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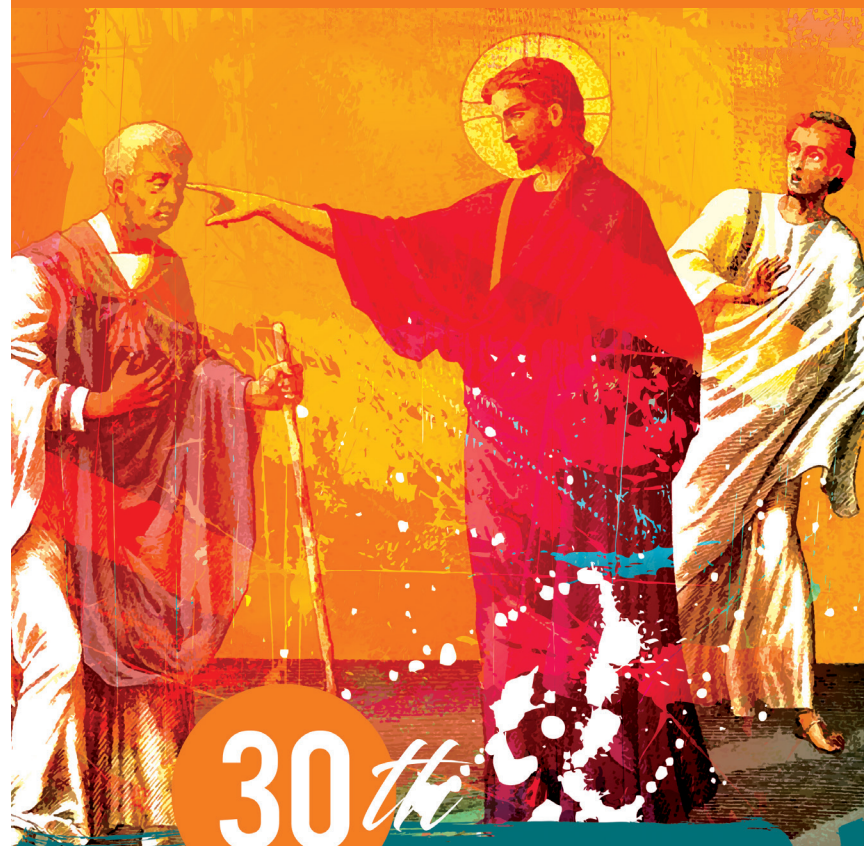


**GOD AND COUNTRY  
RENEW MY CHURCH  
All for One...  
One for All in Jesus Christ**



 **PARISH MISSION**

October 24th, 2021



**30<sup>th</sup>**

**SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
— Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:52

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**GO & MAKE DISCIPLES**

**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL  
PARISH FIX-IT TOGETHER CAMPAIGN  
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**WELCOME TO ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH!**

We welcome you to St. Francis de Sales. Organized as a parish in 1949 by the Archdiocese of Chicago, St. Francis de Sales Parish encompasses the communities of Lake Zurich, Deer Park, Hawthorn Woods, North Barrington, Kildeer, Long Grove and has a strong spiritual and temporal presence in Lake County. If you are new in these neighborhoods or are returning to the practice of our Catholic faith, we welcome you to our Parish. Please call or, better yet, stop by the Ministry Center so we can meet you. If you are a visitor, we know that you will take some of our goodwill with you as you return to your home parish.

**VIRTUAL STREAMING WEBSITES**

**YOUTUBE:** Go to [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) and search for "St Francis Lake Zurich"

**FACEBOOK:** Go to [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com) and search for "St Francis de Sales Catholic Parish"

DIRECT LINKS CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE  
[WWW.STFRANCISLZPARISH.ORG](http://WWW.STFRANCISLZPARISH.ORG)



**EVENTS THIS WEEK**

**Monday, October 25**

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Yoga @ 9:15am — Upstairs Ministry Center
- Gr. 1-5 Monday RE @ 4:15pm — School

**Tuesday, October 26**

- Communion Service @ 8am — Church
- Gr. 1-5 Monday RE @ 4:15pm — School

**Wednesday, October 27**

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am & Noon — Church (noon streamed)
- Broadcasted Mass @ 7am & 4pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- Gr. 1-5 Wednesday RE @ 4:15pm & 6:15pm — School
- Choir @ 7pm — Upstairs Ministry Center

**Thursday, October 28: Ss. Simon and Jude**

- Communion Service @ 8am — Church
- SVdP Food Pantry @ 5:15-7pm — in person at the Ministry Center
- Scripture Study @ 6:30pm — in person at the Ministry Center & on Zoom

**Friday, October 29**

- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Broadcasted Mass @ 3pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99

**Saturday, October 30: Blessed Virgin Mary**

- Jubilee Garden @ 8-11am — Garden on Rt 22
- Daily Mass @ 8:30am — Church
- Reconciliation @ 4-4:45pm — Church
- Vigil Mass @ 5pm — Church

**Sunday, October 31: Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time; Halloween**

- Mass @ 6:30am, 9am & 11am — Church (9am streamed, 11am broadcasted)
- Preschool/Kindergarten RE @ 9am — School
- Broadcasted Mass @ 12:30pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- Emmaus House Food Distribution @ 4pm — Fr Walker Hall

**Please visit our website for the most updated list of events this week - they change frequently!**

[www.stfrancislzparish.org/parish-schedule](http://www.stfrancislzparish.org/parish-schedule)



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**and bring hope to the world**

**2021 Annual Catholic Appeal**

**ACA REPORT FOR OUR PARISH  
SEPTEMBER 2021 REPORT**

Donor Count .....	376
2021 Goal .....	\$125,410
Amount Pledged .....	\$176,773
Balance Due .....	\$14,071
Amount Paid .....	\$162,701

## Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Why should we desire to be masters of ourselves in what concerns the spirit when we are not so in what concerns the body?" - St Francis de Sales

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — I will lead the people to brooks of water, on a level road, so that none shall stumble (Jeremiah 31:7-9).

**Psalm** — The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy (Psalm 126).

**Second Reading** — It was not Christ who glorified himself, but rather the one who said to him: You are my son: this day I have begotten you (Hebrews 5:1-6).

**Gospel** — Immediately the blind man received his sight and followed Jesus on the way (Mark 10:46-52).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from the Lectionary for Mass © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21; Lk 13:10-17

**Tuesday:** Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 13:18-21

**Wednesday:** Rom 8:26-30; Ps 13:4-6; Lk 13:22-30

**Thursday:** Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16

**Friday:** Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 14:1-6

**Saturday:** Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18; Lk 14:1, 7-11

**Sunday:** Dt 6:2-6; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34

### SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

**Sunday:** Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Mission Sunday

**Thursday:** Ss. Simon and Jude

**Saturday:** Blessed Virgin Mary

**"Humbly welcome the word that has been planted in you and is able to save your souls."**

— *Psalm 126:3*

### RECOGNIZING JESUS

The star of today's Gospel is a panhandler. Bartimaeus is blind, yes, but he is probably also homeless and filthy, a real nuisance to respectable citizens. Even so, it is Bartimaeus who recognizes Jesus as the Messiah, places all his faith in him, throws aside everything he has (his cloak), begs him for mercy, receives new vision, and follows Jesus on the way to suffering and death in Jerusalem. How desperate will we have to get before we can do the same? 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.



**Jesus performed a miracle in today's Gospel. He made a blind man see. How? Jesus said it was the man's faith that saved him. With the aid of the Holy Spirit, we can reach out to Jesus for help; just like the blind man. With the healing touch of Jesus and our faith in his power, we also can ask for a miracle; a sign of Jesus' love in the world today.**

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 mother's 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 starting in November from 7pm-8:30pm on the second floor of the Ministry Center.

### Next Meeting Dates

November 15th

December 20th

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

### ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

When we see God with true sincerity of heart and God passes us along our way, it is only then that we will be able to cry out, "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me!" We have to truly want to be healed by, and in union with, God in order for us to reach out to him. If God is only an abstract idea, theory, or someone found in the pages of a book, there is no motivation for a relationship and no desire to seek him. God needs to be real in order for faith to be real. It's all about the journey.

St. Augustine reminds us that "to fall in love with God is the greatest romance; to seek Him the greatest adventure; to find Him the greatest human achievement." We strive after many things and mercy is not always one of them. We think that we can find fulfillment and healing in other things only to discover that we are still short and empty. From the moment human beings were created, God has been calling us and seeking us. He has been walking right beside the human story from the minute He first breathed life into the first human soul. Are we able to recognize God as He walks with us? At some point we have to



realize that there is only one way to satisfy the deepest longings of the human heart and that is in relationship with our Creator. We are called to this. However, we make the huge error of thinking that what we are hearing is coming from somewhere else. We become confused. Every human being would certainly profit with wisdom if they realized Who calls them and to Whom they belong.

Then and only then will we realize that it is only our Divine Master who can give us true vision and heal us. Once we recognize and reach out for the merciful

presence of our loving Maker, we will be able to see with our soul, understanding the true nature and depth of all things. God's mercy is always available. It doesn't matter how far we have strayed or how blind we become, God patiently waits to console us, guide us and heal us. All we need to do is desire Him. Once we reach out, we also realize that there is no greater love to be found than God's, no human adventure that comes even close to the thrill of a spiritual search, and no human achievement even remotely as satisfying as union with Him. This is where we belong. This is salvation.

*Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:51-52*

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## SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS

Local businesses and sponsors that advertise on bulletins need you now more than ever before. Please encourage and remind others to show their support during this time.

## GIVING AS GOD DOES

Ask yourself this question — what would you pray for if you really believed God could and would do anything for you? In my experience, we all have something. We all have that miracle we're afraid to request, afraid we will be disappointed.

Do we doubt God's readiness to give because we ourselves have such an imperfect understanding of charity and love? Maybe if we had better faith in God we would be more ready to give of ourselves — and maybe if we were more ready to give of ourselves, we would understand more clearly the ways of God.

Because we're not really afraid that God can't do something. We know He can do anything. What we're afraid of is that He will do what He always does: give us what we need, not what we want.

Have you ever had a friend in need and you just wanted to give them something — a meal, a phone call, a text? Not because you knew it would help, but simply because you wanted to reach out. And have they ever said to you: It wasn't so much what you gave, but the fact that you did. You gave them what they needed even if it wasn't what they specifically asked for.

When we give in this manner, we are giving as God does. Sometimes we are afraid to ask because we don't want to be disappointed. But remember, the blind man on the road got what he asked for, but he would have gotten what he needed even if his answer had been the opposite. God's generosity is always reckless, and it's always perfect.

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

## I HAVE A FRIEND WHO RECEIVES COMMUNION, BUT WHO I KNOW FOR A FACT IS IN A STATE OF MORTAL SIN. SHOULD I TELL OUR PRIEST? IS IT MY RESPONSIBILITY TO SAY SOMETHING?

While we may always want to do what is best for our friends and family members, we have a responsibility to respect their privacy and their conscience. In its reflections on the Eighth Commandment (“You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor”), the Catechism of the Catholic Church states,

“Respect for the reputation of persons forbids every attitude and word likely to cause them unjust injury. [One] becomes guilty: -of rash judgment who, even tacitly, assumes as true, without sufficient foundation, the moral fault of a neighbor; -of

detraction who, without objectively valid reason, discloses another's faults and failings to persons who do not know them; of calumny who, by remarks contrary to the truth, harms the reputation of others and gives occasion for false judgments concerning them” (no. 2477).

We will never truly know what is in a person's mind, heart, and soul; only God knows those things. We

should, of course, take our concerns to God and entrust the person about whom we are concerned to God's grace and mercy. If we have concerns about the spiritual wellbeing of someone with whom we are close, we should go to the person themselves and talk about our fears and concerns. Unless it is a case of abuse or endangerment (which we

have a moral and even legal responsibility to report to the appropriate authorities), we ultimately do not have the freedom to share another's persons faults or sins, however good we think our intentions might be.



# The Little Sisters of the Poor would like to express our gratitude for the warm welcome



we received at St. Francis de Sales for the weekend Masses of August 28 and 29th. Through your generosity, we raised \$8,228 for our home. We are keeping you in our grateful prayers! We invite you to submit your prayer requests through our website at [www.littlesistersofthepoorpalatine.org](http://www.littlesistersofthepoorpalatine.org) You can also make a donation if you have not had the opportunity to do so, or view our "urgently needed items list." Thank you all and God Bless You!

Protocols require that we keep an isolated wing of rooms in the event of a COVID outbreak. While these rooms are essential when they are needed, Medicaid will not reimburse us for empty rooms. We have lost over \$500,000 in Medicaid revenue since this began. Any help you can give us would be greatly appreciated.

# Save the Date!

## BLOOD DRIVE

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

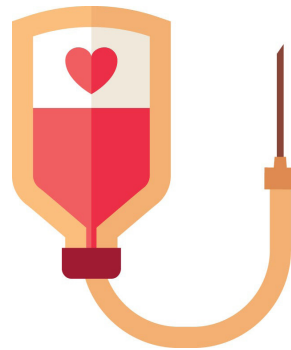
### Who benefits from blood donation?

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

Examples of transfusion needs are:

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

**FREE ANTIBODY TEST for every donation**



**BRING A PHOTO ID & MASK REQUIRED**

**WEDNESDAY  
November**

**10  
2-6pm  
Fr Walker Hall**

Appointments are encouraged, Walk-ins welcome!



<https://bit.ly/BloodDrive-11-10-21>

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## Proclaiming the Word LECTOR TRAINING

**Saturday, November 6th**

ST MARY OF VERNON CHURCH  
236 US HWY 45, INDIAN CREEK, IL 60061

**9:15am | Registration**

**9:30am-12:30pm | Workshop**

Lectors have a critical role in the celebration of the Mass. Because lectors proclaim not just any word, but the Word of God, it is essential that they develop the skills required to communicate God's Message competently.

Through the use of voice, eye contact, and personal presence, lectors help God's Word come alive for the assembly.

This training will provide the skills and self-confidence needed for those who wish to become lectors in their own parish.

Open to adults and high school students.  
This training is for NEW ministers only.

**Register at**  
[www.vic1chicago.org/registrations](http://www.vic1chicago.org/registrations)

**Questions?**  
Maureen Evers at [mevers@archchicago.org](mailto:mevers@archchicago.org)

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## Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist FORMATION & TRAINING

**Saturday, November 13th**

ST. THERESA CHURCH  
455 N. BENTON STREET, PALATINE, IL 60067

**8:30am | Registration**

**9-11:30am | Workshop**

This preparation session will focus on:

- *Ministry of Eucharist: our baptismal call to ministry*
- *Theology of Eucharist as celebrated in the Roman Catholic tradition*
- *The roots of our ministry in Scripture, the early Church, and on through the Second Vatican Council*
- *Historical aspects of our celebration of Eucharist in practice and devotion*
- *A review of the Liturgy of the Eucharist and how our ministry as EMs 'fits' in the larger picture*
- *Questions and Answers*

A follow up session will take place in your parish that will include a practicum on the particular practices for distribution of the Eucharist.

**Register at**  
[www.vic1chicago.org/registrations](http://www.vic1chicago.org/registrations)

**Questions?**  
Marie Paul at [mariep@sttheresachurch.org](mailto:mariep@sttheresachurch.org)



WIDOW & WIDOWERS GROUP - HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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

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

SCRIPTURE STUDY

# Oil of Gladness

[ ONLINE + IN PERSON ]

## THURSDAYS

SEPT 30<sup>th</sup> - NOV 11<sup>th</sup>

6:30-8:30pm // ZOOM + Ministry Center

FACILITATOR

## Kevin Pease, MTS



Register at [www.stfrancislzparish.org/scripturestudy](http://www.stfrancislzparish.org/scripturestudy)

# SPIRITUS



## Veni Sancte Spiritus

"The Woman at the Well"  
with dr. timone davis '80

**OCT. 28**  
**6:30 PM**



"The Choice Driven Life"  
with Dr. Linda Couri

**JAN. 20,**  
**2022**



Dr. Samer Attar '94

**FEBRUARY,**  
**2022**



**THURSDAY,**  
**OCTOBER 7**

Feast of Our Lady of  
the Rosary

**MONDAY,**  
**DECEMBER 6**

St. Nicholas Family  
Rosary and Fellowship

**FRIDAY,**  
**MAY 13, 2022**

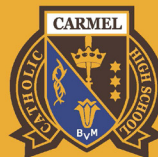
Rosary Walk

**SATURDAY,**  
**JULY 16, 2022**

Feast of Our Lady of  
Mount Carmel Mass

[www.carmelhs.org/spiritus/](http://www.carmelhs.org/spiritus/)

Carmel Catholic High School  
One Carmel Parkway | Mundelein, IL 60060 | 847.566.3000



Becoming a

# Corsair

**7**  
**NOV**

## Open House

Noon-3 p.m.

**4**  
**DEC**

## Entrance Exam

For 8th grade students

8 a.m.

**TOUR**

### Campus Tour

A campus tour can be scheduled during most school days.  
Tours last approximately an hour.

**SHADOW**  
**DAY**

### Shadow Day Experience

To get a firsthand look at Carmel Catholic, we  
encourage prospective students to spend a day with  
a Carmel Catholic student.



Register for these events here



**Carmel Catholic High School**

One Carmel Parkway | Mundelein, IL 60060 | 847.388.3418 | [carmelhs.org/events/](http://carmelhs.org/events/)



OUR FAITH  
COMMUNITY

# Now

Since the beginning of the school year, the St. Francis School children have been gathering in church at 8:30 on Wednesdays for Mass. Each week, one of the classes gives a short presentation on a saint they have chosen to research. It's great to see our children experiencing Mass together.

## NOW OPEN!



with Laurie

MONDAY MORNINGS 9:15AM  
IN THE MINISTRY CENTER

QUESTIONS? CALL THE PARISH OFFICE 847.438.6622



## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

## Every First Friday

Do you want to quiet your mind and take time from the busy-ness of life? Come spend time with Jesus. He will make a difference in your heart. Join us for First Friday Adoration on November 5 anytime between 9am - 7pm. **All are welcome and you do not need to sign up to come stop by for a few minutes, an hour or however long you are able.**

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

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



**A BIG shout out to the 11am parking lot Mass volunteers!!!!** Thank you for enabling those who are not able to come inside church to attend Sunday Mass and receive Jesus.

To volunteer for our Welcome Ministry inside or out in our parking lot, please email [growdisciples12@gmail.com](mailto:growdisciples12@gmail.com)

*"My husband and I are continuing to attend Mass in the parking lot at 11:00 a.m. on Sundays, listening via FM 89.9. My husband has a compromised immune system so we are trying our best to avoid any crowds during this pandemic, thusly really appreciate the opportunity to attend Mass in this way. There are usually about 30 to 40 other cars on any given Sunday as well. Thank you to all those folks who continue to help us in the parking lot every Sunday for the 11:00 a.m. Mass. We have the men who usher for us and the Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist (especially Bernie) who bring Holy Communion to our cars every Sunday, and those who make the Mass available via the radio."*

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL**

*Areas of Focus*

1. Renew My Church
2. Parish campaign initiative to address capital improvements
3. Emergency Operations Plan
4. Continued focus on the Parish School and Religious Education Ministry regarding enrollment, financial viability, and marketing
5. Evangelization through intentional discipleship

**FIX-IT CAMPAIGN**

*A Closer Look at the Repairs Completed*

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Ministry Center Roof (upper and lower): Completed in 2017</li> <li>2. Ministry Center Parking Lot, Sidewalks, and Curbs: Completed in 2017</li> <li>3. HVAC system in Ministry Center: Completed in 2018</li> <li>4. Parish School Roof: Completed in 2017</li> <li>5. Church Campus - East Parking Lot of Church, Curbs and Sidewalks in Front of School and Along Buesching Road: Completed in 2017</li> <li>West Parking Lot of Church: Completed in 2018</li> <li>6. Replacement of Cedar Siding in Ministry Center: Completed in 2017</li> <li>7. Demolition of the old church building: Completed in 2018</li> <li><b>8. New flooring design in the Church: 2020 (delayed due to COVID-19 with the</b></li> </ol> | <p><b>suspension of the church doors being open)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9. New A.C. System in Church: Completed in 2017</li> <li>10. Church Chapel Roof and Slanted Roof: Completed in 2017</li> <li>11. New Security Door in Parish School: Completed in 2017</li> <li>12. Construction of New Maintenance and Storage Building: Completed 2019</li> <li>13. Risen Christ Statue, made in Orestia, Italy by hand-crafted Italian artisan. Erected on site of first parish church: Completed Fall 2019</li> <li>14. Respicaire Oxy 4 UV Light Installation for 4 Systems for the Church Building &amp; Fr Valker Hall: completed Summer 2020</li> <li>15. Respicaire Oxy 4 UV Light Installation for School Classrooms: completed early 2021</li> </ol> |
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*We honor those parishioners who have died since the last All Souls Mass*

Thomas Jacobs  
 Mary Elizabeth Soliwoda  
 Lucille Rudsinski  
 John Zigmund  
 Robert Logan  
 Thad Jurczak  
 Therese Brown  
 Anna DeSanto  
 Veronica Hoehne  
 LeRoy Vincolese  
 James Kuczora

Santina Mazzetti  
 Dorothy Thompson  
 Donald Novak  
 Shirley M Schmidt  
 Rosemary Kamhout  
 Thomas Harrington  
 Giuseppe Guajliardo  
 Theresa Marie Sansalone  
 James Mastores  
 Jack Welbourn  
 Elizabeth Fox

Maria Birkenbach  
 Susan Rodriguez  
 Patricia Müller  
 Eugene Mizerka  
 Ronald Sapochak  
 Lucia Romozzi  
 Andrew Lindgren  
 Paul Sheedy  
 Diana Olczyk  
 Earl Strack  
 David Vrba



**PARISH ALL SOULS' MASS**  
 TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 7 PM

In our Catholic tradition, during the entire month of November, we pray for our loved ones who have died. Most especially, we remember them on November 2, the Commemoration of All Souls. All who grieve the loss of someone special, whether recently or years ago, are invited to attend the 7 pm All Souls' Mass on Tuesday, November 2nd to pray and light a candle for loved ones who have died.

To remember those whom we mourn in a tangible way and make their presence a part of this special liturgy, you are invited to bring a memento to place on a memory table prior to Mass. The memento might be a picture of your loved one or some other small article that means a great deal to you as you remember them. If you have questions, please contact the parish office.



**SELLING BUTTER BRAIDS DURING ALL MASSES OCT 30/31!**

Our St. Francis de Sales 8th graders are headed to Washington D.C. in May for their class trip. 100% of the proceeds from this fundraiser go directly to the students to reduce the cost of the trip. The school does not receive any of the profits. Students will be selling before and after all masses the weekend of Oct 30/31 at the both entrances of the church. Please contact Nichole Alivia with questions- 224-239-3914.

Thank you for supporting our 8th grade students!

**St. Francis de Sales Parish**  
**Statements of Financial Position**  
**June 30, 2021 and 2020**

	2021	2020
Assets:		
Cash - operating account	\$ 1,034,956	\$ 705,512
Cash - savings accounts	\$ 663,058 <sup>1</sup>	\$ 746,815
Cash - auxilliary accounts	\$ 142,121 <sup>2</sup>	\$ 148,952
Cash - FIX IT Campaign	\$ 444,490 <sup>3</sup>	\$ 342,011
Parish Education Endowment Fund	\$ 149,724 <sup>4</sup>	\$ 112,682
Receivables	\$ -	\$ -
Other	\$ -	\$ 9,805
	\$ 2,434,349	\$ 2,065,777
Liabilities:		
Unpaid bills and other liabilities	\$ 39,735	\$ 85,395
Tuition and fees collected for next year	\$ 70,160	\$ 750
PPP Loan Payable	\$ 513,608 <sup>5</sup>	\$ 513,600
Total liabilities	\$ 623,503	\$ 599,745
Net assets:		
Net assets with donor restrictions	\$ 1,074,580	\$ 917,108
Net assets without donor restrictions	\$ 736,266	\$ 548,924
Total net assets	\$ 1,810,846	\$ 1,466,032
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 2,434,349	\$ 2,065,777

**Footnotes:**

- 1 Of this balance \$663,058 is not available for operating: \$469,284 restricted by donors, \$193,774 is a CD.
- 2 The funds in these accounts are currently not used for operating.
- 3 The funds are used for the FIX IT Capital Expenditures as outlined in the Campaign
- 4 The funds are held at the Archdiocesan Bank and are an Endowment and not available for operating.
- 5 Covid-19 Relief Act - Anticipate loan forgiveness in FY 2022.

This report is prepared on an accrual basis in accordance with Archdiocese of Chicago guidelines.

**St. Francis de Sales Parish  
Statement of Parish Consolidated Revenues and Expenses  
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2021  
With Comparative totals for 2020**

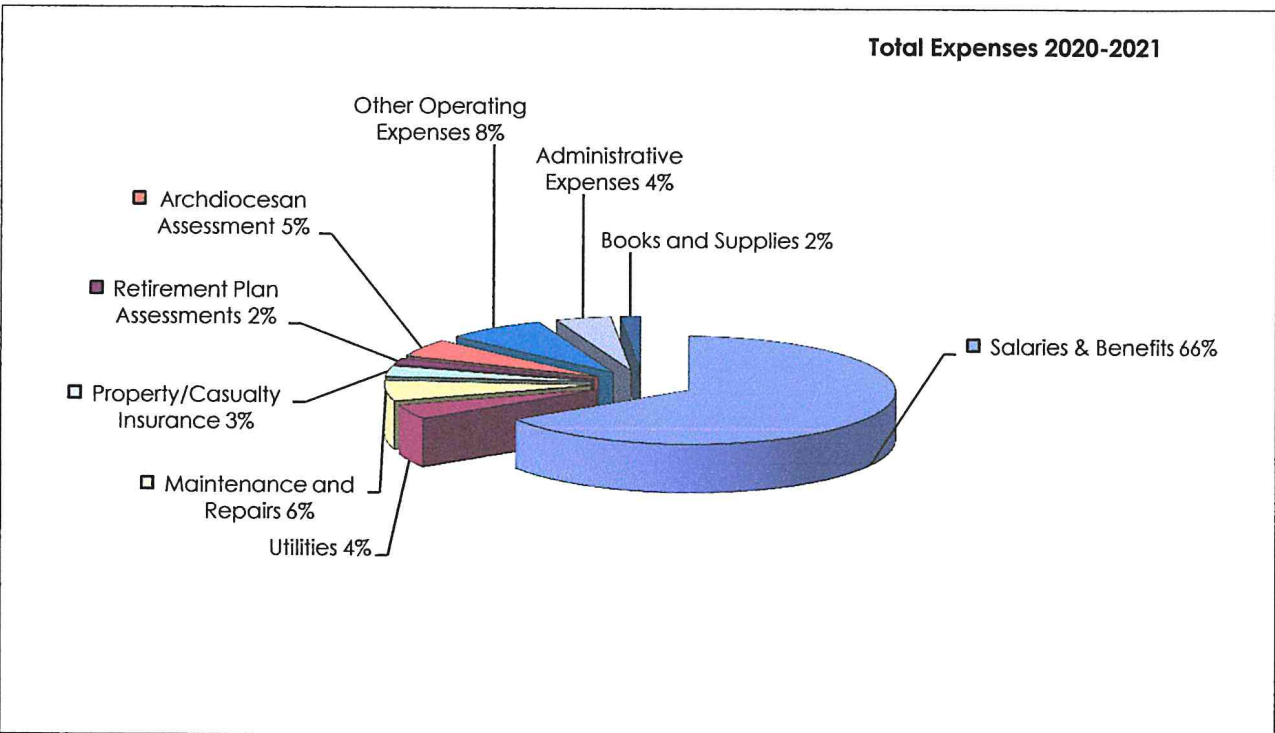
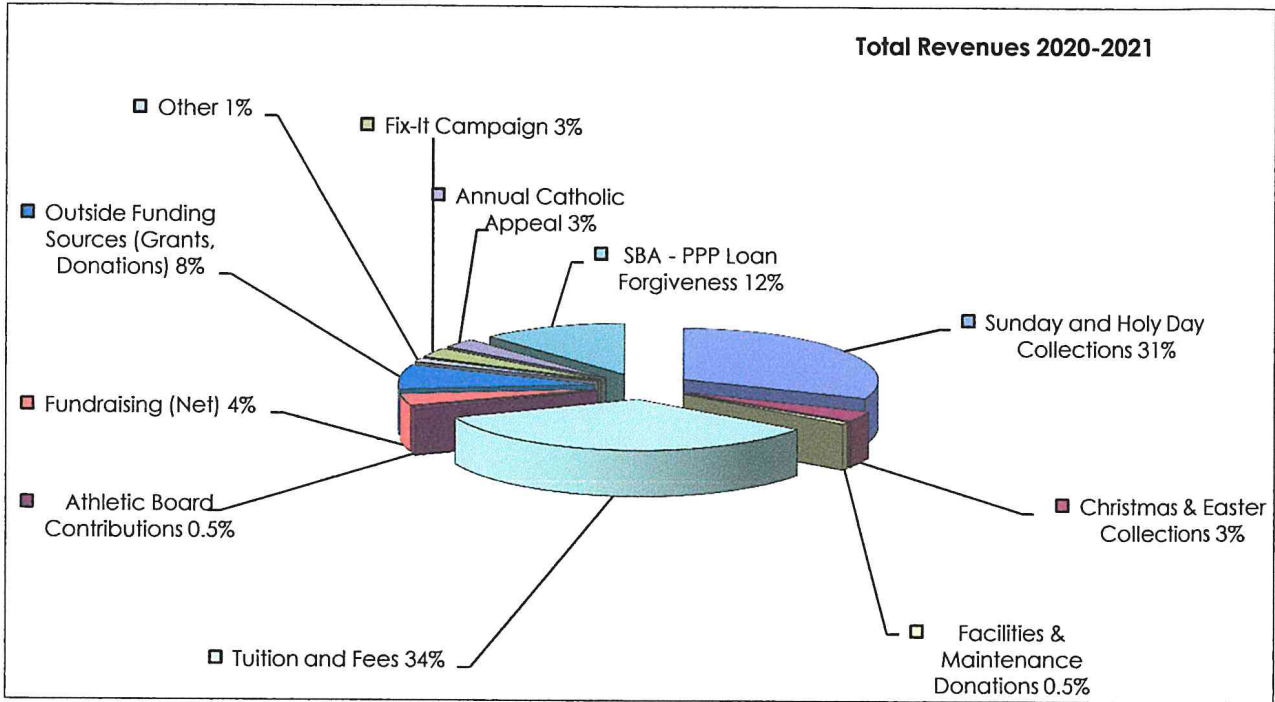
	Parish	School	2021 Total	2020 Total
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Sunday and Holy Day Collections	\$ 1,314,343	\$ -	\$ 1,314,343	\$ 1,509,015
Christmas & Easter Collections	\$ 139,538	\$ -	\$ 139,538	\$ 282,562
Facilities & Maintenance Collections	\$ 27,692	\$ -	\$ 27,692	\$ 12,372
Tuition and Fees	\$ 82,398	\$ 1,360,678	\$ 1,443,076	\$ 1,301,226
Athletic Board Contributions	\$ 13,803	\$ 15,000	\$ 28,803	\$ 41,738
Interest Income	\$ 1,215	\$ 1,829	\$ 3,044	\$ 7,868
Fundraising	\$ -	\$ 159,886	\$ 159,886	\$ 8,433
Outside Funding (Grants, Donations) & Auxiliaries	\$ 48,658	\$ 277,304	\$ 325,962	\$ 280,790
Fix-It Campaign Donations	\$ 127,734	\$ -	\$ 127,734	\$ 341,927
Annual Catholic Appeal Rebate	\$ 121,600	\$ -	\$ 121,600	\$ 135,598
Arch Required Collections	\$ 19,124	\$ -	\$ 19,124	\$ 34,422
Our Lady of Tepeyac Sharing Parish	\$ 22,807	\$ -	\$ 22,807	\$ 20,964
Extraordinary collections	\$ 4,505	\$ -	\$ 4,505	\$ 74,121
SBA- PPP Loan Forgiveness	\$ 186,836	\$ 326,764	\$ 513,600	\$ -
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>\$ 2,110,253</b>	<b>\$ 2,141,460</b>	<b>\$ 4,251,713</b>	<b>\$ 4,051,035</b>
<b>Expenses:</b>				
Salaries & Benefits	\$ 900,446	\$ 1,665,979	\$ 2,566,425	\$ 2,536,582
Books and Supplies	\$ 24,032	\$ 36,626	\$ 60,658	\$ 81,216
Utilities	\$ 88,835	\$ 78,262	\$ 167,097	\$ 183,519
Maintenance and Repairs	\$ 113,444	\$ 126,628	\$ 240,072	\$ 251,948
Property/Casualty Insurance	\$ 74,108	\$ 49,405	\$ 123,513	\$ 106,983
Retirement Plan Assessments	\$ 67,605	\$ -	\$ 67,605	\$ 69,696
Administrative Expenses	\$ 61,692	\$ 106,907	\$ 168,600	\$ 127,272
Technology & Equipment	\$ -	\$ 63,444	\$ 63,444	\$ 40,335
Altar and Liturgical Supplies	\$ 7,212	\$ -	\$ 7,212	\$ 20,436
Furnishings and Equipment	\$ 2,183	\$ 7,731	\$ 9,914	\$ -
Archdiocesan Assessment	\$ 193,156	\$ 14,445	\$ 207,601	\$ 211,210
Auxiliaries & Other	\$ 21,943	\$ 82,612	\$ 104,556	\$ 102,277
Fix-It Campaign Expenditures	\$ 7,750	\$ -	\$ 7,750	\$ 163,559
Arch Required Collections	\$ 19,124	\$ -	\$ 19,124	\$ 34,422
Our Lady of Tepeyac Sharing Parish	\$ 22,807	\$ -	\$ 22,807	\$ 20,964
Extraordinary expenses	\$ 44,147	\$ 26,375	\$ 70,523	\$ 185,308
<b>Total expenses</b>	<b>\$ 1,648,483</b>	<b>\$ 2,258,416</b>	<b>\$ 3,906,900</b>	<b>\$ 4,135,727</b>
<b>Excess (deficiency) of Total revenues over expenses</b>	<b>\$ 461,770</b>	<b>\$ (116,956)</b>	<b>\$ 344,814</b>	<b>\$ (84,693)</b>

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### St. Francis de Sales Parish Chart of Revenues and Expenses June 30, 2021



OCTOBER 12, 2021

## Deacon's Corner

Today's topic is based on a homily I gave this past Thursday on the Gospel of Lk 11: 5-13. I suggest you read it to better understand what I am putting forward in the DC. Verse 9 in this Gospel reads; "And I tell you, ask and you will receive, seek and you will find, knock and the door will be opened for you". I know you might be thinking; "Deacon John, I know that verse and have heard it all my life", but I am looking at it from a different perspective than you might think.

You see, while this is God's promise to us, I wanted to better understand what we should expect from this as our life goes on. In thinking about this verse as I was younger, I thought that all we had to do is "ask" God for something and He would give it to us. As I have grown older (and wiser, I think), I have realized there is more to God's love for us than just giving us things. So the question comes in "what do we expect from God?" And more important; "how do we expect to get it?"

My first instinct to answer the questions above is that we pray and when we do we create expectations within ourselves. Do we pray so that God will give us all we want? And what is it we really want? Do we want fame, fortune, victory, healing, love, success, etc.? Perhaps we want all of these things plus more as life goes on. But is this the answer of God's plan for us? Does this build the Kingdom of God for our eternal salvation? I hope you came to the same conclusion I have come to and that our relationship with God, Our Father, and our connection to Him through prayer, is much richer and more fulfilling than asking Him to grant us our checklist of desires.

But before I go any further with this, I want to share a story of my youth that led me to understand the meaning of the verse 9 I decided to write about. As a young man, I prayed a lot, we attended Mass every day during both grade school and high

school. When I was in the eighth grade and thirteen years old, the gas station where my parents bought gas was owned by a fellow named Moses Joseph and he also owned a motorcycle shop. He decided to renovate his gas station and raffle a Prima Motorscooter giving a ticket to each customer who bought gas. Over time, he had given me dozens of tickets and he knew how much I wanted to win the Prima. My brother, Bob, had asked me if he could have some tickets so I gave him three. I prayed and prayed to win. So much so that my mom, along with my grandma and Aunt Margaret, did a field trip to Carey, Ohio (we lived in Detroit at the time), which was the shrine of Our Lady of Consolation. While there, I prayed even more asking God to let me win the Prima. When the evening of the drawing was to take place, my mom drove me to the gas station. We sat in the car and watched Mr. Joseph reach into the bucket of tickets. The first ticket he pulled out, he read it and threw it over his shoulder and he did with the next two tickets. The fourth ticket he pulled out, he looked and waved to me and mom to come in. Low and behold, I thought did God answer my prayers? When we got inside, he showed us the ticket and it had Bob's name on it. Remember, Bob had only three tickets and I had dozens. So yes, the Prima came home but not the way I had expected. Since Bob and I were both too young to drive it, we sold it for \$750.00 and Bob was kind enough to split the money with me. That \$375.00 was the first investment I ever made in the stock market.

Most importantly is the lesson I learned. I realized that God is like a good parent who gives us all we need, but not necessarily exactly what we ask for. I call this FAITH, and it is something that we all need to strengthen in our daily journey.

My Blessings to all,

*Deacon John*

*"I realized that God is like a good parent who gives us all we need, but not necessarily exactly what we ask for. I call this FAITH, and it is something that we all need to strengthen in our daily journey."*

## Mass Intentions

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

### Monday, October 25

8:30 - Intention for Police Officers & Firefighters  
8:30 - Intention for the Souls in Purgatory  
8:30 - Mickey Aromi, req by Martin A Schuett  
8:30 - Reverend Martin Bedoya [Month's Mind Mass]  
8:30 - Phyllis Yingst, req by Jan & George Yingst  
8:30 - Marcos Linares on his 3rd Anniversary of Eternal Life  
8:30 - Joan Bartosic [Month's Mind Mass]  
8:30 - Teresa Totzke [Month's Mind Mass]

### Tuesday, October 26

8:00 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome  
8:00 - Charlene Johnstone  
8:00 - Reverend John J Bresnahan [Month's Mind Mass]

### Wednesday, October 27

8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School Children  
of our Community  
8:30 - Cytlian Karp  
8:30 - Jack Helgeson  
Noon - Andy Thomas  
Noon - Casey Van Der Bosch  
Noon - Ray & Diana Pelelas  
Noon - Bob Logan, req by family  
Noon - Hank & Diana Paulus  
Noon - Anna Ryan Davis, Anniversary of Eternal Life  
Noon - Ada Evangelista

### Thursday, October 28: Ss. Simon and Jude

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  
8:00 - Veronica Schleyer  
8:00 - Alfred Pasquale  
8:00 - Fr. Donald Duffy  
8:00 - Peggy & Joe Zizzo

### Friday, October 29

8:30 - Intention for Barbara Schlosser  
8:30 - Intention of U.S. Veterans  
8:30 - Intention of Those Missing in Action, Prisoners of War  
8:30 - Stewart Tanakatsubo  
8:30 - Jerry Jacob, Sr  
8:30 - Michael L Dobbs

### Saturday, October 30: Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 - Daniel Leahy  
5:00 - John Burson, req by John & Mary Anne Paskvan  
5:00 - Intention for Linda O'Leary, req by family  
5:00 - David Vrba  
5:00 - Theresa Birdoes  
5:00 - Dana Vrba  
5:00 - Thomas & Elizabeth Vrba

### Sunday, October 31: Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time; Halloween

6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk  
6:30 - Robert Morcocchio  
6:30 - Silvio DiVito, req by Jo Bevins  
6:30 - Vincent DiVito, req by Jo Bevins  
6:30 - Harold Wegner  
6:30 - Chad Elish  
6:30 - Tom Berger  
9:00 - Dominic Chirchirillo, req by Francesca Chirchirillo  
9:00 - Tommy Gaffney, req by family  
9:00 - Earl "Curley" Strack, req by Bill & Barb Donnan  
9:00 - Elise & Jake Reiser  
9:00 - Intention for Fred Carlson on this 90th Birthday  
9:00 - Jim Kwasek, req by Mike & Mary Catherine Ryan  
9:00 - Albert & Marita Salvi  
9:00 - Willard Hair  
9:00 - Intention for Hannon babies  
11:00 - David Anderson  
11:00 - Peter McGrail  
11:00 - Intention for Maureen Galdoni  
11:00 - George Halas  
11:00 - Ed McCaskey  
11:00 - Michael McCaskey  
11:00 - Tim McCaskey  
11:00 - Intention for SFdS Youth & Young Adult Ministries

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED & THEIR FAMILIES

Tikka Maina, daughter of Sekai & Leila Ngoma

*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.

- Hannon babies** (grandbabies to Bridget McGuinness)
- Shirley Weidner** (wife to Larry)
- Linda O'Leary**
- Bill Zborowski** (husband to Joanne)
- Janice Janocik** (sister-in-law to Christine Richards)
- Joanne Noon**
- Michael Ryan** (husband to Mary Catherine Ryan)
- Dick Goss**
- Lisa Coconate**
- Karen Rogan** (wife to Ed)
- Candy Cotsiomitis**
- Jo Anderson**



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

Dawn Repta, Jocelyn Brown, Baby Omar Spitz, Karen DiTommaso, John Thullen, Carolynne Fox, Kevin Kleine, Jane Polnaszek-Gray, Kendall Urban, Patrick Rams, 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, Chrsi 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, Demmi Dadas, Liz Fajnor, Chuck Vassallo, Melissa Larsen Raupp, Chris Miller, Denise Molony, Margo Buchholz, Bill Zborowski, Jenny Chromy, Gaylyn McGlauchlin, Julie & Andy Ferren, Jean Brefeld, Linda Serwa

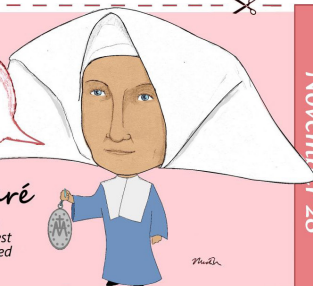
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God always speaks to you when you approach him plainly and simply.

**St. Catherine Labouré**

19th-century French religious sister who cared for the sick and relayed Mary's request that the Miraculous Medal be commissioned

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November 28

† In Sympathy †

- Geraldine C. Piechowski**  
(mother to Gloria (Richard) Palmblad)
- Warren Schmitt** (husband to Karen)
- James Kwasek** (husband to Mary Ann)



**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

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

*Molly's Adopt a Sailor*

**WE SHIP LOVE**

Sending a little bit of "home"  
in every package

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

**Terrance Cullinan:** Stationed in Iraq, Nephew of Mary Layton

**Al Stroh:** U.S. Air Force, Stationed in Iraq, Friend of Sharon Anderson

**Larry Herrera:** 5th Deployment, Stationed in Afghanistan, Friend of Susan Wilberding

**Stephen Morris:** Great Nephew of Annette Feller

**First Lt. Richard Evans:** 1-504 Brigade of the 82nd Division of The Army Airborne, 3rd Deployment to Iraq, Nephew of Raymond & Deanna Clutts

**Captain Jason Finkeneller:** U.S. Army, Deployed to Taji Iraq North of Baghdad, Nephew of Robert & Irene Louis

**Matthew Schrock:** II National Guard, Stationed in Afghanistan, Nephew of Steve & Joan Schultz

**Staff Sgt. Andrew Pelc:** Stationed in Iraq, Friend of the Glazik Family

**L Cpl Edward Mc Donough:** U.S. Marines, Deployed to Afghanistan Cousin of Susan Pflaumer

**Major Jon Zachary:** Redeployed to Afghanistan, Son of Frank Zachary

**Staff Sgt. James Stonehouse:** U.S. Marines, Deployed Overseas, Nephew of Joe & Diane Collins

**Commander Colleen Glaser-Allen:** U.S. Navy, Stationed in Japan, Cousin of Mary Margaret Matuga

**Cpt. Bryan Marone:** U.S. Army, Deployed to Afghanistan, 2 Previous Deployments to Iraq, Husband to Melissa

**Major Joseph Andresky:** U.S. Air Force, Stationed in Washington, D.C., Nephew of Laurie & Mike Sweeney and Patti & Steve Yellin

**Michael Scott Guzy:** U.S. Marines, Stationed in Pensacola, FL, Grandson of Dee Guzy & Nephew of Megan Bajor

**Lt. Kristopher LoveKamp;** E.O.D.: U.S. Navy, Stationed in Niceville, FL, Cousin to Fr. David F. Ryan

**Captain Michael Vyn:** U.S. Air Force, 5th Deployment to Kuwait, Grandson to Marie Fries

**Commander Cory Rosenberg:** U.S. Marines, Deployed to Afghanistan, Brother-in-Law of Angie Kula

**L. Cpl. Cameron Kasmar:** U.S.M.C., 2nd deployment to Afghanistan Boy Scout Troop 927 Eagle Scout

**Captain Christopher Aument:** U.S. Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, CA, Grandson of Barb & Bill Donnan

**Lance Corporal Allan Borowick:** Stationed in Afghanistan, Friend of Mary Margaret Matuga

**L. Cpl. Brandon Helm:** U.S. Marines, Stationed in Afghanistan, Nephew of Ric & Diane Bloch

**L. Cpl. Scott Johnson:** U.S. Marine Corps, Deployed to Afghanistan, Friend of Kathleen Guzy

**Bradley Vicciollo:** Stationed in Japan, Nephew of Parishioner

**Private First Class Blake Sieben:** Stationed in Fort Lewis, WA, Son of Paul and Pamela Sieben

**Sgt. Nicholas Raeff:** U.S. Marines, Nephew of Anne and Russ Parsons 4th Class Midshipman Lindsey Moritz: Annapolis, MD; Daughter of Dan and Kim Moritz, Niece of Don and Tina Murray

**Thomas Corcoran:** Boatswain Mate 2nd Class, U.S. Coast Guard Station, Washington, D.C., Son of Terrence and Christine Corcoran

**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

**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 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 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

LAKE COUNTY  
**VETERANS AND  
FAMILY SERVICES**  
FOUNDATION

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

### 2020-2021 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

<b>2020 - 2021</b>	<b>Christmas 2020.....\$73,364</b>
July.....\$118,561	Christmas 2019.....\$193,116
August.....\$114,231	Christmas 2018.....\$214,349
September.....\$122,429	<b>Easter 2021.....\$65,425</b>
October.....\$110,209	Easter 2020.....\$93,528
November.....\$123,231	Easter 2019.....\$100,140
December.....\$127,959	
January.....\$116,578	Our Lady of Tepeyac
February.....\$92,538	Sharing Parish.....\$22,807
March.....\$112,686	Karoline Choir (Uganda).....\$2,734
April.....\$80,245	Lake County Right to Life.....\$1,238
May.....\$86,276	Peter's Peace.....\$1,530
June.....\$98,705	Seminarian Education.....\$1,835
July.....\$114,778	World Mission.....\$2,679
August.....\$99,694	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 (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
2020 Annual Appeal Rebate.....	\$121,600

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

## Parish Community Statistics: July 2020 to September 2021

Registered Families.....	4,365	Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers.....	163
*Registered Families in 1949.....	94	Teen Eucharistic Ministers.....	11
Parish School Students.....	322	Ministers of Care.....	130

### 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.....	83
Peer Ministers.....	20
Adult Leaders.....	20

### SACRAMENTS

Baptisms.....	151
Marriages.....	11
Marriage Anniversary Blessings.....	10
Funerals.....	57
First Communion.....	1118
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.

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