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January 8th, 2023



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## WELCOME TO ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH!

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## EVENTS THIS WEEK

### Monday, January 9: The Baptism of the Lord

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Yoga @ 9:15am — Ministry Center
- Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting @ 9:30am — Ministry Center
- Gr. 1-5 RE Class @ 4:15-5:30pm — School
- Gr. 6-8 RE Class @ 6:30-8pm — Ministry Center

### Tuesday, January 10: First Week in Ordinary Time begins

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Bereavement Ministry @ 2-3pm — Ministry Center
- Gr. 1-5 RE Class @ 4:15-5:30pm — School
- SPRED: Catechist Prep @ 6:30-8pm — Ministry Center
- Gr. 6-8 RE Class @ 6:30-8pm — Ministry Center
- Boy Scouts @ 7:30pm — Fr Valker Hall

### Wednesday, January 11

- Cable TV Mass @ 7am & 4pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- Daily Mass @ 8:30am & Noon — Church (noon streamed)
- Gr. 1-5 RE Class @ 4:15-5:30pm & 6:15-7:30pm — School
- SPRED: Catechist Prep @ 6:30-8pm — Ministry Center

### Thursday, January 12

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Blood Drive @ 2-6pm — Fr Valker Hall
- SVdP Food Pantry @ 5:15-7pm — Ministry Center
- KofC Bingo Night @ 6pm — KofC Center
- Bells @ 7pm — Church

### Friday, January 13: St. Hilary

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Cable TV Mass @ 3pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- SPRED: Reflection Weekend — St Benedict's Abbey, WI

### Saturday, January 14: Blessed Virgin Mary; Julian Calendar New Year

- SPRED: Reflection Weekend — St Benedict's Abbey, WI
- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Reconciliation Retreat | Option 2 @ 9:30am-Noon — School
- Reconciliation @ 4-4:45pm — Church
- Vigil Mass @ 5pm — Church

### Sunday, January 15: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- SPRED: Reflection Weekend — St Benedict's Abbey, WI
- Mass @ 6:30am, 9am & 11am — Church (9am also streamed, 11am also broadcasted)
- Peer Ministry Meeting @ Noon-1:30pm — Ministry Center
- Cable TV Mass @ 12:30pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- Emmaus House @ 4pm — Fr Valker Hall

Please visit our website for the most updated list of events this week - they change frequently!  
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*a Prayer  
to Saint  
Michael the  
Archangel*



Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the divine power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. *Amen*



# The Epiphany of the Lord

"If we do not reject the grace of holy love, it goes on expanding with continual increase in souls until they are entirely converted, just as mighty rivers coming upon open plains spread out and ever take up more space." - 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** — All the nations will worship you, Lord (Psalm 72).

**Second Reading** — The Gentiles are coheirs, copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

**Gospel** — Magi from the east arrive looking for the newborn king of the Jews (Matthew 2:1-12).

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## CATHOLIC PRAYER CORNER

### Prayer at the Manger: With the Magi

*Let your light shine on us, O God,  
as the star showed the way  
to those who searched for Christ.  
Fill us with wisdom;  
help us walk in your ways,  
now and forever. Amen.*

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Acts 10:34-38; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10; Mt 3:13-17

**Tuesday:** Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:21-28 or Heb 1:1-6 and 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:14-20 and 1:21-28

**Wednesday:** Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Mk 1:29-39

**Thursday:** Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-11; Mk 1:40-45

**Friday:** Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4bc, 6c-8; Mk 2:1-12

**Saturday:** Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 2:13-17

**Sunday:** Is 49:3, 5-6; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34

## SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

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New Year



## ALL SHARE IN THE PROMISE

Picture a nativity scene in your mind's eye. The scene likely includes figures arriving on camels, some elaborately dressed, with jeweled boxes containing precious gifts. These magi arrived from distant lands to pay homage to the Christ Child. We know little about the magi, but we do know that these visitors were not Jews. They represent people of all nations who will be drawn to the Lord. "Nations shall walk by your light, and kings by your shining radiance." The Good News of Jesus cannot be limited to one people; all share in the promise of God's mercy through our Lord Jesus Christ.

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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.



Do you plan to become a saint? Holiness is not easy but it's possible! Saints are inspiring yet each saint is different. All saints were once sinners; all sinners can be saints. Saint "you" has your own unique calling to spread God's message. All saints have one thing in common: obedience and surrender to the Spirit who may lead them down sometimes surprising paths.

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## GOSPEL MEDITATION

### Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

A friend of mine is a young priest who teaches high school physics at a Catholic boys' prep school. Like many today, the boys often think science and religion are enemies. So, he delights in their raised eyebrows when he reminds them his first full-time job as a priest was to be an astrophysicist. He cataloged the size, shape, and matter of distant stars. He tells them, "Science gave me more love for God, not less."

The Magi were something like scientist-astronomers. Like today's scientists, they employed disciplined methods of discovering dependable patterns in the world. Their rigorous commitment to the truth led them to the joy of discovering Jesus. Their love for knowledge leads them

to worship the Source of all knowledge. Luke says of them, "They were overjoyed at seeing the star."

We may see the universe as cold and empty and feel sad. But why should we do that? The Magi, like my priest-friend, show us there is another way to experience the world. We use our intelligence to discover the beautiful patterns in the world — in mathematics, physics, astronomy, biology, neuroscience, and so on — and allow this to lead us to greater love for God. So, my fellow Magi: the world needs us to be overjoyed at finding God in science and, finally and fully, in Jesus.

— *Father John Muir*

*Magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage."*  
- Mt 2:1b-2

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# (PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

## Faith and Fear

When I was little, you could tell I believed in the destructive power of the monsters who lived beneath my bed because I would never let my ankles anywhere near the bottom of the mattress. (It's common knowledge that bare ankles are premium monster bait — ask any child you know).

You can often tell what a person believes by what they fear.

But here's the thing: belief isn't always enough. It's obvious that Herod believed in Christ's power because of how terrified he was by it and by the room he made in his life for the possible impact of the Messiah. In fact, if belief was the only measure of orthodoxy, you could stand most modern Christians next to Herod and he would tower above them.

Remember, there's something just as bad as disobeying God: discounting Him. I know I am

guilty of that in a thousand small ways each day. In the person I ignore or the opinion I sneer at. In the unkind words I let roll from my tongue. In the prayers of thanksgiving that I don't say because I am "too busy."

I believe in God, but I do not fear Him — mostly because my very modern understanding of the concept of "fear" would lump God in with those monsters beneath my bed.

But what if we understood fear in a more traditional sense — awe, reverence, and wonder? *"All kings shall pay him homage, all nations shall serve him."* — Psalm 72:11

When Herod heard the news of the coming of the Messiah, it compelled him to do something. Not the right thing, mind you, but something. It moved him into action.

So, then, it should move us all.

*We saw his star at its rising, and have come to do him homage.* — Matthew 2:2

*Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman*

## How are the feasts of the baptism of Jesus and the account of the wedding feast of Cana related to the Epiphany celebration?

The Epiphany season focuses on revealing Jesus to the world. Following the Christmas celebration, the liturgical year lays out a series of manifestation points in which Jesus is made publicly known. From its very beginning, the Christian community highlighted three events in the life of Jesus. These are the Epiphany, the Baptism of the Lord and the wedding feast at Cana.

The Epiphany discloses Jesus to the world of the Gentiles, represented by the magi from the East. The accounts of Jesus' baptism reveal his identity and mission, along with exposing him to those to whom he was sent to minister. The miracle of turning water to wine at the wedding

feast of Cana, unique to John's Gospel, is the first public sign that Jesus performs, thus manifesting his public identity and his powers.

Today in the Roman Church, these are usually celebrated on three successive Sundays: Epiphany, the Baptism of the Lord which is usually the next Sunday, and the wedding feast of Cana, which is proclaimed on the 2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time in lectionary year C.

These feasts connect around the concept of epiphany, public manifestation of Jesus to the world. They help us get to know more intimately who Jesus is and what he is about. Spend some time delving more deeply into your understanding of who Jesus is. Continue to cultivate these "epiphany" moments in your life.

a note from

# Fr Merold



In our liturgical life, we continue to celebrate the Christmas season until Sunday, January 8th, when we observe the Epiphany of the Lord to the Magi; this is His manifestation of Himself to the whole world. He has come among us to assure us of His saving gift of grace so that we might have eternal life in His Kingdom.

I invite you to continue celebrating His birth and His continued presence among us as our Lord and Savior. We are grateful to be called by Jesus as members of His Body the church. We can never take that for granted for it is the source of meaning for us as we enter this new year.

My prayer and hope for each of you is that this year will lead you closer each day to Jesus as you daily strive to be His faithful follower. May we walk together into this new year of grace and hope and peace.

Happy New Year!

*Father James Merold*



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Join us for our 8 week series

**In-person groups begin Thursday January 12th 7:00pm**  
**Zoom groups begin Wednesday January 11th 6:30pm**

All are welcome!

**Would you like to have a glimpse of life when Jesus walked with his disciples?** Come and meet some of Jesus' followers and gain new insight into how they saw Jesus and how they grew together.

Through this series - you can see how God was at work in the lives of the first disciples. Many people who participated in Season One said that the Scripture stories now have new meaning for them.

After watching an episode, we discuss how God is at work in our own lives and how we can follow Him today.

The Chosen is a critically acclaimed series on the life of Jesus.

We suggest that you should watch Season One before you begin Season Two, but all are welcome - regardless of Season One.



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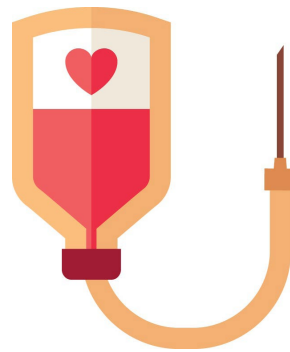
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Any cards for Fr Ryan can be  
dropped off to the Ministry Center



## st patrick's day dinner dance

### save the date!

It's back!!! Shake off those winter blues,  
throw on a green sweater, and join the fun —  
Irish or not! It is time to celebrate the  
Feast of our Good Saint Patrick!

**Friday, March 17, 2023, 7-11pm**  
Fr. Valker Hall

**\$40.00 Ticket includes: Open Bar, Extensive  
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Open monthly group meetings will be held  
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**3rd WEDS of EACH MONTH; 7-9pm.**

Anyone who has lost a loved one to suicide is  
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Suicide loss is complicated and traumatic. Together  
we walk through this specific type of grief and offer  
each other support. A licensed clinician and a trained  
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recent or how long ago you experienced loss by  
suicide -all are welcome! Any questions, please call  
Tish Guinter (847) 293-4332

**Next Meeting- Wed Jan 18th 7-9PM**



## Confirmation for Young Adults

Young adult high school teens & parents, we  
understand that during the past years with the Covid  
shutdowns etc, some people were not able to  
participate in the Confirmation preparation usually  
done during their freshman and sophomore years.

Young adult preparation includes 8 sessions and  
a retreat. Dates for sessions are likely Sunday  
afternoons. Specific dates are being determined.  
Register at [https://www.stfrancislzparish.org/  
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If you choose to prepare with us this season,  
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If you have any questions  
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December 12, 2022

Rev. David Ryan  
St. Francis De Sales Parish  
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Lake Zurich, IL 60047

Dear Fr. Ryan,

Christmas is joyfully celebrated at our Home. We often hear a Resident say "this is the best Christmas I have ever had, and we know that for many, it's true. The gifts aren't elaborate, but they are given with love. The celebrations are centered on the Reason for the Season. On the first Christmas, Heaven came close to humankind. We celebrate that event. Heaven is close to us all; it is especially close to the elderly.

Our holiday to-do list is rather simple: find ways to make Christmas special for our elderly Residents (while keeping them safe), and ways to express our sincere gratitude to all of our benefactors. To our Residents, who daily remind us of the slow, quiet steps that God uses to enter our lives, we offer the gifts of love, peace and security. To you, and your parishioners, we offer our sincere promise of daily prayer.

Christmas is a time to remember that everyone is someone for whom the Son of God entered the world. Thank you for helping us to keep that message alive; thank you for supporting our work through your wonderful gifts. The gift bags for our Residents, the \$2,210 in gift cards and the beautiful poinsettias, will certainly help us to make Christmas extra special.

We owe you a great debt of gratitude. And we offer you the finest gift we can give, our prayers. May the Lord Jesus, whose gentle coming among us brought light and grace to people of all ages, fill you and your loved ones with these gifts this Christmas.

The Little Sisters and the Residents of St. Joseph's Home join me in wishing you and all of your parishioners a Joyous Christmas and a Blessed New Year.

Sincerely,

*S. Mercy, I.S.P.*

Sister Mercy, Isp  
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January 3, 2023

## Deacon's Corner

Here we are, into another year. And the important question I ask myself as we embark on another journey in our life is; "what has changed in our life over the past year and what do we look forward to this coming year?" For myself, I feel I am the proponent of change. What I mean by that is that I can look back over my lifetime and recognize so many significant changes (and some smaller ones too) that have had a profound effect on my life. How about you? Have you ever stopped and looked at all the changes that have taken place in your lives? Like me, probably way too many to stop and count or even remember. So let's think about this.

Changes have been taking place in our lives since the day we were born. And most of them in our early childhood we had no control over. But as time went on and we matured into different levels of our lives, we did and do have some control over changes that continue to happen whether we want them to or not.

For me, it seems as I have gotten older, I seem to think back in my life about some of the changes that have taken place. I will preface this with the statement that I have used so many times in homilies and the DC which is; "if I am happy with my life today, then all the changes that have taken place are OK". Saying this, when I look back at some of the more uncomfortable changes that have taken place at the time, it is difficult to say that they are OK. But looking to today, I can see the outcome of many of those changes have had a meaningful and positive outcome on my life.

Going back over fifty years, many of the changes that took place in my life, be it with family, friends, business, and my spiritual growth have all had a

significant and meaningful affect on my life then and now. The most profound change that took place is in the area of my spiritual growth.

And that really took place with the death of my father in 1965 when I was 19 years old. I know many of you have heard this story but it is one that I think about so often and how it directed the rest of my life up to today. Talk about a game-changer. At the time, I felt like my life went from 19 years old to about 40 years old, all with one change. But I have no regrets about losing my father so young, for I look back on the 19 years we had together and I am thankful to God for those wonderful times we had together. Looking back, my father only had a seventh grade education, but was without a doubt, the smartest man I have ever known. He taught me so much that couldn't be taught in school about business, life, and love of family, and for that I am eternally grateful both for my dad and for the God who put me in his life.

I know I have gotten a little off track but it is important for me, at the beginning of each new year, to look back and Thank God for putting me where I am today with family, friends, business and my spiritual growth. And with the coming our our first grt-g'child in a few months, I pray God will keep me here long enough to enjoy what is to come.

I have given you all a bit of my life story and I hope you can look back on your own lives and help derive the goodness and happiness that the changes that have taken place in your lives have brought to you and your loved ones. HAPPY and BLESSED NEW YEAR.

My Blessings to all,  
*Deacon John*

*"What is your story going to be?"*



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JANUARY 13-16, 2023

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*Mid-America Week 1*

(FRI-SUN)

### JULY 7-9

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Ennie Hickman

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**Speakers:**

Fr. Mike Schmitz

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sfdsym SAVE THE DATE! 📅 Get ready to go back to @steubystl - This time for Week 1! Mark your calendars and get ready to join us!!

Disclaimer - This date is subject to change! We aren't able to register yet, but we wanted to share this is the weekend we are aiming for!! ❤️

## Leading Teens CLOSER TO CHRIST

*Our parish patron saint, St Francis de Sales, spiritually composed this prayer. Fr Ryan reflects upon these spiritual and strengthening words often - and offers this prayer for your consideration and contemplation. Jesus is with us and count your blessings.*

# Be at Peace

A BEAUTIFUL PRAYER BY ST FRANCIS DE SALES

Do not look forward in fear to the changes of life; rather look to them with full hope as they arise. God, whose very own you are, will deliver you from out of them. He has kept you hitherto, and He will lead you safely through all things; and when you cannot stand it, God will bury you in His arms. Do not fear what may happen tomorrow; the same everlasting Father who cares for you today will take care of you then and every day. he will either shield you from suffering, or give you unfailing strength to bear it. Be at peace, and put aside all anxious thoughts and imagination.



## Mass Intentions

The intention of each Mass is for our world,  
our country, our communities, and our Parish.

### Monday, January 9: The Baptism of the Lord

8:30 - Intention for Police Officers & Firefighters  
8:30 - Intention for the Souls in Purgatory  
8:30 - Intention for the United States of America

### Tuesday, January 10: First Week in Ordinary Time begins

8:30 - Dorothy Thompson, req by her loving husband, Michael  
8:30 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome  
8:30 - Intention for Peace in Ukraine  
8:30 - Intention for Amanda Wilk, req by family  
8:30 - Intention for Judy Reilly, req by Pam Urban

### Wednesday, January 11

8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School Children of our Community  
Noon - Intention for Judy Reilly  
Noon - Charlene Johnstone, req by Frank  
Noon - Rita Romei [Month's Mind Mass]  
Noon - Thad Jurczak, req by Jane & Keith Milburn  
Noon - Patrick Fernandez, req by Lou & Laura Angelini  
Noon - Anna Marie DeSanto, req by Karen Cynova  
Noon - the people of St Francis de Sales Parish

### Thursday, January 12

8:30 - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich  
8:30 - Intention for Jennifer Hicks  
8:30 - Intention for First Responders

### Friday, January 13: St. Hilary

8:30 - Barbara Schlosser  
8:30 - Intention for Bishop Jeffrey Grob  
8:30 - Anthony Seifert, req by the Seifert Family  
8:30 - Dolores Miles [Month's Mind Mass]

### Saturday, January 14: Blessed Virgin Mary; Julian Calendar New Year

8:30 - Intention for US Veterans  
8:30 - Intention for those Missing in Action  
8:30 - Intention for the Knights of Columbus - Queen of Peace Council  
5:00 - Jerry McLean, req by Joanne Luce  
5:00 - Intention for the People of the Parish

### Sunday, January 15: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

6:30 - Bud Bevins, req by Jo Bevins  
9:00 - David Acevedo, req by Seifert family  
9:00 - Stella Drozd, req by Davern family  
9:00 - the people of St Francis de Sales Parish  
11:00 - Ruth Lanza, req by McGrail family  
11:00 - Intention for West Parking Lot Mass Parishioners  
11:00 - Dorothy Thompson, req by her loving husband, Michael



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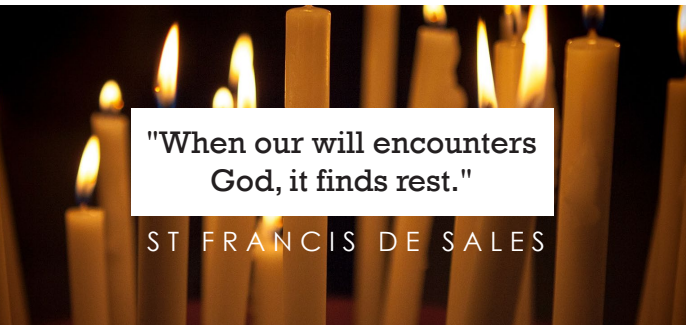
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† Please Pray for the Sick †

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.

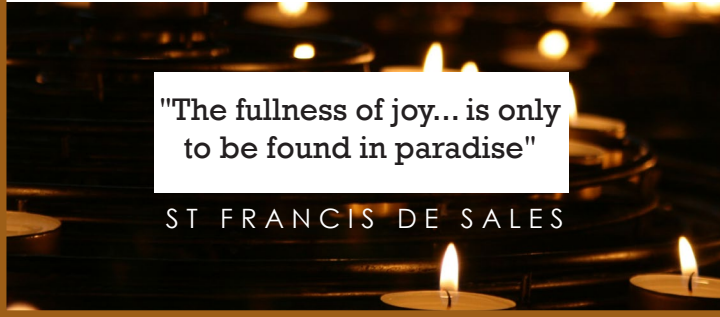
- Casey Hockett**
- Pat Wollenberg** (sister to Barbie Chmielecki)
- Joyce Syverson** (wife to Paul)
- Bruce Dille** (friend to Wayne & Linda Penney)
- Jerry Serwa** (brother of Bernardine (Wally) Labuz)
- Madeleine "Spring" Green**
- Lynn Johnson**
- Larry Box**
- Judy Reilly** (wife to Mike)
- David Hass** (son to Rich & Cindy)
- Lisa Morrissey-Jordan** (mother to Madeline, Conor & Isabelle)
- Sara Donnely**



"When our will encounters God, it finds rest."  
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† In Sympathy †

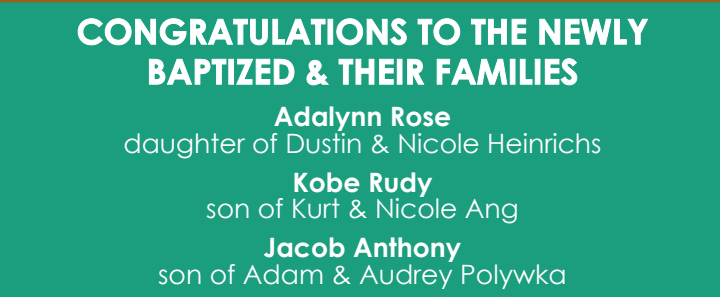
- Stella Drozd**
- David Grzelak** (husband to Diane)
- Randy Romie**
- Teofil (Ted) Valentine Janicki**
- Stefania Sidorowich**
- Jose Fidel Portillo**
- Lucille Hahn** (mother to Rita Bunten)
- Tom Miller** (brother to Steve (Donna) Miller)
- Dolores Miles** (wife to Rodger)
- Rita E Romei**



"The fullness of joy... is only to be found in paradise"  
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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED & THEIR FAMILIES

- Adalynn Rose**  
daughter of Dustin & Nicole Heinrichs
- Kobe Rudy**  
son of Kurt & Nicole Ang
- Jacob Anthony**  
son of Adam & Audrey Polywka



Love God, Love One Another

Think of ways to be a helper, not a hinderance



"Heart to Heart in Christ"

ST FRANCIS DE SALES  
Don't harden your heart to the people around you

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

Dawn Repta, Jocelyn Brown, 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, Chrsi Rusk, Tim Youngman, Dorothy Parola, Barb Westerlund, Judy Patton, Gina Meeks, Janet Burrows, Dolores Guzy, Audrey Krupa, Ligia Jiménez, Tripp Buckman, Milton Jerard, Lisa Friebus, Linda Kalteux, Anna Kroll, Nancy Morrissey, Amanda Wilk, Demmi Dadas, Liz Fajnor, Melissa Larsen Raupp, Chris Miller, Denise Molony, Margo Buchholz, Bill Zborowski, Jenny Chromy, Gaylyn & Todd McGlauchlin, Phil McGlauchlin, Andy Ferren, Jean Brefeld, Linda Serwa, John Humlicek, Patti Herstein, Joanne Noon, Dick Goss, Lisa Coconate, Karen Rogan, Candy Cotsiomit, Jo Anderson, Lisa Friebus, Adam Ullrich, Candy Cotsiomit

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He who gives you the day will give you also the things necessary for the day.

St. Gregory of Nyssa

4th-century theologian and bishop of Nyssa who contributed to the Nicene Creed. Along with Basil of Caesarea and Gregory of Nazianzus, he is one of the Cappadocian Fathers.

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January 10

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

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

**Terrence 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

**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 Ræff:** 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 Tinker Air Force Base in Oklahoma City Base, OK, 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

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

**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

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

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

**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

**Specialist Steven J. Bozacki:** Indiana National Guard, deployed to Qatar. Nephew of Joyce and Jeff Rae, cousin of Tegan and Colin Rae

**Private First Class Nicko Pinedo:** Active Duty serving for the National Guard & returning to school, son of Tom & Blanca Pinedo

**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. Muraeski, PFC John McGinley, Sgt. Sabrina Scarselletti-Derhammer, Matt Brown, Private Todd Jackson, Lt. J.G. Daniel Gackowski, Jeff Austin, Bryan Broyles, L Cpl Conor Camicia, Aaron Cornelius, Col. Daniel Klippstein, Joe Little, S.S. John M. Butler, Staff Sgt. Scott Sloss, Sgt. Joe Basgall, Tom Mahoney, Spec. Sean Anthony Whippo, Lt. Jack Connor, Private Michael Szydelko, Staff Sgt. 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, SA U.S. Navy Amy Hudek, Captain Jason Finkeneller, Captain Michael Crisman, Cody Huffman, Steven Surdyski



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

### 2022-2023 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

<b>2022 - 2023</b>		<b>Christmas 2021 .....\$146,555</b>
July .....	\$118,437	Christmas 2020.....\$73,364
August .....	\$111,204	Christmas 2019.....\$193,116
September .....	\$114,527	
<b>October .....</b>	<b>\$96,390</b>	<b>Easter 2022 .....\$96,253</b>
		Easter 2021 .....
		Easter 2020 .....
		Easter 2019 .....
Mother of the Americas (formally 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		

### 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
2019 Annual Appeal Rebate .....	\$135,597
2020 Annual Appeal Rebate .....	\$121,600
2021 Annual Appeal Rebate.....	\$65,491
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

### 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 Preists.....	\$5,768
Retirement Fund for Religious .....	\$8,005

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

## Parish Community Statistics: July 2022 to November 2022

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

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS

Preschool / Kindergarten .....	21
Grade School .....	234
Middle School.....	67
Home Study .....	18
SPRED .....	?
Children's Catechumenate .....	20

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Confirmation	
1st Year Program .....	92
2nd Year Program .....	86
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 .....	12
Adult Lectors .....	52
Teen / Child Lectors .....	14 / 5
Prayer Shawl Ministers .....	32

### SACRAMENTS

Baptisms .....	47
Marriages .....	6
Marriage Anniversary Blessings.....	4
Funerals .....	23
First Communion.....	0
Confirmation.....	0
First Confession .....	0
Received into the Church.....	0

## 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 ...	kelliepstein@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> , Deacon Bob Arvidson .....	(847)922-2503
<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
Joyce Bozacki Rae .....	(847)971-1067
<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

### 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>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> , Pam Urban .....	(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> , John Uriell .....	(847)438-4715
<b>Project Rachel &amp; Private Prayer</b> (for those hurting from abortion)	
Tammy Baczek .....	(847)826-8309
<b>LOSS Project</b> , Tish Guinter .....	(847)293-4332

### 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>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)540-1223
<b>Mom's Group</b> .....	OPEN

### CONFIRMATION

<b>Confirmation &amp; Youth Ministry</b> , Pam Lynch, M.A. ....	(847)726-4862
Bill Weismann .....	(847)726-4842
Sara Webster.....	swebster@stfrancislz.org
Cathy Chiarelli.....	(847)726-4840
<b>Youth Ministry Music</b> , Josh Goodman .....	(757)814-1191
<b>Confirmation (Young Adult Program)</b> .....	OPEN

### 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</b> , Mary Keller .....	(847)438-7921

### 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> , Mike Iwanski.....	pto@stfrancislz.org
<b>Athletic Board</b>	
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Jim Ronayne, Athletic Director.....	(847)540-8163





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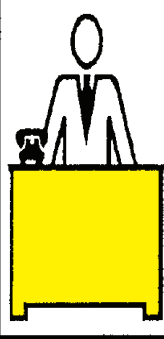
  
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