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 **PARISH MISSION**

December 19th, 2021



*Advent*  
**PREPARING THE WAY**

*Fourth Sunday of Advent*  
Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord,  
your grace into our hearts,  
that we, to whom the Incarnation of Christ your Son  
was made known by the message of an Angel,  
may by his Passion and Cross  
be brought to the glory of his Resurrection.  
Who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever.

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**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.

**VIRTUAL STREAMING WEBSITES**

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**EVENTS THIS WEEK**

*Ministry Center Closed from Dec 22 until Jan 3*

**Monday, December 20**

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Art & Environment @ 9am — Church
- Yoga @ 9:15am — Upstairs Ministry Center
- Mom's Group @ 7pm — Upstairs Ministry Center

**Tuesday, December 21: St. Peter Canisius; Winter begins**

- Communion Service @ 8am — Day Chapel
- 5th Grade Party @ 9:30-11:30am — Fr Valker Hall
- Boy Scouts @ 7:30pm — Fr Valker Hall

**Wednesday, December 22**

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am & Noon — Church (noon streamed)
- Broadcasted Mass @ 7am & 4pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- Choir & Bells @ 7pm — Church

**Thursday, December 23: St. John of Kanty**

- Communion Service @ 8am — Day Chapel
- Art & Environment @ 9am — Church
- SVdP Food Pantry @ 5:15-7pm — in person at the Ministry Center

**Friday, December 24: The Vigil of Christmas**

- Christmas Eve Mass @ 3pm, 4:30pm, 6pm, Midnight — Church (3pm broadcasted)
- Broadcasted Mass @ 3pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99

**Saturday, December 25: The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)**

- Christmas Day Mass @ 6:30am, 9am & 11am — Church (9am streamed, 11am broadcasted)
- Art & Environment @ 9am — Church
- No Reconciliation @ 4-4:45pm — Church
- No Vigil Mass @ 5pm — Church

**Sunday, December 26: The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)**

- Mass @ 6:30am, 9am & 11am — Church (9am streamed, 11am broadcasted)
- Broadcasted Mass @ 12:30pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99

Please visit our website for the most updated list of events this week - they change frequently!  
[www.stfrancislzparish.org/parish-schedule](http://www.stfrancislzparish.org/parish-schedule)



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Christmas from  
your Ministry  
Center Staff*

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the world**

**2021 Annual Catholic Appeal**

**ACA REPORT FOR OUR PARISH  
NOVEMBER 2021 REPORT**

Donor Count .....	398
2021 Goal .....	\$125,410
Amount Pledged .....	\$184,563
Amount Paid .....	\$6,849
Balance Due .....	\$177,714

## Fourth Sunday of Advent

"One can scarcely be ignorant [of the riches of God's goodness]. Indeed this rich, full, and plenteous sufficiency of means which God freely bestows on sinners so that they can love him is seen almost everywhere in Scripture." - St Francis de Sales

### TODAY'S READINGS

- First Reading** — From Bethlehem-Ephrathah shall come forth for me one who is to be ruler in Israel (Micah 5:1-4a).
- Psalms** — Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved (Psalm 80).
- Second Reading** — We have been consecrated through the offering of the body of Christ once for all (Hebrews 10:5-10).
- Gospel** — Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken by the Lord would be fulfilled (Luke 1:39-45).

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### AUDACITY

There is a spirit of audacity in our readings today. During a time of injustice and threat of invasion, the prophet Micah boldly announces that the God of insignificant Israel will raise up a leader from backwater Bethlehem, and this leader will bring justice and peace to the whole world. In the Gospel, Elizabeth and Mary, marginalized women, brazenly celebrate that their sons will be world-changing instruments of God. We further learn that this audacity is rooted in trust in God. The author of Hebrews describes the faithful obedience of Jesus. Mary is shown as the exemplar of faithful trust in God. This is the way God often seems to work, in the ordinary and marginalized in our world. Those who seem weak have learned to trust in God's strength. These have the audacity to become instruments of God's peace and justice.

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### SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday:** Fourth Sunday of Advent
- Tuesday:** St. Peter Canisius; Winter begins
- Thursday:** St. John of Kanty
- Friday:** The Vigil of Christmas
- Saturday:** The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)
- Sunday:** The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday:** Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-6; Lk 1:26-38
- Tuesday:** Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a; Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21; Lk 1:39-45
- Wednesday:** 1 Sm 1:24-28; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 1:46-56
- Thursday:** Mal 3:1-4, 23-34; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-10, 14; Lk 1:57-66
- Friday:** 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29; Lk 1:67-79
- Saturday:** **Vigil:** Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 [18-25] **Night:** Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-3, 11-13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14 **Dawn:** Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20 **Day:** Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 [1-5, 9-14]
- Sunday:** Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28; Ps 128:1-5 or Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10; Col 3:12-21 [12-17] or 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24; Lk 2:41-52

This column is curated by Mary Jo Kunzmann, Judy Reilly, and Nancy Jarvis with the hope that it will help you on your journey to grow as disciples of Jesus.



Mary wasn't preparing for an event. She was preparing for a person: Jesus forming in her womb. Her prayerful heart had space to receive Him. What can we empty from our lives to create space for Jesus? Celebrate Christmas with family, friends, parties, food, trees, lights, wreaths and JOY! Remember: KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS. Prepare for HIM, not the event. **REJOICE! Advent Meditations with Mary, Fr. Mark Toups**

Questions? Please email [growdisciples12@gmail.com](mailto:growdisciples12@gmail.com)

## St Francis de Sales THIS WEEK Mom's Group

St. Francis Mom's Group is a place for mothers of young children to gather and grow in faith and fellowship. No matter if you are brand new or a Mom's Group regular, we would love for you to join us! With questions please contact Stephanie Tanner at [steph.tanner26@gmail.com](mailto:steph.tanner26@gmail.com)

**Mom's Group Monthly Meetings** will be the 3rd Mondays of the month from 7pm-8:30pm on the second floor of the Ministry Center.

### Next Meeting Dates

**December 20th**

Advent Traditions & Christmas Cookie Exchange



## GOSPEL MEDITATION

### ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

St. Augustine tells us that a “Christian is a mind through which Christ thinks, a heart through which Christ loves, a voice through which Christ speaks and a hand through which Christ helps.” As we look around and out at the world, we do not have to search too far before we come face to face with inequity and injustice. There is so much unfairness, prejudice, anger, hatred, violence, and want. The stories of human heartache, people being hurt, deprived of life’s necessities, loneliness, and sickness are far too commonplace. For many of the world’s ills, the vices of greed, lust, pride, gluttony, and jealousy are clearly among the more significant root causes. Why doesn’t God just step in and fix this mess? After all, God created this world, and one would hope that he would step up and take some measure of responsibility for it! Once we sit with this thinking for a while, we can begin to realize just how flawed it really is. God did take responsibility and God did fix the problem! God sent us Jesus Christ as the divine solution to the world’s ills. It is not God who has shirked responsibility,



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INSTRUMENTS**

we have. We are the ones who continually fail to set our own personal needs, wants, and securities aside so that One more powerful than us can use us.

Mary had to set her needs aside in order for the Son of God to come into the world. Put simply, Mary listened and believed. Having opened herself to being an instrument of the Divine, God could use her as his mind, heart, voice, and hand. She became God’s vessel so that God’s greatness could reach the ends of the earth and peace could come upon the world. God’s

fix for the world’s difficulties is you and me. We are the ones who confess that Jesus Christ came into the world as the Son of God, the Prince of Peace, and herald of justice. All we have to do is believe, as did Mary, that what has been spoken to us by the Lord will be fulfilled. Then, we can step aside and be the Christians we claim to be. What a difference it would make if every person who professed to be Christian truly understood that their one and only vocation is to be God’s instrument. What a beautiful, equitable, and just world it would be.

*When Elizabeth heard Mary’s greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said, “Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb.” - Lk 1:41-42*

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## BABY JESUS' WISH LIST

Odds are you've got a Christmas list going by now — gift ideas for everyone from your nephew to your goddaughter to your mailman. But what about the birthday boy? What's the gift Jesus gets from you this Christmas?

If you've ever read the Book of Leviticus, you know all about the sacrifices God asks of the Israelites, referred to in the reading from Hebrews today. Leviticus can be a chore to read — a little repetitive, a little intimidating. There's a lot of very specific actions that God asks His Chosen People to complete to make up for whatever they have done wrong. In essence, it's a bit of a wish list for gifts.

But it's a wish list that can really confuse you. What's God going to do with a cereal offering? The kidneys of an animal? If you look closely,

what God is doing here is beautiful. He's customized his wish list to only those things He knows the Israelites can give. It's God saying, in what amounts to theological baby-talk for folks who barely know of Him and His ways, exactly how they could be stewards. "Do this, but don't do that. If you do that, do this and you will find My mercy."

Our guide to stewardship — the Gospels of Christ — is less precise because by the time of Christ, God's people have grown in understanding of love and mercy and relationship with the divine. Through Christ, we find out that God's real wish list didn't really consist of cereal offerings and the kidneys of various animals. It's far simpler, but luckily, it's something we still have on-hand. All He wants is our whole heart.

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

## BESIDES THE WISE MEN, WHAT IS SIGNIFICANT ABOUT THE EPIPHANY?

Epiphany means "manifestation," or public display. The feast is usually celebrated January 6. In the US, it is celebrated on the Sunday nearest to January 6. It originates from a story unique to Matthew (2:1-12). Magi from the East come to offer homage to the newborn King, presenting him with gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

This part of Matthew's infancy narrative differs from Luke's account of the birth of Jesus. In Luke there are no Magi, star, nor gifts. Luke has Jesus being born in a stable after Mary and Joseph's long travel from Nazareth to Bethlehem. Matthew seems to have the family living in a house in Bethlehem, where the Magi find them.

Why these differences? They stem from the needs and concerns of the audience the authors were addressing, as well as the theological stance of each author. Knowing the original intention helps get at the correct interpretation of the text.

Since Matthew was writing primarily to a Jewish community, his concern was to show that Jesus did not come just for Jews, but for Gentiles as well. From his very birth, Jesus

not only manifests himself to Jews, but also to Gentiles, who are prominently included in the manifestation, symbolized by the Magi and their journey. This is the most significant aspect of the feast of Epiphany. How do you manifest Jesus to all with whom you come into contact?



# Advent is here.

This year has been very challenging for all of us, and we may wonder how to hold hope and joy in our hearts right now.

Advent blesses us with time to step back and focus on our true Hope and Joy- God loves us so much that He sends His only Son so that everyone who believes may have eternal life. ~John 3:16

Take time during Advent to talk to Jesus and give Him your joys, struggles and questions. He came into this world for you!

Here are some resources and opportunities to help:

Reflections on the daily Advent Gospel readings by Bishop Barron

To receive Booklet: <https://books.wordonfire.org/adventbooks2021>

Or to receive free daily email reflections: <https://dailycatholicgospel.com/adventreflections>

Dynamic Catholic Advent Videos

This Advent, discover and choose the things that draw you to the light!

Short, inspirational free videos each day to help you slow down and find Hope.

<https://www.dynamiccatholic.com/advent.html>

Rejoice! Finding Your Place in the Advent Story- Ascension Press offers 2 Advent resources:

<https://ascensionpress.com/collections/rejoice-finding-your-place-in-the-advent-story>

Rejoice Journal will help you to see how the people, places, and events of the first Advent affected Jesus's story.

Weekly free guided meditation videos to help you find your place in the Advent story.

Short Advent Daily Reflection

videos that feature Dr. Tim Gray commenting on the daily Mass readings, diving deeper into the joys and mysteries of the Incarnation.

<https://daily.formed.org/>

Pray More Advent Retreat

Presentations from 6 different speakers that will help you focus on prayer in your everyday life this Advent -- and onward into the new Liturgical year.

<https://praymoreretreat.org/>



## HAVE A VERY Merry Christmas!

PLEASE COME CELEBRATE WITH US THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON  
[FR RYAN IS PRESIDING AT ALL MASSES UNLESS MENTIONED OTHERWISE]

### Christmas Eve

Friday, Dec 24, 2021

3pm (broadcasted), 4:30pm, 6pm ←Cantor & Flute,  
Midnight ←Quartet, Strings & Bells

### Christmas Day

Saturday, Dec 25, 2021

6:30am [Fr Paul], 9am (streamed) ←Cantor & Flute,  
11am (broadcasted) ←Choir, Quartet, Strings & Bells,  
12:30pm, NO 5pm Vigil

### Holy Family

Sunday, Dec 26, 2021

6:30am, 9am (streamed) ←Choir & Quartet,  
11am (broadcasted) ←Cantor

### New Years Eve

Friday, Dec 31, 2021

8:30am, 6pm

### New Year's Day

### Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

[not a holy day of obligation]

Saturday, Jan 1, 2022

10:00am, Noon (streamed), 5pm Vigil

### Epiphany of the Lord

Sunday, Jan 2, 2022

6:30am, 9am (streamed) ←Choir & Quartet,  
11am (broadcasted) ←Cantor

WEBSITE WILL ALWAYS HAVE THE MOST UPDATED SCHEDULE, SO PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CHECK THERE!

## Christmas 2021

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

We joyfully celebrate the birth of the Lord. As we do so, we are also very much aware the challenges that we face—moving beyond the pandemic, building social peace in our society, and finding economic stability in uncertain times. In all of this, we reaffirm our faith that Jesus truly is Emmanuel, God-with-us. He accompanies us and walks with us. And that gives us great confidence and sure hope.

This year, Pope Francis has called the entire Church to reflect on synodality, a word that means “being on the road together,” as we make our life journey. We believe that Jesus is on the road with us. And our faith also leads us to commit ourselves to be on the road with each other. In this season, we take inspiration from the Christmas gospel stories of Mary and Joseph journeying on the road together to Bethlehem and the Magi on the road together to find Jesus.

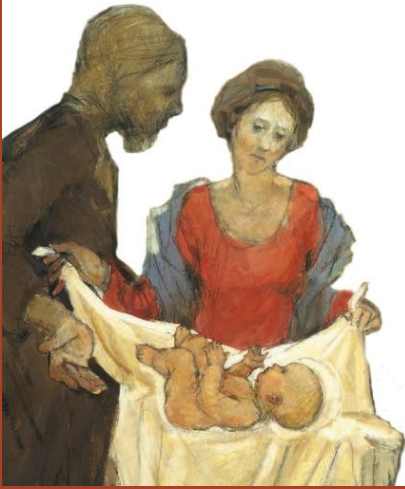
I pray that, accompanied by the Lord, we may learn to be sources of encouragement for each other on the journey.

During this holy season, I will bring you, your loved ones, and your special intentions to the altar. As I pray for you, I also ask you to pray for me, so that together all of us may find renewal in the Lord.

God bless you and keep you,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

*Blase Cardinal Cupic*  
Archbishop of Chicago





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## Join us for Kairos!

**Registration is OPEN for SFK18!**  
**January 14 - 17, 2021**



### What is Kairos?

Kairos is a Christian experience of prayer and reflection. St. Francis de Sales Parish began hosting Kairos retreats for high school juniors and seniors in 2009. Kairos can be a powerful and life-changing opportunity for teens as they grow in their knowledge of themselves, others, and especially, God. Kairos is open to any junior or senior high school student who would like to join us. Participants do not need to be Catholic to attend. All are welcome.

### Good Reasons to Participate in a Kairos Retreat:

- Everyone needs time to reflect. This retreat offers a break from the many distractions in our lives.

- The Kairos Retreat centers on seeing God's love in our lives and encourages the development of a personal relationship with God.
- This retreat creates an open and accepting retreat atmosphere for you to experience God's love and forgiveness and the importance of friendship and family.
- Maybe you don't know if God really cares, and you need to find out just how much He does.

The reasons to attend are as unique as each person. Talk to past Kairos participants or youth ministry adults and ask them why they participate in Kairos.

**Register Here:**



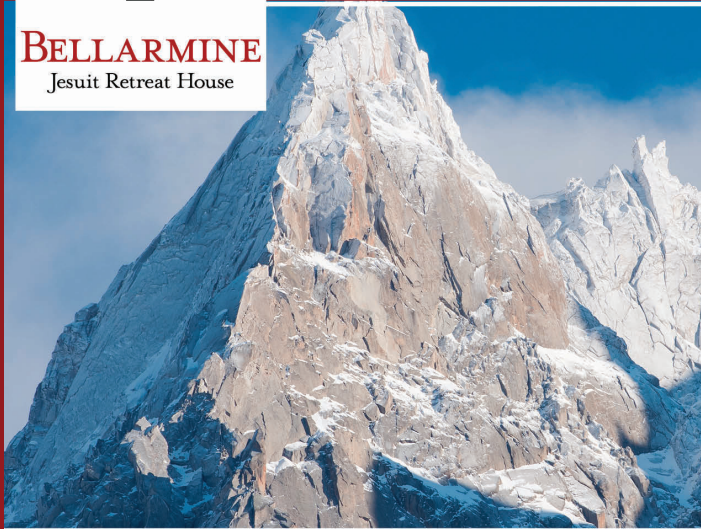




**BELLARMINE**  
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January 7-9, 2022

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Men's Weekend Retreat:  
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JesuitRetreat.org

**HOODIE**

We are collecting brand new hoodies for men, women, and kids in all sizes for the homeless and those in need.

Blue bins will be at the church Nov 6-21 to accept your donations. Hoodies can also be dropped off at the Ministry Center.

Thank you for being Christ to those in need!

Questions?

Contact Pam Urban @ 847 373 9705  
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**Next Session**

**Jan 7th**

**9am-7pm**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

*Every First Friday*

Do you want to quiet your mind and take time from the busy-ness of life? Come spend time with Jesus. He will make a difference in your heart. Join us for First Friday Adoration on January 7th anytime between 9am - 7pm. **All are welcome and you do not need to sign up to come stop by for a few minutes, an hour or however long you are able.**

In order to offer this amazing experience, we need a few adorers to commit to each hour. If you are able to commit to an hour, please use our SignUp Genius to sign up for a time slot:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B044DA5A82CAAF49-first1>



# Mass Attendance RECORD

Year	Overall	Average
2021 .....	<b>3,603</b>	<b>901</b>
2020 .....	<b>COVID   no results</b>	
2019.....	<b>9,033</b>	<b>2,258</b>
2018.....	<b>10,035</b>	<b>2,508</b>
2017.....	<b>10,371</b>	<b>2,592</b>
2016.....	<b>10,036</b>	<b>2,509</b>

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WIDOW & WIDOWERS GROUP - HOLY FAMILY PARISH

**"To Be Joyful Again"**, a non denominational support group for widows, widowers, or anyone else who has lost a significant other, meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month at 7pm at Holy Family Parish, 2515 Palatine Road, Inverness. Come get the support you need in this difficult time.

All are welcome. Please contact Peggy Emerson at 847-368-1712 or Bob Boho at 847-438-2884 for more information.



The Annual Appeal runs from October 23rd, 2021 through February 5th, 2022. There are three ways to give:



**online**

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stfrancis/>

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**on-the-go**

Text the word GIVE to 847 443-9997

Be sure to choose "School Annual Appeal" as your fund.



**or by check**

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# Save the Date!

## BLOOD DRIVE

**Helpful tip:**  
Make sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.

**\$15 E-Gift Card for all donors!**

Due to the ongoing impacts of COVID-19 in our communities, we are facing an immediate need for blood donations. Many blood drives have had to canceled, which has led to a dramatic drop in blood donations in recent weeks. In our efforts to keep the shelves filled with blood at our hospitals, Versiti Blood Center will be sending all donors a \$15 e-gift card as a token of appreciation in helping us save lives in our community.

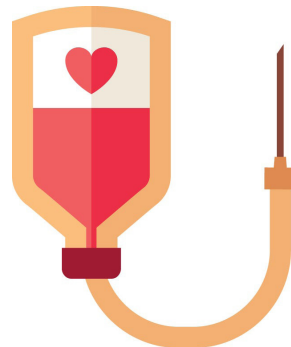
**Who benefits from blood donation?**

At Versiti Blood Center of Illinois, formerly Heartland Blood Centers, we never forget the patients who receive the blood we collect. Every unit of blood is collected from volunteer donors who meet specific criteria and have been screened according to strict guidelines. Every unit (pint) is collected, transported, tested and stored according to tightly-controlled procedures.

Examples of transfusion needs are:

- Cancer: up to 8 units/month
- Bone Marrow Transplant: up to 2 units/day
- Liver Transplant: up to 100 units
- Auto Accident: up to 50 units
- Cardiovascular Surgery: 2-25 unit

**FREE ANTIBODY TEST for every donation**



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**WEDNESDAY**  
**January**

**13**

**2-6pm**  
Fr Walker Hall

Appointments are encouraged, Walk-ins welcome!

## † Mass Intentions †

**Monday, December 20**

- 8:30 - Intention for Police Officers & Firefighters
- 8:30 - Intention for the Souls in Purgatory
- 8:30 - Dorothy Thompson
- 8:30 - Tim Durbin, req by Bill & Barb Donnan
- 8:30 - Hubert Fischer, req by family

**Tuesday, December 21: St. Peter Canisius; Winter begins**

- 8:00 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome

**Wednesday, December 22**

- 8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School Children of our Community
- 8:30 - Dorothy Thompson
- 8:30 - John Plueger, req by family
- 12:00 - Ada Evangelista
- 12:00 - Peter McGrail
- 12:00 - Bob Logan, req by family
- 12:00 - Robert Bush
- 12:00 - Joe Schuler Jr
- 12:00 - Dolores Hardison

**Thursday, December 23: St. John of Kanty**

- 8:00 - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
- 8:00 - Intention for Jennifer Hicks
- 8:00 - Intention for First Responders
- 8:00 - Intention for Scripture Study

**Friday, December 24: The Vigil of Christmas**

- 3:00 - Andrew G Chase, req by his loving wife, Linda
- 3:00 - Eva & Joseph Sandbote, req by their loving daughter, Linda Chase
- 3:00 - Tommy Gaffney, req by family
- 4:30 - Clara & Eugene Radwanski
- 4:30 - Peter & Rose Scardina
- 4:30 - Teresa Motyka, req by Kluz family
- 4:30 - Stefania Godek, req by Kluz family
- 6:00 - Bill Mick, req by the Stobart family
- 6:00 - Michael Stobart, req by Carla, Kelly, Dawn, Michael & Ryan
- 6:00 - Beth Talbot, req by Jan & George Yingst
- 6:00 - Marquerite Yingst, req by Jan & George Yingst

6:00 - McNeal & Stobart Families, req by Carla

6:00 - Frank Corso, req by Carla, Kelly, Dawn, Michael, Ryan Stobart

6:00 - Judy Carson, req by Carla

6:00 - Fr. Jack Dewes, req by Carla

6:00 - Peter McGrail, req by McGrail Family

6:00 - Jack Ford, req by Marty O'Neill

Midnight - Height Family & Greco Family

Midnight - Intention for Barbara Schlosser

Midnight - Intention of U.S. Veterans

Midnight - Intention of Those Missing in Action, Prisoners of War

**Saturday, December 25: The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)**

9:00 - Dorothy Thompson, req by her loving husband, Michael

9:00 - James Kuczora, req by Karen & Family

9:00 - Bernice & Stephen Latuszek, req by family

11:00 - Lucy Jozwiak, req by her husband, John and family

11:00 - John Plueger, req by family

**Sunday, December 26: The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph**

6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk

6:30 - Robert Morcocchio

9:00 - Dominic Chirchirillo, req by Francesca Chirchirillo

9:00 - In loving memory of Mitchell Jarmer, req by his parents

9:00 - Jim Kwasek, req by the Rusk family

9:00 - Dorothy Thompson, req by Michael

9:00 - Geraldine Piechowski, req by Bill & Barb Donnan

9:00 - Nathaniel James Quinn, req by Bob & Arlene Quinn, his grandparents

9:00 - Tim Durbin, req by Bill & Barb Donnan

11:00 - Bridget O'Shea, req by the Bush

11:00 - Ellen O'Shea, req by the Bush

11:00 - Intention of Youth Ministry & Young Adult Ministry

† 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 the Parish Office - 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.

- Melissa Sutton** (daughter to Bebe Sutton)
- Bruce Dille** (friend to Wayne & Linda Penney)
- Joyce Wirth** (granddaughter to Linda & Frank Wirth)
- Diana Juarez & her baby Isais**
- Alondra & Adele Ramirez**
- Deysy Garcia**
- Anny Duran**
- Victoria Kopydlowski**
- Patti Herstein** (sister to Linda Penney)
- Jonathan Penney** (grandson to Linda & Wayne Penney)
- Willa Driver** (niece to Linda Wirth)
- Anne Schick**
- Maureen Degen**
- Joan Haufschild**
- Quentin Fabro** (brother-in-law to Barb Polk)
- Melissa Rothas** (wife to Brian)
- Sara Donnelly**
- Diane Kuczak**
- Hannon babies** (grandbabies to Bridget McGuinness)
- Bill Zborowski** (husband to Joanne)
- Janice Janocik** (sister-in-law to Christine Richards)
- Joanne Noon**
- Dick Goss**
- Lisa Coconate**
- Karen Rogan** (wife to Ed)
- Candy Cotsiomitis**
- Jo Anderson**

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

Dawn Repta, Jocelyn Brown, Baby Omar Spitz, Karen DiTommaso, John Thullen, Carolynne Fox, Kevin Kleine, Jane Polnaszek-Gray, Kendall Urban, Patrick Rams, Cheryl Jonelis, Kristy Williams, Nancy Grasso, Barb Grabarek. Alyssa Matney, Beatrice Flitman, Chris Koster, Brian Ford, Lydia Oliver, Dwayne Shepherd, Melinda Rodriguez, Wayne Dreyer, Peter Powers, Chris Rusk, Veronica Hoehne, Tim Youngman, Dorothy Parola, Barb Westerlund, Judy Patton, Gina Meeks, Janet Burrows, Dolores Guzy, Audrey Krupa, Ligia Jiménez, Tripp Buckman, Milton Jerard, Lisa Friebus, Jeff Gauthier, Linda Kalteux, Anna Kroll, Nancy Morrissey, Amanda Wilk, Demmi Dadas, Liz Fajnor, Chuck Vassallo, Melissa Larsen Raupp, Chris Miller, Denise Molony, Margo Buchholz, Bill Zborowski, Jenny Chromy, Gaylyn & Todd McGlauchlin, Julie & Andy Ferren, Jean Brefeld, Linda Serwa

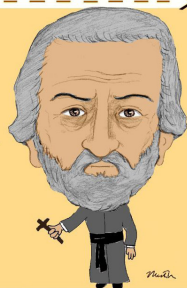
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If you have too much to do, with God's help you will find time to do it all.

**St. Peter Canisius**

Dutch Jesuit priest who reformed universities and attracted many back to the Catholic faith; known as the Second Apostle of Germany

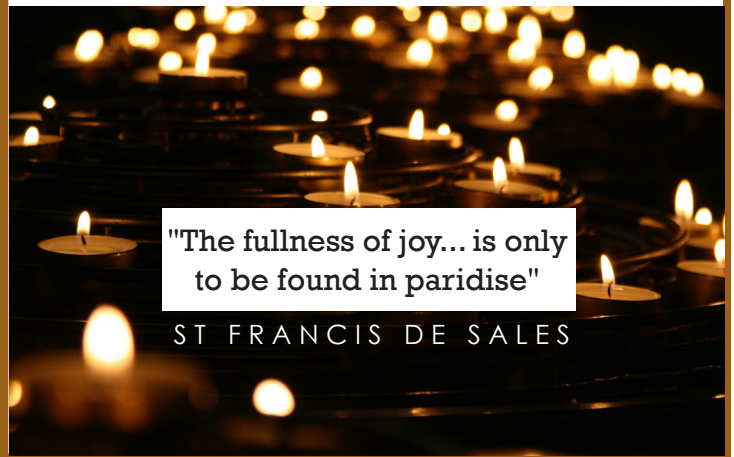
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December 21

† In Sympathy †

- Mark S. Maurizio**
- Lore Ens Dorf** (mother to Marion Meyer)
- Rosemarie Highland**
- Dwight Dominick** (brother to Linda & Frank Wirth)
- Tom Strasser** (father of Jeanne Geusz)
- Michael Ryan** (husband to Mary Catherine Ryan)
- Tom Strasser** (father of Jeanne Geusz)
- Dwight Dominickd** (brother to Linda Wirth)
- Lauren Weinstein**
- (niece to Janet Whetter, cousin to Diane Whetter)
- Fr. Jack Dewes**
- Judy Carson** (sister to Carla)
- Marcia Jean Kasprzak**
- (mother to Mark (Ann Marie) Kacprzak)



"The fullness of joy... is only to be found in paradise"

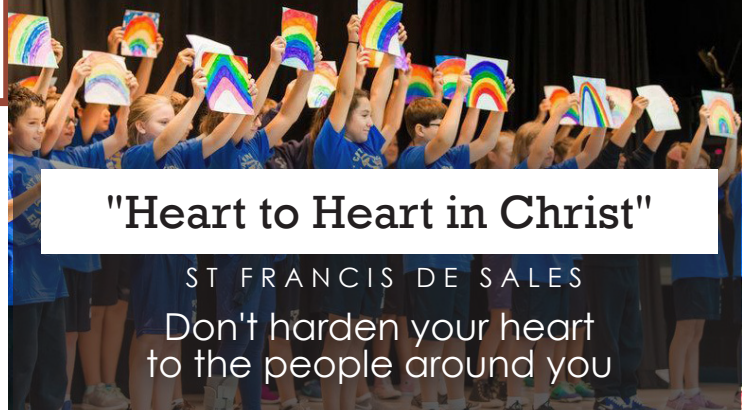
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**Love God, Love One Another**

Think of ways to be a helper, not a hinderance



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Don't harden your heart to the people around you

**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!**

*Molly's Adopt a Sailor*

**WE SHIP LOVE**

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in every package

**We thank you for your continued dedication  
& 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

**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

**L. Cpl. 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

**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

**Lt. Col. Eric Penney:** U.S. Air Force, Stationed at Altus Air Force Base, Oklahoma, Son of Wayne & Linda Penney

**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, Cousin to Father David F. Ryan

**Mitchel W. Gornik:** U.S. Coast Guard, Maritime Security Response Team (MSRT) based in Chesapeake, VA. Nephew of Rick & Kathy Gornik

**Trey Ross:** U.S. Marines, Stationed in San Diego waiting for Deployment, Friend of Karoline Yacono

**Lt Comdr Michael Hornacek:** MC U.S. Navy, Stationed at the Naval Medical Center, San Diego, Son of Michael and Claudia Hornacek

**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

**Patrick Shoaff:** U.S. Army Special Forces, Caption, Ft. Bragg, NC, Nephew of Thackray Family

**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, Deployed, Son of John and Cathy Geske

**Captain Michael Crisman:** U.S. Army, Deployed to Afghanistan, Nephew of Bob and Sue Arvidson

**Staff Sgt. Andrew Kremmel:** U.S. Marines, Stationed in San Diego, CA, Nephew of Bernardine and Wally Labuz

**SA U.S. Navy Amy Hudek:** stationed at Norfolk, VA as air traffic controller on USS Eisenhower, niece of Judy & Mike Reilly

**Lance Corporal Johnathan Kosirog:** U.S. Marine, deployed on the USS Harpers Ferry. Grandson of Dr. Pat Fitz-Hugh

**Private Brandon Mahute:** Deployed to the Middle East, Nephew of Tom and Joanne Jacobi

**Steven Surdynski:** National Guard being deployed to Iraq, Nephew of Phil and Karen Surdynski

**Staff Sergeant Joseph Littell:** U.S. Army, Deployed to Africa on psychological operations, Barb & Ken Littell, parishioners

**PFC Brandon Dobner:** U.S. Army stationed at Fort Irwin National Training Center in CA, son of Phil and Denise Dobner

**Cody Huffman:** U.S. Marines stationed in Australia, nephew of Holly and Jim Moorman

**Christian Sodini:** US Navy, aboard the USS Ronald Reagan. Great-nephew to Phil and Yolanda Strutzel

**Luke Ruggiero:** US Army. Cousin to Phil & Yolanda Strutzel

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

#### RETURNED SAFELY HOME

Pvt 1st Class Brandon Mahute, PFC Robert Mahute, Alex Gozzola, 1st Lt. Timothy Kirshner, Lt. Col. Joseph Thill, 1st Lt. Josh Bell, Navy Petty Officer Nicholas Thill, Sgt. 1st Class Linsey Roland, Lt. David Benning, Spc. Rogers Ramirez, Captain Matthew J. White, Private Joseph Grimmig, Adam Colon, Timothy Krajewski, Col. Vince O'Connor, CPO Guy Hetterling, Capt. Kristen Brockman, Spc. Joseph J. Muraeskis, 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 Klipstein, Joe Little, S.S. John M. Butler, Staff Sgt. Scott Sloss, Sgt. Joe Basgall, Tom Mahoney, Spec. Sean Anthony Whippo, Lt. Jack Connor, Private Michael Szydelko, Staff Stg. Rod Jacobs, Cdr. Mike Sheedy, 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, 1st Lt. Clayton Rife, 1st Lt. Christopher Best, 2nd Lt. Luc Logan, L Cpl. Kenneth Trygstad, Capt. Bianca Lane, Airman Robert William Dones, L Cpl. Donald Adams, Sgt. Cass Zacharyasz, Dylan Becker, Amie Maychszak, Petty Officer 3rd Class Gregory Gornik, Staff Sgt. Charles Enderle, Builder Chief, Jesse Ward, SPC Jericho Douglas Buck



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, or email at robertegorman@sbcglobal.net.

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.

## Financial Report from Business Office

### 2021-2022 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

<b>2021 - 2022</b>	<b>Christmas 2020.....</b>	<b>\$73,364</b>
July.....	Christmas 2019.....	\$193,116
August.....	Christmas 2018.....	\$214,349
September.....	<b>Easter 2021.....</b>	<b>\$65,425</b>
October.....	Easter 2020.....	\$93,528
November.....	Easter 2019.....	\$100,140
	Our Lady of Tepeyac	
	Sharing Parish(as of 2021).....	\$6,490
	Karoline Choir (Uganda).....	\$2,734
	Lake County Right to Life.....	\$1,238
	Peter's Peace.....	\$1,530
	Seminarian Education.....	\$3,384
	World Mission.....	\$1,572
	Solemnity of Mary.....	\$5,603
	Leukemia Research	
	& Lymphnoma.....	\$3,101

### SPECIAL APPEALS

Catholic Campaign of Human Development.....	\$4,278
Church in Latin America.....	\$1,924
Church in Eastern Europe.....	\$5,638
Holy Land.....	\$1,485
Catholic Charities.....	\$6,297
Fund for Retired Priests.....	\$5,768
Retirement Fund for Religious.....	\$8,005
St Vincent de Paul (2020-2021).....	\$36,917
St Vincent de Paul (2019).....	\$6,000
Eagle Scout Projects (2019).....	\$4,482
Little Sisters of the Poor (2018).....	\$15,394
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2018).....	\$10,173
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2016).....	\$7,512
Holy Family Food Pantry (2016).....	\$7,971
Little Sisters of the Poor-(2020-2021).....	&4,458
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 to India (2008).....	\$8,000

### ARCHDIOCESE REQUIRED SECOND COLLECTIONS

Haiti Relief Fund (2021).....	\$2,547
Hurricane Harvey Help.....	\$21,946
Project Kashalala Lake Victoria.....	\$18,630
Hurricanes Irma and Maria Help.....	\$4,081
2017 Annual Appeal Rebate.....	\$298,802
2018 Annual Appeal Rebate.....	\$230,484
2019 Annual Appeal Rebate.....	\$135,597
2020 Annual Appeal Rebate.....	\$121,600

**Parish Debt to the Archdiocese: \$0**

## Parish Community Statistics: July 2020 to November 2021

Registered Families.....	4,166
*Registered Families in 1949.....	94
Parish School Students.....	322

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS

Preschool / Kindergarten.....	9
Grade School.....	218
Middle School.....	79
Home Study.....	39
SPRED.....	6
Children's Catechumenate.....	4

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Confirmation	
1st Year Program.....	85
2nd Year Program.....	84
Peer Ministers.....	20
Adult Leaders.....	12

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers.....	163
Teen Eucharistic Ministers.....	11
Ministers of Care.....	130
Ushers.....	32
Cross Bearers.....	8
Sacristans.....	12
Altar Servers.....	52
Adult Lectors.....	52
Teen / Child Lectors.....	14 / 5
Prayer Shawl Ministers.....	32

### SACRAMENTS

Baptisms.....	175
Marriages.....	12
Marriage Anniversary Blessings.....	10
Funerals.....	63
First Communion.....	118
Confirmation.....	107
First Confession.....	105
Received into the Church.....	1

## MINISTRIES & 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 contact information 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](http://www.stfrancislzparish.org) for more information.

### PARISH LEADERSHIP CHAIRPERSONS

<b>Finance Council Chair</b> , Douglas Samz .....	(847)644-9277
<b>Evangelization Chairs</b> , Judy Reilly .....	(630)338-7543, jreilly@stfrancislz.org
Pam Lynch .....	(847)726-4862, plynch@stfrancislz.org
<b>Parish Pastoral Council Chair</b> , Thomas Purtell.....	(847)304-5574
<b>Parish School Principal</b> , Mary Keller .....	(847)726-4826

### PARISH RESOURCES

<b>Chairperson</b> , Thomas Purtell (PPC Chair) .....	(847) 304-5574
<b>Building &amp; Grounds</b> , Deacon John Sfire .....	
<b>Collection Counters</b> , Laura Angelini .....	(847)726-4747
<b>Finance Council</b> , Douglas Samz .....	(847)644-9277
<b>Business Manager</b> , Laura Angelini .....	(847)726-4747

### SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

<b>Chairperson</b> .....	OPEN
<b>Adult Faith Formation</b>	
Pam Lynch .....	(847)726-4862, plynch@stfrancislz.org
Judy Reilly .....	(630)338-7543, jreilly@stfrancislz.org
<b>Alpha</b> .....	<a href="http://www.tryalphasfds.org">www.tryalphasfds.org</a>
<b>Altar Servers</b> , Fr David Ryan .....	(847)726-4723
<b>Annulment Information</b> , Fr David Ryan.....	(847)726-4723
<b>Baptismal Prep Program</b> , Kelli & Andrew Epstein ...	kellepstein@gmail.com
<b>Bible Study</b> , Katie McGlauchlin .....	(847)909-0986
.....	catherinemcglachlin@gmail.com
<b>Convalidation (Blessing) of Civil Marriage</b> , Fr David Ryan.....	(847)726-4723
<b>Children's Catechumenate</b> , Mimi McGlauchlin .....	(847)726-4850
<b>Child Lectors (Grades 6-8)</b> , Cindy Blank .....	(847)924-7876
<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> , Delia Kavanaugh .....	(651)270-5657
.....	deliakavanaugh@gmail.com
<b>Environment &amp; Art</b> , Barbara Chimeleski .....	(847)772-8405
Mary Ann Kwasek .....	(847)438-5751
<b>Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers</b> , Deacon Bob Arvidson.....	(847)922-2503
<b>Intentional Discipleship</b> , Judy Reilly .....	(630)338-7543
<b>Liturgical Ministries</b> , Fr David Ryan .....	(847)726-4723
<b>Lectors</b>	
Cindy Blank .....	(847)924-7876
Jacqueline Kuhn .....	(847)269-8342
<b>Music</b> , Patricia Stewart .....	(847)726-4720
<b>RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)</b>	
Deacon Bob Arvidson .....	(847)922-2503
<b>Rosary Ministry</b> , Joe Armagno.....	(847)550-6139
<b>Rosary Ministry, Lexington</b> , Dolores Miller .....	(847)650-3331
<b>Rosary Ministry, Silverado</b> .....	OPEN
<b>Sacristans</b> , Irene Goldthwaite .....	(847)438-4260
<b>St. Peregrine Prayer Service</b> .....	OPEN
<b>SPRED Ministry</b>	
Kelly Smith .....	(847)287-8640, kellylyn60@yahoo.com
Jackie Bathery .....	(847)438-9136, jnj1229@aol.com
<b>Vocations</b> , Fr David Ryan .....	(847)726-4723
<b>Welcome Ministry</b> , Judy Reilly .....	(847)630-7543
<b>Greeters</b> , Dana Petraglia .....	(847)471-0726
<b>Ushers</b> , Karl Heerdegen .....	(847)560-5929
Kevin Wegner .....	(847)438-3161

### CONFIRMATION

<b>Confirmation &amp; Youth Ministry</b> , Pam Lynch, M.A. ....	(847)726-4862
Cathy Chiarelli .....	(847)726-4842
<b>Youth Ministry Music</b> , Josh Goodman .....	(757)814-1191
<b>Confirmation (Adult Program)</b> .....	OPEN

### CATHOLIC EDUCATION

<b>Chairperson</b> , Pam Lynch, M.A. (PPC) .....	(847)726-4862
<b>School Board</b> , Allison Villinski.....	(847)894-2051, schoolboard@stfrancislz.org
<b>PTO, President</b> , Christy Sikorski .....	sfspto.pr@gmail.com
<b>Athletic Board</b>	
Jeff Kinsey (Chair) .....	(847)736-1943
Jim Ronayne .....	(847)540-8163

### HUMAN CONCERNS

<b>Chairperson</b> , John Ergastolo (PPC) .....	(847)726-7746
<b>Ministers of Care</b> , Deacon John Sfire.....	(847)438-6622
<b>Homebound Ministry of Care Visits</b>	
Frank Dodds.....	(847)438-5128
<b>Cancer Support &amp; Sharing</b> , Mary Manson.....	(847)382-3051
<b>Bereavement</b> , Mary Manson .....	(847)438-6622
<b>Grief Support Group—Forever in Our Hearts</b> (for those who have experienced the loss of a child) Fr. David Ryan.....	(847)726-4723
<b>Prayer Shawl Ministry</b> , Lisa Warren .....	(847)540-8654
<b>Meals on Wheels Volunteer Drivers</b> , Molly Ergastolo.....	(847)867-1179
<b>Meal Sign-up</b> : Intake at Catholic Charities.....	(847)546-5733
<b>Molly's Adopt-A-Sailor</b> , Cathy Chiarelli.....	(847)726-4842
<b>National Alliance on Mental Illness Chapter</b> , Teri Latter.....	(847)809-6038
<b>Safety &amp; Security Ministry</b> , Joseph Pasquesi.....	(847)726-9550
<b>Emmaus House Ministry</b> , Brian Pozzi .....	(516)658-2089
<b>Gift of Love</b> , Jane Clery .....	(847)370-8933
<b>Jubilee Garden</b> , Sharon Fredrickson.....	(847)643-6633
<b>St. Vincent de Paul Society</b> , George Stewart .....	(847)726-4890
<b>Food Pantry</b> .....	<a href="http://www.svdplz.org">www.svdplz.org</a>
Kathleen Murray .....	(847)726-4890
<b>Hoodie Drive</b> , Pam Urban .....	(847)438-6622
<b>Clean Jeans Drive</b> .....	(847)438-6622
<b>Back to School Backpack Drive</b> , Sherry Otto .....	(847)438-2782
<b>Culver's Thanksgiving</b> , Patricia Linares .....	(847)323-7485
<b>Respect Life Ministry</b>	
Tammy Baczek.....	(847)826-8309
John Uriell .....	(847)438-4715
<b>Project Rachel Private Prayer for those hurting from abortion</b>	
Tammy Baczek .....	(847)826-8309

### COMMUNITY LIFE

<b>Chairperson</b> , Patricia Linares (PPC) .....	(847)323-7485
<b>Knights of Columbus</b> , Queen of Peace Council #3954	
Deacon Bob Arvidson, Chaplain .....	(847)922-2503
Fr. David F Ryan, Chaplain & Membership Inquiries .....	(847)726-4723
Stan Pretnik, Grand Knight.....	(757)339-7235
<b>Mom's Group</b> , Stephanie Tanner.....	steph.tanner26@gmail.com
<b>Men's Retreat</b> , Frank Johnstone .....	(847)438-7979
<b>Our Lady of Tepeyac</b> , Patricia Linares.....	(847)323-7485
<b>Women's Retreat</b> , Rose Weismann.....	(847)975-8005

### SCOUTING PROGRAM

<b>Boy Scouts Troop 309</b> , Allan Weir .....	(224)254-5421
<b>Cub Scouts</b> , Mike Delahunty .....	(847)749-8145
<b>Girl Scouts Main Contact</b> , Lise Wiseman .....	(224)244-3836
<b>Daisy Troop</b> , Ann Monte .....	(847)865-5192
<b>Brownie Troop</b> , Lise Wiseman .....	(224)244-3836
<b>Junior Troop</b> , Amy Ribordy.....	(847)847-1849





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**Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday** | 8:30am Mass

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**HOLY DAYS**

see our schedule on pg 2

