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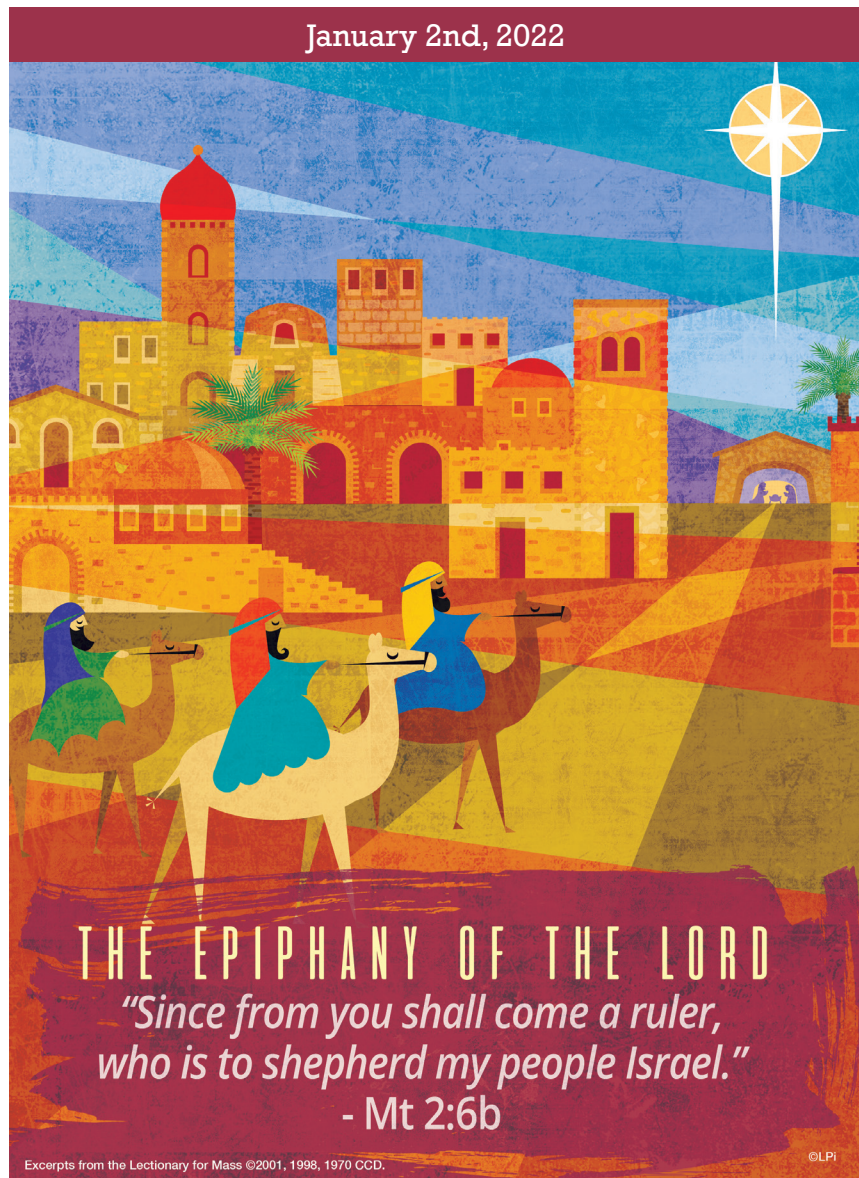
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**WELCOME TO ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH!**

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.

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**EVENTS THIS WEEK**

*Ministry Center reopens Jan3rd 9am*

**Monday, January 3: The Most Holy Name of Jesus**

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Yoga @ 9:15am — Upstairs Ministry Center

**Tuesday, January 4: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton**

- Communion Service @ 8am — Church
- Boy Scouts @ 7:30pm — Fr Valker Hall

**Wednesday, January 5: St. John Neumann**

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

**Thursday, January 6: St. André Bessette**

- Communion Service @ 8am — Church
- SVdP Food Pantry @ 5:15-7pm — in person at the Ministry Center

**Friday, January 7: St. Raymond of Penyafort; First Friday; Julian Calendar Christmas**

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- First Friday Adoration @ 9am-7pm — Church
- TV Broadcasted Mass @ 3pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99

**Saturday, January 8**

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Reconciliation @ 4-4:45pm — Church
- Vigil Mass @ 5pm — Church

**Sunday, January 9: The Baptism of the Lord**

- Mass @ 6:30am, 9am & 11am — Church (9am streamed, 11am broadcasted)
- Preschool/Kindergarten RE @ 9am — School
- Children's Catechumenate Session @ 9am — Church
- RE Home Study Session @ 9am — Fr Valker Hall
- TV 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!  
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**2021 Annual Catholic Appeal**

**ACA REPORT FOR OUR PARISH  
DECEMBER 2021 REPORT**

Donor Count .....	418
2021 Goal .....	\$125,410
Amount Pledged .....	\$193,943
Amount Paid .....	\$188,571
Balance Due .....	\$5,372

## The Epiphany of the Lord

"Christians ought to walk under the standard of God's Providence and be ready to embrace all the effects and events of this kind of Providence... Let us not be carried away by disturbing and morose fears." - St Francis de Sales

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! The LORD shines upon you and the glory of the Lord appears over you (Isaiah 60:1-6).

**Psalm** — Lord, every nation on earth will adore you (Psalm 72).

**Second Reading** — The mystery has been made known that the Gentiles are coheirs, copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

**Gospel** — Magi from the east arrived, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews?" (Matthew 2:1-12).

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### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** 1 Jn 3:22 — 4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

**Tuesday:** 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; Mk 6:34-44

**Wednesday:** 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13; Mk 6:45-52

**Thursday:** 1 Jn 4:19 — 5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15bc, 17; Lk 4:14-22a

**Friday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 5:12-16

**Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 3:22-30

**Sunday:** Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-4, 24-25, 27-30; Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

### SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

**Sunday:** Epiphany of the Lord; National Migration Week

**Monday:** The Most Holy Name of Jesus

**Tuesday:** St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

**Wednesday:** St. John Neumann

**Thursday:** St. André Bessette

**Friday:** St. Raymond of Penyafort; First Friday Julian Calendar Christmas

"Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you." — *Isaiah 60:1*

### JOURNEY TOWARD GOD

In our celebration of the Epiphany, two interwoven themes are present in the readings today. God is beginning something new, and God gathers all of humanity to participate. For Isaiah, God's bright light, manifested in the people of Israel, attracts and summons people from many nations to Jerusalem. In the letter to the Ephesians, God's grace makes the Gentiles co-heirs and co-partners in the gospel. Matthew tells the story of the fulfillment of God's promises to Israel through the birth of Jesus, and simultaneously leading foreigners to share in these same promises. With the birth of Jesus, God chose a particular people, in a particular time and place, to enter most directly into the human story. Today's readings teach that God did this in order to gather all people, all cultures, into unity with God. Like the magi, we are drawn into a journey toward God, becoming co-partners in God's work.

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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.



Only a few hours more—and this year too will come to an end and pass into history. I too finish the year and await the new dawn with joy... I go down on my knees before my God and, recalling his kindness to me this year, I humble myself in the dust and thank him with all my heart."

St. John Paul XXIII

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

## St Francis de Sales 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

**January 17th** 7pm-8:30pm, 2nd floor of the Ministry Center.

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

### ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

In his Apostolic Exhortation, *The Joy of the Gospel*, Pope Francis references a thought from Pope Benedict XVI: "Being a Christian is not the result of an ethical choice or a lofty idea, but the encounter with an event, a person, which gives life a new horizon and a decisive direction." Today we celebrate an encounter with the Person of Jesus Christ! This simple but holy event in time dramatically changes human life, pointing it toward a new horizon and giving it a decisive direction. This is a message and truth that is not meant to be shared with only a select few who qualify but with the entire world. Pope Francis continues saying, "Thanks solely to this encounter or renewed encounter with God's love, which blossoms into an enriching friendship, we are liberated from our narrowness and self-absorption. We become fully human when we become more than human, when we let God bring us beyond ourselves in order to attain the fullest truth of our being."

Look around at people. Where is life heading for them? What gives them direction? Even we who are people of faith can



get distracted and lose our focus. God, in all of His fullness, is revealed in Jesus Christ and we can encounter Him! God is tangible, real, vulnerable, poor, and full of wonders, surprises, and opportunities. For those who are struggling and lost, today is a day of great joy. All they have to do is reach out and touch the truth of Christ. This presence is revealed in the poor, exploited, and vulnerable ones who cry out for compassion and love. But it is also found in the faithful ones who see in the Epiphany of God a liberation from structures and systems that hurt us, a narrowness of

mind and heart that constricts us, and an absorption in our self-agenda that prevents us from seeing anything other than ourselves as important.

We have been given the charge of preaching this Good News. If only we could find a way to be more effective, it might stand a chance of doing what God intended it to do. There is always tomorrow and our memory of that bright new light that shone so brilliantly that Bethlehem night pointing us to truth and reminding us that we are loved.

*"And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; since from you shall come a ruler, who is to shepherd my people Israel."*

- Mt 2:6

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## THE LIGHT OF THE MOON

If you own a television that has been turned on at any point in the last month or so, chances are you've caught at least a scene or two of the 1946 classic film "It's a Wonderful Life."

If you're not familiar with the movie, it follows the life of George Bailey from childhood through adulthood. A dreamer by nature, George has big plans for himself that involve world exploration and adventure — but family and community obligations keep him tethered to the same spot on the map, leading an altogether ordinary life.

One of the most memorable scenes from that movie is of George dancing with his sweetheart Mary while they sing "Buffalo Gals — Won't you come out tonight/And dance by the light of the moon?"

That lyric always catches my ear. Of course, the moon doesn't have any light of its own. All the moon has is the ability to reflect the light that shines upon it.

The same holds for us, doesn't it? Our stewardship is purely a reflection of the grace granted to us by another. "Upon you the LORD shines," writes Isaiah, "and over you appears his glory." Every good action we will ever take begins in the mind of God. The fact that we have the honor of carrying it out on His behalf is a beautiful gift. It is God that makes our ordinary lives extraordinary.

In the end of the movie, George Bailey realizes that he had a far greater life because, instead of being the hero of his own story, he allowed himself to reflect goodness onto others.

Remember — the magi didn't chart their own course. They merely followed the star.

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

## WHAT HAPPENS TO A CONSECRATED HOST IF IT ACCIDENTALLY FALLS TO THE GROUND?

This a very practical question because, as we all know, accidents happen, even during the most careful celebration of the liturgy. The short answer to this question is that nothing happens to the consecrated host. The Real Presence of Jesus remains in the consecrated host or any consecrated wine that might accidentally be spilled.

Another question we might ask is: How should the ministers respond if the Eucharist is dropped or spilled? If this happens, the priest, deacon, or extraordinary minister of holy Communion should immediately pick up the dropped host and consume it. If it is a case of the Precious Blood being spilled, the minister would use the purificator (and additional purificators if needed) to clean the spill and then the area should be reverently washed as soon as the Mass is over and the water poured into the sacrarium (a special sink that is located in church sacristies for reverently disposing of holy water, the water used to clean sacred vessels, etc.).



# Our Gratitude

Dec 10, 2021

We would like to express our gratitude to all people, Fr. Ryan, and all the staff of St. Francis De Sales who have made a great effort for the mission's success of the olive wood sale last weekend.

You have achieved a great difference to help the less fortunate of God's people.

We do appreciate your assistance in purchasing our items to benefit the Christian community in the Holy Land.

We hope to keep your extending helping hands in the near future for more sales. May God Our Lord Jesus Christ bless you all.

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Sincerely in Christ,

Issam Qumsiyeh  
Star of Bethlehem.  
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Hello everyone, I am at Sister House in Oak Park with hoodies, purses, jewelry etc for the ladies to pick from. They are having a ball!

Blessings to all of you,  
JoAnn

# Building

# BRICKS OF HOPE



# Thanks to YOU!

**Bricks of Hope** was launched with a simple mission in mind: *to create play and inspire imagination in sick children by delivering LEGO® to them during their hospital stays.*

**And because of the generosity of so many of you, we made our first donation drop at Advocate Children's Hospital in Park Ridge, just in time for Christmas!**

*Thank you!*



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# Thank you

 to all those who donated supplies, their time, skills, resources and efforts to the **Kentucky Tornado Supply Drive**. With a special shout out to Dave Voitik over at Legend Creative in getting this outreach going and on its way!

## THANK YOU, FATHER RYAN AND SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES PARISHIONERS!!!

On behalf of the parishioners of the Mother of the Americas Parish (former Our Lady of Tepeyac) and the Sharing Parish Ministry here at St. Francis, we would like to express our gratitude to the St. Francis Parishioners for all the gift cards that you gave us this past Christmas. We sent the unprecedented amount of \$14,040 in gift cards. In addition, we sent:

Hats, gloves, scarves, and mittens (donated by the St. Francis de Sales students and the Religious Education students.

Our most sincere "Thank You" to Father Ryan and the Ministry Center Staff for always supporting this Ministry and allowing the friendship with the Mother of the Americas Parish to continue and flourish every year.

You are all an example of God's love, and this project would have not been possible without the help of so many. May God bless you abundantly, and may you have a wonderful 2022, full of happiness, peace, love, and good health!

Sincerely, Jane Clery  
Chaiperson, Gift of Love  
Patricia Linares

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFTS OF LOVE!!

The spirit of Advent is alive at St. Francis. In a year that was filled with uncertainty, one certainty is the generosity of the St. Francis parishioners. Not only were we able to sponsor all the local families seeking assistance and all the residents of Mt. St. Joseph, but we were able to supply gift cards to Our Lady of Tepeyac (now known as Mother of the Americas), Holy Family and Most Blessed Trinity in Waukegan and Little Sisters of the Poor in Palatine. I am truly amazed at the kindness and charitable nature of our parishioners.

A shout out to the following:

Lake Zurich High School National Honor Society sponsored 12 families (75 people) this year. This is the 20th year that they have participated.

207 new hoodies were donated and are being distributed to shelters in the Chicago area. Thank you to Pam Urban for coordinating this charity and helping keep those less fortunate warmer this winter.

Students in the Religious Education program assisted in the collection of gifts that parishioners dropped off on Friday and Saturday of Drop-off weekend.

Girl Scout Troop 1728 oversaw a Girl Scout event that drew Girl Scouts in the Lake Zurich Service Unit. 110 pairs of pajamas were collected and donated to the Gift of Love and Mother of the Americas.

The confirmation classes of Rose and Bill Weismann were instrumental in helping us to distribute the gifts to St. Francis families on Sunday of Drop-off weekend.

Since 2005, Boy Scout Troop 309 at St. Francis has taken on a bicycle rehabilitation program. They collect and repair donated bicycles and then give them to Gift of Love to distribute to the adults and children who ask for bikes for Christmas. This year they repaired and donated more than 30 bikes to the Gift of Love families and additional bikes will be provided to Mother of the Americas.

Over 125 new toys and games were donated by the St. Francis School students through their annual toy fundraiser.

Other volunteers helped with shopping, sign-up weekends, sorting gifts, delivering the gift bags to Mt. St. Joseph and helping with the drop off weekend.

Once again, the Ministry Center and maintenance staffs provided invaluable support. They are unfailingly kind and considerate to all requests. The Gift of Love program could not succeed without them.

You may have heard the expression "it takes a village". What it really takes is a parish like St. Francis.

With sincerest gratitude,  
Jane Clery, Gift of Love Coordinator



DECEMBER 21, 2021

## Deacon's Corner

Looking back over the past 12-18 months, I found this DC from the week before Christmas from five years ago and want to repeat the quote from St. Augustine of Hippo that was sent to me from Fr. Bernie just before Christmas of 2017. It reads as follows:

"Trust the past to God's mercy,  
the present to God's love, and the  
future to God's providence"

As it did in the past and still does today and every time I read it, the opportunity to review the "past, present, and the future" is brought to mind. And what better time of the year than Christmas to look back, be mindful of the present, and best of all, have faith and wonder as to what the future might hold for us. So let's stop for a moment and look at all the aspects of our lives as defined above as we prepare for the Incarnation of Jesus and what it has meant to us all.

First, let's look back at the past 12-18 months. And while I am always one who says to never look back since we cannot change what has already occurred, I feel an opportunity to look back at our past lives and the events that surrounded us and what impact they have on us today, what lessons we may have (or may not have) learned from them. I can only speak from my own experiences, but I hope that the idea can help us all bring a better understanding as to why certain events may or may not have taken place. I am sure, as I recollect some of the events of the past year, some of you reading this have come to your own reasons as to why things happened as I have.

The overwhelming answer that continually rings out loud in my mind is centered around "our faith in God". And since our lives seem, at least for me,

to be moving at the speed of light, sometimes it is difficult to even stop to determine why something in our lives happens or not. And this is where "our faith in God" comes into play. The world around us today, with the advent of the internet, global communications, social media, etc., always tries to convince us that all that goes on is caused by something or someone here on earth. That someone or something has to be blamed for everything.

Now let's look at the present. And remember what I always say; "if we are happy where we are today in this moment in time, then all that has taken place in the past is good". I know you might say that sometimes it is difficult to abide in that statement, but I have found that trusting in "our faith in God" has always put me in the right frame of mind. Therefore I say to all reading this, "our faith in God" is the greatest gift that we could and have received this and every Christmas we have been fortunate enough to celebrate.

Most important to look at the future, we must hold onto "our faith in God". Sometimes for me, that becomes more difficult than it has ever been. How about you? Think about the colloquial expressions such as; "I've got your back" or "I've got you covered" or "No problem, it's under control". And then try to remember all the times you trusted God to be all of these expressions. Well, I can tell you that the upcoming Birth of Jesus has given us reason to always know that "He is always with us, even to the end of the age". All we have to do is keep "our faith in God". So in closing, I send my blessings and love to all who will celebrate the glorious Birth of Jesus.

My blessings to all,

*Deacon John*

*"...the upcoming Birth of Jesus has given us reason to always know that "He is always with us, sdeven to the end of the age". All we have to do is keep "our faith in God".?"*





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## Join us for Kairos!

### Registration is OPEN for SFK18!

#### January 14 - 17, 2021



## Kairos 18 has been postponed

## due to lack of interest. We will be looking for a spring date that works for the group

### What is Kairos?

Kairos is a time of experience, prayer and reflection. St. Francis de Sales Parish began hosting Kairos retreats for high school juniors and seniors in 2009. Kairos offers 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 the world around us and the development of a personal relationship with God.

- This retreat creates an open and accepting space 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.

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**PARISH REPORT OF SATURDAY/SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE FOR THE OCTOBER COUNT**

YEAR	OVER 4 WEEKENDS	AVERAGE ATTENDANCE
<b>2021.....</b>	<b>3,603.....</b>	<b>901</b>
2020 .....	COVID   no results	
2019.....	9,033.....	2,258
2018 .....	10,035 .....	2,508
2017.....	10,371 .....	2,592
2016.....	10,036.....	2,509
2015 .....	10,345.....	2,586
2014.....	11,321 .....	2,840
2013.....	12,284 .....	3,073
2012.....	12,352.....	3,087
2011.....	11,887 .....	2,972
2010.....	11,955.....	2,988
2009.....	10,871 .....	2,717
2008.....	12,621 .....	3,155
2007.....	10,570.....	2,642
2006.....	10,154.....	2,538
2005 .....	9,155.....	2,289
2004.....	10,119.....	2,530
2003.....	11,086.....	2,771
2002.....	10,709 .....	2,677
2001.....	11,776.....	2,944
2000.....	11,784.....	2,946
1999.....	12,191 .....	3,043
1998.....	12,657 .....	3,164
1997.....	12,443.....	3,111
1996.....	12,029.....	3,007
1995.....	12,042.....	3,011
1994.....	11,561 .....	2,890
1993.....	11,352.....	2,838
1992.....	11,565.....	2,891

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

**WIDOW & WIDOWERS GROUP - HOLY FAMILY PARISH**



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



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## BLOOD DRIVE

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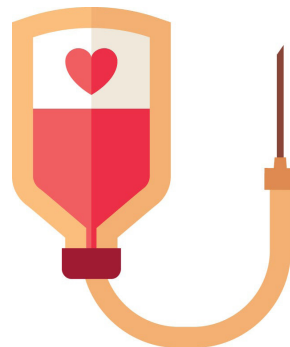
Please donate during National Blood Donor Month

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**WEDNESDAY**

**January**

**13**

**2-6pm**

Fr Walker Hall

Appointments are encouraged, Walk-ins welcome!  
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## † Mass Intentions †

**Monday, January 3: The Most Holy Name of Jesus**

- 8:30 - Intention for Police Officers & Firefighters
- 8:30 - Intention for the Souls in Purgatory
- 8:30 - Carol Madigan
- 8:30 - Michael Winn, req by Kay Chisamore
- 8:30 - Marge Masters, req by family
- 8:30 - Deacon Francis Steinbeigie

**Tuesday, January 4: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton**

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

**Wednesday, January 5: St. John Neumann**

- 8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School Children of our Community
- Noon - Michael Ryan  
[Month's Mind Mass]
- Noon - Mark S Maurizio  
[Month's Mind Mass]
- Noon - Ray Swartz, req by friends & family
- Noon - Charlene Johnstone
- Noon - Andrew Johnstone
- Noon - Thad Jurczak

**Thursday, January 6: St. André Bessette**

- 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, January 7: St. Raymond of Penyafort; First Friday; Julian Calendar Christmas**

- 8:30 - Intention of U.S. Veterans
- 8:30 - Intention of Those Missing in Action, Prisoners of War
- 8:30 - John Marron
- 8:30 - Edwin Richard
- 8:30 - Marguis, req by Gary & Patty Radwanski
- 8:30 - John Antonucci

**Saturday, January 8**

- 5:00 - Thad Jurczak

**Sunday, January 9: The Baptism of the Lord**

- 6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk
- 6:30 - Robert Morcocchio
- 6:30 - Ann DiVito, req by Jo Bevins
- 9:00 - Robert Gosdick, req by Pertraglia family
- 9:00 - Patricia Guthier, req by Jeff & Beth Guthier
- 9:00 - Nathaniel James Quinn, req by Bob & Arlene Quinn
- 9:00 - Tim Durbin, req by Bill & Barb Donnan
- 9:00 - John Konsor
- 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.

**Suzie Tobutt** (friend of Lauren Frick)  
**Melissa Sutton** (daughter to Bebe Sutton)  
**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**

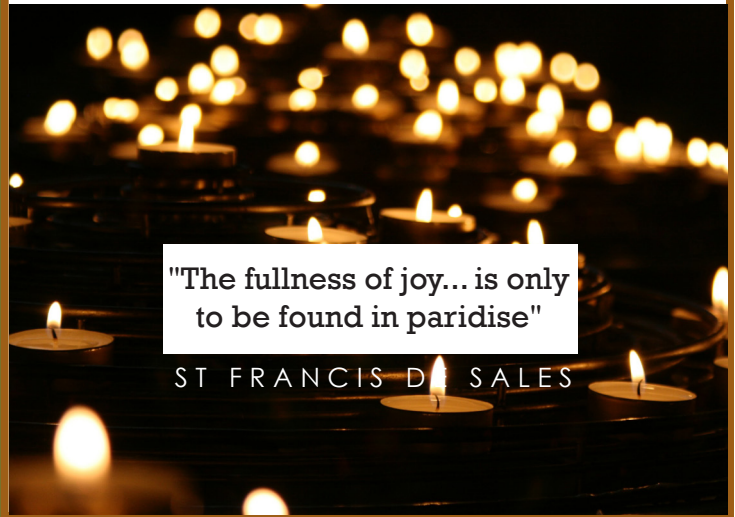
**Karen Rogan** (wife to Ed)

**Candy Cotsiomitis**

**Jo Anderson**

† In Sympathy †

**Blake Burton**  
**Marcia Jean Kasprzak**  
(mother to Mark (Ann Marie) Kacprzak)

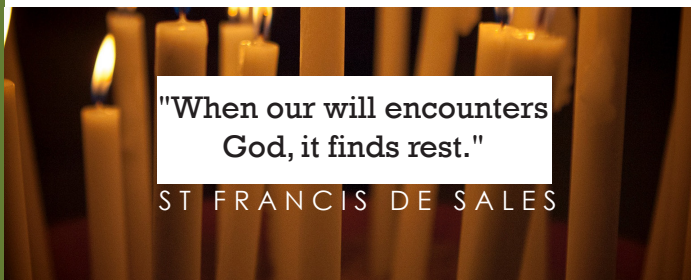


"The fullness of joy... is only to be found in paradise"

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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED & THEIR FAMILIES

**Amelia**  
daughter of Edwin & Damaris Gonzalez



"When our will encounters God, it finds rest."

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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, Chrisi 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 McLaughlin, Julie & Andy Ferren, Jean Brefeld, Linda Serwa

Love God, Love One Another

Think of ways to be a helper, not a hinderance



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"Heart to Heart in Christ"

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Don't harden your heart to the people around you

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Our least action, when done for God, is precious to him.



**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton**

Mother of five children who established an orphanage; the first American-born citizen to be canonized

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January 4

**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*

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in every package

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& 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



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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
	catherinemcglauchlin@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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**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays from 4-4:45 before Saturday Vigil Mass.

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

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