

**One Family...
United,
Empowered
Committed**

United
as a Catholic
faith family;

Empowered
by the Holy Spirit
to proclaim Christ's
teaching in word
and deed;

Committed
To be Christ to one
another through
love and service
...and honor the
dignity of all people.

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Firnback
Founding Pastor
1949 - 1970 †
(1990)

Rev. John T. McEnroe
1970 - 1982 †

Rev. Richard J. Valker
1982 - 1992 †
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**GOD AND COUNTRY
RENEW MY CHURCH
All for One...One for All
in Jesus Christ**



FOURTH SUNDAY OF
Lent



**MARCH
11
2018**

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him might not perish
but might have eternal life.

John 3:16

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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, March 11, 4th Sunday of Lent, Girl Scouting Sunday Daylight Saving Time begins: Set clocks forward 1 hour

- **Rel. Ed. Preschool:** 9:30 a.m.—School
- **Adult Confirmation Class:** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Parish 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, March 12

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m.—Church
- **Parish School Band Concert:** 7 p.m.—Church
- **Yoga:** 9:30 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **Prayer Shawl Gathering:** 9:30 a.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 L.Z.):** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **SPRED (Ages 11-16) Total Community:** 6:15 p.m.—Ministry Center

Tuesday, March 13

- **Mass:** 7 a.m.—Church
- **NAMI Class:** 6 to 9 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Handbell Choir Rehearsal:** 6:45 p.m.—Church
- **Rel. Ed. Grades 1-5 Classes:** 4:15 to 5:30 p.m.—School
- **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

Wednesday, March 14

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and noon—Church
- **Eucharistic Adoration:** 7 to 8 p.m.—Church
- **Cancer Sharing & Support:** 7 to 9 p.m.—Church Gathering Space
- **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 9 p.m.—Ministry Center

Thursday, March 15

- **Mass:** 7 a.m.—Church
- **Intentional Discipleship:** 7 to 9 p.m.—Church
- **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 6 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center

Friday, March 16, Abstinence

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and noon—Church
- **Stations of the Cross:** 7 p.m.—Church
- **Knights of Columbus Lenten Fish Fry:** 5 to 8 p.m.—Columbus Center
- **St. Patrick's Dinner Dance:** 7 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

Saturday, March 17, St. Patrick

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.—Church
- **Confessions:** 11 a.m. to noon—Church
- **First Communion Retreat:** 9 to 11 a.m.—Old School Gym

Sunday, March 18, 5th Sunday of Lent

- **Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:** 12:30 p.m. Mass—Church
- **Rel. Ed. Preschool:** 9:30 a.m.—Church & Fr. Valker Hall
- **Vicariate 1 Junior/Senior Confirmation Class:** 7 to 8:30 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Home Study Family Session:** 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall
- **Eagle Court of Honor:** 12:30 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:
March 10 & 11, 2018

*Girl Scout Cookie Sales
Chicago Jesuit Academy (Second Collection)*



Next Weekend:
March 17 & 18, 2018

*Youth Ministry Speakers
Olive Wood Sale (After All Masses)*

March 11, 2018: Fourth Sunday of Lent

Miraculous graces...have almost in an instant changed wolves into shepherds, rocks into water, and persecutors into preachers...God in a single instant has raised certain chosen souls from the depths of sin to the heights of grace.

-St. Francis de Sales

COMMUNAL RESPONSIBILITY

The people of God forgot the covenant and flouted God’s laws. They did not listen to the prophets among them, who spoke for God in warning them. Prophets are sent from God to remind us why we are here, but they are often, even in our own time, mocked, disregarded, and mistreated rather than thanked and listened to.

The book of Chronicles tells the results of these sins: the destruction of the temple and all of Jerusalem, murder, mayhem, and finally exile to a foreign land. Why are these stories in the Bible? Just to inform us of what happened to our ancient forebears? What good would that be unless there were a message and a warning for us as well? Are we people who follow the teachings of God, who obey the words of Christ in the second covenant in his blood? Or do we continue to wreak works of darkness and violence? We are reminded by these readings that we will be judged as a people, not just as individuals.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — The wrath and the mercy of the LORD are revealed in the exile and liberation of the Chosen People (2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23)
Psalm — Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you! (Psalm 137) or *Psalm 89*.
Second Reading — God, who is rich in mercy, brought us to life with Christ (Ephesians 2:4-10)
Gospel — The Son of Man must be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life (John 3:14-21)

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54
 Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16
 Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30
 Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47
 Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
 Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53
 Sunday: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33
 Alternate readings (Year A):
 Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11;
 Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

WORDS OF WISDOM: NOT ENOUGH

It is not enough for me to love God,
 if my neighbor does not love God.

—St. Vincent de Paul

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Ephesus, today in Turkey, was in the first century a great Greek city, the center for the worship of Diana, the goddess of the hunt. It was a vast city, having nearly half a million people in the time of Paul. Yet that was a time of economic recession and moral decay. No wonder Saint Paul stayed here the longest. It gave him an enormous and religiously curious audience. His preaching stirred up artisans who depended on the pilgrims who came to honor 17 gods and goddesses enshrined in the city’s temples. You can still see the open-air theater where Paul’s homily triggered a riot. Paul did have success here, and many conversions among Jews and Gentiles. They seem to have struggled with hope, perhaps because of their suffering from economic woes and isolation.

Some old traditions say that the Apostle John lived out his days here, and that the Blessed Mother was cared for by him. There’s no biblical basis for this, but it is certain that a small house just outside the city has been treasured by Christians and Muslims for centuries as the last dwelling of Mary. Long ago, the harbor silted up and the city was nearly abandoned, becoming a small village. As is so often the case, that accident of history preserved the ancient city, so that archeologists have been very successful in revealing ancient Christian sites. One such site is the Church of Mary, probably the first church to be dedicated to the Blessed Virgin. Today, a visit to Ephesus is one of the most rewarding journeys for any pilgrim.

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

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Lent; Second Scrutiny;
 Daylight Saving Time begins;
 Girl Scouting Sunday
 Friday: Abstinence
 Saturday: Saint Patrick



St. Francis de Sales

WE CAN "FIX IT" TOGETHER

TENTH PLEDGE UPDATE AND REPAIRS COMPLETED

Sunday, March 11, 2018
Fourth 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, 756 donors helped us reach \$1,217,897 in total pledges. Total pledges paid are \$974,496. Balance due is \$243,401. 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

ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING FATHER RYAN'S ASSIGNMENT AT ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

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January 25, 2018

Reverend David F. Ryan
Saint Francis De Sales Parish
135 South Buesching Rd., Lake Zurich, Illinois 60047

Dear Father Ryan,

In light of the recommendation of the Diocesan Priests' Placement Board and Bishop George J. Rassas, your assignment as Pastor of Saint Francis De Sales Parish in Lake Zurich will be extended for one year, effective July 1, 2018 until June 30, 2019.

The support you have received for this extension is an indication of the fine pastoral leadership you have given to the people of Saint Francis De Sales Parish.

Father Ryan, it is my hope that this will be a time of personal renewal for you as you continue your priestly service to the people who have been entrusted to your care.

Wishing you every blessing, with kind regards I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich, Archbishop of Chicago

PRESENTATION AT ST. JAMES: THE FACTS OF LIFE



THE BEGINNING OF LIFE
from the moment of conception

*For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven:
a time to be born, and a time to die;
(Eccl 3:1-2a)*

**St. James Parish Center
820 N. Arlington Heights Rd.
March 18, 2018
2 to 4 p.m.**



THE END OF LIFE
until natural death



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 may ask specific questions after each talk. Free will offering.

Contact Marybeth or Mike with questions at (847) 392-5506 or mschoney@wowway.com.



Lent 2018

What is your heart seeking?

St. Francis de Sales parish invites you to find grace, mercy and healing by encountering the love of Jesus Christ.

The transformation of the heart that leads us to confess our sins is a gift from God.

~Pope Francis

Please join us as we spend time with Jesus in
Adoration Meditation Reconciliation

Wednesday, March 21

At any time that fits your schedule between **12 Noon and 12 Midnight** as we offer the

**Sacrament of Reconciliation
and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.**

Childcare will be provided between 5:30 to 8 p.m.

*When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then;
when you look at the Sacred Host, you understand how much Jesus loves you now.*

~St. Mother Teresa

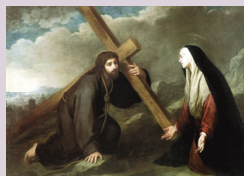
LENTEN RESOURCES

Looking for a way to make your Lent more meaningful? Browse our list of online resources at www.stfrancislzparish.org. There are many options - from simple daily meditations and reflections to video-based learning programs. Having this information directly in your inbox may remind you to focus on what's important and strengthen your relationship with Christ during this Holy Season.

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.



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 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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SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING: SUNDAY, MARCH 18, 12:30 P.M. MASS

Those who are to be anointed will be asked to complete a nametag and sign the registration book before Mass. The registration book may also be signed after Mass if you miss doing so beforehand.



We know of Jesus' concern for the sick; healing was an essential part of His ministry and that of the disciples and the early Church. Our mission today continues what Jesus began during his life on earth. "Are any among you sick? They should summon the presbyters of the church, and they should pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord." (James 5:14). Physical, mental and spiritual health are inter-related. In the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick we pray for healing of all kinds—for the body, soul and spirit. Yet God alone knows what kind of healing we need most. Baptized Catholics facing surgery, who live with serious illness or chronic

disease, whose health is impaired due to aging, who suffer with depression, serious anxiety and addictions, who are profoundly grieving or are caregivers affected by the illness of a loved one, may all benefit from the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Please join us to experience God's mercy and healing.

OUR TIME TO SHARE: A CANCER SUPPORT GROUP...



for cancer patients and survivors continues to serve the St. Francis de Sales community. Our next meeting will take place on Wednesday, March 14 at 7 p.m. in the Church Gathering Space. We offer a safe place to share, to release, to offer comfort and to be comforted...a place to feel loved. Strength, hope, faith and courage...this is what we can offer each other. Please contact Mary Manson at (847) 382-3051 and let's begin our journey together.

Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves." - Matthew 11:28-29

CHICAGO JESUIT ACADEMY

Chicago Jesuit Academy (CJA) is a full-scholarship lower and middle school for young men from modest economic backgrounds who could not otherwise access a well-resourced, faith-based college prep education in the Catholic tradition. The school is located in the Austin neighborhood on Chicago's West side. **CJA is currently in need of the following items to support their students:** Chapstick, dental floss, toothpaste (travel sized and regular sized), individually packaged toothbrushes, deodorant for men, small bottles of lotion, small pocket packs of tissues, disposable razors, small packets of laundry soap. Items may be placed in the blue bin in the Gathering Space near the statue of Jesus with children or in the blue bin at the Ministry Center.

Michelle Ryan, St. Francis de Sales Parishioner and a teacher at Chicago Jesuit Academy, is the coordinator for our parish's partnership with CJA.

JOIN US FOR A CRAFT FAIR!

Calling all crafters and prospective volunteers, your help is needed. The Children's Organ Transplant Association (COTA) will be hosting a Craft Fair on October 13, 2018 in Fr. Walker Hall in honor of local Lake Zurich teen Matthew D. COTA has helped families such as Matthew's with transplant related expenses and that will continue throughout his life.

What can you do to help? First, if you are a crafty person, please contact us as we would love to have you sign up to participate in our fair. All crafters are welcomed. Table fees are given directly to charity and are tax deductible. Request an application for further information.

Second, this is a huge undertaking and our volunteers are few and far between. If anyone would be interested in helping in the kitchen, helping plan a menu, be in charge of decorations or a person to help with collecting canned goods for the food pantry, please let us know. We are currently trying to assemble teams of people so it all runs smoothly and not be a huge burden on one person. All help would be greatly appreciated.

Please e-mail Nancy Dobson at nancbear@sbcglobal.net for an application to be a crafter or to inquire about becoming a volunteer.

"Simple gestures of heartfelt courtesy help to create a culture of shared life and respect for our surroundings."

**-Pope Francis
Taken from Praise Be to You**

LIFE LINE HEALTH SCREENING

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will offer their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at St. Francis de Sales on April 13, 2018. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. **In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle or text the word circle to 797979.**

THANK YOU, PARISHIONERS!



We want to send a HUGE thank you to so many of you from St. Francis de Sales parish that helped us to meet our goal at the JDRF fundraiser on February 22nd. Your support and care for others is inspirational. Whether you helped with a prayer, purchase or a donation—we thank you as we fight for a cure against Type 1 Diabetes.

Kathy Woloshyn & The Delozier Family

LECTOR & EME TRAINING

To register for any of the trainings listed, please visit www.vic1chicago.org

Formation & Training for New Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Saturday, April 7, 2018
 St. Joseph Formation Center,
 112 N. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, IL
 8:30 a.m. Registration, 9 to noon workshop
 Questions? Sue Matousek at smatous@stmota.org

Saturday, April 28, 2018
 St. Mary Parish, 10 N. Buffalo Grove Rd.,
 Buffalo Grove, IL
 9 a.m. Check-in, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
 workshop
 Questions? Mandy Dillon at pastoralassociate@olwparish.org or Marie Paul at mariep@sttheresachurch.org.

New Lector Training

Saturday, April 7, 2018
 St. Joseph Formation Center,
 112 N. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, IL
 8:30 a.m. Registration, 9 to noon workshop
 Questions? Sue Matousek at smatous@stmota.org

THANK YOU FROM ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

As we embark on a new year we would like to take a moment to say a heartfelt thank you to the wonderful volunteers who give their time and hearts each and every week to make the St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry's mission, to help those in need in our community, a success. You each help in your own way, helping to organize the shelves each week, helping to unload the trucks from the food bank, and helping to distribute the food to our patrons. All of the help you give, each in your own way, is truly invaluable. We are so grateful to each and every one of you.

Equally important, to each and every parishioner who donates food and other goods - you are everyday heroes and without your help, and God's grace and support, we could not do what we do.

A special thank you goes out to the park districts, local schools, boy scouts, girl scouts, athletic teams, high school clubs, and other local churches who generously give of their time and help to bring us much needed food and supplies through their frequent food drives. Your help does not go unappreciated.

To the local businesses who donate food daily - please know that your generosity is immensely inspiring and helps so many in need in our community. To the harvesters who selflessly give their time each week to pick up from those local businesses - to you we are also eternally grateful.

Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

God Bless, *The St. Vincent DePaul Pantry*



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.

OLIVE WOOD GIFTS FROM THE HOLY LAND



Proceeds benefit Catholic schools in the Holy Land. Do you know there are more than 600 Christian families living in Bethlehem and completely dependent on carving olive wood figurines for their livelihood? Recent clashes in the Middle East have stopped the tourism industry in Bethlehem, causing many families serious harm in earning their living and forcing many of them to leave their homeland. Emptying the land of Christ from Christians can have tragic consequences on the Holy sites. Issam from “Star of Bethlehem Group” came to the U.S. with a mission to help those families by selling their beautiful religious hand crafts. The cost of goods goes to benefit the Christian carvers to keep them working in the spirit of our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, the profit from sales goes directly to the needy Catholic schools and clinics in the Holy Land. Star of Bethlehem has been approved by many bishops, and diocese of Jerusalem. **Please take a look at these beautiful artifacts March 17th and 18th.**

AUDIOVISUAL MINISTRY

As many of our parishioners know, we have a big screen in our Church that was donated by a generous family. We would like to begin a ministry focused on making use of this big screen in order to play song lyrics at Masses and to give visual presentations.

If you are interested, please contact Father Ryan at (847) 726-4723. Katie McGlauchlin, an adult volunteer from our Life Teen Youth Ministry Program, will offer training on how to use the equipment. It would be advantageous to have a person at each Mass who has the skills to operate the equipment in order to enhance this wonderful feature in telling the story of our faith within our parish.

PARISH E-NEWSLETTER



Do you receive our weekly parish e-newsletter? Stay up to date with parish happenings, stories of good will, and upcoming events! To sign up, send an e-mail to publicrelations@stfrancislz.org with a request to be added to our distribution list.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION— EVERY WEDNESDAY!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



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

ELA COMMUNITY FAMILY SERVICES Social Work Program

Provides confidential services to Ela Township residents of ALL ages at no cost. Services include but are not limited to: Crisis Intervention, Case Management, Information & Referrals, Brief Counseling, Bi-Lingual Services

Call our Office: 847-540-8380



Please join us for a fundraiser to support St. Francis de Sales at

CONSUME

569 W. Route 22, Lake Zurich, IL

Tuesday, March 13, 2018

11 a.m. to Midnight

Menu at www.consumelz.com

Consume will give 20% of receipts to support our parish school.

CONGRATULATIONS, 8TH GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL!

The St. Francis de Sales Parish School 8th Grade Girls Basketball Team won **First Place** in the NWCC Conference in the Gold Division. Father Ryan was at many of the games cheering the girls on! They finished the season with an impressive record of 10-2. Way to go Eagles!



Back Row:

Nora Bajerski,
Maddie Gillis,
Alexa Mehrholz,
Alayna Soukup

Front Row:

Mia Gillis,
Maggie Bowes,
Kaylie Freeland,
Olivia Donnelly



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, MARCH 11 LIFE NIGHT

SUNDAY, MARCH 18 LIFE NIGHT

SUNDAY, MARCH 25 LIFE NIGHT

2018 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DISTRICT FREE-THROW RESULTS

The Knights of Columbus congratulate the winners and all of the contestants that participated in the District level Free-Throw Contest on Saturday, February 17 in the Transfiguration Parish Gym. We have completed the District level competition and these are the children that have advanced to the Regional level:

Age 9: 1st Place Winners

Boys: Kellan Mack, 17 shots out of 25
Girls: Samantha Gillis, 8 shots out of 25

Age 12: 1st Place Winner

Boys: Braden Eckman, 21 shots out of 25

Age 13: 1st Place Winners

Boys: Noah Kyrychenko, 22 shots out of 25
Girls: Vanessa Keller, 18 shots out of 25

The Regional Competition will take place on March 10, 2018 at Transfiguration Parish gym, with check-in at 8 a.m. and the Regional Competition starting at 9 a.m.

We also want to mention the following contestants that participated in the competition for a job well done.

Jordan Ioannidis, 2nd place for his age group of 10 year old boys, 16 shots out of 25
Liam Luby, 3rd place for his age group of 11 year old boys, 11 shots out of 25
Mia Gillis, 2nd place for her age group of 12 year old girls, 18 shots out of 25

Congratulations to all the children that participated in the 2018 Knights of Columbus Free-Throw Contest! Good luck to our winners that will compete in the Regional level on March 10, 2018.

Best Regards, Stewart Tanakatsubo (PGK), Bob Parr (PGK), Paul Latter (PGK), and Tom Wolter (Grand Knight)

† *Mass Schedule* †

Monday, March 12

8:30—Intention for Police Officers and Firefighters
 8:30—Souls in Purgatory
 8:30—John A. Flanagan III
 8:30—Patrick and Louise Ryan

Tuesday, March 13

7:00—Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
 7:00—Intention for Persecuted Christians
 7:00—Intention for Laraine Block

Wednesday, March 14

8:30—Intention for Billy Southerton
 8:30—Safety for School Children
 Noon—Intention for Renew My Church
 Noon—Intention for Duane Blackwell
 Noon—Francis Raymond Bott, Req. by Family
 Noon—Frank Ponterio
 Noon—Larry Keshner

Thursday, March 15

7:00—Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
 7:00—Evelyn Finnegan

Friday, March 16, Abstinence

8:30—Intention for Charlene Johnstone
 8:30—Intention for Barbara Schlosser
 8:30—Intention for Jennifer Hicks
 8:30—Intention for Andy Thomas
 8:30—Intention for Residents of Lexington
 Noon—Intention for Kitty Dembski
 Noon—Michael Latter, Req. by Paul and Teri Latter

Saturday, March 17, St. Patrick

8:30—Intention of U.S. Veterans
 8:30—Intention of Those Missing in Action,
 Prisoners of War, and Refugees of War
 8:30—Marion DeMaria (Month's Mind Mass)
 8:30—Jeremiah Ring
 5:00—Intention for Omar David Spitz
 5:00—Raquel Carmona, Req. by Family
 5:00—Diane Paulus, Req. by Hank Paulus
 5:00—General Casimir Pulaski
 5:00—Edward T. Hanley
 5:00—Jack Leahy
 5:00—Desmond Nolan

Sunday, March 18, 5th Sunday of Lent

6:30—Intention for Robert Marcocchio
 6:30—Intention for Ed Olczyk
 6:30—Patrick Doyle, Req. by Cousin Ellen
 6:30—Bulcsu Balla, Req. by His Wife, Gloria Balla
 8:00—Intention for Mary Jo Osterman
 8:00—James Donnelly,
 Req. by Dianne and Richard Rose
 8:00—Cynthia Karp, Req. by Dianne and Richard Rose
 8:00—Virgil Francis Kannall,
 Req. by Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Ellmann
 8:00—Joseph and Rita Cole
 8:00—Joan McGee
 9:30—Thomas Callahan,
 Req. by The Van Rengen Family
 9:30—Cindy Olcikas, Req. by Jim and Marsha Kelly
 9:30—Eric Flaum, Req. by The Bott Family
 9:30—Wally Tarasiuk, Req. by The Bott Family
 9:30—Francis Raymond Bott, Req. by The Bott Family
 9:30—Roy and Leila Clements
 9:30—Joan Masloske
 9:30—Peter McGrail
 9:30—Theodore Warkenthien
 11:00—Intention for Jeremy Graham and Family
 11:00—Hugo Gherzi, Req. by The MacDonald Family
 11:00—Frank Sikorski, Req. by The MacDonald Family
 11:00—Wilfred Werner, Req. by Martin Schuett
 11:00—Peggy Zizzo, Req. by Family
 11:00—Marge Viken, Req. by Family
 11:00—Golden Kuebler, Req. by Family
 11:00—Thomas J. Clarke
 11:00—General Thaddeus Kosciuszko
 12:30—Intention for Sayra Stom
 12:30—Olive Kalash, Req. by Marge Furfori
 12:30—Don Kalash, Req. by Marge Furfori
 12:30—Renee and Ronald Pavlock
 12:30—Eleanor and Joe Schuler
 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

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

Brianna Mae,
 Daughter of Raymond and Heather Harris
Jaelyn Rose,
 Daughter of Nicholas and Maritza Cortese
Reese Eleanor,
 Daughter of John and Allison Fowler
Colette Geraldine,
 Daughter of Michael and Liza Burke



† *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)
- Catherine Mura (Parishioner)
- Helen Cawley (Parishioner)
- Irene Ruckoldt (Friend of Barb Westerlund)
- Guadalupe Medina (Parishioner)
- George Lax (Parishioner)
- Ken Labudda (Husband to Rosemarie)
- Nelia de la Fuente (Parishioner)
- Donna Sobie (Friend to Chris Misak)
- Donald Sikorski (Parishioner)
- Constance Tomecko (Sister of Patricia Gembala)
- Constance Dimock (Aunt of Patricia Gembala)
- Zach Guenzler (Friend to Sandy and Gary Swoik)
- Jean Marie Brefeld (Parishioner)
- Fr. Ronald Gollatz (Former Pastor)
- 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* †

- Margaret Heckinger (Sister to Bob Kopfer)
- Marion DeMaria (Mother to Marina (Jerome) Solinski)
- Rose Schranz (Sister to John (Alice) Schranz)
- Cindy Olcikas (Wife to Chuck)
- Joan Masloske (Mother to Bill (Linda) Masloske)
- Ronald Pavlock (Father to Scott Pavlock)

MINISTRY OF CARE SERVICE

March 12 to March 18, 2018

Lexington HCC:

Mon. 3/12—Presider: Bonnie Clark
Cathy Criel, Jayne Kosik, John Clark*
(Sub: Fran Farruggio)

Silverado:

Sat. 3/17—Edgar Garcia

Good Shepherd:

Tues. 3/13—Volunteer Needed
Thurs. 3/15—Volunteer Needed
Sat. 3/17—Cathy Abbinante, Mary Kay Delaney, Dolores Mark
Sun. 3/18—Barb Diebold, Volunteers Needed

Cedar Lake: Sat. 3/17—Jo Anderson

On Call:

Mon.: 3/12 to 3/14—Donna Mazurkiewicz
Thurs.: 3/15 to 3/17—Priscilla Roder

Lake Zurich Meadows:

Week of 3/12—Frank Dodds

Azpira Place: Sat. 3/17—Emily Skarzynski

Homebound Min. Week of 3/12/18:
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

March Coordinator:

Jackie Pasha, 847-540-9764

April Coordinator: Mary Cohen, 847-204-8988,
marycohendesign@comcast.net

**There will be no Emmaus House Community
Dinner on Easter Sunday, April 1, 2018.**



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	2013 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$170,679
Little Sisters of the Poor	\$11,826	2014 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$197,218
Seminaries	\$7,430	2015 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$227,145
Project Kashalala Lake Victoria	\$18,595	2016 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$259,096
Hurricanes Irma and Maria Help	\$4,081		
CCHD	\$6,703	Parish Debt to the Archdiocese:	\$0
Retired Religious	\$10,106		

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 February 28, 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	75
Marriages	19
Marriage Anniversary Blessings	22
Funerals	41
First Communion	1
Confirmation	0
First Confession	1
Received into the Church	0

March 17-18, 2018: Fifth Sunday of Lent

	Celebrant	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors	Cross Bearers Altar Servers	Greeters
Saturday, 5 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Bob & Eileen Glodowski, Michelle Bodo, Lisa Labuda, George Flaherty, Kathy Duggan, Nancy Fanciullo, Julie Gyarmaty, Steven De Spain	Michael Miodonski, Patrick Foley	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Nicole Albright, Gabe Alivia, Daniel Davern	Marilyn Peterson
Sunday, 6:30 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Kathy Dellaria, Tony Pfeifer, George Mochocki, Jane Clery, George Flaherty, Diane Kleine, Emily Skarzynski	Ronald DeSimone	<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	Carmela & Joseph Esser, James & Marilee Grenning, Katie Norek, Marjie Connery, Ksawera Karbowski, Geri Gaj, George Flaherty	Jerry Cullum, Bill Woodman	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Kevin Huels, Mady Meyer, Annabelle Pinto	Volunteers Needed
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Steven & Ann Knipp, Wayne Blume, Mary O'Connor, Jerry Jagla, Dana Petraglia, George Flaherty, Phil Pace, John Wallor, Audrey Spoerlein, Laurie Haas	Gene Kussmann, Judy Filek	<u>Cross Bearer</u> Haley Cranstoun <u>Altar Servers</u> Victoria Agrella, Samantha Cranstoun, Victoria Renguso	Tuckey Family
Sunday, 11 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Flo & Steve Gibbons, Victoria Morrissey, Brody Long, Dolores Mark, Bob Arvidson, Claire Jones, Steve Lammers, Holly Smigelski, Bob Heiderman 1 Spot Not Filled	Ann Benoy, David Barker	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Kaylie Freeland, Maddie Gillis, Zachary Marcheschi	Stange Family
Sunday, 12:30 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Mary & Bruce Manson, Harry Cione, Pam Postlewaite, Bob Arvidson, Bill Halm, Kathy Woloshyn	Jack Quesinberry	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Jack Malenfant, Meredith Modelski	Pam Postlewaite
Sunday, 5 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Aimee Wright, Edgar Garcia, David Kalafut, Gary Radwanski, Caroline Pytlak, Bob Arvidson, Danielle Amato, Susie Bobrowski 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.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
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
Molly’s Adopt-A-Sailor—Cathy Chiarelli: 726-4842
National Alliance on Mental Illness Chapter—Teri Latter: (847) 809-6038
Pastoral Counseling Services—Brian Eby: 726-4714
Safety and Security Ministry—Joseph Pasquesi: 726-9550
Covenant Ministries—Stewart Tanakatsubo: (224) 475-7919 (PPC)
Emmaus House Ministry—Brian Pozzi: (516) 658-2089
Gift of Love—Jane Clery: 847-370-8933
Jubilee Garden—Janet Gozzola: 540-0672
St. Vincent de Paul Society—Direct Phone Number: 726-4890
Food Pantry—Kathleen Murray: 726-4890/www.svdplz.org
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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.



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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