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March 14th, 2021



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SUNDAY OF LENT

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EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday, March 15

- Daily Mass @ Noon with Rosary following — Church (no signup necessary, streamed)

Tuesday, March 16

- Communion Service & Prayer Hour @ 8-9am — Church (no signup necessary)
- Daily Mass @ Noon with Rosary following — Church (no signup necessary, streamed)

Wednesday, March 17: St. Patrick

- School Mass @ 1pm with Rosary following — Church (no signup necessary, streamed)
- Adoration @ 7-8pm — Church (no signup necessary, streamed)
- Broadcasted Mass @ 7am & 4pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99

Thursday, March 18: St. Cyril of Jerusalem

- Communion Service & Prayer Hour @ 8-9am — Church (no signup necessary)
- Daily Mass @ Noon with Rosary following — Church (no signup necessary, streamed)
- Scripture Study | Take Up Your Cross & Follow Me @ 6:30pm — Zoom (signup at www.stfrancislzparish.org/scripturestudy)

Friday, March 19: St. Joseph; Abstinence

- Daily Mass @ Noon with Rosary following — Church (no signup necessary, streamed)
- Broadcasted Mass @ 3pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- KofC Fish Fry @ 5-7pm — Columbus Center (Online Ordering: <http://bit.ly/kocfishfry> OR by phone: 224-662-1575)
- Stations of the Cross @ 7-8pm — Church (no signup necessary, streamed)

Saturday, March 20: Spring begins

- Reconciliation @ 4-4:45pm — Church (no signup necessary)
- Vigil Mass @ 5pm — Church (signup on website)

Sunday, March 21: Fifth Sunday of Lent; Third Scrutiny

- Mass @ 6:30am & 9am — Church (signup on website, 9am streamed)
- Parking Lot Mass @ 11:15am — West Parking Lot (no signup necessary)
- Broadcasted Mass @ 12:30pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99



Welcome back to St. Francis de Sales!!! It is truly a special blessing to worship Jesus in our church, gathering together and receiving His Body.

We are blessed to invite you to our Saturday Vigil Mass at 5pm and our Sunday 6:30am & 9am Masses in our church. We are using a registration process. Just click on the button on this page to sign up. Note: The 9am Mass will continue to be live streamed to Youtube & Facebook.

We will continue to offer our Sunday 11:15am Mass outside in the west parking lot. No registration is required. Check our website for the updated status of Mass due to weather. It will be the top banner of the site.

We are blessed to invite you to join our weekday noon Mass in our church. Please note that on Wednesdays, Mass will be at 1pm with our school children. No registration necessary.

If you encounter any difficulties registering, please call our Parish Office leaving your contact information. You will then be contacted to help get you registered.

The Ministry Center & Fr Walker Hall are still closed until further notice.

For scheduling funerals or sacraments of Baptism, Matrimony, Confession or Anointing of the Sick or any other questions please call the Parish Office at (847)438-6622.

For all registrations, please go to our website to sign up www.stfrancislzparish.org.

Thank you for your prayers, patience and flexibility as our parish continues with our reopening process. We look forward to seeing all of you as we gather in the name of Jesus.

Come Holy Spirit Come!

March 14, 2021: Fourth Sunday of Lent

"Nothing really counts except the soul. If I could live as long again as I have already lived with the certainty of all the happiness and prosperity which this life can offer, what would it all amount to in the light of eternity?"

- St Francis de Sales

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The wrath and the mercy of the Lord are revealed in the exile and liberation of the chosen people (2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23) or 1 Samuel 16: 1b, 6-7, 10-13a.

Psalm — Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you! (Psalm 137) or Psalm 23.

Second Reading — By grace you have been saved (Ephesians 2:4-10) or Ephesians 5:8-14.

Gospel — The Son was sent by God so that the world might be saved through him (John 3:14-21) or John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-37].

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47

Friday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29; Rm 4:13:16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53

Sunday: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33

Alternate readings (Year A): Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Lent; Second Scrutiny; Daylight Saving Time begins

Wednesday: St. Patrick

Thursday: St. Cyril of Jerusalem

Friday: St. Joseph; Abstinence

Saturday: Spring begins

GOD'S MERCY

Today's reading from the second book of Chronicles contains a sort of "mini-history" of Israel. It highlights God's mercies in choosing Cyrus the Persian to be an instrument of deliverance when the people were in captivity in Babylon. Despite their sinfulness and the deserved punishment they were undergoing, God's mercy was lavished on the people in the form of a miraculous act of liberation.

The Letter to the Ephesians, in much more theological terms, gives a similar account of a God "who brought us to life with Christ—by grace you have been saved." The author stresses that it was when we were "dead in our transgressions" that God saved us, an act of pure grace. He emphasizes that it is not our own efforts that freed us from sin ("this is not from you"); rather, "it is the gift of God." This, of course, is the heart of the entire Pauline corpus, that salvation comes to us by faith in God's mercy, revealed in the death of Jesus. copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

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.



Who was St. Francis de Sales? He was born in France in 1567. He was known for his deep faith, gentle approach to issues that arose during the Protestant Reformation and wrote many books including the popular "Introduction to the Devote Life." There were assassination attempts on his life but he fearlessly continued to preach and converted thousands of Calvinists to the Catholic Church. He's the patron saint of our parish and lived a remarkable life!

Questions? Please email growdisciples12@gmail.com

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2020 Annual Catholic Appeal

ACA REPORT FOR OUR PARISH FINAL REPORT FEBRUARY 2021

Donor Count.....	595
2020 Goal.....	\$127,292
Amount Pledged.....	\$267,858
Amount Paid.....	\$261,293
Balance Due.....	\$6,565
1st Rebate Paid Oct 2020.....	\$93,543

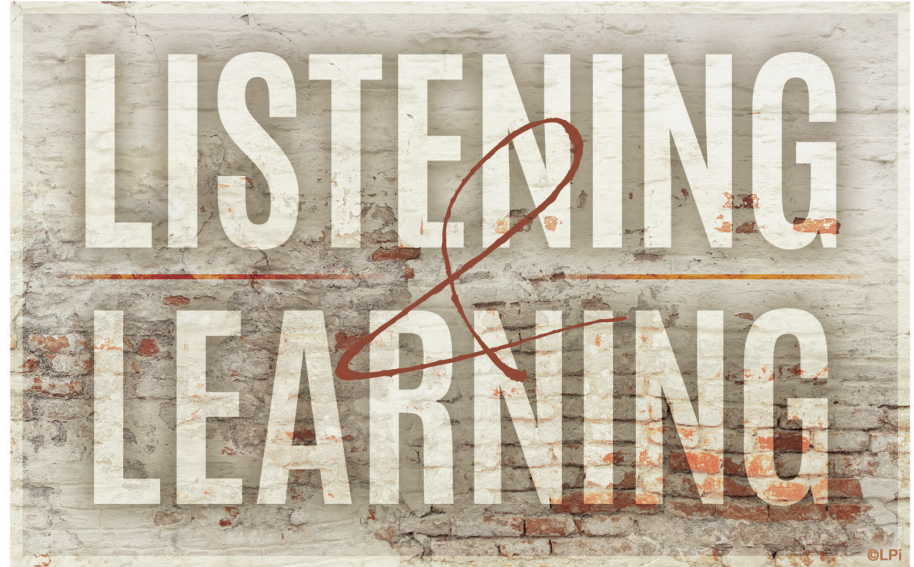
2nd Rebate due in March

GOSPEL MEDITATION

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Is there something to Lent that goes beyond our own spiritual house cleaning and spiritual refinement? Yes, there is! It has to do with listening and learning so that we can take up the task of the Gospel with greater clarity and fortitude. While the spiritual refocusing of Lent is necessary, the fruit of this Lenten conversion has much more to do with learning how we can be a better Church than it does about our eternal salvation. Salvation is a gift that flows out of God's unconditional Mercy and cannot be merited. The spiritual maturity we can experience as a result of our Lenten disciplines serves to reduce the anxiety and apprehension we may experience as messengers of good, but very challenging, and unsettling, news.

St. Oscar Romero said that, "a church that doesn't provoke any crises, a gospel that doesn't unsettle, a word of God that doesn't get under anyone's skin, a word of God that doesn't touch the real sin of the society in which it is being proclaimed, what gospel is that?" When we listen to those descriptive and provocative words, do they resonate with anything in our experience? As messengers of the Gospel, we are called to bring an unsettling message to the world. If our main concern is protecting our self-interests, then we are missing something huge!



Many really struggle with being rejected, dismissed, or perceived as someone who is speaking out of turn. There is a counter cultural message that must be preached that clearly sides with the poor, marginalized, victimized, oppressed, neglected, disregarded, and lost souls throughout the world. There is a widespread misery among the peoples that is all too often allowed to fester with no one coming forward to offer a change or resolution.

The Church can speak to the needed structural changes that will allow people to earn just wages, feed their families and share abundantly and equally in the gifts of God's good earth. Such a vision is not some

optimistic fairy tale, but the vision of the Creator himself. Lent reminds us, as St. Oscar Romero also states, that, "we are workers, not master builder, ministers, not messiahs. We are prophets of a future not our own." We are not called to labor simply for the benefit of the here and now but of the "what is to come." Our myopic vision can be replaced by a more far reaching Lenten vision that is much greater and deeper in scope. As long as we are carrying the right blueprints with us and our thoughts extend beyond ourselves, then even the little things we do and the simplest prayer we utter go a long way. They give witness to our preference for the light of Christ and not the darkness of error and sin.

"For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God." - Jn 3:20-21

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AWAKE, O SLEEPER!

This morning came a little earlier than I would have liked — Daylight Saving Time always does. Sometimes that morning sunlight seems more intrusive than illuminating. You're still half-lost in sleep, and that sun is demanding of you a lot more than you're ready to give.

I've said it, and I'm sure you've said it, too. "Just five more minutes." You hit the "snooze" button on your iPhone once (maybe twice? Show of hands?) and turn away from the window.

So many kings of the Old Testament were steadfast in their sleepy ways, rejecting the light their God tried to share with them. Likewise, John tells us that, though Light — Christ — was sent into the world, the world preferred darkness.

Sometimes it seems, when reading through Scripture, that all throughout salvation history, God has been trying to pull back the curtains, to rouse us from our defiant slumber. And we resist Him. Time and time again, we resist Him.

Light brings a certain responsibility with it. It seems to compel productivity. Furthermore, there's no hiding in the light. Any photographer worth his salt knows how to manipulate it, highlighting the good and casting some merciful shade on the bad.

As we enter into the fourth week of Lent, we're getting so close to the main event. Can we handle the light that will come on Easter morning, bursting into the tomb as the stone is rolled away? Can we keep ourselves from hitting the "snooze" button on our souls, and sit up to face the dawn of a new day?

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

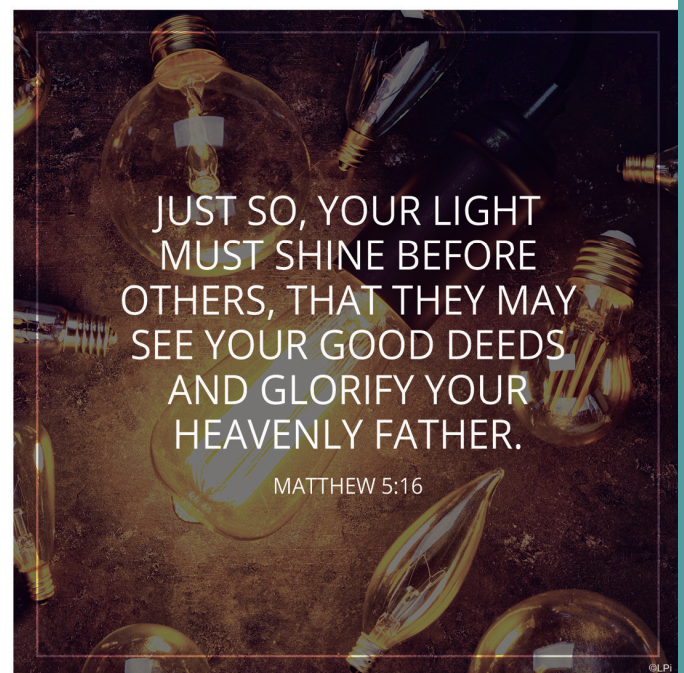
WHY DO PRIESTS WEAR A ROMAN COLLAR?

The practice of priests wearing the Roman collar developed in the mid-nineteenth century as an alternative to wearing the cassock which in some places was seen as impractical or which was even outlawed by anti-Catholic legislation. Since its introduction, it has taken different forms, and if you visit different countries today, you will see variation in what priests wear.

The Code of Canon Law simply observes that priests wear "suitable ecclesiastical garb" according to the judgments of the national bishops conferences and local custom (no. 284). The US Bishops have instructed that outside of liturgical functions, a "black suit and Roman collar are the usual formal attire for priests. The use of the cassock is at the discretion of the cleric." Priests who are members of religious communities are to follow the rules of their institute regarding the habit or other approved clothing.

In the end, whether a priest wears the Roman collar, a religious habit, or, as is the case in many

European countries, a suit and tie (to distinguish them from Protestant clergy who wear a collar) the goal of their clerical clothing is to serve as a sign of their commitment to guide and to serve, and to also allow them to be truly public figures because they are ordained for the service of all.





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Our parish is conducting our campaign for the Annual Catholic Appeal. The Annual Catholic Appeal theme, "Come, follow me ... and bring hope to the world," was selected because as disciples of Jesus, we follow the Master who both gives us hope and sends us to bring his hope to our world that needs it so much.

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Our Annual Catholic Appeal goal for this year 2021 is \$125,410.

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Current jackpot is \$17,815!

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The next drawing is Thursday, March 11 at 8pm

Purchase Tickets by scanning the QRcode below



Now in its 47th year, Carmel Catholic High School's widely popular Street Scenes fundraiser features a stellar lineup of entertainment, local food and beverage vendors, and the renowned Student Show!

Street Scenes will take on a new look this year as it is held virtually April 9-15, 2021. We are committed to keeping this long-standing tradition full of lively entertainment. This year's theme is, "Street Scenes Goes Virtual, Home Sweet Home!"

In its lifetime, Street Scenes has contributed \$11.4 million to support academic programs at Carmel Catholic. During this COVID-19 crisis, proceeds from this year's Street Scenes event will help provide resources to assist our students in meeting their educational goals by keeping tuition as low as possible.



FASTING & ABSTINENCE



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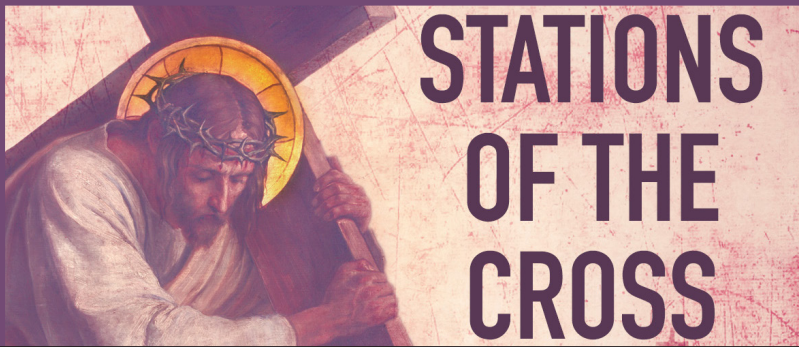
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When Jesus returned after 40 days of prayer in the desert, He boldly called His disciples to a 'metanoia,' a change of heart. ~Mark 1:15 Jesus calls us to a 'metanoia' too. This past year we have dealt with so many challenges and distractions. Take time this Lent to encounter His Grace by refocusing your heart and growing in your relationship with Jesus. Sign up for one of these opportunities to spend time with Jesus in prayer and reflection.



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Meal Includes
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dinner roll

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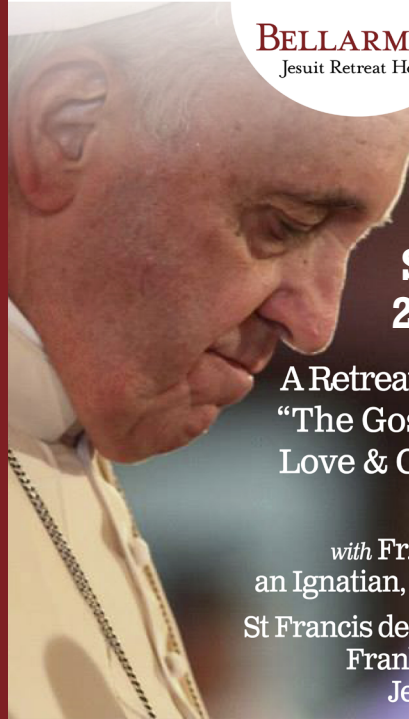
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Prayer Shawl Ministry: A Call for Yarn!

Perhaps a little spring cleaning is underway at your house? Prayer Shawl Ministry will gladly accept donations of yarn you come across while sorting and organizing!

Besides Prayer Shawls for our parish family and friends, ministry volunteers also stitch other prayer-filled items. Prayer Shawl Ministers continue to make hats and scarves for men, women, boys and girls of all ages and sizes, to be delivered with the winter coat recipients. Prayer Shawl Ministers also make adult-sized shawls for critically ill patients at Good Shepherd, lovingly and prayerfully presented by hospital chaplains. We will be happy to receive your donations of yarn to add to our stock. Please drop off full or partial skeins of yarn of any kind or color at the Ministry Center. Donations of newly purchased skeins are also welcome!

Thank you, knitters and crocheters! You have created a vibrant, Spirit-filled ministry! You have warmed and comforted countless numbers of people with your prayers and shawls.

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A generous supply of shawls in a wide variety of colors and patterns is stored in the Ministry Center, ready for whatever need arises. To request a Prayer Shawl, stop by the Ministry Center to select one that you may deliver yourself; we provide appropriate prayers for presenting the shawl.

March 2, 2021

Deacon's Corner

With the beginning of the Season of Lent, I have begun doing a Communion Service on Tuesday and Thursday mornings in the chapel at 8AM. The first one I did was on February 18th and it gives me the opportunity to preach a homily. The Gospel that day was from Luke 9: 22-25. Three short verses but very profound as Jesus said: "For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will save it". In thinking about that, I feel it needs some explanation to better understand the message Jesus is trying to convey to us.

If we want to choose life, we have to lose it. In thinking about this, we all lose it in the end, to be sure, but who do we lose it to, and what do we lose it for? This is what matters. Do we lose it to Jesus Christ? Do we lose it for the sake of the Cross and following Him? Or, do we lose it to the world and for the sake of self-profit and personal gain that, in the end, never materializes?

This Gospel begins with Jesus saying to His disciples; "the Son of Man must undergo great suffering". His disciples didn't understand what Jesus was talking about since it was the beginning of His ministry and many things Jesus talked about left His disciples without a clear understanding of His message. But one thing was clear in this Gospel. Jesus knew He would suffer greatly. And I believe the message here is that Jesus wants us all to understand that none of us will pass through this life without some suffering.

We know that suffering comes in all shapes and sizes, big and small. And we must endure suffering to the extent we are able. St. Theresa of Avila, who is regarded as one of the greatest mystics saw suffering as a source of purification. She once wrote that "God looks around to find where the greatest love for Him is and there He sends the greatest suffering". And we know the greatest love for God, our Father, was His Son, Jesus Christ.

So much of our suffering is health related as well as

emotional suffering. If we have been blessed with good health, we should Thank God every day. I know many of you who read this will agree that as we get older, "the old machine seems to break down" more rapidly than we might like. But if you can still read this, like myself, we have to be happy to have gotten this far in our life. And I also know that so many of us have suffered emotionally during our lifetime. Usually with the loss of a loved one, be a spouse, parents, g'parents, children, etc. But I always say when I address a family in mourning at a funeral, we know that they are in a better place now with God, our Father. I also know that it is easier to say it than to accept it.

The Gospel also says; "deny yourself and take up your cross daily". Jesus taught us that our cross is ourselves, our ego, our awkwardness, our mistakes. To truly follow Jesus Christ is to move beyond ego-trips. It means we must deal with the business of life without causing suffering to others. Remember to "love your neighbor as yourself". And I must say, in today's society that message is more important than I can ever remember. I think you all know what I mean.

This is the true message of Lent. We know that life holds so many challenges for us and most of them come with some level of suffering. Our losses and disappointments that come to us daily leave us with two choices. We can despair, fall apart, give up or do we rise to them, shoulder our crosses with courage knowing that Jesus will always be with us to help shoulder our load.

So as we continue with this Lenten Season, let's take some time to be sure we focus on what we hope to accomplish. Realize what Jesus went through for 40 days and choose to follow Him through His life, death, and Resurrection.

My Blessings to all,

Deacon John

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St. Vincent de Paul Anti-Hunger Ministry
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 Month of February 2021

	Feb-20 4 Weeks			Feb-21 4 Weeks			2021 vs. 2020 4 vs. 4 Weeks			Feb 2021 vs. Jan 2021			
	Month	Weekly Avg.	YTD	Month	Weekly Avg.	YTD	Month	Weekly Avg.	YTD	Jan. Month	Weekly Avg.	% Change Month	% Change Weekly Avg.
Volunteers:													
Total Hours	635	159	635	250	63	562	-15%	-15%	-13%	312	78	-25%	-25%
Service Hours	125	31	125	5	1	16	-2400%	-2400%	-681%	11	3	-120%	-120%
Service Hour %	20%		20%	2%		3%	-88%		-591%	4%		-76%	
Families:													
Discrete Households	156	39	156	124	31	171	-26%	-26%	9%	133	33	-7%	-7%
Packages Distributed	306	77	306	268	67	578	-14%	-14%	47%	310	78	-16%	-16%
Wt of Food Distributed	12,593	3,148	12,593	11,260	2,815	23,270	-12%	-12%	46%	12,010	3003	-7%	-7%
Total People	1,094	274	1,094	844	211	1,870	-30%	-30%	41%	1,026	257	-22%	-22%
Children	407	102	407	334	84	710	-22%	-22%	43%	376	94	-13%	-13%
Ela Township	9%	24	9%	13%	35	297	30%	30%	68%	159	40	-15%	-15%
Meals / Person	9.6		9.6	11.1		10.4	14%		7%	9.8		12%	
MFR Deliveries													
Food Cost	\$ 705		\$ 705	\$ 11		\$ 299	-6426%		-136%	\$ 288		-2567%	

We are SO GRATEFUL for our dedicated volunteers of all ages who help this ministry work from sorting to distributing and all the details in between! This ministry is successful because of their servant hearts who continuously give of their time & talent to our neighbors in need.



Virtual Mass Intentions

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

† Mass Intentions †

Monday, March 15

Noon - Intention for Police Officers & Firefighters
Noon - Intention for the Souls in Purgatory
Noon - Wilfred Werner, req by Martin A Schuett
Noon - Louis Carrera
Noon - Sandford (Sandy) Gail
Noon - Intention for Lisa Coconate, req by the Hovinen family
Noon - Marie & Don Lydon

Tuesday, March 16

Noon - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
Noon - Intention for Persecuted Christians
Noon - Margo Gilmore
Noon - Eutus Dippel
Noon - Gina Slaga, req by Mom & Dad
Noon - Carol Hermann, req by her family
Noon - Katherine Gimbel Dippel
Noon - Danien Senese

Wednesday, March 17: St. Patrick

1:00 - Intention for the Safety of the School
Children of our Community
1:00 - Intention for Renew My Church
1:00 - Dan & Mariann Leahy
1:00 - Marilyn Collins
1:00 - Hilary Box
1:00 - Intention for Michael Ryan
1:00 - Jeremiah Ring

Thursday, March 18: St. Cyril of Jerusalem

Noon - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
Noon - Intention for Jennifer Hicks
Noon - Intention for First Responders
Noon - Intention for Scripture Study
Noon - Dolores & Ron Sinkus
Noon - Patrick Link
Noon - Sr Mary Grace Cozzoli
Noon - Bob Logan, req by family
Noon - Intention for Jo Anderson

Friday, March 19: St. Joseph; Abstinence

Noon - Intention for Barbara Schlosser
Noon - Intention of U.S. Veterans
Noon - Intention of Those Missing in Action,
Prisoners of War
Noon - Dolores & Ron Sinkus
Noon - James Ruther
Noon - George Manning on his 3rd Anniversary of Eternal Life,
req by his wife Trudee

Noon - Ada & Frank Evangelista
Noon - Salvatore "Tatidu" Grana (Month's Mind Mass)
Noon - James Kuczora (Month's Mind Mass)

Saturday, March 20: Spring begins

5:00 - Intention for the Knights of Columbus,
Queen of Peace Council 3954
5:00 - Janice Baulos
5:00 - Jim & Betty Duff
5:00 - Michael David Lawless
5:00 - George Manning, req by the Manning family
5:00 - James Kuczora, req by his family
5:00 - Francis Bott
5:00 - Billy Diehl

Sunday, March 21: Fifth Sunday of Lent; Third Scrutiny

6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk
6:30 - Robert Morcocchio
6:30 - Bud Bevins
6:30 - Patrick Flavin
9:00 - Intention for Lisa Coconate, req by Traci Dahlinger
9:00 - Liza Hassler, req by the Juras family
9:00 - Yvonne Dippel
9:00 - John Ryan
9:00 - Clarence Ryan
9:00 - Clarence Berger, req by Gary & Laura Berger
9:00 - Mary Reynolds, req by Jan Steger
9:00 - Larry Taylor, req by Pam & Ray Urban
9:00 - Bob Logan, req by his family
9:00 - Thad Jurczak, req by the Bereavement Ministry
9:00 - Kitty Dembski
9:00 - Rosalinda Barry
9:00 - Veronica Hoehne
9:00 - Intention for Katie McGlauchlin
11:15 - Intention for SFdS Youth Ministry
& the People of St. Francis de Sales Parish

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED & THEIR FAMILIES

Nuvia

daughter of Carlos & Selena Paz-Armas

Michael Curtis

son of Andrew & Kelli Epstein

*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*

† 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.

- John Falkowski**
- Dr. Fitz-Hugh**
- William Taylor**
- Dick Goss**
- Lisa Coconate**
- Howard Kelliher** (brother to Mary Tinkham)
- Betty McGonigle**
- Graham Mackenzie**
- Jan Broses** (sister to Greta Rusk)
- Dick Bolger**
- Patricia Dillon** (sister to Elaine Biggs)
- Karen Rogan** (wife to Ed)
- Candy Cotsiomitis**
- Jo Anderson**



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

Liza Hassler, Dawn Repta, Jocelyn Brown, Baby Omar Spitz, Karen DiTommaso, John Thullen, Carolynne Fox, Kevin Kleine, Jane Polnaszek-Gray, Kendall Urban, Patrick Rams, Marlys Marie Williamson, 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, Sam Orlando, Tripp Buckman, Milton Jerard, Lisa Friebus, Nicole Humlicek, Jeff Gauthier, Linda Kalteux, Anna Kroll, Nancy Morrissey, Amanda Wilk, Thomas Szankowski, Demmi Dadas, Liz Fajnor, Chuck Vassallo, Melissa Larsen Raupp, Chris Miller, Denise Molony, Margo Buchholz, Bill Zborowski, Jenny Chromy, Thomas McGonigle, Gaylyn McLaughlin

saint snippets

Christ in every eye that sees me,
Christ in every ear that hears me.

St. Patrick

5th-century British missionary known as "the Apostle of Ireland"

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March 17

† In Sympathy †

- Dorothy Ann Thompson**
- Jeffrey T Trogia**
- Tina Mazzetti** (mother to Brunella Carlberg)
- Liza Hassler** (daughter to Mary & Peter)
- John Marron**
- James Kuczora**
- Catherine Kelly**
- Ramiro Perez** (father to Jerry)



Love God, Love One Another

Think of ways to be a helper,
not a hinderance

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Molly's Adopt a Sailor

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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 Finkenkiller: 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
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Lance Corporal Allan Borowick: Stationed in Afghanistan, Friend of Mary Margaret Matuga
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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
Major 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
SPC Jericho Douglas Buck: deployed to Afghanistan, grandson of Douglas Bartels
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, 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



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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

2020-2021 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

2020 - 2021	Christmas 2020.....	\$77,874
July	Christmas 2019	\$193,116
August	Christmas 2018.....	\$214,349
September.....	Easter 2020	\$93,528
October.....	Easter 2019	\$100,140
November.....	Our Lady of Tepeyac	
December.....	Sharing Parish.....	\$13,315
January	Karoline Choir	
February	(Uganda)	\$2,734
	Lake County	
	Right to Life	\$1,238
	Peter's Peace.....	\$4,401
	Seminarian Education	\$4,021
	World Mission	\$4,697
	Solemnity of Mary.....	\$5,603
	Leukemia Research	
	& Lymphoma	\$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 (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 (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

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

Parish Debt to the Archdiocese: \$0

Parish Community Statistics: July 2020 to January 2021

Registered Families	4,365
*Registered Families in 1949	94
Parish School Students.....	322

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS

Preschool / Kindergarten	5
Grade School	195
Middle School.....	86
Home Study	combined with RE this year
SPRED	6
Children's Catechumenate	11

YOUTH MINISTRY

Confirmation	
1st Year Program	82
2nd Year Program	105
Peer Ministers	45
Adult Leaders	38

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	79
Marriages	7
Marriage Anniversary Blessings.....	10
Funerals	37
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 for more information.

PARISH LEADERSHIP CHAIRPERSONS

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 Pam Lynch (847)726-4862, plynch@stfrancislz.org
Parish Pastoral Council Chair, Thomas Purtell (847)304-5574
Parish School Principal, Kyle Schmitt (847)726-4826

PARISH RESOURCES

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Finance Council, Douglas Samz (847)644-9277
Business Manager, Laura Angelini (847)726-4747

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Altar Servers, Fr. David Ryan (847)726-4723
Child Lectors (Grades 6-8), Cindy Blank (847)924-7876
Crossbearer, Laurie Haas (847)726-4840
Environment & Art, Mary Ann Kwasek (847)438-5751
Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers, Deacon Bob Arvidson (847)922-2503
Greeters, Sherry Otto (847)438-2782
Lectors
 Cindy Blank (847)924-7876
 Jacqueline Kuhn (847)269-8342
Music, Patricia Stewart (847)726-4720
Sacristans, Irene Goldthwaite (847)438-4260
Ushers
 Karl Heerdegen (847)560-5929
 Kevin Wegner (847)438-3161
St. Peregrine Prayer Service OPEN
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)
 Deacon Bob Arvidson (847)922-2503
Rosary Ministry, Joe Armagno (847)550-6139
Rosary Ministry, Lexington, Dolores Miller (847)650-3331
Rosary Ministry, Silverado OPEN
Vocations, Fr. David Ryan (847)726-4723

HUMAN CONCERNS

Chairperson, John Ergastolo (PPC) (847)726-7746
Care Ministries, Fr. David Ryan (847)726-4723
 Dana Petraglia (847)471-0726
Homebound Ministry of Care Visits
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 Frank Dodds (847)438-5128
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Cancer Support & Sharing, Mary Manson (847)382-3051
Bereavement, Mary Manson (847)438-6622
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Prayer Shawl Ministry, Lisa Warren (847)540-8654
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Molly's Adopt-A-Sailor, Cathy Chiarelli (847)726-4842
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Safety and Security Ministry, Joseph Pasquesi (847)726-9550
Emmaus House Ministry, Brian Pozzi (516)658-2089
Gift of Love, Jane Clery (847)370-8933
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Food Pantry, Kathleen Murray (847)726-4890, www.svdplz.org
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Clean Jeans Drive, Denise Benesch (847)374-0400
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Project Rachel Private Prayer for those hurting from abortion
 Tammy Baczek (847)826-8309

CONFIRMATION

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Our Lady of Tepeyac, Patricia Linares (847)550-1053
Women's Retreat, Rose Weismann (847)975-8005

CATHOLIC EDUCATION

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PTO, President, Christy Sikorski sfspto.pr@gmail.com
Athletic Board
 Jeff Kinsey (Chair) (847)736-1943
 Jim Ronayne (847)540-8163

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Girl Scouts Main Contact, Lise Wiseman (224)244-3836
Daisy Troop, Ann Monte (847)865-5192
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