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PARISH MISSION



October 1st, 2023



26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Amen, I say to you, tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God before you." - Mt 21:31

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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 and search for "St Francis Lake Zurich"

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DIRECT LINKS CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE
WWW.STFRANCISLZPARISH.ORG



EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday, October 2: The Holy Guardian Angels

- The Angelus, Daily Mass & Rosary @ 8:30am & Noon — Church
- Yoga @ 9:15am — Ministry Center
- RE: 1-5 Classes @ 4:15pm — Ministry Center

Tuesday, October 3

- Daily Mass & Rosary @ 8:30am — Church
- Bereavement Meeting @ 2pm — Ministry Center
- RE: 1-5 Classes @ 4:15pm — Ministry Center
- NAMI Meeting @ 6pm — Ministry Center
- SPRED: Catechist Meeting @ 6pm — Ministry Center
- Boy Scouts @ 7:30pm — Fr Valker Hall

Wednesday, October 4: St. Francis of Assisi

- Cable TV Mass @ 7am & 4pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- The Angelus, Daily Mass & Rosary @ 8:30am & Noon — Church (noon streamed)
- RE: 1-5 Classes @ 4:15 & 6:15 pm — Ministry Center
- SPRED: Catechist Meeting @ 6pm — Ministry Center
- Fall Homily Series Small Group @ 7pm — Ministry Center

Thursday, October 5: St. Faustina Kowalska; Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos

- Daily Mass & Rosary @ 8:30am — Church
- Life Line Screening @ 8:30am - 5:30pm — Ministry Center

- SVdP Food Pantry @ 5:15-7pm — Ministry Center
- KofC Bingo Night @ 6pm — KofC Center
- Baptism Class @ 6:30pm — Ministry Center

Friday, October 6: St. Bruno; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher; First Friday

- The Angelus, Daily Mass & Rosary @ 8:30am & Noon — Church
- First Friday Adoration @ 9am-4pm — Church
- Cable TV Mass @ 3pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99

Saturday, October 7: Our Lady of the Rosary; First Saturday

- Daily Mass & Rosary @ 8:30am — Church
- Jubilee Garden Open House @ 9-11am — Jubilee Garden Plot
- Reconciliation @ 4-4:45pm — Church
- Vigil Mass @ 5pm — Church

Sunday, October 8: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Mass @ 6:30am, 9am, 11am & 12:30pm — Church (9am also streamed, 11am also broadcasted)
- Peer Ministry Weekly Hang Out! @ Noon — Ministry Center
- Cable TV Mass @ 12:30pm — Comcast 4 & U-Verse 99
- Emmaus House @ 4pm — Fr Valker Hall

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

www.sfrancislzparish.org/parish-schedule

*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*

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"We do not very often come across opportunities for exercising strength, magnanimity, or magnificence; but gentleness, temperature, modesty, and humility are graces which ought to colour everything we do." - St Francis de Sales

TODAY'S READINGS

- First Reading** — When the wicked turn away from their wickedness, they shall surely live (Ezekiel 18:25-28).
- Psalm** — Your compassion, O Lord, is from of old (Psalm 25).
- Second Reading** — Consider others as better than yourselves; look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others (Philippians 2:1-11 [1-5]).
- Gospel** — Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God ahead of you (Matthew 21:28-32).

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PEACEFUL HEART

"While you are proclaiming peace with your lips, be careful to have it even more fully in your heart."
— St. Francis of Assisi

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday:** Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 18:1-5, 10
- Tuesday:** Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-7; Lk 9:51-56
- Wednesday:** Neh 2:1-8; Ps 137:1-6; Lk 9:57-62
- Thursday:** Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8-11; Lk 10:1-12
- Friday:** Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9; Lk 10:13-16
- Saturday:** Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-37; Lk 10:17-24
- Sunday:** Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:9, 12-16, 19-20; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43

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



In a crisis we call out to God. We beg for help. Our life is in turmoil. You lost a job. Your best friend is fighting cancer. You've been in a severe accident. The Psalms of suffering and lament like Psalms 13 & 88 teach us how to pray when our life is hurting. They cry out all their needs and despair. Then, surprisingly, they thank and praise God. We too can praise God in all things. Even in our deepest needs, we trust Him.

Questions? Please email growdisciples12@gmail.com

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday:** Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Respect Life Sunday
- Monday:** The Holy Guardian Angels
- Wednesday:** St. Francis of Assisi
- Thursday:** St. Faustina Kowalska; Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos
- Friday:** St. Bruno; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher; First Friday
- Saturday:** Our Lady of the Rosary; First Saturday

CATHOLIC PRAYER CORNER

Prayer to My Guardian Angel

*Angel of God My guardian dear
To Whom His love Commits me here
Ever this day Be at my side
To light and guard
To rule and guide. Amen.*

THE MYSTERY OF MERCY

For the past several weeks, the word of God has drawn us into the mystery of mercy. Today's readings deepen our reflection, reminding us how blessed we are to know God's kindness and sharing practical ways to show compassion to others. The prophet Ezekiel cautions God's chosen people, emphasizing that bad behavior naturally leads to painful consequences. The psalm responds prayerfully: "Remember your mercies, O Lord." In this prayer, we ask for the mercy of recognizing our sins and receiving the strength to act differently. In his letter to the Philippians, Saint Paul invites us into a daunting challenge of mercy: "humbly regard others as more important than yourselves." If we scoff at Paul's challenge as impossibly naïve, the Gospel gives us a chance to reconsider. Our natural instincts of self-preservation might reject merciful behavior initially, but like the son in today's Gospel of mercy, we can change our minds.

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ACA REPORT FOR OUR PARISH 2023 August Update



Donor Count.....	292
2023 Goal.....	\$116,842
Amount Pledged	\$136,702
Amount Paid.....	\$124,554
Balance Due	\$12,148

Liturgical Life

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

The Vineyard

The second son never showed up to the vineyard. Did he get lost? Did he get tired? Did he not know where to begin?

When it comes right down to it, good intentions amount to very little. We all know this, don't we? "Show me, don't tell me." "I'll believe it when I see it." It's as true in the workplace and in relationships as it is in the life of the Christian disciple.

It doesn't matter if we *intend* to work in the vineyard. It doesn't matter if we promise to, if we think about it a lot, or if we make grand plans for what we will accomplish there. None of that matters if we don't show up. Before we show up, we have to find the way.

Showing up is the whole point. The work is the point, not the intention.

But all this begs the question: what does the *work* mean for us as baptized Catholics in the modern world? Spending our Saturdays in soup kitchens and homeless shelters? Standing on a street corner shouting out the words of the Gospel?

Our baptismal call is to the vineyard. Where is our vineyard? How do we show up? *We are ready, Lord, we say. We intend to work. But where do we go?*

My vineyard is not your vineyard, and so it's not my place to tell you how to get there. I am glad you want to go, but you'll have to find your own way, just like I will. But I can tell you this: only one voice will lead you there. If you listen to it, you will find your vineyard.

"Good and upright is the LORD; thus he shows sinners the way." — Psalm 25:8

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

Question:

Can anyone offer the Anointing of the Sick to a sick or dying person, or is that only something a priest can do?

Answer:

The Letter of James speaks to us of the ancient tradition of a special anointing and blessing of those who are sick: "Is there anyone sick among you? Let him send for the presbyters of the Church and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord ... If he has committed any sins, they will be forgiven him" (5:14, 15b). This passage forms the foundation for the theology of the sacrament that we call "Anointing of the Sick." In keeping with what we read in the Letter of James and the ancient tradition of the Church, the anointing of a person who is sick or dying may only be performed by a priest or bishop.

Although deacons and other members of the Church are not able to celebrate the sacrament with a person who is sick, we can read Sacred Scripture and pray with and for those who are ill. Resources like the Book of Blessings also contain special blessings that can be celebrated by deacons or lay ministers. In the end, we want to be sure that we show a special care and concern for the sick, helping them to always experience God's loving comfort through made tangible through our acts of charity and service.

Liturgical Life

“When John came to you in the way of righteousness, you did not believe him; but tax collectors and prostitutes did. Yet even when you saw that, you did not later change your minds and believe him.”

- Mt 21:32

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Questions of the Week

Invite Parishioners to Reflect and Respond to Scripture

First Reading

The prophet Ezekiel teaches that all people (the just and the wicked) are capable of doing evil as well as repenting. What do you think motivates anyone to repent?

Second Reading

Paul encourages the believers in Philippi to have the same attitude of humility as Jesus. Is humility one of your strengths?

Gospel Reading

Jesus criticizes the religious leaders of Jerusalem for lacking self-reflection. How often do you examine your own behavior and choices?



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“YET WHAT GOOD WILL THIS DO US, IF WE ARE CHRISTIANS IN NAME ONLY AND NOT IN FACT?”

FIRST KOREAN-BORN CATHOLIC PRIEST

- ST. ANDREW KIM TAEGON



NAMI Family-to-Family

National Alliance on Mental Illness

**CLASS BEGINS OCTOBER 3RD
for families and friends of someone
living with mental illness**



Family-to-Family is the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)'s free 8-week class for family members and friends of people living with mental illnesses such as: depression, bipolar disorder, schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, anxiety disorders, panic attacks, obsessive compulsive disorder (OCD), PTSD, and borderline personality disorder.

If you have a loved one or friend who struggles with challenges such as these, this class is designed for you.

Topics include:

- The biology of brain disorders and medications
- Developing coping skills
- Effective communications
- Strategies for handling crisis and relapse

The class will be held Tuesdays at St. Francis de Sales from October 3rd – November 21st from 6–9 PM. The classes are offered free of charge, but registration is required. To learn more or register, please call Teri Latter at 847-809-6038.

You are not alone.

Blood Drive



Turn a new leaf
Fall into giving

Thursday
October

12

2:00PM - 6:00PM

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



**St Francis de Sales
Community Blood Drive**

33 S. Buesching Rd Lake Zurich
Located in Valker Hall - church basement

EVERY DONOR WILL SAVE UP TO 3 LIVES!

Please make an appointment on-line:
<https://bit.ly/Donate-Blood-10-12-23>



Or Scan QR Code ----->

Appointments preferred; Walk-ins are welcome.

Donate and receive these spooktacular Versiti Halloween socks, while supplies last.



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THURSDAY OCTOBER 5

Fr Valker Hall

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SAVE THE DATE

CASINO

LIVE

NIGHT

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FRIDAY 2 FEBRUARY

Are you interested in joining the Planning Committee?
Please email Mindy and Kevin Braun at MelindaNBraun@gmail.com or Kevin.Braun80@gmail.com

THIS IS A FUNDRAISING EVENT AND ALL CASINO GAMES ARE FOR ENTERTAINMENT ONLY. ALL PROCEEDS FROM THIS EVENT WILL BENEFIT ST. FRANCIS DE SALES SCHOOL.

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI PET BLESSING

OCTOBER 8TH, 1:30 PM
WEST PARKING LOT
BRING YOUR PET!



Save the date

OUR LADY OF FATIMA ROSARY RALLY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14 @ NOON

CORNER OF RT. 22 & BUESCHING
ROAD IN LAKE ZURICH

*"Finally my immaculate
heart will triumph"*

NORTHWEST FAMILIES March for Life

SATURDAY OCT. 21ST 2023

1:00 - 3:00 PM
ST. THERESA DOLAN CENTER GYMNASIUM
455 N. BENTON, PALATINE

Doors open at 12:30 for T-shirt sales and informational display tables

- 1pm** Gather in the gym for music, prayer, and inspirational speakers!
- 2pm** Walk to Northwest Highway lining the street with pro-life supporters!
- 3pm** Return to the gym to be renewed with refreshments and prayerful thanks!

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you a hope and a future." — Jeremiah 29:11.

Find us at @NorthWestFamiliesforLife

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Second Annual Remember Us Still

A walk benefitting the Star Legacy Foundation

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15TH, 2023, 9 AM

Almost 21,000 babies are stillborn every year in the U.S.

For us, this statistic is a reality, and we are on a mission to change those statistics.

We are a local community of bereaved parents who have all experienced the stillbirth of a baby, and we invite you to join us for our 2nd Annual Remembrance Walk on Pregnancy & Infant Loss Awareness Day to honor all babies gone too soon. All funds raised will support Star Legacy's mission to increase awareness, support research, promote education, and encourage advocacy and family support regarding stillbirth.

For more information, and to register, visit www.tinyurl.com/RememberUsStill2023

**Horner Park
2741 W. Montrose Ave
Chicago, IL 60618**

SCAN ME

Event Info & Registration

Chicago@starlegacyfoundation.org
starlegacyfoundation.org/chicago-chapter/
@SLFChicago
@SLFChicago

FIRST FRIDAY EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

OCTOBER 6TH 9AM-4PM

**Come spend time with Jesus.
Open your heart and let Him
make a difference in your life.**

Join us for First Friday Adoration anytime between 9am-4pm. All are welcome to stop by for a few minutes, an hour or for 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 scan the code to the right or call the Ministry Center to sign up!**

(847)438-6622

SCAN QR CODES
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SFds FALL HOMILY SERIES



CONVERSION

QUESTIONS TO PONDER:

- WHAT WOULD CAUSE YOU TO HAVE A CHANGE OF HEART?
- WHAT CAUSES A PERSON TO UNDERGO A CHANGE OF HEART? WHAT CAUSES A PERSON TO UNDERGO A CONVERSION?
- DO YOU DESIRE A CONVERSION OF HEART?

Join a **SMALL GROUP**



NO COST!
 7pm on Wednesdays
 @ The Ministry Center
 Zoom Options Available!



ALL ARE WELCOME TO
 CELEBRATE 25 YEARS OF THE
 ST FRANCIS DE SALES JUBILEE
 GARDEN OPEN HOUSE!

25TH ANNIVERSARY

Saturday

OCTOBER

Come to the garden, bring the family, learn a little about the SFds Jubilee Garden and gardening and get your pumpkin & fall decorations started!

We'll have:

- ◆ Donuts & cider
- ◆ 50/50 raffle (no need to be present to win)
- ◆ Available for a small donation
- ◆ Organically Grown Vegetables
- ◆ Corn Stalks for fall decorating
- ◆ Pumpkins

7

9-11 AM

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ST FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH
Jubilee Garden

25TH ANNIVERSARY

Farming season has begun!

8 to 10am on Saturday mornings
 through November

except Memorial Day Weekend

Your help is needed, even if only for an hour!
 No gardening experience necessary! Great for those who need service hours.

For more information, please call
 Sharon Fredrickson at (847) 643-6633

SCHOOL NEWS



UPCOMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6TH
ALL SCHOOL MASS AT 8:30 AM
PRESENTED BY THE 4TH A GRADE
FOLLOWED BY FIRST FRIDAY
ADORATION

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9TH
NO SCHOOL - COLUMBUS DAY



HOW CAN YOU HELP

- Save Box Tops for Education (download the Box Tops for Education app and scan receipts to earn even more for SFS), and used printer cartridges
- Donate to Building Momentum through the online giving portal (giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stfrancislz)

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COMMUNITY HELPERS

The Preschool 4's class learned all about community helpers this week and had some special visitors....The Lake Zurich Fire Department firefighters, Mr. Freund, a commercial airline pilot, Mrs. Kelller, our school principal, and Officer Frey from the Lake Zurich Police Department each came to share with us about what they do and how they help our community. We had A LOT of questions and enjoyed spending time getting to know our very own community helpers.





OCTOBER 8

MADE FOR GREATNESS

Ministry Center
12-1:30pm

All High Schoolers
Are Welcome!



OCTOBER 1

SOCIAL MEDIA AND FAITH?

MINISTRY CENTER
12-1:30pm

ALL HIGH SCHOOLERS ARE WELCOME!



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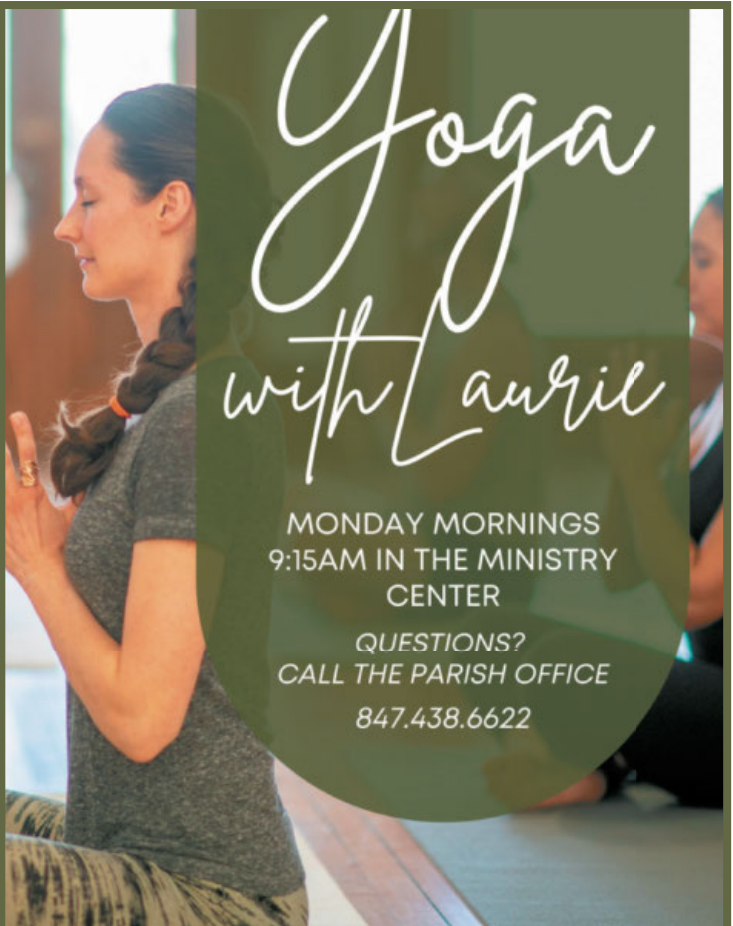
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*Yoga
with Laurie*

MONDAY MORNINGS
9:15AM IN THE MINISTRY
CENTER

QUESTIONS?
CALL THE PARISH OFFICE
847.438.6622

Mass Intentions

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

Monday, October 2: The Holy Guardian Angels

8:30 - Intention for Police Officers & Firefighters
8:30 - Intention for the Souls in Purgatory
8:30 - Intention for the United States
of America
8:30 - Intention for Jim & Holly Moorman,
30th Wedding Anniversary
Noon - Intention for the People of the Parish

Tuesday, October 3

8:30 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
8:30 - Dorothy Thompson, req by Michael
8:30 - George W Yingst, req by Jan &
George Yingst
8:30 - Michael L Dobbs req by Kelly Corrigan

Wednesday, October 4: St. Francis of Assisi

8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School
Children of our Community
Noon - Thea Schuett, req by Martin Schuett
Noon - Mr & Mrs Walter Juengling, req by
Martin Schuett
Noon - Judy Reilly, req by Urban family
Noon - Kevin Rediger
Noon - Intention for the People of the Parish

Thursday, October 5: St. Faustina Kowalska; Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos

8:30 - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
8:30 - Intention for Jennifer Hicks
8:30 - Intention for First Responders
8:30 - Lucy Jozwiak, req by husband & family

Friday, October 6: St. Bruno; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher; First Friday

8:30 - Intention for Barbara Schlosser
8:30 - Intention for Bishop Jeffrey Grob
Noon - Intention for the People of the Parish

Saturday, October 7: Our Lady of the Rosary; First Saturday

8:30 - Intention for US Veterans

8:30 - Intention for those Missing in Action
and Prisoners of War & US Citizens
imprisoned in Russia

8:30 - Intention for the Knights of Columbus -
Queen of Peace Council

8:30 - Kari Summerfield, req by Jack, Paul
& Teri Latter

8:30 - Arturo Florez, req by Teri, Paul, & Jack Latter

5:00 - Janet Whetter, req by Mary Reisinger

5:00 - Intention for the People of the Parish

Sunday, October 8: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

6:30 - Bud Bevins, req by Jo Bevins

6:30 - Diana Olczyk

6:30 - Robert Morcocchio

9:00 - Chuck Meinhardt, req by Dan
& Claudia Koelper

9:00 - Bill Donnan, req by Toni Strack & family

9:00 - Sally Coughlin, req by her family

9:00 - Grace Lazzara, req by Carl & Regina Braun

9:00 - Judy Reilly, req by Dahlinger family

9:00 - Monica McNeil, req by Brumley family

9:00 - Rena Ratican, req by Mike & Judy Reilly

9:00 - PK Joseph, req by Jennifer James

11:00 - Kevin Rediger

11:00 - Dorothy Thompson, req by Michael

11:00 - Sergio Biancalana, req by family

11:00 - Rose & Adolph Barsocchi, req by family

11:00 - Rosa & Guido Biancalana, req by family

11:00 - Rev Angelo Biancalana, MCCJ,
req by family

11:00 - Angel Galasso

11:00 - Patrick & Marilyn McGuan

11:00 - James Arena

12:30 - John Laher

12:30 - Bob Mele

12:30 - Betty Herman

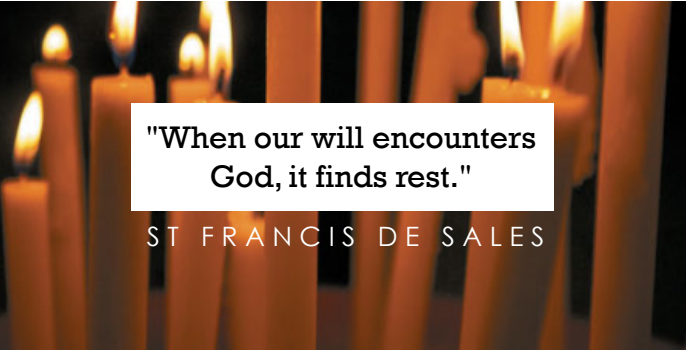
12:30 - Thomas Boduch



† 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.

- Joseph Lazzara** (brother to Regina Braun)
- David Reader** (brother to Martha Weber)
- Helen Alfaro** (sister in law to Patricia Linares)
- Don Stark** (brother in law to Donna Starck)
- Jerome West** (friend of Jennifer James)
- Kit Ogletree**
- Nancy Libby** (friend of Nancy Jarvis)
- Albert Angelini** (father to Julie)
- Cathy Chiarelli** (wife to John)
- Anthony DiVito** (brother to Jo Bevins)
- Casey Hockett**

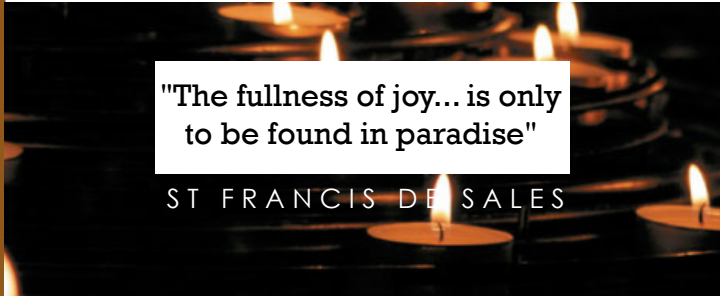


"When our will encounters God, it finds rest."

ST FRANCIS DE SALES

† In Sympathy †

- Bob Mele** (friend of FrDFR)
- John Lahr** (husband to Mary)
- Rena Ratican** (mother to Mary Knight)
- Natalie Nicoletti**
- Brendan Kivlehan**
- Julien Dayap**
- Judy Reilly** (wife to Mike)
- Marilyn McGuan** (parishioner)
- Betty Herman** (Fred Napoli, Max Herman)



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

ST FRANCIS DE SALES

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED & THEIR FAMILIES

Gia Rose
daughter of William & Giovanna Cournoyer

WEDDING BANNES

Marissa Tieman & Mark Murillo [3]

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

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Financial Report from Business Office

2022-2023 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

2023 - 2024		Christmas 2022\$89,268
July	\$103,237	Christmas 2021\$146,555
August.....	\$107,613	Christmas 2020.....\$73,364
		Christmas 2019.....\$193,116
		EASTER 2023\$77,555
Easter 2022	\$96,253	
Easter 2021	\$65,425	
Mother of the Americas (formally Our Lady of Tepeyac) Sharing Parish (as of Feb 2022)\$12,521		
Seminar Education (Sept 22)\$2,516		
World Mission (Oct 22)\$4,419		
Solemnity of Mary (Jan 23)\$1,215		
Catholic Charities Lake County Veterans (2023)\$5,037		

ARCHDIOCESE REQUIRED SECOND COLLECTIONS

Asylum Seekers (2022)	\$3,621
Haiti Relief Fund (2021)	\$2,547
Hurricane Harvey Help	\$21,946
Project Kashalala Lake Victoria	\$18,630
Hurricanes Irma and Maria Help	\$4,081
2019 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$135,597
2020 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$121,600
2021 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$65,491
2022 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$100,838
St Vincent de Paul (2021-2022)	\$19,250
St Vincent de Paul (2020-2021)	\$36,917
St Vincent de Paul (2019)	\$6,000
Eagle Scout Projects (2019)	\$4,482
Little Sisters of the Poor (2018)	\$15,394
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2018)	\$10,173
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2016)	\$7,512
Holy Family Food Pantry (2016)	\$7,971
Little Sisters of the Poor (2020-2021)	\$4,458
Little Sisters of the Poor (2016)	\$22,700
Lake Zurich High School Choir (2015)	\$2,827
Eagle Scout Projects (2015)	\$2,769
Molly's Adopt A Sailor (2014-15)	\$3,259
Lenten Collection for Ghana (2014)	\$15,189
Community Flood Relief (2013)	\$26,554
Southern IL Tornado Relief (2012)	\$31,302
LZHS Choir Trip to Vatican (2012-13)	\$23,480
Eagle Scout Projects (2012-13)	\$8,177
5 Seminarists to India (2008)	\$8,000

2022 - 2023 SPECIAL APPEALS

Catholic Campaign of Human Development (Nov)	\$2,585
Retirement Fund for Religious (Dec)	\$3,425
Church in Latin America (Jan)	\$1,676
Church in Eastern Europe (Mar)	\$1,245

Parish Debt to the Archdiocese: \$0

Parish Community Statistics: July 2023 to August 2023

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

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS

Preschool / Kindergarten	16
Grade School	216
Middle School.....	67
Home Study	6
SPRED	?
Children's Catechumenate	8

YOUTH MINISTRY

Confirmation 1st Year Program	80
2nd Year Program	104
Peer Ministers	20
Adult Leaders	12

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers.....	163
Teen Eucharistic Ministers	11
Ministers of Care	130
Ushers.....	32
Cross Bearers.....	0
Sacristans	12
Altar Servers	16
Adult Lectors	39
Teen / Child Lectors	14 / 5
Greeters	12
Prayer Shawl Ministers	32

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms	30
Marriages	3
Marriage Anniversary Blessings.....	3
Funerals	12
First Communion.....	0
Confirmation.....	0
SPRED 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.

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SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

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Convalidation (Blessing) of Civil Marriage , Fr David Ryan.....	(847)726-4723
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Music , Patricia Stewart	(847)726-4720
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)	
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Rosary Ministry , Dolores Mark	(847)438-5509
Rosary Ministry, Advantara	OPEN
Rosary Ministry, Silverado	OPEN
Sacristans , Irene Goldthwaite	(847)438-4260
St. Peregrine Prayer Service , Fr David Ryan.....	(847)726-4723
SPRED Ministry	
Kelly Smith	(847)287-8640, kellylyn60@yahoo.com
Jackie Bathery	(847)438-9136, jnj1229@aol.com
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Cancer Support & Sharing & Bereavement , Mary Manson....	(847)438-6622
Grief Support Group—Forever in Our Hearts (for those who have experienced the loss of a child) Fr David Ryan.....	(847)726-4723
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Meal Sign-up : Intake at Catholic Charities.....	(847)546-5733
National Alliance on Mental Illness Chapter , Teri Latter.....	(847)809-6038
Safety & Security Ministry , Joseph Pasquesi.....	(847)726-9550
Emmaus House Ministry , Brian Pozzi.....	(516)658-2089
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Back to School Backpack Drive , Shery Otto	(847)438-2782
Culver's Thanksgiving , Patricia Linares	(847)323-7485
Respect Life Ministry , Fr David Ryan	(847)726-4723
Project Rachel & Private Prayer (for those hurting from abortion)	OPEN
LOSS Project , Tish Guinter	(847)293-4332

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Mom's Group	OPEN

CONFIRMATION

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Youth Ministry Music , Josh Goodman	(757)814-1191
Confirmation (Young Adult Program)	OPEN

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Cub Scouts , Joe Koral.....	committeechair309lz@gmail.com (847)912-5868
Girl Scouts , Mary Keller	(847)438-7921

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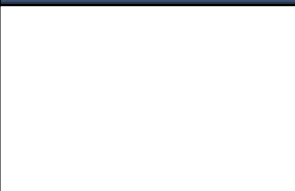
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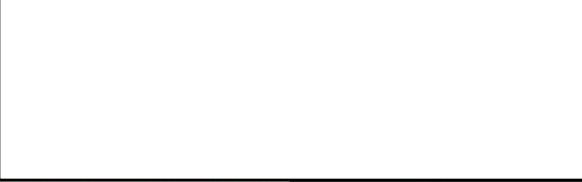
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For education and resources about Biblical Studies, please visit www.wordmadeclear.org, which features Fr. James McIlhone, Director of Biblical Formation for the Archdiocese of Chicago.

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism is celebrated after parental participation in a preparation meeting. Please call the Parish Office for a date to attend. Do not finalize your plans until this formation meeting.

Sacrament of Confirmation: Preparation for Confirmation takes place during the high school years with the celebration of the Sacrament taking place no sooner than the end of sophomore year in high school. For more info and registration please contact the Youth Ministry Office at (847)726-4842.

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

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: This Sacrament offers the Lord's healing strength and peace to anyone who is seriously or chronically ill, hospitalized, or about to undergo surgery. Please contact the Ministry Center (847)438-6622, if you wish to have someone anointed, or the Last Rites near death.

Sacrament of Marriage: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance and no other plans should be finalized until the Parish Priest or Deacon has been consulted.

Sacraments for Adults: Adults interested in the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation) should contact the Ministry Center at (847)438-6622.

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS

Saturday 4-4:45pm Reconciliation, 5pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 6:30am, 9am (also streamed),
 11am (also broadcasted to West Parking Lot)
 & 12:30pm Mass

WEEKDAYS

Monday - Friday
& Saturday | 8:30am Mass

Monday, Wednesday (also streamed)
& Friday | Noon Mass

VIGIL & HOLY DAYS

7pm Vigil Mass
 6:30am, 8:30am, Noon & 4pm
 Holy Day Mass

