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Jesus said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." - Jn 20:27
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April 28, 2019

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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, April 28: Sunday of Divine Mercy; Second Sunday of Easter

- **Mass:** 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm — Church
- **Confessions:** 1:30-3pm, 3:30-4:30pm — Church
- **Divine Mercy Sunday Prayer Service:** 3pm — Church
- **1st Year Confirmation Class:** 3:00-4:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Emmaus House Community Dinner:** 6-7:30pm — Valker Hall

Monday, April 29: St. Catherine of Siena

- **Mass:** 8:30am — Church
- **Art & Environment:** Watering 9am — Church
- **Yoga:** 9:30am — Ministry Center
- **Cub Scouts Pack Meeting:** 6:30-8pm — Valker Hall
- **RE Family Mass (All Grades):** 6:30pm — Church
- **Boy Scouts Leader Meeting:** 7-9pm — Ministry Center

Tuesday, April 30: St. Pius V

- **Mass:** 7am — Church
- **NAMI Meeting:** 6-9pm — Ministry Center
- **EQUIP:** 6:45-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **RCIA:** 7-9:30pm — Church Gathering Space
- **Boy Scouts Pack Meeting:** 7:30-9pm — Valker Hall
- **Communion Rehearsal (10am Mass):** 4:30-6:30pm — Church
- **Children's Catechumenate Rehearsal:** 6:30-7:30pm — Church

Wednesday, May 1: St. Joseph the Worker

- **Mass:** 8:30am & Noon — Church
- **Communion Rehearsal (2pm Mass):** 4:30-6:30pm — Church
- **Adore:** 7-8pm — Church
- **Indian Guides Meeting:** 7-8:30pm — Valker Hall
- **Choir Rehearsal:** 7-8:30pm — Ministry Center

Thursday, May 2: St. Athanasius; National Day of Prayer

- **Mass:** 7am — Church
- **Art & Environment:** Watering 5pm — Church
- **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 6-7:15pm — Ministry Center
- **Baptismal Prep Meeting:** 6:30-9:30pm — Gathering Space

Friday, May 3: Ss. Philip and James; First Friday

- **Mass:** 8:30am — Church
- **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** 9am-4pm — Church

Saturday, May 4: First Saturday

- **Mass:** 8:30am, 5pm Vigil — Church
- **Pray the Rosary with Knights of Columbus:** 9:15am — Church
- **First Communions:** 10am & 2pm — Church
- **Confessions:** 11am — Church

Sunday, May 5: Third Sunday of Easter

- **Mass:** 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm — Church
- **Children's Catechumenate Mass:** 12:30pm Mass — Church
- **Emmaus House Community Dinner:** 6-7:30pm — Valker Hall

This Weekend: April 27 & 28, 2019

Boy Scout Mulch Sale

Next Weekend: May 4 & 5, 2019

April 28, 2019: Sunday of Divine Mercy

"Serve God as He wishes. You will see that one day He will do all that you wish, and more than you know how to wish." - St Francis de Sales

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — A large number of people gathered, bringing the sick, and all were cured (Acts 5:12-16).

Psalm — Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting (Psalm 118).

Second Reading — Do not be afraid. I am the first and the last, the one who lives (Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19).

Gospel — The risen Christ comes to his disciples with peace and the Spirit. The absent Thomas doubts (John 20:19-31).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 4:23-31-37; Ps 2:1-4, 7-9; Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21 or (for the memorial) Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58


Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36

Friday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21

Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; Rev 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]

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.



Are you a follower of Jesus or just a fan? A follower places Him at the **center** of their lives. The first disciples didn't just know Jesus's teachings. They strived to **live out** Jesus' teachings. We are called to do the same. Seek holiness. Become a disciple. Work to make Jesus your center. Immerse yourself in Jesus. How does He think? Live? Act? A personal encounter with Jesus develops through daily prayer, in the Sacraments, in fellowship with others and in learning about what he taught and how he lived.

taken from "Into His Likeness" by Edward Sri, Part I

Questions? Please e-mail growdisciples12@gmail.com

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy); Julian Calendar Easter

Monday: St. Catherine of Siena

Tuesday: St. Pius V

Wednesday: St. Joseph the Worker

Thursday: St. Athanasius; National Day of Prayer; Yom Ha-Shoa (Holocaust Remembrance Day)

Friday: Ss. Philip and James; First Friday

Saturday: First Saturday

SEEING IS BELIEVING

Seeing is believing! Since cellphone screens connect us instantly to social media, live TV, and loved ones' faces near and far, "Doubting Thomas" could be our patron saint: "Unless I see, I will not believe!" But how comforting for any of us who share Thomas's doubt, or love "doubters" who do, to see how kindly Jesus responds. By offering the very evidence that Thomas demanded, Jesus doesn't scold Thomas, but seems to understand such skepticism. Could Jesus have been thinking of us, who long to believe that "Jesus is risen!" but see so much suffering, and perhaps even cause some, that we wonder, how could something so wonderful be true? In today's reading from the Acts of the Apostles, the risen Jesus' healing love comforts through disciples who love others. In Revelation, "our brother John" doesn't just claim he saw Jesus alive, but passes on Jesus' life-giving words, "Do not be afraid." Seeing Jesus in others is believing!

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St Francis de Sales Mom's Group



"Stay-cation"
THIS SUMMER

Thursday, May 9th from 9:30-11:00am
in the Church Gathering Space

Join us to share and swap ideas on how to "stay-cation" this summer. With kids home for the summer it is important to get the family out and about while staying budget friendly. Bring all your tips and tricks to share about local attractions, libraries, parks, zoos, pools, beaches, your favorite places to go and things to do.

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

May 23rd: Summer Send Off Breakfast Potluck (9:30a)

APRIL 16, 2019

Deacon's Corner

It is Sunday afternoon and I am looking out my study window at 5" of wet, heavy snow and more to come as we go into the evening hours. I guess the funny thing is that our weather report says it should be 70 on Tuesday. Go figure. That's enough about that.

Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of Holy Week which culminates on Easter Sunday, the Resurrection of Our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. I was fortunate enough to serve five Masses today and preach at four of them. Our new Vicariate Bishop, Alberto Rojas, presided at the 9:30 Mass and he preached that Mass. I bring this up because in the reflection Bishop Rojas gave, he mentioned something about Holy Week that struck a cord with me. As a matter of fact, the next two Masses I preached, I used his thought about Holy Week in my homily.

Bishop Rojas talked about Holy Week and how it is not the same for everyone. And what I gleaned from what he was saying is that Holy Week is an individual thing for each of us. In other words, we can make it as holy (or not so holy) by our actions during the week. You see, the Church has numerous special events almost every day of the week, and it is everyone's own choice to participate (or not) in as many events as they choose. And really that makes perfect sense, although I had never looked at it from that perspective. So I encourage all of us to make this the best Holy Week ever. Spend more time than you would normally enjoying time in Church with Jesus and perhaps you will agree with the content of today's homily.

Today I spoke about what I feel are two significant themes and both are extremely important. They both pertain to Jesus Christ and His life, but more focused on His entrance into Jerusalem. Talking about that, I always wondered why Jesus chose a donkey (colt) to ride into Jerusalem. Also why did all of His followers lay palm branches covering the road as Jesus approached the city? Why didn't Jesus choose a horse to

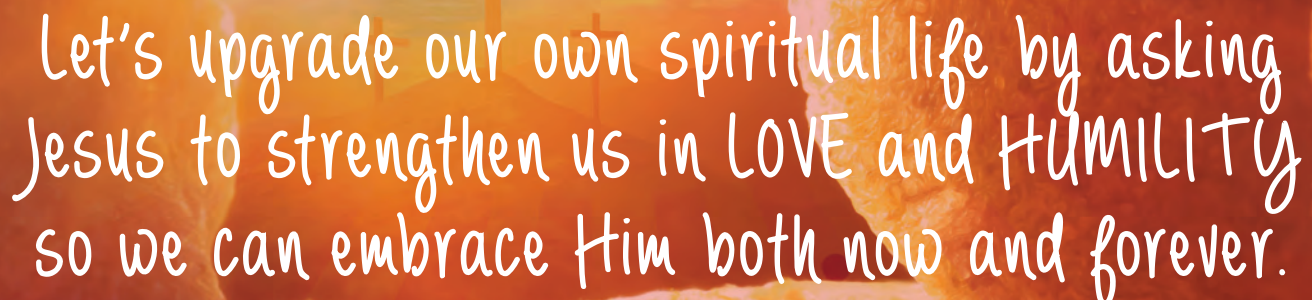
ride in on? Because in those days, a horse symbolized war and violence, a donkey symbolized peace. And the palm branches also symbolize peace. And that concludes your history lesson for today.

Going back to the themes that were the basis of my homily, they were LOVE and HUMILITY as shown by Jesus. When we were reading the Passion of Christ at all five Masses, one thing kept coming back to my mind. The fact that Jesus continued on His journey through life knowing that this week would come only culminating with His excruciating torture and death on the Cross, and yet He followed the will of His Father. He only asked His Father once "if you will, remove this cup from my hand, but if it is your will, I will follow". Jesus had known about the fate that awaited Him before He was born. So why did He go through with it? We all know that is a rhetorical question, but if Jesus had not suffered death and resurrect into Heaven "to sit at the right hand of His Father", OUR SINS WOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN FORGIVEN. And He did this out of LOVE for us, and for us to attain eternal salvation, He requires two things from us; "TO LOVE THE LORD, THY GOD, WITH YOUR HEART, MIND AND SOUL, AND LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF". Most important to remember is that Our Lord said; "you cannot love the Lord and NOT your neighbor and expect to find the Kingdom of Heaven". You cannot have one without the other. And how HUMBLY did Jesus walk that path. Paul in 2 Corinthians 8:9 wrote; "you know the grace of Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, for our sake, He became poor, so that by His poverty you might become rich". Jesus walked this path to "empty Himself" for our sake.

So let's finish this Lent by upgrading our own spiritual life by asking Jesus to strengthen us in LOVE and HUMILITY so we can embrace Him both now and forever.

My blessings to all this Holy Week,

Deacon John



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April 05, 2019

Reverend David F. Ryan
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Dear Father Ryan,

With deep gratitude and in the name of our local Church, I thank you, your staff, and all the people of St. Francis de Sales - Lake Zurich for your generous support of the Annual Catholic Appeal. Together, you have raised pledges exceeding your 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal parish goal of \$116,460.78. This generosity is a sign of the faith-filled commitment that you and your community have made to answer Jesus' call to *Come, follow me...and share the Word.*

Please communicate my gratitude to the people of St. Francis de Sales - Lake Zurich. Let them know that I will pray that they can continue to move forward and strengthen the bonds among them, even as they generously reach out beyond their parish to help the efforts of our local Church and people in need throughout the world.

We belong to the community of Jesus' disciples. We continue to come to know Him. And, as we do so, we recognize the mission entrusted to us to share His Word, to share His life, and to share His hope. The Annual Catholic Appeal is one vehicle for us to be His missionary disciples. In your parish's generosity, I see a sign of response to Jesus' call. And I will continue to pray that you may continue to grow as His missionary disciples.

Finally, Father Ryan, I ask your parish to pray for me and for all our sisters and brothers in the Archdiocese of Chicago, so that every day we can all be more faithful disciples of the one who calls us into "his wonderful light."

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Card. Blase Cupic".

Archbishop of Chicago

When your peers leave the pews

The Catholic Church and turning away from religious institutions all together. That is the simplistic way of reporting the results of several major surveys, but some data also suggests that this trend is not irreversible.

The study "Going, Going, Gone," released earlier this year by Saint Mary's Press and the Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate at Georgetown University, focused on young adults who were raised Catholic but have left the church. A major subgroup are the "drifters," who do not report for experiences or ideological descent from the church but simply find no value in faith.

As the authors write, "A contributing factor in drifting away from the faith is the lack of companions on a spiritual journey" and an absence of "peer or adult support." This lack of support shows up in some of the report's findings: Most former Catholics had attended Mass no more than a few times a year, and only about one-third had received the sacrament of

confirmation (compared with more than two-thirds of young adults who still identify as Catholic). A large majority stopped identifying as Catholic between the ages of 10 and 17, which means they "drifted away" before entering college or the workplace.

Other recent polls have shown skepticism toward religion and the moral necessity of believing in God among Millennials and members of Generation Z (born after 1999). The Barna Group released survey results in January with the sensationalist headline "Atheism Doubles Among Generation Z," but only 13 percent of Generation Z proponents actually chose the atheism label, with 66 percent identifying with Catholicism or another religion.

We do not know yet whether youthful alienation from religion is permanent. Even Generation Z members may return to the pews when they start having families, but this could be a more difficult return if they do not perceive other young adults joining them.

April 2nd 2018 from the AmericanMagazine.org

Source: St. Mary's/CARA survey of former Catholics between 15 and 25 (2015), with margin of error of plus or minus 6.9 percentage points "belief in God" question from a Pew Research Center poll (2017).

AT WHAT AGE DID YOU STOP IDENTIFYING AS CATHOLIC?

Under age 5	5%
5 - 9	18%
10 - 12	24%
13 - 17	39%
18 - 20	11%
21 - 25	3%

ABOUT HOW OFTEN DID YOU ATTEND MASS WHEN YOU WERE CATHOLIC?

Rarely or never	28%
A few times a year	26%
Once or twice a month	12%
Almost every week	17%
Every week	13%
More than once a week	4%

REASON FOR LEAVING THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Does not believe in God or religion	20%
Family (eg: parents left church)	16%
Changed to another religion	15%
General opposition to religious institutions	11%
Opposition to specific church teaching	8%
Church/parish not welcoming	3%
Clergy sexual abuse crisis	2%
Other	25%

WHO COMPLETED CONFIRMATION?

68% of young adults who still identify as Catholic
33% of young adults who have left the church

YOUNG ADULTS (15-25) WHO ARE NO LONGER CATHOLIC ARE:

No religious affiliation	35%
Christian (unspecified)	29%
Atheist/agnostic	14%
Protestant	9%
Other affiliation	8%
Mormon	1%
Jewish	1%

"A BELIEF IN GOD IS NECESSARY FOR MORALITY" - YES:

Silent Generation (1928-45)	62%
Baby Boomers (1946-64)	49%
Gen X (1965-80)	43%
Millenials (1981-96)	29%

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As a parish we are going to do a Lenten almsgiving collection for Little Sisters of the Poor / St. Joseph's Home for the Elderly in Palatine, IL.

Please, drop off your donation in the big blue bin in the Gathering Space of church or the Ministry Center.

They are requesting full sized Body Wash, Body Lotion, Kleenex, Canned Tuna, and Decaf Ground Coffee.

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All family members and friends are welcome to participate in this memorial Mass in honor of children, grandchildren and siblings now entrusted to God's loving care. Please know that you are not alone in your grief as you join other families in prayer for this special service.

The Mass will be held **Tuesday, April 30 at 7:00 P.M.** in the Chapel, Route 45 & W. Crystal Street, Mundelein. Parking is available behind the Rectory and in the Lake Street Parking Lot.

There is no need to register or sign up. Just come and join us for the Mass. Refreshments and fellowship will follow the Liturgy in the gathering area. For additional information please call the Bereavement Ministry at 847 949-5260 or 847 949-5094.

St. Francis de Sales School Would Like You to Get on Board!

The School Board is looking for a few new individuals to join us beginning in the 2019-2020 School Year. The goal of the Board is to help the school reach its goals by providing advice and counsel related to strategic and financial planning, new initiatives, communication and mission enhancement. If you are interested in learning more about this great way to support the parish school, please contact Mike Muir at mcmuir10@gmail.com.

RENEWING OUR WORSHIP Liturgy Basics

a Six-Part Series for Catechesis and Faith Formation

presented by D. Todd Williamson

Tuesday Evenings, May 7 - June 11, 2019

7:00 - 9:00pm

St Mary of Vernon at the John P Finnegan Parish Center
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This six-part series is designed for all who are involved in the preparation of parish liturgies, for liturgical ministers, and for those interested in renewing their understanding of and appreciation for the Church's Liturgy. The speakers will present the many aspects of liturgy that make it the "source and summit" of the life of the Church.

- A Catholic Understanding of Liturgy
- Word of the Lord
- Lift Up Your Hearts
- The Seasons and Feasts, Year After Year
- Praising God in Song - Guest Presenter Wendy Silhavy, Senior Coordinator of Liturgies and Music for ODW
- Mystery Takes Form: Holy Things for People

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Questions: Maureen Evers meyers@maryofvernon.org



Friday, March 1

Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

is held at St. Francis de Sales every First Friday immediately following the 8:30am Mass, and continuing until 4pm. Eucharistic Adoration honors the special presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist. Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is a profession of faith in the real bodily presence of Jesus. One of the best ways to look at prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is to see it as an extension of Holy Communion. Our souls are fed and our minds and wills are strengthened and given light, that we may go about the tasks of our daily lives.



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 Sacrament. - taken from the USCCB website

Saturday, Mar 2

9:15am

Join the Knights of Columbus as they pray the Rosary after daily mass



Vicariate I ABC Deanery Ministry Commission Presents

FORMATION & TRAINING FOR New Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

presented by Rev. Bradley A Zamora,
Director of Liturgy, University of St Mary of the Lake

Saturday, April 13, 2019

8:30am Registration - 9am-Noon Training

St Joseph Church, Koenig Center | 121 E Maple Avenue, Libertyville

This preparation session will focus on:

- The Ministry of Eucharist: Our Baptismal Call to Ministry
- A Theology of Eucharist as Celebrated in the Roman Catholic Tradition
- Rooted in scripture and the early Church, through the Second Vatican Council
- Historical aspects of our celebration of Eucharist in practice and devotion
- Review of the Liturgy of the Eucharist and how our ministry as EOM's "fits"
- Questions and Answers

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Questions? Contact Maureen Evers at meyers@maryofvernon.org

a followup session will take place in your parish that will include a practicum on the particular practices for distribution of the Eucharist. This Training meets the Archdiocesan requirements for mandation or remandation.

The Koenig Center entrance is on E Maple Ave, east of the church and before the school. Off-street parking and rear entrance to the Koenig Center are accessible from E Hurlbert Ct. and the Center is handicapped accessible.

Vicariate I ABC Deanery Ministry Commission Presents

PROCLAIMING THE WORD NEW LECTOR TRAINING

presented by Maureen Evers
Pastoral Associate, St Mary of Vernon

Saturday, April 13, 2019

8:30am Registration - 9am-Noon Training

St Joseph Church, Koenig Center | 121 E Maple Avenue, Libertyville

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March 26, 2019

CHURCH BUS PILGRIMAGE

St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church, Queen of Angels Catholic Church, and St. Matthias Catholic Church in Chicago



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Life Line Screening Event

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, is pleased to offer a preventive health event at St. Francis de Sales Catholic Parish on **May 8, 2019 in Valker Hall**. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. There are three ways to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call toll-free 1-888-653-6441 or visit <http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle> or text the word circle to 797979

LOOK AT WHAT Religious Education is up to!

For the last couple weeks, our 2nd graders really dove into the Eucharist! In preparation for their 1st Communion, we learned how they are like Jesus' disciples who also celebrated their 1st Communion with Jesus... at the Last Supper... which was the first mass ever celebrated!!! Pretty cool, right?



Whatchya doing this summer?

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



St. Francis de Sales CATHOLIC PARISH Religious Education

TOTUS TUUS Summer Youth Camp

June 17-21, 2019

We are EXCITED to offer this summer program once again! During the week, children will participate in four classes each day, attend daily Mass, learn the Mass parts and liturgical songs, participate in games, icebreakers, skits, songs, recess, and prayer.

The Mission of Totus Tuus is to inspire in young people a true longing for holiness, a deep desire for conversion, and a personal renewal within the context of a stronger prayer life. Through evangelization and catechesis, Totus Tuus to foster openness to the sacrifices and blessings of the various Christian vocations.

WHO: Children entering grades 1-6 in September 2019

COST: \$25.00 per child for a full week // \$5.00 per child for a single day

WHERE: St. Francis de Sales Parish

Registration forms are available at the Ministry Center 847.438.6622 or register, please visit:

<http://g.tinyurl.com/TotusTuusSFdS>

† Mass Schedule †

Monday, April 29

8:30 - Intention for Police Officers and Firefighters
 8:30 - Souls in Purgatory
 8:30 - Kitty and Ed Dembski

Tuesday, April 30

7:00 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
 7:00 - Intention for Persecuted Christians
 7:00 - Intention for Jennifer Hicks

Wednesday, May 1

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 - Intention for Bob Parr

Noon - Don and Marie Lydon

Thursday, May 2

7:00 - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
 7:00 - John Thomas Ryan

Friday, May 3

8:30 - Intention of Charlene Johnstone
 8:30 - Intention for Barbara Schlosser
 8:30 - Don Lydon, Req by Bereavement Ministry

Saturday, May 4

8:30 - Intention of U.S. Veterans
 8:30 - Intention of Those Missing in Action, Prisoners of War,
 and Refugees of War
 8:30 - Ray and Diane Pelelas

5:00 - The Success of Alpha, Req by Pam and Ray Urban
 5:00 - Hank Paulus, Req by Charlenbe Stasko
 5:00 - Intention for Nicole Woodhead
 5:00 - Eugene Gawalek, Req by family
 5:00 - Mary and Joseph Gruber, Req by family

Sunday, May 5

6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk
 6:30 - Intention for Robert Morcocchio
 6:30 - Genevieve Wiser, Req by Will and Linda Bolssens

8:00 - Pat McGuan, Req by loving family
 8:00 - Charles and Lorian McGinty, Req by Snider family
 8:00 - Intention for Sarah Gramse, Req by the Hartley family
 8:00 - Mark Wilk, Req by Hartley family
 8:00 - Lt. Dick Cole

9:30 - Hank Paulus, Req by Peter and Tricia Hupperich
 9:30 - Casey Vanderbosch
 9:30 - Charles Kaufmann
 9:30 - Boyd Farmer
 9:30 - Andsen Johnston
 9:30 - Louise and Patrick Ryan

11:00 - Woody Palmer, Req by Martin Schuett
 11:00 - Mr and Mrs David Harris, Req by Martin Schuett
 11:00 - Ada Evangelista (Month's Mind Mass)

12:30 - Intention for Nicole Woodhead
 12:30 - Jean Stom in Memory of the 9th Anniversary of
 Eternal Life. Forever loved. Forever remembered,
 Love, Mom, Dad, Sayra Stom
 12:30 - Intention for Mary Monti
 12:30 - Dolores Hardison

5:00 - Intention for Life Teen Youth Ministry & the People
 of St. Francis de Sales Parish
 5:00 - Vito and Anna Ursini, Req by their daughter
 5:00 - Judy Reilly

Wedding Banns

Emily Murray & Chris Molsen (2)

*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 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.

- Yvonne Dyer** (mother to Susan Laudick)
- Dean Smith** (father to Debi Anderson)
- Robert Mersch** (cousin to a parishioner)
- Isabelle Hoffman** (mother to Nicole (Sam) Makhlof)
- Larry Steker** (parishioner)
- Arnold Tetens** (father to Kathy Burek)
- Eugene Mizerka** (husband to Patricia)
- Bobbi Sfire** (wife to Deacon John)
- Mary Monti** (grandmother to Christopher)
- Michael Collins** (parishioner)
- Linda Kalteux** (friend to Gary and Sandy Swaik)
- Anna Kroll** (mother to Malinka Foss)
- Melissa Cimaglio** (daughter of Marilu Kust)
- Cathy Chiarelli** (wife to John)
- Katie Norek** (wife to Bill)
- Nancy Morrissey** (mother to Lisa (Tim) Jordan)
- Amanda Wilk** (daughter to Mitchell and Barbara)
- Donnelle Caulder** (friend to Diane Whetter)
- Janet Whetter** (mother to Diane)

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

Charlene Johnstone, 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, Carolyn Fox, Kevin Kleine, Jane Polnaszek-Gray, Kendall Urban, Patrick Rams, Marlys Marie Williamson, Cheryl Jonelis, Kristy Williams, Nancy Grasso, Barb Grabarek, Alyssa Matney, Beatrice Flitman, Chris Koster, Brian Ford, Lydia Oliver, Morgan Naczi, Dwayne Shepherd, 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 Jiménez, Sam Orlando, Tripp Buckman, Milton Jerard, Lisa Friebus, Nicole Humlicek, Bruce Dille

† In Sympathy †

- Cecilia Solecki** (parishioner)
- Robert Mersch** (cousin to a parishioner)
- Della Belensky** (mother to Bernadette (Edward) Toczyski)
- Theresa Dilenge** (family member of Goo family)
- Frances Davern** (mother to Mike (Sandy) Davern)
- LaVerne Jokerst** (mother to Rod (Paula) Jokerst)
- Ada Evangelista** (friend to John Uriell)



MINISTRY OF CARE SERVICE

April 29 - May 5, 2019

Lexington: April 29 - Presider: Fr. Ryan (Sub: Fran Farruggio), Bob Allard, Patti Rusch, Phil Surdynski*, Sub: TBD

Good Shepherd: April 30 - Kathy Duggan / May 2 - TBD / May 4 - Delores Mark, Aleyce Baca / May 5 - Aleyce Baca, John Ergastolo, Eileen Glazik

Cedar Lake: May 4 - Fran Farruggio

LZ Meadows: May 1 - Cindy Gauvreau

Azpira Place: May 4 - Pam Urban

Silverado: May 3 - Denise Haire

EMMAUS HOUSE OF HOSPITALITY COMMUNITY DINNER

Every Sunday Night

6-7:30pm in Fr. Valker Hall

For more information visit www.emmaus-house.org

MAY

Linda Iverson | lindamarie441@gmail.com

JUNE

Mariann Gorman | marianngorman@sbcglobal.net

Kathleen Johnson | kathleenjohnson1@earthlink.net

Please help out Emmaus House by donating your clean plastic grocery bags! Bags may be dropped off in Fr. Valker Hall at any time. Thank you!

saint snippets

Be who God meant you to be, and you will set the world on fire.

St. Catherine of Siena
Dominican theologian who had great influence in the Church in the 14th century; patroness of fire prevention and of those ridiculed for their faith

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April 29

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

Molly's Adopt a Sailor

WE SHIP LOVE

Sending a little bit of "home"
 in every package

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

Terrence Cullinan: Stationed in Iraq, Nephew of Mary Layton
Al Stroh: U.S. Air Force, Stationed in Iraq, Friend of Sharon Anderson
Larry Herrera: 5th Deployment, Stationed in Afghanistan, Friend of Susan Wilberding
Stephen Morris: Great Nephew of Annette Feller
First Lt. Richard Evans: 1-504 Brigade of the 82nd Division of The Army Airborne, 3rd Deployment to Iraq, Nephew of Raymond & Deanna Clutts
Captain Jason Finkeneller: U.S. Army, Deployed to Taji Iraq North of Baghdad, Nephew of Robert & Irene Louis
Matthew Schrock: II National Guard, Stationed in Afghanistan, Nephew of Steve & Joan Schultz
Staff Sgt. Andrew Pelc: Stationed in Iraq, Friend of the Glazik Family
L Cpl Edward Mc Donough: U.S. Marines, Deployed to Afghanistan Cousin of Susan Pflaumer
Major Jon Zachary: Redeployed to Afghanistan, Son of Frank Zachary
Staff Sgt. James Stonehouse: U.S. Marines, Deployed Overseas, Nephew of Joe & Diane Collins
Commander Colleen Glaser-Allen: U.S. Navy, Stationed in Japan, Cousin of Mary Margaret Matuga
Cpt. Bryan Marone: U.S. Army, Deployed to Afghanistan, 2 Previous Deployments to Iraq, Husband to Melissa
Major Joseph Andresky: U.S. Air Force, Stationed in Washington, D.C., Nephew of Laurie & Mike Sweeney and Patti & Steve Yellin
Michael Scott Guzy: U.S. Marines, Stationed in Pensacola, FL, Grandson of Dee Guzy & Nephew of Megan Bajor
Lt. Kristopher LoveKamp: E.O.D.: U.S. Navy, Stationed in Niceville, FL, Cousin to Fr. David F. Ryan
Captain Michael Vyn: U.S. Air Force, 5th Deployment to Kuwait, Grandson to Marie Fries
Commander Cory Rosenberg: U.S. Marines, Deployed to Afghanistan, Brother-in-Law of Angie Kula
L. Cpl. Cameron Kasmar: U.S.M.C., 2nd deployment to Afghanistan Boy Scout Troop 927 Eagle Scout
Captain Christopher Aument: U.S. Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, CA, Grandson of Barb & Bill Donnan
Lance Corporal Allan Borowick: Stationed in Afghanistan, Friend of Mary Margaret Matuga
L. Cpl. Brandon Helm: U.S. Marines, Stationed in Afghanistan, Nephew of Ric & Diane Bloch
L. Cpl. Scott Johnson: U.S. Marine Corps, Deployed to Afghanistan, Friend of Kathleen Guzy
Bradley Vicciollo: Stationed in Japan, Nephew of Parishioner
Private First Class Blake Sieben: Stationed in Fort Lewis, WA, Son of Paul and Pamela Sieben
Sgt. Nicholas Raeff: U.S. Marines, Nephew of Anne and Russ Parsons 4th Class Midshipman Lindsey Moritz; Annapolis, MD; Daughter of Dan and Kim Moritz, Niece of Don and Tina Murray
Thomas Corcoran: Boatswain Mate 2nd Class, U.S. Coast Guard Station, Washington, D.C., Son of Terrence and Christine Corcoran
Major Eric Penney: U.S. Air Force, Stationed at Altus Air Force Base, Oklahoma, Son of Wayne & Linda Penney
PFC Nicholas Whitman: U.S. Marine Corps, Son of Renee Whitman, Grandson to Penny Whitman
Sgt. Lucas Jokisch: Illinois National Guard, 4th Tour of Duty, 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

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

Sgt. 1st Class Alex Tirabasso: U.S. Army Special Forces, Nephew to Phil and Yolanda Struzel

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 Norfolk, VA as air traffic controller on USS Eisenhower, 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

Pvt 1st Class Brandon Mahute, PFC Robert Mahute, Alex Gozzola, 1st Lt. Timothy Kirshner, Lt. Col. Joseph Thill, 1st Lt. Josh Bell, Navy Petty Officer Nicholas Thill, Sgt. 1st Class Linsey Roland, Lt. David Benning, Spc. Rogers Ramirez, Captain Matthew J. White, Private Joseph Grimmig, Adam Colon, Timothy Krajewski, Col. Vince O'Connor, CPO Guy Hetterling, Capt. Kristen Brockman, Spc. Joseph J. Muraeskis, PFC John McGinley, Sgt. Sabrina Scarselletti-Derhammer, Matt Brown, Private Todd Jackson, Lt. J.G. Daniel Gackowski, Jeff Austin, Bryan Broyles, L Cpl Conor Camicia, Aaron Cornelius, Col. Daniel Klippstein, Joe Little, S.S. John M. Butler, Staff Sgt. Scott Sloss, Sgt. Joe Basgall, Tom Mahoney, Spec. Sean Anthony Whippo, Lt. Jack Connor, Private Michael Szydelko, Staff Stg. Rod Jacobs, Cdr. Mike Sheedy, Airman Joshua Emmons, S. Sgt. Brad Ginn, Sgt. Sarah Leigh Forgey, Petty Officer Stephen McKean, E4 Jonathan Mele, Michael McGarry, Alec M. Brown, Capt. Bryan Blackburn, 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, Amie Maychszak

LAKE COUNTY 
**VETERANS AND
 FAMILY SERVICES**
 FOUNDATION

Veterans and their families can take advantage of Veterans Administration and other helpful resources by connecting with the Lake County Veterans and Family Services representative and parishioner, Bob Gorman.

Bob can be reached at (847) 322-5176, or email at robertegorman@sbcglobal.net.

Financial Report from Business Office

2018-19 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

July	\$138,757	Christmas (2018) ... \$214,349
August	\$131,091	Christmas (2017)\$192,800
September ..	\$131,200	Christmas (2016)\$224,463
October.....	\$117,248	
November...	\$117,500	Easter (2017)\$159,887
December...	\$132,238	Easter (2018)\$112,270
January	\$125,107	
February	\$119,840	Our Lady of Tepeyac
		Sharing Parish.....\$30,711
		Karoline Choir
		(Uganda)\$2,734

SPECIAL APPEALS

Little Sisters of the Poor (2018)	\$11,826
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2018)	\$10,173
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2016)	\$7,512
Holy Family Food Pantry (2016)	\$7,971
Little Sisters of the Poor (2016)	\$22,700
Lake Zurich High School Choir (2015)	\$2,827
Eagle Scout Projects (2015)	\$2,769
Molly's Adopt A Sailor (2014-15)	\$3,259
Lenten Collection for Ghana (2014)	\$15,189
Community Flood Relief (2013)	\$26,554
Southern IL Tornado Relief (2012)	\$31,302
LZHS Choir Trip to Vatican (2012-13)	\$23,480
Eagle Scout Projects (2012-13)	\$8,177
5 Seminarians to India (2008)	\$8,000

ARCHDIOCESE REQUIRED SECOND COLLECTIONS: JULY 1, 2017 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2018

Hurricane Harvey Help	\$21,946	2015 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$227,145
Project Kashalala Lake Victoria	\$18,630	2016 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$259,096
Hurricanes Irma and Maria Help	\$4,081	2017 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$298,802

Parish Debt to the Archdiocese: \$0

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 Community Statistics: July 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019

Registered Families	4,530	Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers.....	186
*Registered Families in 1949	94	Teen Eucharistic Ministers	29
Parish School Students.....	320	Ministers of Care	139
		Ushers.....	32
		Cross Bearers.....	8
		Sacristans	12
		Altar Servers	100
		Adult Lectors	65
		Teen / Child Lectors	11 / 18
		Prayer Shawl Ministers	32

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS

Preschool / Kindergarten	30
Grade School	356
Middle School.....	157
Home Study	29
SPRED	6
Children's Catechumenate	13

YOUTH MINISTRY STUDENTS

Confirmation (Registration Pending)	
1st Year Program	134
2nd Year Program	131
Peer Ministers	50

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms	104
Marriages	22
Marriage Anniversary Blessings.....	28
Funerals	63
First Communion.....	1
Confirmation.....	135
First Confession	135
Received into the Church.....	0

May 4 & 5, 2019

	CELEBRANT	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	LECTORS	CROSS BEARERS ALTAR SERVERS	GREETERS
SATURDAY 5PM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Gene Bader Bob Kopfer Mary Tinkham Tami Anderson Pam Urban Gloria Bakken Kim Stratman Raymond Urban Kathy Duggan	Renee McBride Jeff Misak	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Jia Anderson Abby Blanchette Isabella Holaday	
SUNDAY 6:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Jim Gill Katie Bielski Gary Radwanski Therese Wegner Cheryl Elish Rick Elish Tony Pfeifer	Bob Christian	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Jennifer Bukowski Julia Bukowski	Jim Gill
SUNDAY 8AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Gerri Gaj Scott McConnell John Ergastolo Ann Marie McConnell Pam Harchut Mary Flanagan Irene Goldthwaite Denise Gaffney Sue Arvidson	John Baczek Dianne Rose	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Marco Bruno Baileigh Hannah Grace McConnell	Sherry Otto Gerri Gaj
SUNDAY 9:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Steven Knipp Katie Forsberg Phil Pace Dana Petraglia Buddy Wright Tim Lawson Ann Knipp Brigitta Omiatek Laurie Wright Judy Filek Jo Anderson	Samantha Cranstoun Carrie Gruber	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Annabelle Pinto Lauren Pinto Sean Sullivan	Pecora Family
SUNDAY 11AM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon George Flaherty	Bob Heiderman Holly Smigleski Helen Cawley Dolores Mark Natalie Warkenthien George Flaherty Janet Daniels Laurie Haas Mary Kalafut	Brad Schaefer Kevin Horcher	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Elena Labuda Keely Nuzzo Ashley Ribordy	Erin & Shannon Jessen
SUNDAY 12:30PM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon George Flaherty	Harry Cione Pam Postlewaite Bobbie Jo Carr Henry Zobel George Flaherty Edgar Garcia Delia Kavanaugh	Jacqueline Kuhn	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Liam Luby Anna Roscoe	Mary Manson
SUNDAY 5:00PM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon George Flaherty	Joanne Smith Adrienne Virgilio David Nolan Maureen McGowan George Flaherty Mimi McGlauchlin Cindy McGowan	Dylan Smith	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.sfrancisparish.org for information.

PARISH LEADERSHIP CHAIRPERSONS

Finance Council Chair, Michael Carlino (847)438-3260
School Board Chair, Bob Quast..... (847)909-9088
 robert.quast@comcast.net
Parish Pastoral Council Chair, Thomas Purtell..... (847)304-5574
Parish School Principal, Kyle Schmit..... (847)726-4826

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

Chairperson, James Bataglia (PPC) (847)462-0818
Adult Faith Formation, Fr. David Ryan..... (847)726-4723
Annulment Information, Fr. David Ryan..... (847)726-4723
Baptismal Prep Program
 Maureen Kowalski (847)975-2260, rmkowalski@ameritech.net
 Erin Jessen (847)438-0830, jessen1111@comcast.net
Convalidation (Blessing) of Civil Marriage, Fr. David Ryan.. (847)726-4723
Great Bible Adventure,
 Kelley Gries..... (847)438-7050
 Pam Urban (847)382-7619
Children's Catechumenate, Mimi McGlauchlin..... (847)726-4850
Eucharistic Adoration
 Denise Alianello (847)726-1307
 Lillian Shuffy (847)682-4555
Intentional Discipleship, Judy Reilly (630)338-7543
Liturgical Ministries, Fr. David Ryan (847)726-4723
Altar Servers, Fr. David Ryan (847)726-4723
Child Lectors (Grades 6-8), Cindy Blank (847)924-7876
Crossbearer, Laurie Haas (847)726-4840
Environment & Art, Mary Ann Kwasek..... (847)438-5751
Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers, Deacon Bob Arvidson.... (847)438-2935
Greeters, Sherry Otio..... (847)438-2782
Lectors
 Cindy Blank (847)924-7876
 Jacqueline Kuhn (847)269-8342
Music, Patricia Stewart (847)726-4720
Sacristans, Irene Goldthwaite (847)438-4260
Ushers
 Kevin Wegner (847)438-3161
 Anthony Baca (771)773-6968
St. Peregrine Prayer Service, Dena & Jim Battaglia (847)462-0818
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)
 Stewart Tanakatsubo (224)475-7919
 Fr. David F. Ryan (847)726-4723
Rosary Ministry, Joe Armagno..... (847)550-6139
Rosary Ministry, Lexington, Dolores Miller (847)650-3331
Rosary Ministry, Silverado, OPEN
Vocations, Fr. David Ryan (847)726-4723

CONFIRMATION

Life Teen Confirmation/Youth Ministry, Pam Lynch, M.A (847)726-4862
 Cathy Chiarelli..... (847)726-4842
Life Teen Youth Ministry Music, Josh Goodman (757)814-1191
Confirmation, Adult Program, Christine DePrez..... (847)436-2265

CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Chairperson, Pam Lynch, M.A. (PPC) (847)726-4862
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 robert.quast@comcast.net
PTO - School Liaison, Susan Johnson sfspto.sl@gmail.com
Athletic Board
 Jeff Kinsey (Chair) (847)736-1943
 Jim Ronayne..... (847)540-8163

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 Tom Purtell..... (847) 304-5574 (PPC Chair)
Building & Grounds, Hank Paulus (847)438-2294, Deacon John Sfire
Collection Counters, Laura Angelini (847)726-4747
Finance Council, Michael Carlino (847)438-3260
Business Manager, Laura Angelini (847)726-4747

HUMAN CONCERNS

Chairperson, John Ergastolo (PPC) (847)726-7746
Care Ministries, Fr. David Ryan (847)726-4723
 Dana Petraglia (847)471-0726
Homebound Ministry of Care Visits
 Kevin Wegner (847)438-3161
 Frank Dodds..... (847)438-5128
Angels of Mercy (Friendly visitors, medicine/grocery pickup, meals, drivers to Church/hospital appointments)
Drivers, Tami Anderson (847)726-4712
Meals, Mary Lahr..... (847)382-1308
Friendly Visitors to Lexington, Marianne Bailey..... (847)550-9463
Cancer Support/Sharing, Mary Manson..... (847)382-3051
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
Prayer Shawl Ministry, Lisa Warren (847)540-8654
Meals on Wheels Volunteer Drivers: Molly Ergastolo (847)867-1179
Meal Sign-up: Intake at Catholic Charities..... (847)546-5733
Molly's Adopt-A-Sailor, Cathy Chiarelli..... (847)726-4842
National Alliance on Mental Illness Chapter, Teri Latter (847)809-6038
Pastoral Counseling Services..... Open Position
Safety and Security Ministry, Joseph Pasquesi (847)726-9550
Covenant Ministries, Stewart Tanakatsubo (PPC) (224)475-7919
Emmaus House Ministry, Brian Pozzi..... (516)658-2089
Gift of Love, Jane Clery (847)370-8933
Jubilee Garden, Sharon Fredrickson..... (847)643-6633
St. Vincent de Paul Society, George Stewart (847)726-4890
Food Pantry, Kathleen Murray (847)726-4890, www.svdplz.org
Coats Collection, Judy Reilly (630)338-7543
Clean Jeans Drive, Tammy Cunnion..... (224)475-8447
Back to School Backpack Drive, Sherry Otto (847)438-2782

COMMUNITY LIFE

Chairperson, Patricia Linares (PPC) (847)550-1053
Knights of Columbus, Past Grand Knight and Trustee
 Paul Latter (847)809-0476
Knights of Columbus, Past Grand Knight and First Trustee
 Stewart Tanakatsubo (224)475-7919
Knights of Columbus, Grand Knight of Council #3954
 Thomas Wolter (847)847-7329
Knights of Columbus, Past Grand Knight and Membership Chairman
 Curley Strack..... (847)550-0388
Men's Retreat, Frank Johnstone (847)438-7979
Our Lady of Tepeyac, Patricia & Marcos Linares (847)550-1053
Welcoming, Jodie Shield..... (312)305-6503
Women's Retreat, Rose Weismann..... (847)975-8005

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- Mr. Robert Arvidson, M.A.P.C., M.B.A. Deacon
- Mr. George Flaherty, B. Pharm, R.Ph..... Deacon
- Mr. John Sfire Deacon
- Mr. Kyle Schmitt, M.A.T., M.A.Ed. Principal of the Parish School
- Mrs. Theresa GromAssistant Principal of the Parish School
- Ms. Mimi McGlauchlin Coordinator of Religious Education
- Mrs. Patricia Stewart Director of Liturgical Music
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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

5pm Vigil, 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11 am, 12:30pm, & 5pm Masses

WEEKDAYS

- Monday** | 8:30am Mass
- Tuesday & Thursday** | 7am Mass
- Wednesday** | 8:30am & Noon Masses
- Friday** | 8:30am Mass
- Saturday** | 8:30am Mass,
5pm Vigil Mass (*Fulfills Sunday Obligation*)

HOLY DAYS

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

