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to proclaim Christ's
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and deed;

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To be Christ to one
another through
love and service
...and honor the
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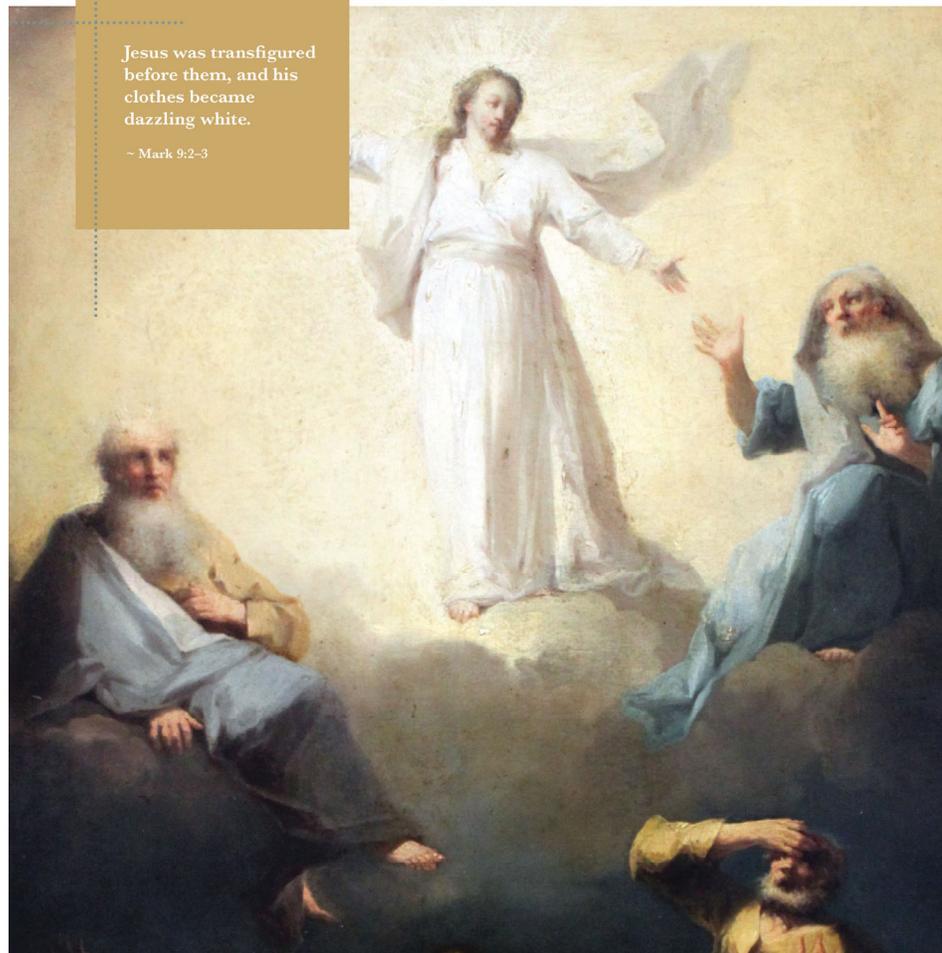
GOD AND COUNTRY RENEW MY CHURCH All for One...One for All in Jesus Christ



FEBRUARY 25, 2018 | SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus was transfigured
before them, and his
clothes became
dazzling white.

~ Mark 9:2-3



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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 25, 2nd Sunday of Lent

- **Rel. Ed. Preschool:** 9:30 a.m.—School
- **Adult Confirmation:** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—School
- **Life Teen Life Night/2nd Year Confirmation Class:** 4:45 to 8 p.m. (Church & Ministry Center)
- **Emmaus House Comm. Dinner:** 6 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

Monday, February 26

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m.—Church
- **Mass with Fr. Ryan at Lexington Care Center:** 10:30 a.m.
- **Yoga:** 9:30 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **Art & Environment:** 1:30 p.m.—Church
- **PTO Meeting:** 7 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Rel. Ed. Grades 1-5 Classes:** 4:15 to 5:30 p.m.—School
- **Rel. Ed. Middle School Classes (MS North & Outside LZ):** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **SPRED (Ages 11-16) Total Community:** 6:15 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Boy Scouts:** 7 to 8 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

Tuesday, February 27

- **Mass:** 7 a.m.—Church
- **NAMI Class:** 6 to 9 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Intentional Discipleship:** 7 to 9 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **MOC Meeting (Less than 2 years):** 7 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Boy Scouts Troop 309:** 7:30 to 9 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall
- **Vicariate 1 Youth Ministry Meeting:** 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Rel. Ed. Grades 1-5 Classes:** 4:15 to 5:30 p.m.—School
- **Rel. Ed. Middle School Classes (MS North & Outside LZ):** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Knights of Columbus Officer Meeting:** 7:15 p.m.—KC Hall

Wednesday, February 28

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and noon—Church
- **Mass with Fr. Ryan at Zurich Meadows:** 6 p.m.
- **Eucharistic Adoration:** 7 to 8 p.m.—Church
- **Great Bible Adventure:** 7 to 9 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Rel. Ed. Grades 1-5 Classes:** 4:15 to 5:30 p.m. and 6:15 to 7:30 p.m.—School
- **SPRED (Ages 6-10) Catechist Prep:** 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **1st Year Confirmation Leaders:** 7 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Choir Rehearsal:** 7 to 8:30 p.m.—Ministry Center

Thursday, March 1

- **Mass:** 7 a.m.—Church
- **Great Bible Adventure:** 9 to 11 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **Baptismal Prep Meeting:** 7:30 p.m.—Church
- **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 6 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Handbell Choir Rehearsal:** 6:45 to 8:30 p.m.—Church
- **Parish Council Meeting:** 7 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Art & Environment:** 7 p.m.—Church
- **Knights of Columbus General Meeting:** 7:30 p.m.—KC Hall

Friday, March 2, World Day of Prayer, First Friday

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and noon—Church
- **Mass with Fr. Ryan at Silverado Care Center:** 1:30 p.m.
- **Stations of the Cross:** 7 p.m.—Church
- **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.—Church
- **K of C Lenten Fish Fry:** 5 to 8 p.m.—Columbus Center
- **Girl Scouts:** 2 to 3:30 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

Saturday, March 3, St. Katharine Drexel, First Saturday

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.—Church
- **Pray the Rosary with Knights of Columbus:** Immediately following 8:30 a.m. Mass—Church
- **Confessions:** 11 a.m. to noon—Church
- **Great Bible Adventure:** 9 to 11 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **Vicariate 1 MOC Training:** 8:45 a.m. to 3 p.m.—Ministry Center

Sunday, March 4, 3rd Sunday of Lent

- **Rel. Ed. Preschool:** 9:30 a.m.—School
- **Vicariate 1 Junior/Senior Confirmation Class:** 7 to 8:30 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Cub Scouts Pack 309 Blue & Gold Banquet:** 1 to 4 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall
- **Life Teen Life Night/1st Year Confirmation Class:** 4:45 to 8 p.m. (Church & Ministry Center)
- **Emmaus House Comm. Dinner:** 6 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

This Weekend: Feb. 24 & 25, 2018



Next Weekend: March 3 & 4, 2018

*Chicago Jesuit Academy
Aid for the Church in Central & Eastern Europe
(Second Collection)
Girl Scout Cookie Sales*

February 25, 2018: Second Sunday of Lent

There will be nothing which the fullness of his love does not replenish.

-St. Francis de Sales

THE OBEDIENCE OF ABRAHAM AND JESUS

God tested Abraham by asking not for an ordinary sacrifice, which would have been a partial burning with the meat divided between God and the people and eaten by those who sacrificed, but for a holocaust, a total burning of the sacrificial animal. This type of sacrifice consecrated the entire offering to God alone. This is what God was asking of Abraham in offering his only son, Isaac. When Abraham demonstrated his obedience, that was enough. This story from today's scriptures foretells the completion of the blood sacrifices of the old covenant in the new covenant: the blood of God's own Son, offered to us on the cross and in the Eucharist. Abraham's obedience foreshadows the obedience of Jesus to God's promise of salvation. The obedience of Abraham is rewarded in the birth to him, through Isaac, of many nations. The obedience of Jesus is rewarded in the salvation of all people for all time.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The sacrifice of Abraham, our father in faith (Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18).

Psalms — I walk before the Lord, in the land of the living (Psalm 116).

Second Reading — God did not spare his own Son (Romans 8:31b-34).

Gospel — This is my beloved Son (Mark 9:2-10).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 [1-3, 7-8, 12-17]; Ps 19:8-11; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Lent; Penitential Rite for Candidates for Full Communion

Friday: Abstinence; First Friday; World Day of Prayer

Saturday: St. Katharine Drexel; First Saturday

WORDS OF WISDOM: LENT

Lent comes providentially to reawaken us, to shake us from our lethargy."

—Pope Francis

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The second Sunday of Lent every year recalls the Transfiguration of the Lord. Since the fourth century, Mount Tabor has been the focus of devotion to this event. Scripture doesn't identify the mountain, but in the year 348 Saint Cyril of Jerusalem said he preferred Mount Tabor to Mount Hermon as the site of the Transfiguration, and his opinion won. It has long been a strategic military site, and ancient fortresses are visible on the heights. Over the centuries, churches and fortified monasteries rose on the mountaintop, only to be destroyed by various invaders. Six hundred years ago, local Christians started to decorate the ruins with flags and banners on the Feast of the Transfiguration. In 1631, the Sultan granted permission to the Franciscans to live on Mount Tabor, and they have been there ever since, discovering the ruins of an old Crusader church and constructing the present church on the site in 1924.

At one time, tourists arrived on the summit by bus, but this is no longer permitted. Some ride bicycles up a challenging and winding path, while others take the 4,300 steps constructed for Christian pilgrims in the fourth century. It's hard to imagine the fishermen following Jesus up this craggy mountain without complaint. Visitors will sympathize with Peter's plan to construct booths and stay put with Jesus, Moses, and Elijah for a while, enjoying the view, and planning the trip back down.

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St. Francis de Sales

WE CAN "FIX IT" TOGETHER

NINTH PLEDGE UPDATE AND REPAIRS COMPLETED

Sunday, February 25, 2018
Second Sunday of Lent

Dear Parishioners,

As a reminder of what has been accomplished since May, the parking lots, paved areas, curbs, and sidewalks of the St. Francis de Sales Campus—including our Church and School—have now been completed. The new siding on the Ministry Center roof has also been installed. Repairs have been made to the Chapel roof on the Church, which began to seriously leak along the south wall of the Chapel during the spring and summer rainstorms. In addition to the Chapel roof, the slanted roof above the back sacristy and Music Room has been fixed. It had been leaking for a number of years.

As pledges are made and paid, we will continue to address the remaining projects, which can be found on our parish website. See what this good parish has accomplished already in total pledges and number of donors! At this point in the Campaign, 730 donors helped us reach \$1,201,606 in total pledges. Total pledges paid are \$948,403. Balance due is \$253,203. It is not the intention of the Fix-It Campaign to place the parish in debt. As a parish, we spent 9 years paying off the \$3.8 million debt. We will only address the projects as we raise the funds to pay for them. As Thomas Jefferson advised, "Never spend your money before you have it!" My Grandmother Ryan said the same message in her own way!

For details on the campaign, including the presentation that was shown at Masses as well as the information on Charitable Giving Options, visit our parish website, www.stfrancislzparish.org. Thank you to those who have already responded with a pledge toward the \$1.7 million goal. St. Francis de Sales has a long history of generous giving. I respectfully ask for the prayers, involvement, and sacrifice of many, if not all, in the parish in making a pledge towards the Fix-It Campaign in addition to the generosity you provide each Sunday offering. **For example, if 1,000 parishioners pledge the suggested amount of \$850 per year for 2 years, we will reach our campaign goal immediately to conclude the projects.** Please, everyone, participate through a prayer and a pledge. All the funds we raise in the Fix-It Campaign stay within the parish.

I want to express my gratitude to Deacon John Sfire, Jason Sfire, and Amie Paige of The Fidelity Group for doing an extensive study of our parish campus, as was presented in the Fix-It Campaign presentation. I have asked the Fidelity Group, under the leadership of Deacon John Sfire and Jason Sfire, to serve as Project Managers of the Fix-It Campaign. I also want to offer my appreciation for the guidance and involvement of Tom Purtell, Chair of the Parish Pastoral Council (PPC), Marty Bush, Member of the PPC; Mike Carlino, Chair of the Parish Finance Council; Doug Samz, Member of the Parish Finance Council; Christine DePrez, Cornerstone Bank Liaison; Laura Angelini, Business Manager; and Pam Lynch, Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministries.

God give you peace and Merry Christmas,

Father David F. Ryan, Pastor

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Dear Father Ryan,

As we move forward with *Renew My Church*, we hope to form revitalized communities of revitalized disciples. In the words of Pope Francis, we want to form "missionary disciples," who follow Jesus and bring him to the world. This year's Annual Catholic Appeal also puts the focus on discipleship with the 2018 theme - *Come, follow me* - that is drawn from Mark's gospel.

Together with our people, leading them and walking with them, priests of the Archdiocese can use the Appeal as an opportunity to call our communities to more deliberate and more intentional discipleship. At the same time, we can call our people to great generosity, as they support the Church's mission through their contributions to the Appeal.

Priests of the Archdiocese have already led by example. Since its beginning in 1991, the clergy have been generous supporters of the Annual Appeal - contribution over \$8 million. With the Appeal, all of us can continue to support Catholic schools and parishes in need, as well as programs of religious education, ministerial formation, and initiatives for life, peace, justice, and families. We can also extend our reach to troubled parts of the world through Catholic Relief Services.

Father Ryan, I am personally grateful to you for your generous service for God's people in the Church. May the good Lord continue to bless you and bless many people through you. Let us continue to pray for one another.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich, Archbishop of Chicago



HOW YOUR GIFT IS USED

Annual Catholic Appeal 2018

Ministry Priorities of the Annual Catholic Appeal 2018

\$5,500,000	Local Communities	Support for parishes and schools serving financially challenged communities
\$2,100,000	Parish Vitality and Mission	Programs to support parish vitality—evangelization initiatives, liturgy enhancements
\$1,200,000	Catechetical Faith Formation	Support for youth, young adult, campus and adult religious education ministries
\$700,000	Lay Formation	Continuing education for lay volunteers and staff serving parish communities
\$545,000	Catholic Relief Services	Assisting the poor and vulnerable overseas
\$495,000	Human Dignity and Solidarity	Activities promoting respect for life at all stages, immigration, Kolbe House prison ministry and Peace and Justice initiatives
\$400,000	Priest Education	Continuing education for seminarians and priests ordained for the Archdiocese of Chicago
\$160,000	Family Ministries	Programs for marriage preparation, marriage support and family ministry
\$100,000	Community Ministries	Support for Chicago Fire and Police department chaplaincies and other community ministries
\$3,800,000	Parish Incentives/ Rebates	Funds raised in excess of individual parish goals are returned to the parish for use with their local ministries
\$15,000,000	Ministries Total	
\$1,500,000	Cost of Appeal	Design, printing, postage, production, staff and vendors who implement the Annual Catholic Appeal

\$16,500,000

Annual Catholic Appeal 2018 Goal

The Annual Catholic Appeal supports the work of the Church in the Archdiocese of Chicago. No money donated to the Annual Catholic Appeal has been or will be used to defray expenses related to misconduct issues.

JOURNEY TO THE FOOT OF THE CROSS

BISHOP RICKEN OFFERS 10 THINGS TO REMEMBER FOR LENT

www.usccb.org

Bishop David L. Ricken of Green Bay, Wisconsin, former chairman of the Committee on Evangelization and Catechesis of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), offers “10 Things to Remember for Lent”:

1. **Remember the formula.** The Church does a good job capturing certain truths with easy-to-remember lists and formulas: 10 Commandments, 7 sacraments, 3 persons in the Trinity. For Lent, the Church gives us almost a slogan—Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving—as the three things we need to work on during the season.
2. **It's a time of prayer.** Lent is essentially an act of prayer spread out over 40 days. As we pray, we go on a journey, one that hopefully brings us closer to Christ and leaves us changed by the encounter with him.
3. **It's a time to fast.** With the fasts of Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, meatless Fridays, and our personal disciplines interspersed, Lent is the only time many Catholics these days actually fast. And maybe that's why it gets all the attention. “What are you giving up for Lent? Hotdogs? Beer? Jelly beans?” It's almost a game for some of us, but fasting is actually a form of penance, which helps us turn away from sin and toward Christ.
4. **It's a time to work on discipline.** The 40 days of Lent are also a good, set time to work on personal discipline in general. Instead of giving something up, it can be doing something positive. “I'm going to exercise more. I'm going to pray more. I'm going to be nicer to my family, friends and coworkers.”
5. **It's about dying to yourself.** The more serious side of Lenten discipline is that it's about more than self-control – it's about finding aspects of yourself that are less than Christ-like and letting them die. The suffering and death of Christ are foremost on our minds during Lent, and we join in these mysteries by suffering, dying with Christ and being resurrected in a purified form.
6. **Don't do too much.** It's tempting to make Lent some ambitious period of personal reinvention, but it's best to keep it simple and focused. There's a reason the Church works on these mysteries year after year. We spend our entire lives growing closer to God. Don't try to cram it all in one Lent. That's a recipe for failure.
7. **Lent reminds us of our weakness.** Of course, even when we set simple goals for ourselves during Lent, we still have trouble keeping them. When we fast, we realize we're all just one meal away from hunger. In both cases, Lent shows us our weakness. This can be painful, but recognizing how helpless we are makes us seek God's help with renewed urgency and sincerity.
8. **Be patient with yourself.** When we're confronted with our own weakness during Lent, the temptation is to get angry and frustrated. “What a bad person I am!” But that's the wrong lesson. God is calling us to be patient and to see ourselves as he does, with unconditional love.
9. **Reach out in charity.** As we experience weakness and suffering during Lent, we should be renewed in our compassion for those who are hungry, suffering or otherwise in need. The third part of the Lenten formula is almsgiving. It's about more than throwing a few extra dollars in the collection plate; it's about reaching out to others and helping them without question as a way of sharing the experience of God's unconditional love.
10. **Learn to love like Christ.** Giving of ourselves in the midst of our suffering and self-denial brings us closer to loving like Christ, who suffered and poured himself out unconditionally on cross for all of us. Lent is a journey through the desert to the foot of the cross on Good Friday, as we seek him out, ask his help, join in his suffering, and learn to love like him.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: First Friday, March 2, 2018



Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held at St. Francis de Sales every First Friday immediately following the 8:30 a.m. Mass, and continuing until 4 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration honors the special presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist. Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is a profession of faith in the real bodily presence of Jesus. One of the best ways to look at prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is to see it as an extension of Holy Communion.

Our souls are fed and our minds and wills are strengthened and given light, that we may go about the tasks of our daily lives. Please come and spend some time in prayer with the Lord. For more information, call Denise Alianello at (847) 726-1307 or Lillian Shutty at (847) 682-4555.

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/lent/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/lent/)

2018 Lenten Gospel Reflections: www.lentreflections.com

Fr. Burke Masters: Daily meditations for Lenten devotion. (<https://frburke23.wordpress.com/>)

Bishop Robert Barron: Daily Gospel reflections. (<https://dailycatholicgospel.com/sign-up-daily-gospel>)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us in the Church at 7 p.m. every Friday during Lent for Stations of the Cross. 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. Pray and meditate together before each Station. Our Stations typically last 20-30 minutes.



PRAY THE ROSARY WITH THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus and their families, along with the St. Francis de Sales Rosary Ministry, invite you and your family to join us as we pray the Rosary! **We will next gather in the St. Francis de Sales Day Chapel after the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Saturday, March 3.**



"Praying the Rosary together, as a family, is very beautiful and a source of great strength!"

- Pope Francis



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT LENTEN FISH FRY AND BAKE

Also includes fish tacos, slaw, pizza, French fries, macaroni & cheese, hush puppies, veggies, coffee, & dessert

Save the Dates: March 2, 9, 16 & 23

Time: Doors open at 4:30 p.m., Dinner 5 to 8 p.m.

Location: Columbus Center, 365 Surryse Road, 2nd floor, Lake Zurich, IL 60047
(Between Kit's Soccer Center and Ahlgrim's, Entrance on East side of building)

Cost: Adults: \$13, Seniors (65+): \$9
Children 6 to 11: \$6
Children 5 and under: Our guest

Children MUST be accompanied by a parent.

Proceeds will be donated to local charities that help individuals with intellectual difficulties.

**FISH
DINNER**



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PRESENTATION AT ST. JAMES: THE FACTS OF LIFE



THE BEGINNING OF LIFE *from the moment of conception*



The St. James Respect Life Ministry is hosting nationally known bioethicist, Fr. Tad Pacholczyk, the Director of Education for the National Catholic Bioethics Center, at St. James Parish in Arlington Heights on Sunday, March 18, 2018. He will discuss important life issues in two talks:

1. The Gift of Human Life: Begotten Not Made
2. Ethical Decision Making in Sickness and End of Life Situations

Attendees will have the opportunity to ask specific questions after each talk. Free will offering. Contact Marybeth or Mike with questions at (847) 392-5506 or mschoney@wowway.com.



THE END OF LIFE *until natural death*

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. Training meets Archdiocesan requirements for mandation or remandation.

Formation & Training for New Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Saturday, April 28, 2018

St. Mary Parish

Where: Parish Office, Marian Room,
10 N. Buffalo Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

Time: 9 a.m. Check-in, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. training

Register: Go to www.vic1chicago.org

Questions? Mandy Dillon at

pastoralassociate@olwparish.org or Marie Paul at mariepaul@sttheresachurch.org.

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

MEALS ON WHEELS DINNER DANCE



The 20th Annual Meals on Wheels and More Dinner Dance will take place on Saturday, March 10th at Maravelas in Ingleside. This annual fundraiser to benefit Catholic Charities Meals on Wheels Program throughout Lake

County includes dinner, dancing, silent auction, and raffle. Please consider attending or making a donation to support Meals on Wheels! <https://www.catholiccharities.net/Events/ProgramEvents/MealsonWheels.aspx>.

Or please call Karen Daniels at 847-782-4115 or email kadaniels@catholiccharities.net.

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.



CALLING 3RD—8TH GRADERS!

Would you like to join a few of our Christmas Youth Choir students to sing for Easter? We would love to have you join us. Easter is on Sunday, April 1, and we will be singing at the 8 a.m. mass. It is a short term commitment, so we hope you can fit it into your schedule.

Rehearsals: Wednesday, Feb. 21, Feb. 28, March 14, and March 21 from 4:45 to 6 p.m. in the Ministry Center.
Rehearsal on Wednesday, March 28, in Church.

Contact Pat Stewart at musicsfds@stfrancislz.org.
We look forward to hearing from you.

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 and 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!

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!

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.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR PARISH SCHOOL 2018 SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS!

Congratulations to all the students who participated in the Science Fair. An amazing job was done by all and the competition was tough! We are proud to announce the following winners!

7th Grade

1st Place - Mary Titterton - Is Light a Photon or a Wave?

2nd Place - Stephan Kruglov - Which Water Source Around You is the Cleanest?

8th Grade

1st Place - Meredith Modelski - Which Method of Learning Proves to be Most Effective?

2nd Place - Kevin Huels - Solar Powered Cars

3rd Place- Mady Meyer - What Acne Astringent Will Kill the Most Bacteria?

8th Grade Honorable Mention

Jack Malenfant -

How Do Different Biodegradable Materials Affect Plant Growth?

Jennifer Bukowski -

Which Type of Cloth Absorbs the Most Thermal Energy?

Victoria Nagode -

Does the Particle Size of the Solid Reactant Affect the Rate of the Chemical Reaction?



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 25
LIFE NIGHT**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 4
DRIVE-IN MOVIE
NIGHT**

THANK YOU FROM CHICAGO JESUIT ACADEMY

Dear St. Francis de Sales Parishioners:

Thank you for the support you gave to the families of Chicago Jesuit Academy this Christmas season. Three weeks before Christmas, two of our families lost everything they owned when the apartments they lived in burned to the ground. Your generosity helped make their Christmas celebration a happy one. We have received many thank you notes from the CJA families, including the one below.

"Dear Benefactor, I truly don't know where to begin but I must first say Thank You so much. I began this season full of worry as to how I would provide the basic needs for my children and then I decided just a few weeks ago to put my trust in the Lord. I thank you so much for having the heart to give and bless a family that is no relation to you. I am thankful that your kindness has allowed me to believe on another level. I was truly in need and the Lord sent one of his silent partners to ensure that need and more was met. Thank you, thank you and thank you more. I pray that enormous blessings will be with you and your families this season.

Great Blessings, A Chicago Jesuit Academy Family"

Whether you donated a warm coat, toothpaste and toiletries, toys, or gift cards, you made a lasting impact on the families at Chicago Jesuit Academy. Thank you for making a difference in the lives of our young men and their families.

In gratitude, Michelle Ryan CJA Board Member and St. Francis Parishioner, and The Faculty and Staff of CJA

† *Mass Schedule* †

Monday, February 26

8:30—Intention for Police Officers and Firefighters
 8:30—Intention for Laraine Block
 8:30—Souls in Purgatory
 8:30—Jerry McGuire, Req. by The Idrizovic Family
 8:30—Carmella Guerrieri, Req. by Loving Sister
 8:30—Father Thomas Carmody,
 Req. by Jan and George Yingst
 8:30—George W. Yingst, Req. by Jan and George Yingst

Tuesday, February 27

7:00—Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
 7:00—Intention for Persecuted Christians
 7:00—Kenneth Cacioppo, Req. by The Cacioppo Family

Wednesday, February 28

8:30—Intention for Billy Southerton
 Noon—Intention for Renew My Church
 Noon—George Kraft
 Noon—John Ryan

Thursday, March 1

7:00—Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
 7:00—LeVerne O'Neill, Req. by Daughter, Susan
 7:00—Rosemary Daviera, Req. by Angela DeRose

Friday, March 2, World Day of Prayer, First Friday

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—Daniel Bober, Req. by Family
 9:00 to 4 p.m.—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 Noon—Intention for Chrisi Rusk
 Noon—Mike and Mary Kilroy

Saturday, March 3, St. Katharine Drexel, First Saturday

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 Elizabeth Paetkae,
 Req. by Jim and Barbara Arlington
 8:30—Intention for Genevieve Arlington,
 Req. by Jim and Barbara Arlington
 8:30—Intention for Susan Osterman
 8:30—Diane Pelelas (2nd Anniversary of Eternal Life),
 Req. by Loving Husband
 5:00—Intention for Omar David Spitz
 5:00—Dolores and Ron Sinkus
 5:00—Harry Caray

Sunday, March 4, 3rd Sunday of Lent

6:30—Intention for Robert Marcocchio
 6:30—Intention for Ed Olczyk
 6:30—Howard Wegner
 6:30—Clarence Ryan
 8:00—Intention for Mary Jo Osterman
 8:00—Tom Callahan, Req. by Bonnie Balster
 8:00—Daniel Bober, Req. by Family
 8:00—Eutus Dippel
 8:00—Thomas Daly
 9:30—Intention for Cliff Pazik,
 Req. by The Bob & Irene Pazik Family
 9:30—Edith Reimondo, Req. by Diane and Kevin Judge
 9:30—Hilary Box, Req. by Larry Box
 9:30—James Ruther
 9:30—Katherine Dippel
 11:00—Daniel Duffy, Req. by The Valley Family
 11:00—David Harris, Req. by Martin Schuett
 11:00—Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wirwol,
 Req. by Martin Schuett
 11:00—Peggy Zizzo, Req. by Family
 11:00—Mary Bracke, Req. by The Valley Family
 11:00—Michael Collins
 11:00—Declan O'Connell
 12:30—Intention for Sayra Stom
 12:30—Intention for Nicole Woodhead
 12:30—Anna Jane Ryan Lawless
 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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION— EVERY WEDNESDAY!

Adoration
of the
Blessed Sacrament



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Open to all ages!

Join us from 7 to 8 p.m. for this contemporary hour of Adoration each week. Josh Goodman leads worship through music. Feel free to pray along with the lyrics of the songs, journal, or just be present in the moment.

"When you awake in the night, transport yourself quickly in spirit before the Tabernacle, saying: 'Behold, my God, I come to adore You, to praise, thank, and love you, and to keep you company with all the Angels,' "

- St. John Vianney

† 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)
Constance Tomecko (Sister of Patricia Gembala)
Constance Dimock (Aunt of Patricia Gembala)
Zach Guenzler (Friend to Sandy and Gary Swoik)
Jean Marie Brefeld (Parishioner)
Cliff Pazik (Brother to Bob (Irene) Pazik)
Jim Pazik (Brother to Bob (Irene) Pazik)
Doris Larson (Parishioner)
Fr. Ronald Gollatz (Former Pastor)
Shelly Bailey (Parishioner)
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
Robert Montcalm (Parishioner)
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, 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 †

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)
Infant Scarlett Wallace
 (Grandchild to Margarita Fisher)
Peter Hupperich
 (Father to Peter (Tricia) Hupperich)
Margaret Heckinger (Sister to Bob Kopfer)
Marion DeMaria
 (Mother to Marina (Jerome) Solinski)

MINISTRY OF CARE SERVICE

February 26 to March 4, 2018

Lexington HCC:

Mon. 2/26—Presider: Father Ryan
 Liz Bush, Bob Allard*, Joanne Jacobi
 (Sub: Fran Farruggio)

Silverado:

Fri. 3/2—To Be Scheduled

Good Shepherd:

Tues. 2/27—Volunteer Needed
 Thurs. 3/1—Volunteer Needed
 Sat. 3/3—Birdie Hicks, Cathy Abbinante
 Sun. 3/4—John Ergastolo, Volunteers Needed

Cedar Lake: Sat. 3/3—To Be Scheduled

On Call:

Mon.: 2/26 to 2/28—Victoria Williams
 Thurs.: 3/1 to 3/3—To Be Scheduled

Lake Zurich Meadows:

Week of 2/25—Cindy Gauvreau

Azpira Place: Sat. 3/3—To Be Scheduled

Homebound Min. Week of 2/25/18:

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 Finkeneller: 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
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

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 73
Marriages 19
Marriage Anniversary Blessings 22
Funerals 39
First Communion 1
Confirmation 0
First Confession 1
Received into the Church 0

March 3-4, 2018: Third Sunday of Lent

	Celebrant	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors	Cross Bearers Altar Servers	Greeters
Saturday, 5 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Eileen & Bob Glodowski, Gloria Bakken, Denise Haire, Kathleen Slade, Kim Stratman, Joey Greco, Jeanette Greco, Raymond Urban	Tony Roberti, Nick Evans	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Kaylie Freeland, Jack Malenfant, Mady Meyer	Volunteers Needed
Sunday, 6:30 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Cheryl & Rick Elish, Katie Bielski, George Mochocki, Gary Radwanski, Diane Kleine, Tony Pfeifer	Larry Butz	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Isabella Holaday, Olivia Moorman	Jim Gill
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Marilee & James Grenning, George & Jan Yingst, Mary Flanagan, Kathy Dellaria, Irene Goldthwaite, John Ergastolo, Mary Stubstad	Christy Sikorski, Jackie Lococo	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Marco Bruno, Samantha Cranstoun, Konnor Kininmonth	Sherry Otto, Geri Gaj
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Buddy & Laurie Wright, Steven & Ann Knipp, Wayne Blume, Jerry Jagla, Laurie Haas, Dana Petraglia, Tim Lawson, Edgar Garcia, Stewart Tanakatsubo	Sean Friddle, Cindy Tomei	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Ryan Buckley, Michael Machamer, Zachary Marcheschi	Pecora Family
Sunday, 11 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Carol Brozek, Flo Gibbons, Steve Lammers, Dolores Mark, Jodie Shield, Patty Antczak, Mary Pat Williams, Jo Anderson, Bill Halm, Bob Heiderman 1 Spot Not Filled	Nathan James, Teri Latter	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Meredith Modelski, Lukas Pytlak, Victoria Renguso	Erin & Shannon Jessen Zummo Family
Sunday, 12:30 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Bruce & Mary Manson, Harry Cione, Michelle Bodo, Natalie Warkenthien, Pam Postlewaite, Marilyn Ostovits	Gianna Hesslau	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Derek Galdoni, Mia Welborn	Mary Manson
Sunday, 5 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan with Deacon Bob Arvidson	Katy & Matthew Roesner, Claire Jones, Bill Weismann, David Kalafut, Sue Tuckey, Cindy McGowan, Pam Harchut 1 Spot Not Filled	Beth Warren	<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.stfrancislzparish.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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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.



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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