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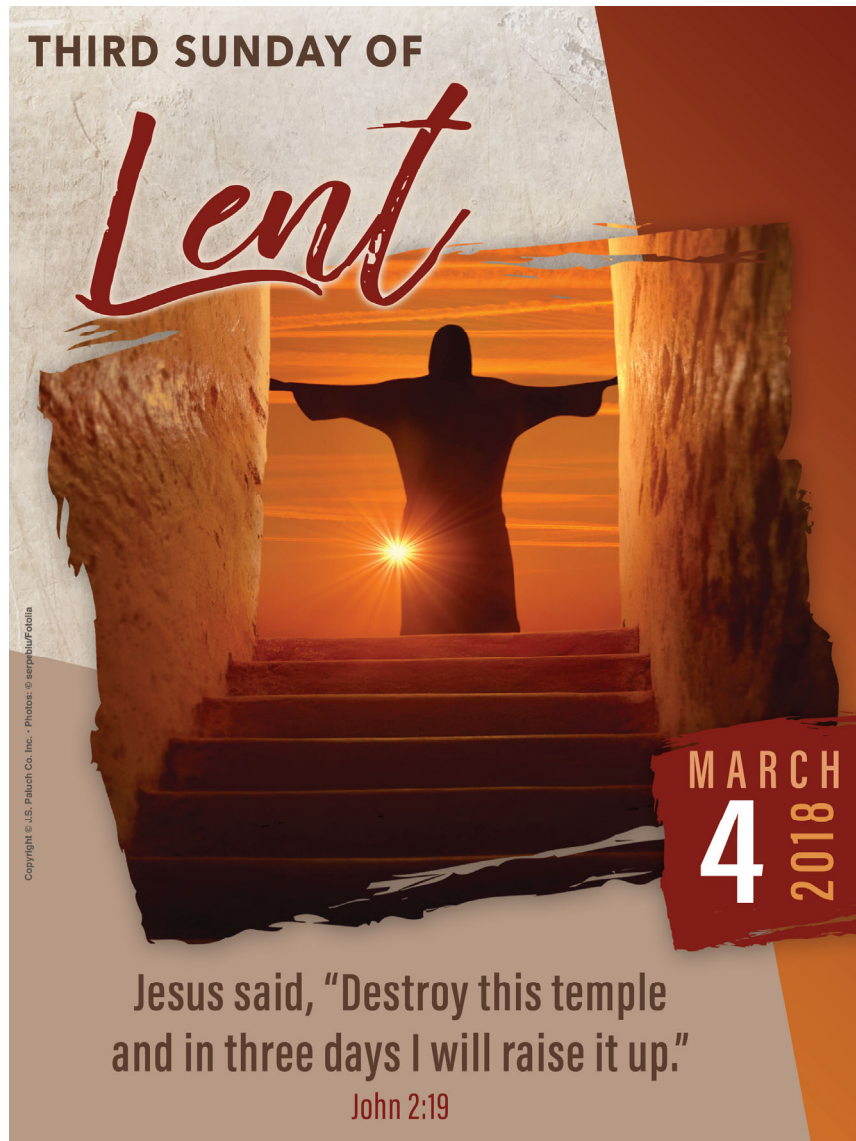
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**GOD AND COUNTRY
RENEW MY CHURCH
All for One...One for All
in Jesus Christ**



THIRD SUNDAY OF
Lent



**MARCH
4
2018**

Jesus said, "Destroy this temple
and in three days I will raise it up."
John 2:19

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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 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 Drive-In Movie Night/1st Year Confirmation Class:** 4:45 to 8 p.m. (Church & Ministry Center)
- **Emmaus House Comm. Dinner:** 6 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

Monday, March 5

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m.—Church
- **Yoga:** 9:30 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **Art & Environment:** 1:30 p.m.—Church
- **Rel. Ed. Grades 1-5 Classes:** 4:15 to 5:30 p.m.—School
- **Rel. Ed. Middle School Classes (MS South):** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **SPRED (Ages 11-16) Catechist Prep:** 7 p.m.—Ministry Center

Tuesday, March 6

- **Mass:** 7 a.m.—Church
- **Bereavement Ministry:** 2 to 4 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **NAMI Class:** 6 to 9 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Girl Scout Mass Rehearsal:** 6 to 7 p.m.—Church
- **Rel. Ed. Grades 1-5 Classes:** 4:15 to 5:30 p.m.—School
- **Rel. Ed. Middle School Classes (MS South):** 6:30 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Boy Scouts Troop 309:** 7:30 to 9 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

Wednesday, March 7, SS. Perpetua and Felicity

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and noon—Church
- **Eucharistic Adoration & Reconciliation:** Noon to Midnight—Church
- **Great Bible Adventure:** 7 to 9 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Girl Scouts:** 1 to 4 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall

Parish School—Early Dismissal, Regular Busing

- **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) Total Community:** 6 to 7:30 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **2nd Year Confirmation Leaders:** 7 p.m.—Ministry Center
- **Choir Rehearsal:** 7 to 8:30 p.m.—Ministry Center

Thursday, March 8, St. John of God

- **Mass:** 7 a.m.—Church
- **Intentional Discipleship:** 7 to 9 p.m.—Fr. Valker Hall
- **Great Bible Adventure:** 9 to 11 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 6 to 8 p.m.—Ministry Center

Friday, March 9, St. Frances of Rome, 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

Saturday, March 10

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.—Church
- **Girl Scout Mass:** 5 p.m.—Church
- **Confessions:** 11 a.m. to noon—Church
- **Great Bible Adventure:** 9 to 11 a.m.—Ministry Center
- **First Communion Retreat:** 9 to 11 a.m.—Old School Gym

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

This Weekend: March 3 & 4, 2018

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



Next Weekend: March 10 & 11, 2018

Girl Scout Cookie Sales

March 4, 2018: Third Sunday of Lent

Serve God as He wishes. You will see that one day He will do all you wish,
and more than you know how to wish.

-St. Francis de Sales

KEEP HOLY THE SABBATH

There's no better way to deepen our Lenten practice than to review the Ten Commandments. The first three, having to do with our right relationship to God, get the most ink. The one we busy people probably have the most problem with is keeping holy the Sabbath.

If we take this commandment literally, babies will go undiapered and dishes will stay on the table, or perhaps meals will not be served. The sick will go unattended and nothing that has anything to do with physical labor will be done. Is mental labor really work? How about changing that dirty diaper (poor baby!)?

We need to depend on God to discern how to observe real Sabbath time in our lives. The point of this commandment is that God has given us a great gift: one whole day per week when we are free to rest, worship God, sing, feast, love, and rejoice. As Psalm 19 proclaims: "The law of the LORD is perfect, / refreshing the soul" (19:8). Our Sabbath rest is a great gift, to be received from God with joy.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God gives the law through Moses (Exodus 20:1-17 [1-3, 7-8, 12-17]) or *Exodus 73:9-7*.

Psalm — Lord, you have the words of everlasting life (Psalm 19) or *Psalm 51*.

Second Reading — We proclaim Christ crucified (1 Corinthians 1:22-25) or *Romans 1:7-2, 5-8*.

Gospel — Many began to believe in Jesus' name when they saw the signs he was doing (John 2:13-25) or *John 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]*.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4;
Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6-7bc, 8-9;
Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20;
Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11ab, 14, 17;
Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21ab;
Lk 18:9-14

Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23; Ps 137:1-6;
Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21,
Alternate readings (Year A):
1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-6;
Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]

WORDS OF WISDOM: FORGIVENESS

If a bad person wrongs you, forgive the person, lest
there be two bad people.

—Anonymous

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

If your parish is reading from Year B of the Lectionary today, and not Year A, as is normally done when there are elect present for the scrutinies and preparing for Easter baptism, you hear about Jesus driving the money-changers from the temple. If you wished to get as close as possible to this site today, you would in fact be at a Muslim shrine, the Dome of the Rock, built on the ruins of Herod's temple. Archeologists believe that this striking, gold-domed crown of a shrine is set precisely where the Holy of Holies once was. Jews believe that the rock is the exact spot where Abraham was prepared to sacrifice Isaac. It is not a mosque, as some think, but a shrine, the oldest one in the Muslim world. For them, the rock is the place from which the Prophet Mohammed ascended on a visit to heaven. The Crusaders mistook the shrine for the actual Temple of Solomon, and the infamous Knights Templar used it as their headquarters and model for their churches elsewhere. The geometric perfection of the shrine is a mathematician's dream. The inscriptions are not exactly hospitable though, since they encourage Christians to "depart from error" and declare that "Jesus son of Mary was only a messenger of God." In ancient times, those who prayed here after walking around the rock were given a certificate entitling the bearer to admission to paradise. The ticket had to be buried with them.

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

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Lent; First Scrutiny
Wednesday: Ss. Perpetua and Felicity
Thursday: St. John of God
Friday: St. Frances of Rome; Abstinence

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



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January 25, 2018

Reverend David F. Ryan
Saint Francis De Sales Parish
135 South Buesching Road
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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Card. Blase J. Cupich".

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich
Archbishop of Chicago

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mr. Michael P. Kutich".

Ecclesiastical Notary

cc: Very Reverend Ronald Hicks, Vicar General
Deacon Daniel Welter, Chancellor
Reverend Monsignor Dennis Lyle, Vicar for Priests
Reverend Jeremy Thomas, Vicar for Priests
Most Reverend George J. Rassas, Episcopal Vicar
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**ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO—OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP
ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL**



November 30, 2017

Dear Father Ryan,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich, Archbishop of Chicago

**FINAL Report: 2017 Annual Catholic Appeal as of
February 22, 2018**

Amount Pledged:	\$362,520
Amount Assessed:	\$60,075
Amount Paid:	\$358,877
First Rebate Returned:	\$267,944
Balance Due	\$3,643
Donor Count:	796

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

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

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



2018 October Counts notes:

Par Num	Vic	Dean	Parish	Oct 2015	Oct 2016	Oct 2017	2016-17 Plus/ Minus	2016-17 Percent	Total Num Masses	Num Eng	Num Span	Num Pol	Num Other
490	I	A	St. Bede	705	708	678	-30	-4.2%	5	5			
1400	I	A	St. Francis De Sales	2,589	2,509	2,593	84	3.3%	7	7			
1560	I	A	St. Gilbert	1,653	1,713	1,544	-169	-9.9%	6	6			
2410	I	A	St. Joseph	2,593	2,568	2,677	109	4.2%	7	3	4		
2730	I	A	Santa Maria Del Popolo	2,585	2,572	2,456	-116	-4.5%	8	4	4		
3495	I	A	Our Lady of Siluva Mission	62	65	65	0	0.0%	1				1
2810	I	A	St. Mary of the Annunciation	1,346	1,348	1,387	39	2.9%	4	4			
3680	I	A	St. Peter	927	798	805	7	0.9%	5	5			
3700	I	A	St. Peter	790	812	765	-47	-5.8%	5	3	1		1
3840	I	A	Prince of Peace	1,495	1,490	1,513	23	1.5%	4	4			
3945	I	A	St. Raphael the Archangel	714	694	668	-26	-3.7%	4	4			
4440	I	A	Transfiguration	1,559	1,432	1,311	-121	-8.4%	6	4	1	1	
160	I	B	St. Anastasia	825	753	742	-11	-1.5%	4	3	1		
587	I	B	Most Blessed Trinity	6,748	6,562	6,566	4	0.1%	12	4	8		
1060	I	B	St. Dismas	850	789	823	34	4.3%	4	4			
3320	I	B	Our Lady of Humility	777	739	671	-68	-9.2%	4	4			
3630	I	B	St. Patrick	1,252	1,256	1,490	234	18.6%	5	5			
3665	I	B	St. Paul the Apostle	2,548	2,311	2,167	-144	-6.2%	5	5			
1690	I	C	Holy Cross	845	758	738	-20	-2.6%	3	3			
1930	I	C	Immaculate Conception	636	619	625	6	1.0%	3	3			
2060	I	C	St. James	554	544	564	20	3.7%	4	3	1		
2400	I	C	St. Joseph	2,613	2,620	2,572	-48	-1.8%	7	7			
2820	I	C	St. Mary	1,689	1,748	1,563	-185	-10.6%	5	5			
2845	I	C	St. Mary of Vernon	1,416	1,375	1,408	33	2.4%	4	4			
3610	I	C	St. Patrick	908	917	919	2	0.2%	4	4			
240	I	D	St. Anne	1,754	1,667	1,681	14	0.8%	5	5			
890	I	D	St. Colette	1,017	936	938	2	0.2%	5	4	1		
1150	I	D	St. Edna	2,298	1,912	1,779	-133	-7.0%	5	5			
1715	I	D	Holy Family	2,139	2,092	2,011	-81	-3.9%	5	5			
2050	I	D	St. James	2,472	2,544	2,511	-33	-1.3%	6	6			
2460	I	D	St. Joseph the Worker	1,577	1,573	1,768	195	12.4%	8	4	1	3	
2780	I	D	St. Mary	1,699	1,708	1,807	99	5.8%	5	5			
3550	I	D	Our Lady of the Wayside	1,500	1,409	1,331	-78	-5.5%	6	6			
4300	I	D	Mision San Juan Diego	1,654	1,666	1,871	205	12.3%	5		5		
4340	I	D	St. Theresa	1,918	1,977	1,809	-168	-8.5%	5	5			
4410	I	D	St. Thomas of Villanova	2,049	2,021	1,881	-140	-6.9%	5	4			1
285	I	E	St. Ansgar	2,414	2,310	2,251	-59	-2.6%	6	3	3		1x mth
1805	I	E	Church of the Holy Spirit	1,885	1,809	1,761	-48	-2.7%	4	3	1		
1840	I	E	St. Hubert	2,169	2,155	2,211	56	2.6%	6	6			
2290	I	E	St. John the Evangelist	2,829	2,830	2,740	-90	-3.2%	6	5			1
2475	I	E	St. Julian Eymard	1,211	1,082	1,015	-67	-6.2%	5	5			
2665	I	E	St. Marcelline	1,209	1,159	1,101	-58	-5.0%	3	3			
2985	I	E	St. Matthew	1,371	1,253	1,136	-117	-9.3%	5	5			
3730	I	E	St. Peter Damian	1,616	1,184	1,385	201	17.0%	4	4		2 x month	
3920	I	E	Queen of the Rosary	1,147	1,113	1,128	15	1.3%	4	4			
140	I	F	St. Alphonsus Liguori	907	802	784	-18	-2.2%	4	4			
765	I	F	St. Cecilia	2,097	1,841	1,910	69	3.7%	6	5	1		
1190	I	F	St. Emily	2,427	2,285	2,219	-66	-2.9%	5	5			
2515	I	F	St. Paul Chong Ha Sang Korean	778	750	668	-82	-10.9%	4	1			3
2790	I	F	St. Mary	1,406	1,385	1,405	20	1.4%	6	5	1		
3950	I	F	St. Raymond De Penafort	1,447	1,425	1,758	333	23.4%	4	4			
4240	I	F	St. Stephen Protomartyr	1,341	1,369	1,292	-77	-5.6%	4	3	1		
4365	I	F	St. Thomas Becket	1,663	1,575	1,605	30	1.9%	5	3			2
4580	I	F	St. Zachary	2,486	2,136	2,119	-17	-0.8%	7	5			2
				89,159	85,668	85,185	-483	-0.6%					

2017 OCTOBER COUNTS NOTES

1. 348 out of 355 parish/missions submitted a count for October 2017. The total count for 2017, that includes estimates for 7 parishes, is 395,827. This is down from last year's count of 400,728 and is a decline of 1.2% or 4,901 persons.

2. The change rates by vicariate for the counts that includes estimates for 6 parishes:

	Oct 2016	Oct 2017	Plus/ Minus	Percent	Out	Est Ct (incl. in total)
Vic I	85,668	85,185	-483	-0.6%		
Vic II	71,669	69,381	-2,288	-3.2%	3	2,274
Vic III	57,265	57,136	-129	-0.2%	2	351
Vic IV	77,444	75,224	-2,220	-2.9%	2	2,179
Vic V	79,211	79,664	453	0.6%		
Vic VI	29,471	29,237	-234	-0.8%		
	400,728	395,827	-4,901	-1.2%	7	4,804

3. The change rates can be viewed in terms of languages used at parishes/missions:

Spanish Avg 2017	Masses 2017	Span Avg 2016	Plus/Minus	Percent
113,209	284	111,638	1,571	1.4%
Polish Avg 2017	Masses 2017	Polish Avg 2016	Plus/Minus	Percent
32,394	95	33,291	-897	-2.5%

Shrines with large attendance not included in Parish/Mission count:

- Maryville OL Guadalupe reports average of 4,578, down 968 from last year's Count of 5,546 (Spanish)
- The Shrine of the Sacred Heart (Millennium Center) reports an average of 2,600 for 2017, down from last year's count of 2,783 (Polish)

PRESENTATION AT ST. JAMES: THE FACTS OF LIFE



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 BEGINNING OF LIFE
from the moment of conception

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 7 and 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 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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POPE: DURING LENT NOTICE GOD'S WORK, RECEIVE GOD'S MERCY

By Cindy Wooden, Catholic News Service, February 14, 2018, Chicago Catholic

ROME (CNS) -- Lent is a time for Christians to get their hearts in sync with the heart of Jesus, Pope Francis said.

"Let the Lord heal the wounds of sin and fulfill the prophecy made to our fathers: 'A new heart I will give you, and a new spirit I will put within you; and I will take out of your flesh the heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh,'" the pope said Feb. 14, celebrating Mass and distributing ashes at the beginning of Lent.

After a brief prayer at the Benedictine's Monastery of St. Anselm, Pope Francis made the traditional Ash Wednesday procession to the Dominican-run Basilica of Santa Sabina on Rome's Aventine Hill for the Mass.

He received ashes on his head from 93-year-old Cardinal Jozef Tomko, titular cardinal of the basilica, and he distributed ashes to the cardinals present, three Benedictines, three Dominicans, an Italian couple with two children and members of the Pontifical Academy for Martyrs, which promotes the traditional Lenten "station church" pilgrimage in Rome.

In his homily, he said the church gives Christians the 40 days of Lent as a time to reflect on "anything that could dampen or even corrode our believing heart."

Everyone experiences temptation, the pope said. Lent is a time to pause and step back from situations that lead to sin, a time to see how God is at work in others and in the world and, especially, a time to return to the Lord, knowing that his mercy is boundless.

Lent, he said, is a time "to allow our hearts to beat once more in tune with the vibrant heart of Jesus."

Hitting the reset button, the pope said, requires taking a pause from "bitter feelings, which never get us anywhere" and from a frantic pace of life that leaves too little time for family, friends, children, grandparents and God.

People need to pause from striving to be noticed, from snooty comments and "haughty looks," he said; instead, they need to show tenderness, compassion and even reverence for others.

"Pause for a little while, refrain from the deafening noise that weakens and confuses our hearing, that makes us forget the fruitful and creative power of silence," the pope said.

Use the pauses of Lent "to look and contemplate," he suggested. Christians can learn from seeing the gestures others make that "keep the flame of faith and hope alive."

"Look at faces alive with God's tenderness and goodness working in our midst," the pope said, pointing to the faces of families who struggle to survive yet continue to love, the wrinkled faces of the elderly "that reflect God's wisdom at work" and the faces of the sick and their caregivers who "remind us that the value of each person can never be reduced to a question of calculation or utility."

"See the remorseful faces of so many who try to repair their errors and mistakes, and who from their misfortune and suffering, fight to transform their situations and move forward," Pope Francis said.

But most of all, he said, "see and contemplate the real face of Christ crucified out of love for everyone, without exception. For everyone? Yes, for everyone. To see his face is an invitation filled with hope for this Lenten time, in order to defeat the demons of distrust, apathy and resignation.

The invitation, he said, is to "return without fear to those outstretched, eager arms of your Father, who is rich in mercy, who awaits you."

"Return without fear to join in the celebration of those who are forgiven," the pope said. "Return without fear to experience the healing and reconciling tenderness of God."

DEACON'S CORNER, FEBRUARY 20, 2018

The following reflection was offered by Deacon John Sfire, Parishioner and Deacon at St. Francis de Sales.

"Why put off 'til tomorrow what you can do today?"

"There's no better time than right now to get the job done."

"Let's take advantage of today since we don't know what tomorrow will bring."

How many times in our lives have we heard these expressions? I am sure, like myself, you have heard them many, many times. And what do we do when we hear these expressions or some type of expression that resembles the above? I am going to go out on a limb and say that, like myself, many times we don't take advantage of the opportunity to *"get it done now as opposed to waiting for another time."* This concept, this idea, this phrase is something that has kind of become part of our lives. I know it has for me. And remember, I am not judging anyone with my reflections, but offer the opportunity to look more deeply into our own lives to see how we might *"live it better"* by making a small change here or there.

Let's go back 2,000 years and look at Jesus Christ and His disciples. He began with twelve and that number continued to grow and grow over time, no matter how the Christians were persecuted and put to death for their beliefs in Our Lord and Savior. And unfortunately, that persecution and killing still goes on today all across the globe. I know living in the United States, we are somewhat protected from the ultimate extent of persecution and death due to our religious beliefs and yet, we see this going on everywhere around the world. The best thing we can do is to pray for our brothers and sisters daily in their plight to *"serve the Lord."* Looking back at Jesus Christ and His disciples, they must have been in a state of unknowing as to what was to happen to them.

Think about it. Jesus was walking along the shore by the sea and called out to men and said: *"Come follow Me."* And they did just that. They left what they were doing, they left their families, they left the life they had known for years to follow Jesus. And Jesus didn't give them some type of itinerary to follow, He didn't have some type of agenda for them to read, He just said: *"Come follow Me."* Even during His three year ministry, the disciples followed Jesus wherever He went. They didn't ask many questions of Jesus, they just followed Him not knowing what the outcome might be during this time. Jesus wasn't very explanatory as to what they had to do prior to His death and Resurrection. And when Jesus appeared to them in the upper room after He had died on the Cross, He said to them: *"go out and teach ye all nations."* And Jesus had the Holy Spirit in the form of a dove come down from Heaven and be with them all the days of their lives, just as Jesus has done for us.

So now look at our Christian lives in comparison. From the time of our birth, we have had parents, teachers in school, priests on the altar, etc. all helping us to understand and live the life Jesus Christ has laid out for all of us to follow. And yet with all of this information put in front of us all the days of our lives, we still have trouble *"following in the footsteps of Jesus."* So I say to us all, now is the time to make a change in our lives. This Season of Lent gives us the opportunity each and every year to adapt a change that should not last just 40 days. It should last the rest of our lives, however long that might be. I know we see the three aspects of Lent being Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving as the basis of having a *"good Lent,"* but I think we can expand on these three aspects well beyond the 40 days that the Church has professed and suggested for us to follow since I can remember. Do something that will have meaning in your life, meaning in the lives of others around you. After all, we continue to go through changes each and every day as I have written about so many times in the past. So let's make a change that will have great meaning for us and our future spiritual development.

Think about what changes you might commit to this Lenten Season and I promise you that you will be happy you did. My blessings to all,

Deacon John

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.

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. Valker 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.

The Little Sisters of the Poor at St. Joseph's Home for the Elderly Present...

AMAZING GRACE GALA

Sunday, April 22, 2018

Stonegate Banquet Centre, Hoffman Estates, IL
4 p.m. Reception • 5:15 p.m. Dinner • 7 p.m. Performance
Special Guest: Mr. Franc D'Ambrosio

Franc has the distinction as the "World's Longest Running Phantom." He will perform selections from Phantom of the Opera and other Broadway favorites.

\$150 per person or \$1,400 for a table of 10.

Find more information at

LittleSistersofthePoorPalatine.org or call 847-358-5700.

"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.**

MONASTICISM FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

Join us during National Catholic Sisters Week for an evening event exploring this topic through discussion, reflections by the Sisters & Oblates, and a viewing of a short film on the Benedictine Sisters of Chicago.

Thursday, March 8, 7 to 9 p.m. Please join us at St. Scholastic Monastery, 7430 N. Ridge Blvd., Chicago, IL 60645 in the St. Scholastica Chapel.

National Catholic Sisters Week is an annual celebration from March 8-14. Created to honor women religious, it is a series of events that instruct, enlighten, and bring greater focus to the lives of these incredible women.

More info: www.osbchicago.org/programs
Please RSVP: Sister Belinda Monahan, OSB, bmonahan@osbchicago.org

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.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Volunteer Opportunity! Emmaus House of Hospitality supports members of our local communities in need. One of the services we provide is harvesting food from local groceries and restaurants that we then distribute at our weekly community dinners. We have an opening for a Costco food harvester (Rand Rd, Lake Zurich), who would pick up a carload of breads, baked goods and other items, at 9:30 to 10 a.m. each Saturday and store it in Fr. Valker Hall until it is distributed on Sunday.

Please contact Becky Corrado at 847-707-0148 or rcorrado@allstate.com if you'd like to join our team of food harvesters. This is an ideal ministry for any person or couple looking for a way to give back to the community!

**ST. FRANCIS DE SALES JUBILEE GARDEN
NEW COORDINATOR NEEDED FOR LAST YEAR AT
THE HABERSTROH FARM!**

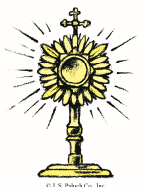
The Jubilee Garden is in need of a new leader for our upcoming 20th season! Eighteen of these wonderful years have been spent at the Haberstroh Farm located on Route 22 just east of Quentin. The and was owned by Bill Haberstroh, who passed away last year, may he rest in peace. Bill’s family has been 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 supported the Jubilee Garden! This is truly a team effort and it has been an immense pleasure serving this ministry!

Adoration
of the
Blessed Sacrament



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION—
EVERY WEDNESDAY!**

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

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, MARCH 4
DRIVE-IN MOVIE
NIGHT**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 11
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 5

8:30—Intention for Police Officers and Firefighters
 8:30—Intention for Laraine Block
 8:30—Souls in Purgatory
 8:30—Ohio Police Officer Anthony Morelli
 8:30—Ohio Police Officer Eric Joering

Tuesday, March 6

7:00—Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
 7:00—Intention for Persecuted Christians
 7:00—Leo and Mary Lahey

Wednesday, March 7, SS. Perpetua and Felicity

8:30—Intention for Billy Southerton
 8:30—Mary Kelly, Req. by The Larson Family
 Noon—Intention for Renew My Church
 Noon—Intention for Duane Blackwell
 Noon—Mary L. Pocus, Req. by Genevieve M. Scardina
 Noon—Virginia Theresa Scardina,
 Req. by Genevieve M. Scardina
 Noon—Joseph and Peggy Zizzo

Thursday, March 8, St. John of God

7:00—Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
 7:00—Ken and Stephanie Smith

Friday, March 9, St. Frances of Rome

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—Intention for Andy Thomas
 8:30—Intention for Residents of Lexington
 Noon—Stanley Kroll
 Noon—Genevieve Latter, Req. by Paul and Teri Latter
 Noon—Joanne Farias, Req. by Paul and Teri Latter

Saturday, March 10

8:30—Intention of U.S. Veterans
 8:30—Intention of Those Missing in Action,
 Prisoners of War, and Refugees of War
 8:30—Mary and Josephine Seep
 8:30—Jo Cooley
 5:00—Intention for Omar David Spitz
 5:00—Larry Keshner
 5:00—Peter Hupperich
 5:00—Marie Greco

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

6:30—Intention for Robert Marcocchio
 6:30—Intention for Ed Olczyk
 6:30—Jerry and Leda Gudgeon
 6:30—Grace Michelau
 8:00—Intention for Mary Jo Osterman
 8:00—Eleanor Donnelly,
 Req. by Richard and Dianne Rose
 8:00—Fritz Bertagnoli,
 Req. by Richard and Dianne Rose
 8:00—John Hudek
 8:00—Margaret Heckinger
 9:30—Frank Bott, Req. by Loving Family
 9:30—Jack Box, Req. by Larry Box
 9:30—Ruth Grever
 9:30—Alice O'Connor
 11:00—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doden,
 Req. by Martin Schuett
 11:00—Sergio Biancalana, Req. by Friends
 11:00—Peggy Zizzo, Req. by Family
 11:00—Peter Hupperich, Req. by Inge Soens
 11:00—Marion DeMaria, Req. by Friends
 11:00—Daniel O'Connell
 11:00—Dorothy and Jack Huels
 12:30—Intention for Sayra Stom
 12:30—Marion DeMaria
 12:30—Eduardo Montesa
 5:00—Intention for Life Teen Youth Ministry and the
 People of St. Francis de Sales Parish
 5:00—Intention for Intentional Discipleship within our
 Parish
 5:00—Frankie James Ponterio, Req. by Ines Ponterio
 5:00—Nicoletta Gina Tomaino, Req. by Ines Ponterio

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

Theodore Daniel,
 Son of Ted and Sarah Jablonski
Bryant Richard,
 Son of Kevin and Valerie Fischer
Logan Ryan,
 Son of Dmitry and Jaime Yampolsky
Theodore Wells,
 Son of Matthew and Anna Kreiser
Autumn Patricia,
 Daughter of Kevin and Brittany Mileski
Madelyn Rose,
 Daughter of Joe and Kim Aksamitowski
Micah Allen,
 Son of Daniel and Cara Allard



† *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)
- 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)
- 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)
- 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* †

- 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)
- Rose Schranz (Sister to John (Alice) Schranz)
- Cindy Olcikas (Parishioner)
- Joan Masloske (Mother to Bill (Linda) Masloske)
- Ronald Pavlock (Father to Scott Pavlock)

MINISTRY OF CARE SERVICE

March 5 to March 11, 2018

Lexington HCC:

Mon. 3/5—Presider: Bonnie Balster
Cindy Schwiesow*, Patti Rusch, Chris Misak
(Sub: Fran Farruggio)

Silverado:

Sat. 3/10—To Be Scheduled

Good Shepherd:

Tues. 3/6—Volunteer Needed
Thurs. 3/8—Volunteer Needed
Sat. 3/10—Adrienne Virgilio, Volunteers Needed
Sun. 3/11—Sandy Davern, Volunteers Needed

Cedar Lake:

Sat. 3/10—To Be Scheduled

On Call:

Mon.: 3/5 to 3/7—To Be Scheduled
Thurs.: 3/8 to 3/10—To Be Scheduled

Lake Zurich Meadows:

Week of 3/4—Cindy Gauvreau

Azpira Place: Sat. 3/10—Pam Urban

Homebound Min. Week of 3/4/18:

Cindy Gauvreau



**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



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



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

- Terrance Cullinan:** Stationed in Iraq, Nephew of Mary Layton
- Al Stroh:** U.S. Air Force, Stationed in Iraq, Friend of Sharon Anderson
- Larry Herrera:** 5th Deployment, Stationed in Afghanistan, Friend of Susan Wilberding
- Stephen Morris:** Great Nephew of Annette Feller
- First Lt. Richard Evans:** 1-504 Brigade of the 82nd Division of The Army Airborne, 3rd Deployment to Iraq, Nephew of Raymond & Deanna Clutts
- LTJG Scott Burrill:** U.S. Navy, Stationed in Jacksonville, Florida with the USS McInerney, Friend of the Talbott Family
- Captain Jason Finkenkeller:** U.S. Army, Deployed to Taji Iraq North of Baghdad, Nephew of Robert & Irene Louis
- Matthew Schrock:** II National Guard, Stationed in Afghanistan Nephew of Steve & Joan Schultz
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- 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
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- 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
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- 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
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- 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
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- David Gudgeon:** Air Force, Stationed in Colorado Springs, Grandson of Christian and Priscilla Roder
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- 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 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	75
Marriages	19
Marriage Anniversary Blessings	22
Funerals	39
First Communion	1
Confirmation	0
First Confession	1
Received into the Church	0

March 10-11, 2018: Fourth Sunday of Lent, Girl Scouting Sunday

	Celebrant	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors	Cross Bearers Altar Servers	Greeters
Saturday, 5 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Anthony & Cindy Tomei, Victoria Morrissey, Kathleen Slade, Kim Stratman, Bob Kopfer, Julie Gyarmaty, Margaret Gas, Mary Tinkham	Adrienne Virgilio, David Eddleman	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Grace Ergastolo, Isabella Holaday, Natalia Linares	Schumacher Family
Sunday, 6:30 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Cheryl & Rick Elish, Sue Arvidson, Jim Gill, Therese Wegner, Gene Bader, Terry Saunders	Kathy Morris	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Jennifer Bukowski, Volunteer Needed	Jim Gill Georgen Family
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Art & Victoria Williams, Geri Gaj, Claire Jones, Chuck Meinhardt, Paul Latter, Denise Gaffney, Marsha Smyser, Irene Goldthwaite	Christina Janice, Dianne Rose	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> Samantha Cranstoun, Kevin Huels, Konnor Kininmonth	Volunteers Needed
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Marilee & James Grenning, Bonnie Clark, John Uriell, Frank Johnstone, David Kalafut, Stewart Tanakatsubo, Wayne Blume, Janet Danielsen, Edgar Garcia, Kathy Woloshyn	Jim McCafferty, Jim Ludwig	<u>Cross Bearer</u> Will Madsen <u>Altar Servers</u> Ben Cacioppo, Justin Kutsor, Olivia Moorman	Schroeder Family Frank Johnstone
Sunday, 11 a.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Cathy & Rocco Abbinante, Tom & Karen Richardson, Aleyce Baca, Patty Antczak, Helen Cawley, Sharon Brown, Natalie Warkenthien, Flo Gibbons, Gerald Kmiecik	Tony Baca, Jacqueline Kuhn	<u>Cross Bearer</u> Cai Hadaway <u>Altar Servers</u> Sam Cornelius, Sarah Wiseman, Anthony Zizzo	Volunteers Needed
Sunday, 12:30 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Mary & Bruce Manson, Pam Postlewaite, Bill Halm, Marilyn Ostovits, Harry Cione 1 Spot Not Filled	Brad Schaefer	<u>Cross Bearer</u> To Be Scheduled <u>Altar Servers</u> James Battaglia, Alayna Soukup	Volunteers Needed
Sunday, 5 p.m.	Fr. David F. Ryan	Emily Weismann, Aimee Wright, Michelle Bodo, Danielle Amato, Bill Weismann, Pam Lynch, Bobbie Jo Carr 2 Spots Not Filled	Jessie Houghton	<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
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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

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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

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Collection Counters—Laura Angelini: 726-4747
Finance Council—Michael Carlino: 438-3260

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 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
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 Meal Sign-up: Intake at Catholic Charities, (847) 546-5733
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St. Vincent de Paul Society—Direct Phone Number: 726-4890
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CATHOLIC EDUCATION

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**On January 25, 2018, Blase Cardinal Cupich has re-appointed Father Ryan as Pastor with a term on conclude on 30 June 2019.*

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Mass Schedule

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

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

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

Tuesday and Thursday: 7 a.m. Mass

Friday: 8:30 a.m. Mass

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

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



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

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

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

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

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

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

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