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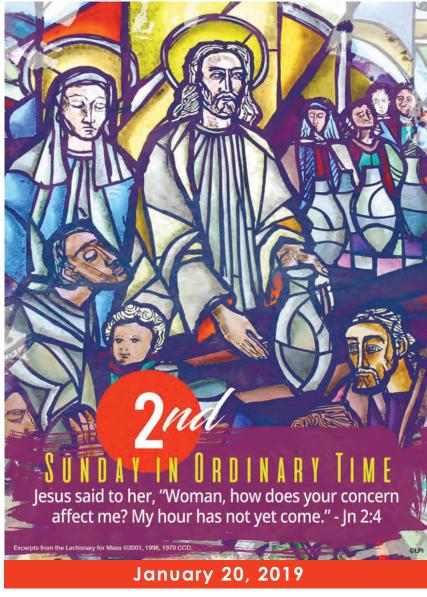
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WELCOME TO ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH!

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

Sunday, January 20: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Mass: 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm Church
- Emmaus House Community Dinner: 6-9pm Valker Hall

Monday, January 21: St. Agnes; Martin Luther King Jr. Day

- Mass: 8:30am Church
- Yoga: 9:30am Ministry Center
- Art & Environment: Watering 9:30am Church
- Youth Minstry Kairos Retreat: Returns around 5pm Ministry Center
- All KofC Meeting: 7:30pm Valker Hall

Tuesday, January 22: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children; World Youth Day

- Mass: 7am Church
- EQUIP: 6:45-8:30pm Ministry Center
- RCIA: 7-9:30pm Church Gathering Space

- Religious Ed Family Mass (Grades 3/4/5): 6:30pm Church
- Boy Scouts Pack Meeting: 7:30-9pm Valker Hall

Wednesday, January 23: St. Vincent; St. Marianne Cope

- Mass: 8:30am & Noon Church
- **Mass**: 1:30pm Azpira
- SPRED Catechist Meeting: 6:30-8:30pm Ministry Center
- BUILD: 6:45-8:30pm Ministry Center
- Adore: 7-8pm Church
- Choir Rehearsal: 7-8:30pm Ministry Center

Thursday, January 24: St. Francis de Sales

- Mass: 7am Church
- Mom's Group Meeting: 9-11:30am Church
- BUILD: 9:15-11am Ministry Center
- Art & Environment: Watering 5pm Church

- Mass: 6pm Zurich Meadows
- St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry: 6-7:15pm Ministry Center
- Handbells: 6:45-8:30pm Church

Friday, January 25: The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle; Week of Prayer for Christian Unity ends

• Mass: 8:30am — Church

Saturday, January 26: Ss. Timothy and Titus

- **Mass**: 8:30am Church
- St. Peregrine Prayer Service: after 8:30am Mass —Church
- Confessions: 11am Church

- RE Catechist Meeting: 10am Ministry Center
- Travinia Night: 6:30-11pm Valker Hall

Sunday, January 27

- Mass: 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm Church
- 2nd Year Confirmation Class: 3:00-4:30pm Ministry Center
- Emmaus House Community Dinner: 6-9pm Valker Hall

January 20, 2019: the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Bearing the image of God in ourselves, all of us are consequently the image of each other.

Together we constitute the image of one portrait, that of God." - St Francis de Sales

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- As a bridegroom rejoices in his bride, so God rejoices in the chosen ones (Isaiah 62:1-5).

Psalm -- Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations (Psalm 96).

Second Reading -- All the varied gifts in the Christian community are from one Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:4-11).

Gospel -- Rejoicing at a wedding celebration in Cana, Jesus replenishes the wine supply (John 2:1-11).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 2:18-22 **Tuesday:** Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9, 10c;

Mk 2:23-28, or any of a number of readings for the Day of

Prayer

Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 3:1-6 **Thursday:** Heb 7:25 -- 8:6; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Mk 3:7-12

Friday: Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18

Saturday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9 or

Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 3:20-21

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8-10, 15;

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

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A VISIBLE GOD

We find it difficult to convey ideas to people unless we can actually show them something, demonstrate what we mean. God, who is invisible and truly beyond human understanding, apparently faces the same difficulty. People want to see, not just listen to an idea. So God gave us Jesus Christ, God made visible in the world.

During these past weeks we have seen how Jesus was revealed as an infant to the shepherds and the magi, and then began his adult public life at his baptism by John. Today's Gospel reading tells us of his first sign, providing wine for the wedding guests at Cana.

Of course, even Jesus, God made visible, was not always easily understood in his own day, nor is he even now. So we have to ponder what we see: the poverty and simplicity of his birth, his humility and openness before John the Baptist, his kindness and compassion toward people in their ordinary problems, such as running short of wine at a wedding. Yet it is in coming to know Jesus that we come to know God.

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This column is written 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.



SALVATION

God is crazy in LOVE with us.

Jesus wants a PERSONAL relationship with us. Really?

Is this Catholic teaching? Yes!
Because what could be a more
intimate personal relationship than
the EUCHARIST where we receive
the Body & Blood of Jesus? Let Jesus
transform you from the INSIDE-your
world view, your understanding of
who you are- and let Him teach you
to LOVE as He LOVES. "You can't fix
yourself: only God can do that, but
he's waiting for you to let him."

~from Jesus the Story You Thought You Knew by Deacon Keith Strohm

Questions? Please e-mail growdisciples12@gmail.com

St. Francis de Sales Mom's Group

"Self-Care for Mom:

Taking Care of Yourself So You Can Take Care of Your Family"



When: Thursday, January 24th from 9:30-11am **Where:** Gathering Space of St. Francis de Sales Church

Join us and our guest speaker, Jolene LeRoy, as we discuss ways to refresh and renew our physical, spiritual, and emotional health in the new year ahead. Jolene is a Registered Nurse and the Director of Pastoral Care at Our Lady of Mercy Parish in the Diocese of Joliet.

Contact Stephanie Tanner at steph.tanner26@gmail.com with any questions. Kids are welcome, babysitting will be available. Light refreshments and coffee will be provided.

Upcoming Events: February 14th: "Love Never Fails" Mom's Group Meeting (9:30a)

THEOLOGY 101

WHO IS A BISHOP?

By Father Louis J. Cameli, S.T.D.

The recent ordination of three new auxiliary bishops for the Archdiocese of Chicago, Bishop Mark Bartosic, Bishop Bob Casey and Bishop Ron Hicks, reminds all of us of the importance of bishops in the Catholic Church. At the same time, many people, including many Catholics, would be hard pressed to say exactly who a bishop is and what a bishop does.

We can easily slip into applying models from our secular experience to Church matters. So, we might think of a bishop as an executive or CEO – maybe even a branch manager responsible to the Pope. That sort of thinking would not be accurate. It is best to begin with a larger sense of the Church.

Our Catholic Church is a single reality that has both a spiritual and a structural dimension. It has an internal life directed by the Holy Spirit and an institutional structure to support its religious mission. Within that reality of Church, there are bishops who, as the original Greek word episcopos indicates, serve as overseers. They exercise a threefold ministry of Word, Sacrament and pastoral governance. They proclaim God's Word by preaching, teaching and faithfully holding fast to the faith that comes to us from the Apostles. They celebrate the Sacraments and, along with their priest co-workers, bring the sanctifying presence of the Lord to his people. They exercise pastoral governance that involves both the administration of the Church's structured life and holding up the perennial mission entrusted to it by the Lord before the entire Church.

When bishops authentically exercise their threefold ministry of Word, Sacrament and pastoral governance, they serve the unity of the Church. That means that they foster the unity of their local church or portion of God's flock entrusted to them. It also means that they foster the unity and communion with other local churches and the universal Church, guided by the Petrine ministry of the Pope.

As you can easily see, a diocesan bishop, that is, a bishop responsible for a given local church or diocese, has great and multiple responsibilities. And those responsibilities grow in relationship to the size of the diocese. The Archdiocese of Chicago, for example, represents a very large diocese, one of the largest in the world. To serve the Church well, the Archbishop of Chicago needs help. For that reason, the Holy Father gives him auxiliary or helper bishops who can assist him. The Archbishop, together with his auxiliary bishops, priests and deacons, can offer



the people of God in Cook and Lake counties the ministry of Word, Sacrament and pastoral governance. They can foster the unity of this local church and insure that it is linked in a communion of faith, hope and love with other local churches and with the Church Universal.

It is essential to remember that the ordained ministry of bishops, priests and deacons does not exhaust all the ministry and leadership of the Church. In fact, ordained ministry – as the Second Vatican Council tells us very clearly – is ordered in a mutual relationship to all the baptized. In other words, those who are ordained are to enable and to encourage all the baptized to assume their responsibilities in the Church and in the world to bring the living Christ to all people and to make ready a path for the coming of the Kingdom of God.

When the entire Church harmoniously fosters the gifts of all who belong to the community of faith – the ordained and all the baptized – then that Church becomes a mirror of the most holy Trinity: a mystery of diversity and unity, an effective sign of what God wants for all humanity.

We began by considering bishops, but clearly we can never consider the bishops in isolation. They are – along with us – a part of God's grand plan to bring new life in Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit to our world that is so much in need of healing redemption.

Father Louis J. Cameli, S.T.D. received his doctorate in theology in 1975 from the Gregorian University in Rome. He is the author of numerous books and articles. Father Cameli is the Cardinal's Delegate for Christian Formation and Mission in the Archdiocese of Chicago.



COME, FOLLOW ME

Annual Catholic Appeal

November 30, 2017

Dear Father Ryan,

Our Annual Catholic Appeal is framed in the words of Jesus: Come, follow me. It is an invitation to be Christ for others and to live in a community of discipleship. As Christ's community we help to sustain Catholic schools and parishes in need, support programs of religious education, ministerial formation, and promote the protection of life and peace and justice. Through the Annual Appeal, we together support the efforts of Catholic Relief Services that cares for people across the globe who struggle and suffer because of natural disasters.

Since St. Francis de Sales elected to participate in the ACA Incentive Plan in 2017, your 2018 goal is reduced to 75% of your regular goal. Therefore, your 2018 goal is 4.5% of the previous year's offertory income. Your offertory income for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 was \$2,036,797. Therefore, your target is \$91,656. When parishioner contributions exceed the parish goal, St. Francis de Sales will receive a rebate of 100% of the funds donated over the goal. Just as you have my gratitude, you also have my prayers. Let us pray for one another. Together, as his disciples, we can do so much to bring Jesus to a world that is deeply in need. With God's grace and help, we will fulfill our mission.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich, Archbishop of Chicago

Tenth Report: 2018 Annual Catholic Appeal as of December 19, 2018

 Amount Pledged:
 \$325,000

 Amount Assessed:
 \$91,655

 Amount Paid:
 \$314,490

 First Rebate:
 \$213,042

 Balance Due
 \$10,510

 Donor Count:
 703

FINAL Report: 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 23, 2017

Amount Pledged: \$385,913 Amount Assessed: \$122,707 Amount Paid: \$381,803 **Rebate Returned: \$259,096**

Balance Due \$4,110 Donor Count: 945

Final Report: 2014 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 17, 2015

Amount Pledged: \$333,292 Amount Assessed: \$124,384 Amount Paid: \$321,168 **Rebate Returned: \$197,218** Balance Due \$11,070

Donor Count: 916

FINAL Report: 2017 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 22, 2018

Amount Pledged: \$362,520
Amount Assessed: \$60,075
Amount Paid: \$358,877
Rebate Returned: \$298,802
Balance Due \$3,643
Donor Count: 796

Final Report: 2015 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 19, 2016

 Amount Pledged:
 \$357,405

 Amount Assessed:
 \$123,740

 Amount Paid:
 \$350,885

 Rebate Returned:
 \$227,145

 Balance Due
 \$6,520

 Donor Count:
 932

Final Report: 2013 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 17, 2014

Amount Pledged: \$307,083
Amount Assessed: \$118,568
Amount Paid: \$291,167
Rebate Returned: \$170,679
Balance Due \$15,915
Donor Count: 930

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



A Minute with the Office for the Protection of Children and Youth



December 18

Wise Men Still Search for Him



The staff of OPCY sends wishes for a blessed Advent and a Merry Christmas. May the birth or our savior remind us of the joys of childhood and give us the courage to continue to protect all children.

School Audits

After a discussion with the Office of Catholic Schools, OPCY moved up the deadline for schools. The School Annual Survey was due November 30, 2018. At that time all school employees and volunteers were to be in complete compliance. Please contact OPCY at 312-534-5254 and ask for Carol, Maricela or Daphne if you have any questions. While we are not granting

extensions, OPCY is always available to help with compliance.

Sexual Harassment Prevention Training.

To provide a safe environment for all clergy and employees, the Archdiocese of Chicago is implementing a sexual harassment prevention training program. All clergy and employees will be expected to complete this training annually through the VIRTUS system – the same system used to provide training for Protecting God's Children and to verify compliance for volunteers.

While not a part of safe environment requirements, OPCY is helping HR with this training because of our experience with the Virtus site. Send questions to Virtus@archchicago.org

The training will be assigned by Vicariate to all clergy and parish employees (schools have already done this) on the following schedule:

December 3 - Vicariate I

December 10 - Vicariate II

December 17 - Vicariate III

January 7 - Vicariate IV

January 14 - Vicariate V

January 21 - Vicariate VI

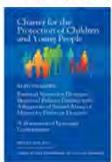
These dates are subject to change based on any number of issues.



Promise to Protect Pledge to Heal

In 1992 Cardinal Bernardin began the archdiocese's response to child sexual abuse. In 2002 the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Youth* codified for the entire country what Chicago had been doing for the US. Here are some ways Chicago continues to implement its requirements.

Article 1 of the Charter requires effective outreach



to those making allegations of sexual abuse by clergy. In 1992 Chicago had the first office of Assistance Ministry. Twenty-six years later over 400 survivors and family members have been served through the Office of Assistance Ministry.

Article 4 requires all allegations to be sent to public authorities.

The Archdiocese has been doing that since 1992.

Article 12 requires all clergy, employees and volunteers who work with children be trained on how to create safe environment. Since 2003, over 205,200 adults have attended a Protecting God's Children training, learning the 5 steps of prevention.

Article 13 requires clergy, employees and volunteers who work with children to undergo background checks. Since 2003 over 177,000 checks on employees and volunteers have been run.

Article 17 calls for ongoing formation for priests and deacons. Our seminarian human formation program spans 6 years at Mundelein Seminary. The whole cycle of human development is covered: personality structures, setting boundaries, developing healthy friendships, masculine etiquette, sexuality, dealing with conflict, and history of celibacy. The seminarians are also evaluated on how they present themselves, such as: appearance, speech, behavior, and how the keep commitments. Additionally, there are 3 adjunct psychologists that work closely with our seminary. They are a resource for individual counseling and offer various seminars on human development.

Cardinal Cupich is committed to protecting children in the archdiocese. He has a critical part in the upcoming meeting in Rome of the Episcopal Presidents Pope Francis. Please keep him and all those in attendance in your prayers.

Parent guide links:

In order for child sexual abuse to occur the offender has to groom the community into thinking s/he is a good person. That will give them access to children. Then s/he must groom a family, so they too will give him/her access to a child. Then the offender must overcome any resistance from a child. This is done in a steady, planned process. It is not accidental. This is not about an accidental touch.

By attending a Protecting God's Children training our communities and families are trained to identify a grooming process, to recognize the grooming behavior of someone looking for a child to abuse.

Our policies do not stop with adults. Since the last hurdle an offender must overcome is to lower the resistance of the child, children too, must be taught how to speak out to protect themselves. They must be taught to recognize unsafe behaviors, to know its ok to tell an adult "No!", and to know to whom to report unsafe behaviors. That is what our students' training programs are designed to do.

OPCY has learned of a booklet put together by the Chicago Children's Advocacy center titled *Keeping My Family Safe*. Anyone interested can see the booklet by following this <u>link</u>. This is an excellent resource in addition to the parent guides from the programs used by parishes and schools.

It does not replace the training offered to all our students; however, these guides can give parents an opportunity to discuss this subject with their children and just as helpful, how to discuss this sensitive issue without destroying the innocence of children.



Cardinal Cupich and Bishop Ron Hicks Interview

Jan Slattery, a member of the National Review Board of the USCCB and former Director of the Office for the Protection of Children and Youth in the Archdiocese of Chicago, hosted an interview with Cardinal Cupich and Bishop Hicks to discuss the handling of the sex abuse crisis in the Church. The conversation can be viewed on our Catholic Chicago YouTube channel at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EFY8HLJrPH4

Humanae Vitae: Questions & Answers

Celebrating the 42nd Anniversary of Pope Paul VI's Encyclical of 1968

Paragraph numbers from the encyclical are marked HV with the corresponding number

What is an encyclical? An encyclical is a pastoral letter written by the Pope and sent to the whole Church and even to the whole world, to express teaching on some important matter. Encyclicals are expressions of the ordinary Papal magisterium. An encyclical is the highest form of Papal authority (for further information see Catechism of the Catholic Church paragraph 892).

What then is the important matter found in the encyclical Humanae Vitae? The important matter of the encyclical concerns the importance and meaning of marriage, conjugal love, the meaning of sex, and the procreation of children. According to the teaching of Humanae Vitae, marriage has a three-fold inseparable purpose: love, unity, and openness to life. Humanae Vitae are the first two Latin words of the encyclical, roughly translated into English as "human life." It is about the duty of creating and fostering human life and all that it entails: the spiritual, physical, and emotional life that is shared between spouses

Why is this encyclical important? In viewing modern threats toward marital happiness and family well being, the Pope exercised his ministry to teach in order to clarify the mission of marriage and the service married couples give to God, each other and society. (HV 2)

- The Magisterium (the Bishops as successors of the Apostles) has the vocation to interpret the natural moral law as contained in the Scriptures (Bible) and the Tradition (teachings handed on through the centuries).
- Humanae Vitae was written because there was a need to affirm the truth of God's plan for marriage and sexuality. The Church, not avoiding the confrontations of society, sought to clarify the Catholic belief regarding sex and marriage. (HV 2, 4)

Is there anything new in the encyclical? Humanae Vitae offers a greater clarity in its teaching that marriage is a "communion of persons." It teaches respect for love and life, and allows for responsibly spacing the conception of children.

What is responsible parenthood? Humanae Vitae introduces the term responsible parenthood referring to the gift and calling that the married man and woman have in being cooperators with Him. They can become co-creators with Him thus sharing in His crewive love and power. (HV 7)

Why is this so important? Conjugal love as designed by our Heavenly Father is free, total, faithful, and fruitful. God, our loving Father, from whom all parenthood comes, orders marriage towards the salvation of the man and woman and of their children in and through Christ. It follows then that the life of the couple is ordered toward God, to themselves, to the family, and to society. (HV 8, 9, 10)

What are the important points of Humanae Vitae? Marital relations, when as man and wife the two chastely unite and by which human life is transmitted, is "good and worthy of human dignity." The most important point of the encyclical is: each and every marital act must remain open to life. This means that a couple may never separate the two aspects of sexual intercourse. Conjugal love is both:

- 1) Procreative and
- 2) Unitive,

and vice versa – unitive and procreative. The two inherently form the marital act. (HV 11, 12)

What is forbidden by *Humanae Vitae*? According to God's moral law, it is <u>not permitted</u> to

- 1) Directly interrupt the life already begun and, above all, it is forbidden to willfully procure an <u>abortion</u>.
- 2) Sterilize, either temporarily or permanently the man or the woman. (vasectomy and tubal ligation are forbidden).
- 3) Use artificial means to render the sexual act sterile (artificial forms of birth control: pills, Depo-Provera, condoms, IUD, etc.). (HV 14)

What is permitted in *Humanae Vitae*? If there are serious reasons for spacing the births of children, whether because of health or external circumstances, it is permissible to take into account the natural cycles of the man and woman to have relations during

periods of infertility [an example would be Natural Family Planning]. (HV 16)

What predictions, if any did Pope Paul VI make in the encyclical? Pope Paul VI stated in this encyclical that artificial birth control would lead to:

- 1) An easy path to marital infidelity,
- 2) Moral degeneration,
- 3) A loss of man's respect for woman whereby he would no longer care for physical and psychological well being,
- Governments imposing coercive methods of control that inhibit freedom in one the most sacred of acrs and
- 5. Mankind thinking that he has unlimited power over his body. (HV 17)

Have these come true? One need only look around to see that since the Pope said this in 1968, infidelity and divorce have skyrocketed, and morality has been lowered in almost every facet of society. Generally, there has been a decline in respect for women by men. It seems that "no longer do men care for her physical and psychological equilibrium." Men have even come to "the point of considering her as a mere instrument of selfish enjoyment and no longer as his respected and beloved companion." (HV 17) Pornography and prostitution are more common, as are domestic violence, child abuse, sexually transmitted diseases, and abortion. Governments, instead of protecting life, have legalized abortion, forced sterilization, and promoted contraception throughout the world. Finally, mankind has left the moral order and has begun to destroy human life at its most vulnerable and innocent stages in practices such as embryonic stem cell research and in vitro fertilization, which also separates the marital act from conception.

What other predictions did Pope Paul VI make? The Pope taught that the discipline that the man and

woman need for periodic abstinence from sex (periods of conjugal chastity) is possible with the help of prayer and sacramental grace. In fact, rather than harming conjugal love, periods of conjugal chastity confer on sex a high human value. The Pope states: "Such discipline bestows upon family life fruits of serenity and peace, and facilitates the solution of other problems" such as selfishness, and this discipline increases self-giving love, attention for one's partner and care for their children. (HV 20)

Did the Pope have a message for others besides married couples in this encyclical? Yes, Pope Paul VI challenged governments to protect the moral order. Politics and public education should respect the liberty of the citizens of the nation, the individual personhood of every human being, and the moral order. (HV 23) The Pope also invited scientists to establish a satisfactory basis for the moral regulation of offspring. (HV 24) Additionally, the Pope exhorted doctors, and those of the medical profession, to safeguard what is compatible with the Christian vocation. (HV 27) Bishops and priests are encouraged in this encyclical to faithfully preach and teach with charity and zeal this message of life and love as it is one of the greatest responsibilities in the modern age. (HV 29, 30)

What does all this mean for married couples? The teaching of our faith, as given to us by God and taught by the Church, invites married couples to be open to God, to one another and to children. These dispositions are essential to the nature of marriage. This means that being a disciple of Jesus Christ, a loving spouse, and responsible parent asks for fidelity to God, commitment to family, and self-mastery. The Lord has entrusted to married couples the mission of making present the holiness of God and the sweetness of the law that unites their mutual love and generous service closely to the love of God. (HV 21, 25)

In summary, the teaching of the Church as found in the encyclical *Humanae Vitae* is just as important now as it was 40 years ago. Pope John Paul II referred to the Church's teaching on contraception as part of the "permanent patrimony" of the Catholic faith meaning that this is a timeless and beautiful teaching.



WORD ON FIRE By Bishop Robert Barron

The McCarrick mess

When I was going through school, the devil was presented to us as a myth, a literary device, a symbolic manner of signaling the presence of evil in the world. I will admit to internalizing this view and largely losing my sense of the devil as a real spiritual person. What shook my agnosticism in regard to the evil one was the clerical sex abuse scandal of the nineties and the early aughts. I say this because that awful crisis just seemed too thought-through, too well-coordinated, to be simply the result of chance or wicked human choice. The devil is characterized as "the enemy of the human race" and particularly the enemy of the church. I challenge anyone to come up with a more devastatingly effective strategy for attacking the mystical body of Christ than the abuse of children and young people by priests. This sin had countless direct victims of course, but it also crippled the church financially, undercut vocations, caused people to lose confidence in Christianity, dramatically compromised attempts at evangelization, etc., etc. It was a diabolical masterpiece.

Sometime in the early aughts, I was attending a conference and found myself wandering more or less alone in the area where groups and organizations had their booths.

I came over to one of the tables and the woman there said, "You're Father Barron, aren't you?" I replied affirmatively, and she continued, "You're doing good work for the church, but this means that the devil wants to stop you. And you know, he's a lot smarter than you are and a lot more powerful." I think I just mumbled something to her at that moment, but she was right, and I knew it. All of this has come back to me in the wake of the Archbishop McCarrick catastrophe. St. Paul warned us that we battle, not against flesh and blood, but against "powers and principalities." Consequently, the principal work of the church at this devastating moment ought to be prayer, the conscious and insistent invoking of Christ and the saints.

Now I can hear people saying, "So Bishop Barron is blaming it all on the devil." Not at all. The devil works through temptation, suggestion, and insinuation — and he accomplishes nothing without our cooperation. If you want to see the principle illustrated, google Luca Signorelli's image of the Antichrist in the Orvieto Cathedral. You'll see what I mean. Archbishop McCarrick did wicked things and so did those, it appears, who enabled him. And we have to come to terms with these sins.

Before I broach the subject of

how to do this, permit me to say a few words about unhelpful strategies being bandied about. A first one is indiscriminate scapegoating. The great philosopher René Girard taught us that when communities enter into crisis, people typically commence desperately to cast about for someone or some group to blame. In the catharsis of this indiscriminate accusation, they find a kind of release, an ersatz peace. "All the bishops should resign!" "The priesthood is a cesspool of immorality!" "The seminaries are all corrupt!" As I say, these assertions might be emotionally satisfying at some level, but they are deeply unjust and conduce toward greater and not less dysfunction. The second negative strategy is the riding of ideological hobby horses. So lots of commentators left, center and right - have chimed in to say that the real cause of the McCarrick disaster is, take your pick, the ignoring of Humanae vitae, priestly celibacy, rampant homosexuality in the church, the mistreatment of homosexuals, the sexual revolution, etc. Mind you, I'm not saying for a moment that these aren't important considerations and that some of the suggestions might not have real merit. But I am saying that launching into a consideration of these

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matters that we have been debating for decades and that will certainly not admit of an easy adjudication amounts right now to a distraction.

So what should be done? The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) has no juridical or canonical authority to discipline bishops. And even if it tried to launch an investigation, it has, at the moment, very little credibility. Only the pope has juridical and disciplinary powers in regard to bishops. Hence, I would suggest (as a lowly back-bencher auxiliary) that the bishops of the United States - all of us - petition the Holy Father to form a team, made up mostly of faithful lay Catholics skilled in forensic investigation, and to empower them to have access to all of the relevant documentation and financial records. Their task should be to determine how Archbishop McCarrick managed, despite his widespread reputation for iniquity, to rise through the ranks of the hierarchy and to continue, in his retirement years, to function as a roving ambassador for the church and to have a disproportionate influence on the appointment of bishops. They should ask the ecclesial version of Sen. Howard Baker's famous questions: "What did the responsible parties know and when did they know it?" Only after these matters are settled will we know what the next steps ought to be.

In the meantime, and above all, we should ask the heavenly powers to fight with us and for us. I might suggest especially calling upon the one who crushes the head of the serpent.



Sports on Sundays OK, except when used to skip Mass, says Vatican

by Catholic News Service

VATICAN CITY (CNS) - A new Vatican document cautions against the dangers of highly competitive children's sports, political and economic pressures on athletes to win "at all costs" and the unsportsmanlike or violent behavior of fans. The 52-page document on sports also calls on every group or institution sponsoring sports programs to have expert-guided child protection policies in place and it urged bishops, parishes and lay Catholics to be proactive in helping "humanize" sports. The document, "Giving the Best of Yourself," also condoned sports on Sundays as a means of bringing families and communities together in joy and celebration, but only as long as such events are not used as an excuse to miss Mass. The document was released June 1 by the Dicastery for Laity, the Family and Life, and is the first Vatican document on sports, said Cardinal Kevin Farrell, the dicastery's perfect. In a message to the cardinal, Pope Francis applauded the document and said, "Sport is a very rich source of values and virtues that help us to become better people."

Msgr. Mike Burke, better known as Father Mike, prays with Wisconsin Badger football players before their game Nov 11, 2017, against lowa. The Dicastery for Laity, the Family and Life released a document June 1 at the Vatican on sports, titled "Giving the Best of Yourself," offering guidelines, recommendations and warnings.

A Christmas Thank You

"Go, tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born!" This melody and many others still resound in our hearts and minds from our Christmas celebrations. It takes a lot of musicians to make our liturgies at Christmas such glorious ones. Starting on Christmas Eve at 4:00pm Mass, our youth choir, under the direction of Benjamin Valle, sang and played instruments. They faithfully attended rehearsals and sounded like angels. Matthew Nerenberg played oboe, Ryan Donnan and Olivia Kesler played viola, and Liam Mulroe sang the psalm and alleluia. Olga Lunetta accompanied them on piano. We are truly blessed!

At the 4:15pm Mass, Kaylie Rosencranz was the cantor. She recently finished college and is teaching. Kaylie also sang with the parish choir at the midnight mass. Blessed are we to have her with us. The 6:00pm Mass and the 12:30 Mass, accompanied by Olga, had some of her piano students playing Christmas music and a student from St. Francis de Sales school played flute. It is truly wonderful to celebrate with our children. Vanessa Thomsen, a band teacher, played flute at the 8:00am Mass.

The 9:30am Christmas Day Mass was led by college/high school students. How wonderful it is that our college students come home and share their talents with us! Led by Chris Misik, we heard beautiful voices sing "O Holy Night." They were accompanied by college students Lauren Mazurkiewicz on flute and Megan Kalafut on cello, and Emma Belew was the cantor.

Our Midnight Mass really began at 11:25pm, when our choir and bells processed into church. What a glorious sound it was with the choir, handbells, brass, timpani, and organ! A wonderful job by all. Many choir members came back to sing at the 11:00am Mass on Christmas Day, along with the brass, timpani, and organ. Thank you to Dave Strutzel for playing organ for us! With his help, I was able to direct the choir, bells, brass, and timpani. Thank you choir and bells, for your countless hours of rehearsal. You made it possible for all of us to truly celebrate the birth of "our newborn King".

We can never forget to thank our cantors. They, and their families, give of their time and talent so that we can all sing the music of our church. Thank you for all you give to this ministry! We could not have done it without you! So I give a big "Shout-Out" to all of you, thank you, beautiful job, and Happy New Year. - Patricia Stewart, Director of Liturgical Music



EMAIL SCAM ALERT: FAKE GMAIL ACCOUNT FOR FR. RYAN BEING **USED IN EMAIL SCAMS**

Dear Parishioners:

Please be aware, Fr. Rvan does not use nor has he ever used his own Gmail account. Please do not respond to any emails originating from a Fr. Ryan email or derivative of his name. Several parishioners have received communications from what appears to be a legitimate Gmail account for Fr. Ryan when he has never created a Gmail account. Please report any such email communications you should receive to Gmail as SPAM, as per their request, in order to shut down the fake email. The following emails have been noted as fake emails to date but others could appear:

Frdavidf.ryan@gmail.com fatherdavidfryan@gmail.com

> Please don't fall for this email SCAM



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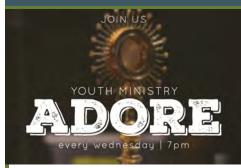
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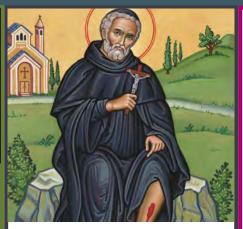




Open to all ages! Join us from 7-8pm for this holy hour each week. We invite you to come pray along with music & a reflection lead by Josh Goodman, write in a journal, or just be present in the moment.

The Importance of Eucharistic Adoration

Pope Francis leads Benediction outside the Basilica of St. Mary Major at the conclusion of the Corpus Christi procession in Rome May 30. (CNS photo/Paul Haring) The importance of Eucharistic Adoration is shown in the fact that the Church has a ritual that regulates it: the Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction. This is an extension of the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament which occurs in every Mass: "Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb." Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament flows from the sacrifice of the Mass and serves to deepen our hunger for Communion with Christ and the rest of the Church. The Rite concludes with the ordained minister blessing the faithful with the Blessed - taken from the USCCB website



ST. PEREGRINE MONTHLY PRAYER
SERVICE AND BENEDICTION FOR
THOSE AFFECTED BY CANCER

Saturday, January 26th - 9:15am

St. Peregrine was miraculously healed of cancer after praying all night before an image of the crucified Christ. He is known throughout the world as the patron saint of cancer patients. There is a place for you, a place of comfort, peace and hope. Healing comes in many ways.

Join us as we pray to gather strength to continue the fight, to give thanks for being healed and to honor the memory of those who are now in the arms of Jesus. Place your hope in our Lord and Savior.



Love Notes - How to Build Your Personal Relationship with Jesus

Guest Speaker: Father Britto

Join us February 1-3, 2019

at the beautiful Marvtown

Registration is full for this retreat, but if you are still interested in joining us, please reach out to Rose Weismann at Rose. Weismann@gmail.com



A practicing Catholic, between the ages of 18 & 99, who has made First Communion, but has not received Confirmation?

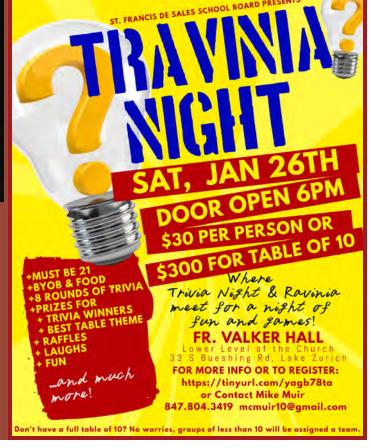
We are offering a series of formation sessions that will allow you to be Confirmed this spring and want you to join us!

Our meetings will be held roughly every two weeks on Sunday evenings from 6:30 to 8 pm in the Parish School, 11 S. Buesching Road in Lake Zurich, beginning January 27.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on May 23, 2019.

For more information or to sign up, please contact Christine DePrez at (847) 436-2265 or e-mail cdeprez@cornerstonenb.com.

Visit https://vic1chicago.org/adult-confirmation



† Mass Schedule †

Monday, January 21: St. Agnes; Martin Luther King Jr. Day

8:30 - Intention for Police Officers and Firefiahters

8:30 - Souls in Purgatory

8:30 - Thomas Lahey

Tuesday, January 22: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children; World Youth Day

7:00 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome

7:00 - Intention for Persecuted Christians

7:00 - Theisa Sorby, Reg by Ann Marie Choukas

7:00 - John Plueger, Req by his family

Wednesday, January 23: St. Vincent; St. Marianne Cope

8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School Children of our Community

8:30 - Intention for the Celebration of the Parish School Blue Ribbon Award

8:30 - Theresa Chiovari, Reg by Barb & Larry Augustine

Noon - Intention for Renew My Church

Noon - Francis Higgins, Req by the Latter family

Noon - Daniel Ryan

Thursday, January 24: St. Francis de Sales

7:00 - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich

7:00 - Intention for the People of St. Francis de Sales Parish

7:00 - Intention for Scott Latter, Reg by his loving family

Friday, January 25: The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle; Week of Prayer for Christian Unity ends

8:30 - Intention of Charlene Johnstone

8:30 - Marcos Linares, Req by the Urban family

8:30 - Intention for Barbara Schlosser

Saturday, January 26: Ss. Timothy and Titus

8:30 - Intention of U.S. Veterans

8:30 - Intention of Those Missing in Action, Prisioners of War, and Refugees of War

8:30 - Kitty Dembski

5:00 - Ed Sturkey

5:00 - Ralph Reyes

5:00 - Glafira and Felix Barrientos

5:00 - Intention for Nicole Woodhead, Reg by her family

Wedding Banns

Samantha Ritchie & Ted Schumann (3)

5:00 - Elizabeth Vassallo

5:00 - John Cameron

Sunday, January 27

6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk

6:30 - Intention for Robert Morcocchio

6:30 - Edwin Dembski

6:30 - Mary Cushman

6:30 - J.J. Flavin

6:30 - Margaret Sacomono

8:00 - Susan Triner, Reg by a friend

8:00 - Harold Chisamore, Reg by his family

8:00 - Tommy Gaffney, Reg by his family

8:00 - Paul Willis, Reg by Barb and Bill Donnan

8:00 - Alan Wendt

8:00 - Eugene Pontillo

8:00 - Angel Marie Gacasso

8:00 - Monica Iorio

9:30 - Marcos Linares, Reg by the Michels family

9:30 - Diane Paulus, Req by Hank Paulus

9:30 - Walter Stasko, Req by the Paulus family

9:30 - Kevin Patrick Lynch

9:30 - Anna Louise Casella

9:30 - John Favia

9:30 - Carol Ann Avclair

11:00 - Howard Kelliher, Req by Mary Tinkham

11:00 - Paul Higgins, Jr & Suzanne Stelmacki, Req by Kathy and Paul Higgins

11:00 - Intention for Cathy & John Chiarelli, Req by the Rae family

11:00 - Dolores Hardison

11:00 - John Redmond

11:00 - Joseph Liss

12:30 - Marcos Linares, Req by Kadzie Lawski family

12:30 - Intention for Nicole Woodhead, Reg by her family

12:30 - Robert T. Etchingham

12:30 - Henry Reising

12:30 - Intention for Mary Monti

5:00 - Intention for Life Teen Youth Ministry & the People of St. Francis de Sales Parish

5:00 - Intention for Intentional Discipleship within our Parish

5:00 - George Manning, Req by his loving wife

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED & THEIR FAMILIES

Tyler Scott, Son of Daniel and Katherin Brace
Theodore James, Son of Ty and Natalie Siemsen
Savannah Marie, Daughter of Christopher and Meghan Strauss
Matthew Adamir, Son of Vincent and Sayuri Viviano-Vazquez
Valerie Rose, Daughter of Vincent and Sayuri Viviano-Vazquez

a Prayer to Saint Michael the



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 prawl 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 Fr. Ryan (847-726-4723) or 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.

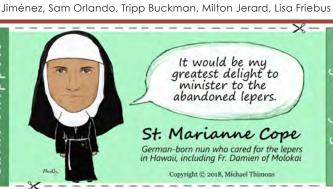
Christian Roder (husband to Priscilla) Sally Welz (mother to Kristin Fontana) Shirley Allard (mother to Bob (Sandy) Allard) **Bob Parr** (parishioner) Liam Burke (brother to Bridget McGuinness) Carolyn Brefeld (parishioner) Thomas Poynton (parishioner) Melissa Cimaglio (daughter of Marilu Kust) Cecilia Czarnecki (mother to Mary (David) Kalafut) Lorraine Capaseno (friend to Cathy Mastores) Marianne Bailey (parishioner) Katie Norek (wife to Bill) Ron Mora (brother to Barb Benstein) Roxanne Clark (parishioner) Nancy Morrissey (mother to Lisa (Tim) Jordan) Curley Strack (husband to Toni) Geri Romano (parishioner) Amanda Wilk (daughter to Mitchell and Barbara) **Donnelle Caulder** (friend to Diane Whetter)

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

Janet Whetter (mother to Diane)

Patricia Brown (wife to Ed)

Roxanne Clark, Robert Cook, Theresa Sacomano, Liza Hassler, Constance Dimock, Dawn Repta, Jocelyn Brown, Jocelyn Brown, Irene Ruckoldt, Donna Steinmetz, Baby Omar Spitz, Karen DiTommaso, John Thullen, Jean Marie Brefeld, Jennifer Hicks, Robert Montcalm, William Miller, Carolynne Fox, Kevin Kleine, Jane Polnaszek-Gray, Kendall Urban, Patrick Rams, Marlys Marie Williamson, Cheryl Jonelis, Kristy Williams, Helen Mazur, Nancy Grasso, Barb Grabarek, Jack Lococo. Alyssa Matney, Beatrice Flitman, Chris Koster, Brian Ford, Lydia Oliver, Morgan Naczi, Dwayne Shepherd, Robert Haren, Melinda Rodriguez, Wayne Dreyer, Robert Marcocchio, Peter Powers, Chrisi Rusk, Cathy Orlando, Veronica Hoehne, Chuck Bartels, Tim Youngman, Jane O'Reilly, Eduardo Farias, Dorothy Parola, Barb Westerlund, Judy Patton, John Duffy, Steven Sobie, Jerry O'Hearn, Janet Grashoff, Jim Kuczora, Phil Falson, Gina Meeks, Frank Koob, Angela Orlando, Janet Burrows, Dolores Guzy, Audrey Krupa, Ligia



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† In Sympathy †

Donna Massey (parishioner)
Lisa Anderson (sister-in-law to Tami Anderson)
George Osborne (father-in-law to Louisa Osborn)
General Wood (husband to Ellen)
Carol Gullo

Michelle West (sister to Jeff (Natalie) Warkenthien)
Lillian LaPres (aunt to Merilee (Ron) Blake)
Scott Stearney (friend of the Maycan family)
Michelle Ryan (friend of Janet Whetter)
Don Lydon (father to Donna (Steve) Turk & Kathy (Mike) Rickerson)
Mario Bertolani (husband to Lolita)
Martha Reilly

Kent Mutchmore (friend to Hillary Marehel)
Juliet Bryant (granddaughter of Diane Bryant)
James Joern (brother of Tina Joern)
Bernard Kust (brother-in-law of Marilu Kust)
Ron Mora (brother to Barb Bernstein)



MINISTRY OF CARE SERVICE

January 21 - January 27, 2019

Lexington: Jan 21 - Presider Debbie Devitt, Theresa McPartlan, Phil Surdynski, Cathy Criel*, Sub: Fran Farruggio

Silverado: Jan 26 - Cindy Tomei

Good Shepherd: Jan 22 - Kathy Duggan | Jan 24 - Tami Anderson | Jan 26 - John Casiotti, Adrienne, Birdie Hicks | Jan 27 - To Be Scheduled

Cedar Lake: Jan 26 - Helen Cawley
LZ Meadows: Jan 23 - Cindy Gauvreau
Azpira Place: Jan 26 - Dana Petraglia

EMMAUS HOUSE OF HOSPITALITY COMMUNITY DINNER

Every Sunday Night 6-7:30pm in Fr. Valker Hall For more information visit www.emmaus-house.org

January & February Coordinator

Laura Zickuhr | lazfamily@juno.com

Thank you for all your groccery bag donations!
We have a great stash stocked away,
so no more are needed at this time!



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



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

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 Finkenkeller: U.S. Army, Deployed to Taji Iraq North of Baghdad, Nephew of Robert & Irene Louis

Matthew Schrock: Il 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 **Amie Maychszak:** Stationed in Norfolk, VA aboard the U.S.S. George H.W. Bush Aircraft Carrier, Great Niece of Barbara Yellin

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, Returned from Afghanistan, Cousin to Father David F. Ryan

Petty Officer 3rd Class Gregory Gornik: U.S. Navy, Deploying on the USS Harry Truman S. Aircraft Carrier, Nephew of Rick & Kathy Gornik **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. Michael Hornacek: MC U.S. Navy, Stationed at the Naval Medical Center, San Diego, Son of Michael and Claudia Hornacek **Corporal Ben Schick:** U.S. Marines, Grandson of Anne Schick

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

PFC Robert Mahute: U.S. Marines, Deployed to Middle East, Nephew of Joanne and Tom Jacobi

Patrick Shoaff: U.S. Army Ranger, 2nd Lieutenant, Fort Campbell, Nephew of Thackray Family

Pvt 1st Class Brandon Mahute: U.S. Navy, Deployed to Middle East, Nephew of Thomas and Joanne Jacobi

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 VA, Nephew of Bernardine and Wally Labuz

SA U.S. Navy Amy Hudek: stationed at Pensacola, FL for air traffic control school, niece of Judy & Mike Reilly

Do you have someone in the military stationed in harm's way that needs our prayers? Please call (847)438-6622.

Returned Safely Home

Alex Gozzola, 1st Lt. Timothy Kirshner, Lt. Col. Joseph Thill, 1st Lt. Josh Bell, Navy Petty Officer Nicholas Thill, Sat. 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, Jesse Ward, 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.



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.

Financial Report from Business Office

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2018-19 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS		SPECIAL APPEALS	
August\$131,091 September\$131,200 October\$117,248	Christmas (2017)\$192,800 Christmas (2016)\$224,463 Easter (2017)\$159,887 Easter (2018)\$112,270 Our Lady of Tepeyac Sharing Parish\$30,711 Karoline Choir (Uganda)\$2,734	Little Sisters of the Poor (2018)	
ARCHDIOCESE REQUIRED SECOND COLLECTIONS: JULY 1, 2017 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2018			
· ·		2015 Annual Appeal Rebate \$227,145 2016 Annual Appeal Rebate \$259,096 2017 Annual Appeal Rebate \$298,802	

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.

Parish Debt to the Archdiocese: \$0

Parish Community Statistics: July 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018

Registered Families	Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers
*Registered Families in 194994	Teen Eucharistic Ministers
Parish School Students	Ministers of Care139
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS	Ushers
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS	Cross Bearers8
Preschool / Kindergarten30	Sacristans
Grade School356	Altar Servers
Middle School157	Adult Lectors65
Home Study29	Teen / Child Lectors11 / 18
SPRED6	Prayer Shawl Ministers
Children's Catechumenate13	•
Children's Catechumenate13	SACRAMENTS
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YOUTH MINISTRY STUDENTS	SACRAMENTS Baptisms 80
YOUTH MINISTRY STUDENTS Confirmation (Registration Pending)	SACRAMENTS
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January 26th & 27th, 2019					
	CELEBRANT	EUCHARISTIC MINISTER	LECTORS	CROSS BEARERS ALTAR SERVERS	GREETERS
SATURDAY 5PM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	Pam Urban Jan Janus Fran Farruggio Margaret Gas Jocelyn Purtell Gene Bader Adrienne Virgilio Bob Kopfer Gloria Bakken	Janet Paulus Tom Purtell	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Nathan Di Legge Aidan Flannery Kaylie Freeland	Joanne Luce
SUNDAY 6:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	Rick Ellish Cheryl Ellish Tony Pfeifer Emily Skarzynski Therese Wegner Katie Bielski Jim Gill	Gene Kussmann	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Jennifer Bukowski Spencer Kinsey	Jim Gill
SUNDAY 8AM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	Paul Latter Bonnie Balster Mary Flanagan Pam Harchut Art Williams Eileen Glazik Victoria Williams John Ergastolo Irene Goldthwaite	Jackie Lococo Christy Sikorski	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Annabelle Pinto Joshua Snyder Luke Snyder	Karen Cole
SUNDAY 9:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	James Grenning Audrey Spoerlein Buddy Wright John Wallor Danielle Amato Marilee Grenning Jo Anderson Laurie Haas Marsha Smyser Janet Danielsen John Uriell	Brad Schaefer Jim Ludwig	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Ben Cacioppo Mia Gillis Zachary Marcheschi	Myra Genovald
SUNDAY 11AM	Fr. McIlhone & Deacon George Flaherty	Bobbie Jo Carr Mary Tinkham Patty Antczak Kelly Bush Delia Kavanaugh Brody Long Holly Smigleski Jerry Jagla Steve Lammers	Jacqueline Kuhn Jeff Misak	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Samantha Cranstoun Nathan James Sarah Wiseman	
SUNDAY 12:30PM	Fr. McIlhone & Deacon George Flaherty	Henry Zobel Denise Alianello Pam Postlewaite Jan Zobel Joey Greco Mary Taylor	Harry Cione	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Adam Galdoni Nicolas Rodriguez	
SUNDAY 5PM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon George Flaherty	Georgia Wiersnia Michelle Roesner Joyce Bozacki Rae Lizzie Kalafut Jeff Rae Julie Warren	Beth Warren	Youth Ministry	Youth Ministry

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 phone numbers 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 information.

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Parish School Principal, Kyle Schmit	(847)726-4826	Finance Council, Michael Carlino	
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Chairperson, James Bataglia (PPC)		Chairperson, John Ergastolo (PPC)	(847)726-774
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Convalidation (Blessing) of Civil Marriage, Fr. David Rya		Frank Dodds	
Great Bible Adventure,	11 (04/)/ 20-4/ 23	Angels of Mercy (Friendly visitors, medicine/grocery pick	
Kelley Gries	1947) 439 7050	drivers to Church/hospital appointments)	
Pam Urban		Drivers, Tami Anderson	(847)726-471
Children's Catechumenate, Mimi McGlauchlin		Meals, Mary Lahr	
Eucharistic Adoration	(07/ // 20-4030	Friendly Visitors to Lexington, Marianne Bailey	
Denise Alianello	(847)724-1307	Cancer Support/Sharing, Mary Manson	(847)382-305
Lillian Shutty		Bereavement, Mary Manson	
ntentional Discipleship, Judy Reilly	(430)339 7543	Grief Support Group—Forever in Our Hearts (for those	` '
Liturgical Ministries, Fr. David Ryan		experienced the loss of a child) Fr. David Ryan	
Altar Servers, Fr. David Ryan		Prayer Shawl Ministry, Lisa Warren	
Child Lectors (Grades 6-8), Cindy Blank		Meals on Wheels Volunteer Drivers: Molly Ergastolo	(847)867-117
Crossbearer, Laurie Haas		Meal Sign-up: Intake at Catholic Charities	
Environment & Art, Mary Ann Kwasek		Molly's Adopt-A-Sailor, Cathy Chiarelli	
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Greeters, Sherry Otio		Pastoral Counseling Services	
Lectors	(04/)430-2/02	Safety and Security Ministry, Joseph Pasquesi	
	10.47100.4.7077	Covenant Ministries, Stewart Tanakatsubo (PPC)	
Cindy Blank	(04/)724-/0/0	Emmaus House Ministry, Brian Pozzi	
Jacqueline Kuhn		Gift of Love, Jane Clery	
		Jubilee Garden, Sharon Fredrickson	
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St. Peregrine Prayer Service, Dena & Jim Battaglia		Clean Jeans Drive, Tammy Cunnion	
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)	(04/)462-0010	Back to School Backpack Drive, Sherry Otto	
Stewart Tanakatsubo	(224) 475-7919	COMMUNITY LITT	
Fr. David F. Ryan		COMMUNITY LIFE	
Rosary Ministry, Joe Armagno		Chairperson, Patricia Linares (PPC)	(847).550-105
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Rosary Ministry, Silverado,		Paul Latter	(847)809-047
Vocations, Fr. David Ryan	(847)726-4723	Knights of Columbus, Past Grand Knight and First Trust	
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Life Teen Confirmation/Youth Ministry, Pam Lynch, M	i.A (847)726-4862	Thomas Wolter	
Cathy Chiarelli	(847)726-4842	Curley Strack	
Life Teen Youth Ministry Music, Josh Goodman	(757)814-1191	Men's Retreat, Frank Johnstone	
Confirmation, Adult Program, Christine DePrez	(847)436-2265	Our Lady of Tepeyac, Patricia & Marcos Linares	
<u> </u>	. ,	Welcoming, Jodie Shield	
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Chairperson, Pam Lynch, M.A. (PPC) School Board, Bob Quast		SCOUTING PROGRAM	
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*Appointed Pastor 1 July 2006 and Re-appointed Pastor on 1 July 2012 by the late Francis Cardinal George, O.M.I. On January 25, 2018, Blase Cardinal Cupich re-appointed Father Ryan as Pastor with a term to conclude on 30 June 2019. However, in August, Father Ryan submitted, once again, a letter requesting an extension and re-appointment to this parish.

	Mr. Robert Arvidson, M.A.P.C., M.B.A	
	Mr. George Flaherty, B. Pharm, R.Ph	
		Deacon
1567-1622	Mr. Kyle Schmitt, M.A.T., M.A.Ed	Principal of the Parish School
A spiritual guide for	Mrs. Theresa Grom	Assistant Principal of the Parish School
roduction to the Devout	Ms. Mimi McGlauchlin	Coordinator of Religious Education
ife" and "Treatise on the	Mrs. Patricia Stewart	Director of Liturgical Music
Doctor of the Church.	Ms. Pam Lynch. M.A.	Director of Young Adult/Youth Ministry
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www.lumenchristi.org

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops www.usccb.ora

> The Vatican Website www.vatican.va/

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism is celebrated after parental participation in a preparation meeting. Please call 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 between 11 a.m. and noon. 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, or Fr. Ryan at 847-726-4723 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

SUNDAYS

6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, and 5pm

WEEKDAYS

Monday

8:30am Mass

Wednesday

8:30am & 12 noon Masses

Tuesday & Thursday

7am Mass

Friday

8:30am

Saturday

8:30a Mass,

5pm Mass (Fulfills Sunday Obligation)

Holy Days

7pm Vigil, 6:30am, 8:30am, Noon, 4:30pm, 7pm

