 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$259,096
2017 First Appeal Rebate	\$267,944
Parish Debt to the Archdiocese:	\$0

Thanks be to God for the continuing generosity of the good people in this good parish on bringing about the Good News of Jesus Christ. Thank you for the investment of your time, the gifts of the Holy Spirit within each of you and the contributions of your financial resources to OUR Father, who loves us unconditionally as His Family in this community.

Parish Community Statistics: July 1, 2017 to January 31, 2018

Registered Families 4,530
*Registered Families in 1949 94

Religious Education Students:

Preschool 39
Grade School 375
Middle School 174
Home Study 32
SPRED 8
Children's Catechumenate 10

Life/Teen Confirmation Students:
(Registration Pending)

1st Year Program 133
2nd Year Program 123
Peer Ministers 25


Parish School Students 350

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers 186
Teen Eucharistic Ministers 12
Ministers of Care 107
Ushers 32
Cross Bearers 8
Sacristans 12
Altar Servers 100
Adult Lectors 65
Teen/Child Lectors 11/18
Prayer Shawl Ministers 32

Sacraments:

Baptisms 77
Marriages 19
Marriage Anniversary Blessings 23
Funerals 39
First Communion 1
Confirmation 0
First Confession 1
Received into the Church 0

February 17-18, 2018: First Sunday of Lent

	Celebrant	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors	Cross Bearers Altar Servers	Greeters
Saturday, 5 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan with Deacon Bob Arvidson	Kim Stratman, Michelle Bodo, Nancy Fanciullo, Mary Tinkham, Julie Gyarmaty, Katie Bielski, Adrienne Virgilio, Kathleen Slade, Deacon Bob Arvidson	Lily Murphy, Jacqueline Kuhn	<u>Cross Bearer</u> Lizzie Kalafut <u>Altar Servers</u> Grace Ergastolo, Konnor Kininmonth, Mia Welborn	Marilyn Peterson
Sunday, 6:30 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan with Deacon Bob Arvidson	Jean & Phil Lorenz, Mary Alice & Greg Tourdot, Karin Jurczak, Diane Kleine, Deacon Bob Arvidson	Gene Kussmann	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Jennifer Bukowski, Isabella Holaday	Jim Gill
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan with Deacon Bob Arvidson	Eileen & Bob Glodowski, Stewart Tanakatsubo, Marsha Smyser, Marjie Connery, Deacon Bob Arvidson, Mary Stubstad, Bonnie Balster, Mary Jo Kunzmann	Kathy Duggan, Bill Woodman	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Ryan Buckley, Olivia Moorman, Lukas Pytlak	Volunteers Needed
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan with Deacon Bob Arvidson	Phil Pace, Edgar Garcia, Deacon Bob Arvidson, Mary O'Connor, Frank Johnstone, Bonnie Clark, Wayne Blume, Jo Anderson, Donna Abbott, Jerry Jagla, Stewart Tanakatsubo	Brad Schaefer, Bridget McGuinness	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Samantha Cranstoun, Justin Kutsor, Victoria Renguso	Tuckey Family
Sunday, 11 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Karen & Tom Richardson, Rocco & Cathy Abbinante, Gerald Kmiecik, John Wallor, Janet Danielsen, Aleyce Baca, Holly Smigelski, Natalie Warkenthien	Michael Miodonski, Tony Baca	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Nicole Albright, Michael Machamer, Anthony Zizzo	Stange Family
Sunday, 12:30 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Mary & Bruce Manson, Denise Alianello, Mary Taylor, Kathy Woloshyn, Bill Halm 1 Spot Not Filled	Harry Cione	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> James Battaglia, Kaylie Freeland	Pam Postlewaite
Sunday, 5 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Matthew & Katy Roesner, Aimee Wright, Claire Jones, Sue Tuckey, David Kalafut, Cindy McGowan, Marilyn Ostovits 1 Spot Not Filled	Lizzie Kalafut	<u>Cross Bearer</u> Youth Ministry <u>Altar Servers</u> Youth Ministry	Youth Ministry

MINISTRIES AND ACTIVITIES AT ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

There are many opportunities to get involved in ministries and activities at St. Francis de Sales. The following ministries have been organized into **Commissions** that are set up by our Parish Pastoral Council. The names and phone numbers of the chairpersons of each Commission and Council representatives are also included for your information. Please feel free to contact any of these dedicated men and women to answer any questions you might have about a particular ministry or activity or visit www.stfrancisparish.org for information.

PARISH LEADERSHIP CHAIRPERSONS

Finance Council Chair—Michael Carlino: 438-3260
School Board Chair—Terry Huels: 550-1077
Parish Pastoral Council Chair—Thomas Purtell: 304-5574
Parish School Principal—Kyle Schmitt: 726-4826

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

Chairperson—James Battaglia: 462-0818 (PPC)
Adult Faith Formation—Fr. David Ryan: 726-4723
Annulment Information—Fr. David Ryan: 726-4723
Baptismal Prep Program—Maureen Kowalski: (847) 975-2260, rmkowalski@ameritech.net and Erin Jessen: (847) 438-0830, jessen1111@comcast.net
Convalidation (Blessing) of Civil Marriage—Fr. David Ryan: 726-4723
Great Bible Adventure—Kelley Gries: 438-7050, Pam Urban: 382-7619
Children's Catechumenate—Rebecca Gabrione: 726-4840
Eucharistic Adoration—Denise Alianello: 726-1307; Lillian Shutty: 682-4555
Evangelization—Fr. David Ryan: 726-4723
Liturgical Ministries—Fr. David Ryan: 726-4723
Altar Servers—Fr. David Ryan: 726-4723
Child Lectors (Grades 6-8)—Cindy Blank: 847-924-7876
Children's Liturgy of the Word—Rebecca Gabrione: 726-4840
Crossbearers—Rebecca Gabrione: 726-4840
Environment & Art—Mary Ann Kwasek: 438-5751
Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers—Deacon Bob Arvidson: 438-2935
Greeters—Sherry Otto: 438-2782
Lectors—Cindy Blank: 924-7876, Jacqueline Kuhn: 269-8342
Music—Patricia Stewart: 726-4720
Sacristans—Irene Goldthwaite: 438-4260
Ushers—Kevin Wegner: 438-3161 and Anthony Baca: 224-628-1724
St. Peregrine Prayer Service—Dena & Jim Battaglia: 462-0818
R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)—Stewart Tanakatsubo: 224-475-7919, Fr. David F. Ryan: 847-726-4723
Rosary Ministry—Joe Armagno: 550-6139
Rosary Ministry, Lexington—Dolores Miller: 847-650-3331
Rosary Ministry, Silverado—OPEN
Vocations—Fr. David Ryan: 726-4723

CONFIRMATION

Life Teen Confirmation/Youth Ministry—Deacon Bob Arvidson and Deacon George Flaherty with Cathy Chiarelli: 726-4842
Life Teen Youth Ministry Music: Josh Goodman—757-814-1191
Confirmation, Adult Program—Christine DePrez—436-2265

COMMUNITY LIFE

Chairperson—Patricia Linares: 550-1053 (PPC)
Knights of Columbus, Past Grand Knight and Trustee—Paul Latter: 847-809-0476
Knights of Columbus, Past Grand Knight and First Trustee—Stewart Tanakatsubo: 224-475-7919
Knights of Columbus, Grand Knight of Council 3954—Thomas Wolter: 847-847-7329
Knights of Columbus, Past Grand Knight and Membership Chairman—Curley Strack: (847) 550-0388
Keenagers—Bob Parr: 438-3245, Father Ryan: 726-4723
Men's Retreat—Frank Johnstone: 438-7979
Our Lady of Tepeyac—Patricia & Marcos Linares: 550-1053
Welcoming—Jodie Shield: (312) 305-6503
Women's Retreat—Rose Weismann: 847-975-8005

PARISH RESOURCES

Chairperson—Michael Carlino: 438-3260 (PPC)
Tom Purtell: 304-5574 (PPC Chair)
Building & Grounds—Hank Paulus: 438-2294
Collection Counters—Laura Angelini: 726-4747
Finance Council—Michael Carlino: 438-3260

HUMAN CONCERNS

Chairperson—John Ergastolo: 726-7746 (PPC)
Care Ministries—Father David F. Ryan: (847) 726-4723
 Nancy Fanciullo: (847) 438-8279
 Judy Brault: (312) 749-5094
Homebound Ministry of Care Visits—Kevin Wegner: 438-3161, Frank Dodds: 847-438-5128
Angels of Mercy (Friendly visitors/medicine/grocery pickup/meals/drivers/Church, hospital appointments)
Drivers—Fr. David F. Ryan: (847) 726-4723
Meals—Mary Lahr: (847) 438-3553
Friendly Visitors to Lexington—Marianne Bailey: 550-9463
Cancer Support/Sharing—Mary Manson: 382-3051
Bereavement—Mary Manson: 438-6622
Grief Support Group—Forever in Our Hearts (for those who have experienced the loss of a child)—Father Ryan: 726-4723
Prayer Shawl Ministry—Lisa Warren: 540-8654
Meals on Wheels—Volunteer Drivers: Molly Ergastolo, (847) 867-1179
 Meal Sign-up: Intake at Catholic Charities, (847) 546-5733
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Mass Schedule

Sundays: 6:30 a.m., 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m., 12:30 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Weekdays: **Monday:** 8:30 a.m. Mass

Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. and 12 noon Masses

Tuesday and Thursday: 7 a.m. Mass

Friday: 8:30 a.m. Mass

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. Mass, 5 p.m. Mass (Fulfills Sunday Obligation)

Holy Days: 7 p.m. Vigil, 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., Noon, 4:30 p.m., 7 p.m.



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Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism is celebrated after parental participation in a preparation meeting. Please call for a date to attend. Do not finalize your plans until this formation meeting.

Sacrament of Confirmation: Preparation for Confirmation takes place during the high school years with the celebration of the Sacrament taking place no sooner than the end of sophomore year in high school. For more info and registration please contact the Youth Ministry Office at 847-726-4842

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays between 11 a.m. and noon.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: This Sacrament offers the Lord's healing strength and peace to anyone who is seriously or chronically ill, hospitalized, or about to undergo surgery. Please contact the Ministry Center 847-438-6622, or Fr. Ryan at 847-726-4723 if you wish to have someone anointed, or the Last Rites near death.

Sacrament of Marriage: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance and no other plans should be finalized until the Parish Priest or Deacon has been consulted.

Sacrament for Adults: Adults interested in the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation) should contact the Ministry Center at 847-438-6622.

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