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FIRST SUNDAY

OF
Advent

Watch therefore: you do not know
when the lord of the house is coming,
whether in the evening, or at midnight,
or at cockcrow, or in the morning.

Mark 13:35

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December 1, 2019

**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL
PARISH FIX-IT TOGETHER CAMPAIGN**



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, December 1: First Sunday of Advent; World AIDS Awareness Day

- **Mass:** 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm — Church
- **Rite of Acceptance RCIA Mass:** 9:30am — Church
- **Emmaus House Community:** 6pm — Fr Walker Hall

Monday, December 2

- **Mass:** 8:30am — Church
- **Yoga:** 9:30am — Ministry Center
- **RE Classes (Grades 1-5):** 4:15 - 5:30pm — Parish School
- **Castle Leader Meeting:** 6:30pm — Ministry Center
- **EDGE Night:** 6:30-8pm — Ministry Center
- **PTO Meeting:** 6:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Brownie Troop Meeting:** 6:30-7:30pm — Fr Walker Hall
- **Athletic Board Meeting:** 7pm — Ministry Center

Tuesday, December 3: St. Francis Xavier

- **Mass:** 7am — Church
- **Bereavement Meeting:** 2-4pm — Ministry Center
- **RE Classes (Grades 1-5):** 4:15 - 5:30pm — Parish School
- **NAM:** 6pm — Ministry Center
- **SPRED:** 6-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Parish Council Meeting:** 6pm — Ministry Center
- **Alpha:** 6:30-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **EDGE Night:** 6:30-8pm — Ministry Center
- **RCIA:** 7-9:30pm — Church Gathering Space
- **Boy Scouts Pack Meeting:** 7:30-9pm — Fr Walker Hall

Wednesday, December 4: St. John Damascene

- **Mass:** 8:30am & Noon — Church
- **St John Paul II Monstrance Pilgrimage:** 9am — Church
- **Mass with Fr Ryan:** 1:30pm @ Silverado
- **RE Classes (Grades 1-5):** 4:15 & 6:15pm — Parish School
- **SPRED:** 7pm — Ministry Center
- **Choir Rehearsal:** 7-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Adore:** 7-8pm — Fr Walker Hall

Thursday, December 5

- **Mass:** 7am — Church
- **Candy Cane Corner:** 8am-2pm — Fr Walker Hall
- **Alpha:** 9-11am — Ministry Center
- **Youth Choir Rehearsal:** 4:45-6pm — Ministry Center
- **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 6-7:15pm — Ministry Center
- **Cub Scouts Pack Meeting:** 6:30pm — Fr Walker Hall
- **Baptismal Prep Meeting:** 6:30-9:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Handbells:** 7-8:30pm — Church

Friday, December 6: St. Nicholas; First Friday

- **Mass:** 8:30am — Church
- **Art & Environment:** 9am — Church
- **Gift of Love Drop-off:** 9am-8pm — Ministry Center

Saturday, December 7: St. Ambrose; First Saturday; Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

- **Mass:** 8:30am, 5pm Vigil — Church
- **Gift of Love Drop-off:** 9am-8pm — Ministry Center
- **Confession:** 11am — Church
- **Castle Leader Training:** 11am-2pm — Ministry Center
- **Our Lady Tepyac Distribution:** 4:30-6:30pm — Fr Walker Hall

Sunday, December 8: Second Sunday of Advent

- **Mass:** 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm — Church
- **Gift of Love Drop-off & Pickup:** 8am-4pm — Ministry Center
- **Children's Catechumenate Rite of Acceptance & Reception:** 9:30am Mass — Church & Fr Walker Hall
- **Preschool/Kindergarten:** 9:30am — Parish School
- **1st Year Confirmation Class:** 3-4:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Emmaus House Community:** 6pm — Fr Walker Hall

This Weekend: November 30 & December 1, 2019

Tepeyac Tree Available
Art Card Sale

Next Weekend: December 7 & 8, 2019

2nd Collection: Retirement Fund for Religious

December 1, 2019: First Sunday of Advent

"Whoever has Jesus Christ in his heart will soon have Him
in all his outward ways." - St Francis de Sales

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — All the peoples shall stream toward the LORD's house (Isaiah 2:1-5).

Psalm — Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord (Psalm 122).

Second Reading — It is the hour to cast off the dark and clothe ourselves in the light (Romans 13:11-14).

Gospel — Stay awake! Be prepared! The Son of Man will come when you least expect (Matthew 24:37-44).

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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11
Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37
Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31
Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6; Mt 9:35 — 10:1
Sunday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

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HOPEFUL EXPECTATION

Our liturgical year begins with the season of Advent—a time of hopeful expectation of the coming of the Lord. On the First Sunday of Advent we look forward to the end of time when we will awaken to the dawn of Christ's new day.

Today we hear Isaiah speak of a day when God's power will have brought universal peace and God's Word will have instructed all people, radiating God's "light" (teachings) into all of human society. Only when humanity walks "in the light of the LORD" (Isaiah 2:5), when all people desire to be instructed "in [God's] ways" (Isaiah 2:3), will the world be set aright and our deepest longings fulfilled. The reading from Romans calls us to "awake from sleep" for this final "day is at hand" (Romans 13:11, 12). Together this Sunday's scriptures proclaim our Christian faith that Jesus is the One who will finally come to fulfill God's plan of salvation.

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



GROWING DISCIPLES

Happy New Year!

Today begins the 2020 New Liturgical Year. Wake up. Holiness is possible. Each day try creating a holy moment. Focus on being the person God created you to be: the best version of yourself. Do what you feel God is calling you to do in that moment. This Advent prepare the way of the Lord with holy moments.

Excerpts from *Rediscover Jesus*.
Matthew Kelly.

Questions? Please e-mail
growdisciples12@gmail.com

St Francis de Sales Mom's Group

St. Francis Mom's Group is a place for mother's of young children to gather and grow in faith and fellowship. No matter if you are brand new or a Mom's Group regular, we would love for you to join us!

Christmas Cookie Exchange

Join us for cookies! Bring along a batch of your favorite Christmas cookies and an empty container to take new ones home. We will also be discussing ways we can grow during Advent and how to help our kids understand the true meaning of Christmas.

Thursday, December 12th from 9:30-11am
Gathering Space in St. Francis de Sales Church

Kids are welcome, babysitting will be available.
Light refreshments and coffee/tea provided.

There will be no 4th Thursday meeting due to Christmas

With questions please contact Stephanie Tanner
at steph.tanner26@gmail.com

**St. Francis de Sales Parish
Statements of Financial Position
June 30, 2019 and 2018**

	2019	2018
Assets:		
Cash - operating account	\$ 547,294	\$ 332,105
Cash - savings accounts	\$ 617,307 ¹	\$ 1,033,816
Cash - auxilliary accounts	\$ 160,194 ²	\$ 143,807
Cash - FIX IT Campaign	\$ 164,019 ³	\$ 712,075
Parish Education Endowment Fund	\$ 112,835 ⁴	\$ 114,448
Receivables	\$ -	\$ 19,506
Other	\$ 45,941	\$ 14,114
	Total assets	\$ 2,369,871
	\$ 1,647,591	\$ 2,369,871
Liabilities:		
Unpaid bills and other liabilities	\$ 72,461	\$ 81,359
Tuition and fees collected for next year	\$ 20,999	\$ 52,390
Total liabilities	\$ 93,460	\$ 133,749
	\$ 93,460	\$ 133,749
Net assets:		
Temporarily restricted for specific use	\$ 794,192	\$ 1,356,305
Permanently restricted (endowment funds)	\$ 112,835	\$ 114,448
Unrestricted:		
Designated	\$ 160,194	\$ 138,857
Undesignated	\$ 486,910	\$ 626,430
	Total net assets	\$ 2,236,039
	\$ 1,554,131	\$ 2,236,039
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 1,647,591	\$ 2,369,788
	\$ 1,647,591	\$ 2,369,788

Footnotes:

1. Of this balance \$526,317 is not available for operating: \$334,067 restricted by donors, \$192,250 is a CD.
2. The funds in these accounts are currently not used for operating.
3. The funds are used for the FIX IT Capital Expenditures as outlined in the Campaign
4. The funds are helds at the Archdiocesean Bank and are an Endowment and not available for operating.

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FINANCE BOARD MEMBERS

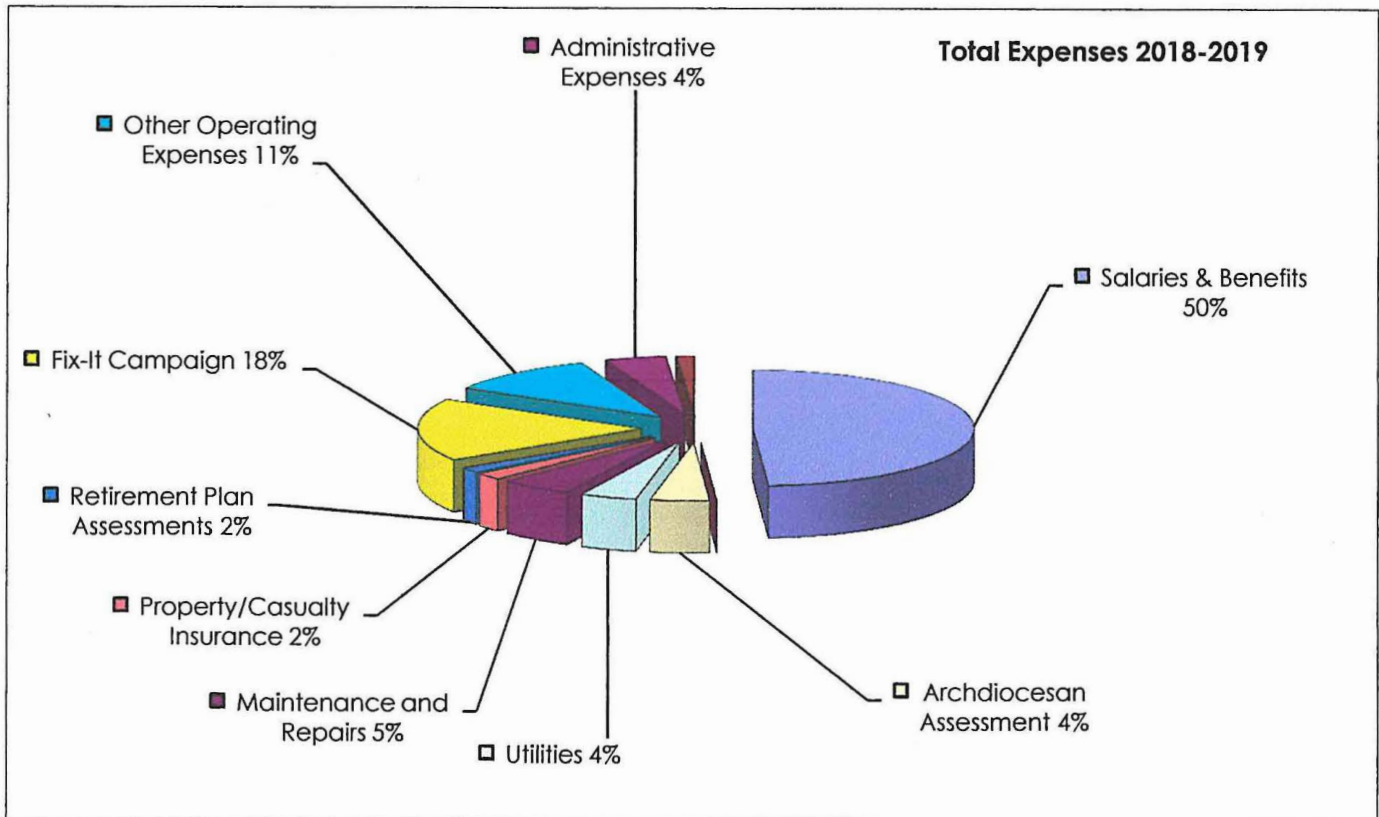
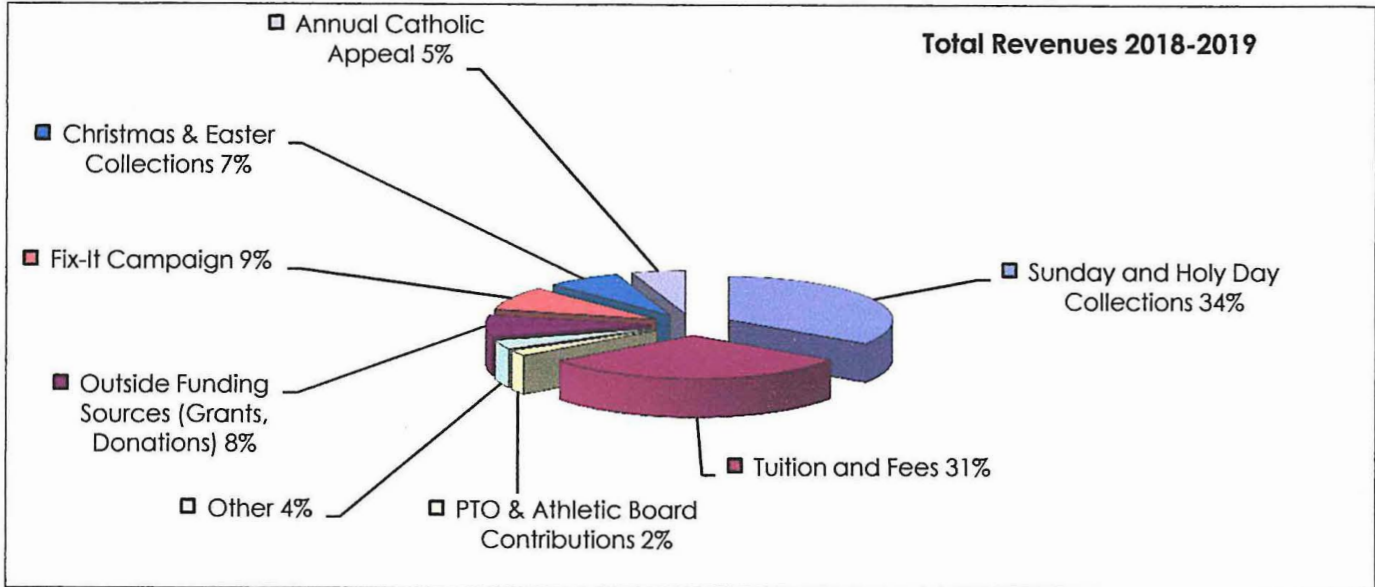
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St. Francis de Sales Parish
Statement of Parish Consolidated Revenues and Expenses
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019
With Comparative totals for 2018

	Parish	School	2019 Total	2018 Total
Revenues:				
Sunday and Holy Day Collections	\$ 1,499,904	\$ -	\$ 1,499,904	\$ 1,635,918
Christmas & Easter Collections	\$ 318,564	\$ -	\$ 318,564	\$ 305,094
Facilities & Maintenance Collections	\$ 10,366	\$ -	\$ 10,366	\$ 5,272
Tuition and Fees	\$ 169,522	\$ 1,167,741	\$ 1,337,263	\$ 1,347,811
PTO & Athletic Board Contributions	\$ 36,500	\$ 55,200	\$ 91,700	\$ 47,000
Interest Income	\$ 7,577	\$ 5,542	\$ 13,119	\$ 7,803
Fundraising	\$ 1,000	\$ 12,006	\$ 13,006	\$ 9,097
Outside Funding (Grants, Donations) & Auxiliaries	\$ 81,354	\$ 276,021	\$ 357,375	\$ 360,615
Fix-It Campaign Donations	\$ 390,971	\$ -	\$ 390,971	\$ 1,198,767
Annual Catholic Appeal Rebate	\$ 230,484	\$ -	\$ 230,484	\$ 298,802
Arch Required Collections	\$ 49,494	\$ -	\$ 49,494	\$ 94,936
Our Lady of Tepeyac Sharing Parish	\$ 26,281	\$ -	\$ 26,281	\$ 30,711
Extraordinary collections	\$ 71,862	\$ (1,613)	\$ 70,249	\$ 54,104
Total revenues	\$ 2,893,880	\$ 1,514,898	\$ 4,408,777	\$ 5,395,930
Expenses:				
Salaries & Benefits	\$ 814,612	\$ 1,743,995	\$ 2,558,606	\$ 2,402,461
Books and Supplies	\$ 33,385	\$ 38,195	\$ 71,580	\$ 77,253
Utilities	\$ 122,364	\$ 90,330	\$ 212,693	\$ 193,173
Maintenance and Repairs	\$ 137,560	\$ 135,725	\$ 273,285	\$ 276,690
Property/Casualty Insurance	\$ 54,656	\$ 47,526	\$ 102,182	\$ 99,841
Retirement Plan Assessments	\$ 74,220	\$ -	\$ 74,220	\$ 74,723
Administrative Expenses	\$ 83,838	\$ 72,646	\$ 156,484	\$ 186,532
Technology & Equipment	\$ 12,800	\$ 27,050	\$ 39,850	\$ 37,647
Altar and Liturgical Supplies	\$ 33,982	\$ -	\$ 33,982	\$ 33,659
Interest Expense on Loans	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Archdiocesan Assessment	\$ 212,052	\$ 9,222	\$ 221,274	\$ 223,792
Auxiliaries & Other	\$ 155,108	\$ 130,950	\$ 286,058	\$ 273,604
Fix-It Campaign Expenditures	\$ 913,551	\$ -	\$ 913,551	\$ 719,690
Arch Required Collections	\$ 49,494	\$ -	\$ 49,494	\$ 94,936
Our Lady of Tepeyac Sharing Parish	\$ 26,281	\$ -	\$ 26,281	\$ 30,711
Extraordinary expenses	\$ 71,144	\$ -	\$ 71,144	\$ 47,341
Total expenses	\$ 2,795,047	\$ 2,295,639	\$ 5,090,686	\$ 4,772,052
Excess (deficiency) of Total revenues over expenses, June 30, 2019	\$ 98,832	\$ (780,741)	\$ (681,909)	\$ 623,878

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

St. Francis de Sales Parish Chart of Revenues and Expenses June 30, 2019



Mental Health First Aid Training Session

Mental Health First Aid training was held on Wednesday, October 30th and Wednesday, November 6th, from 1pm to 5pm at the Ministry Center. This training was provided by the Lake County Health Department and Community Health Center and is coordinated by the National Council for Behavioral Health, the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, and the Missouri Department of Mental Health. Mental Health First Aid USA is coordinated by the National Council for Behavioral Health, the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, and the Missouri Department of Mental Health. It was made possible by a grant from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), US Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

Mental Health First Aid teaches you to know how to help someone who is developing a mental health problem or experiencing a mental health crisis.

Topics covered:

- Depression and mood disorders
- Anxiety disorders
- Trauma
- Psychosis
- Substance use disorders

During the course, we learned how to apply the Mental Health First Aid action plan in a variety of situations, including, at Mass, a meeting, and/or on parish property, when someone is experiencing:

- Panic attacks
- Suicidal thoughts or behaviors
- Non-suicidal self-injury
- Acute psychosis (e.g., hallucinations or delusions)
- Overdose or withdrawal from alcohol or drug use
- Reaction to a traumatic event

We learned by getting involved with the material and relating to real life applications through discussion, scenarios, and other activities. These late hours of training was sponsored by the Lake County Health Department and Community Health Center in partnership with Saint Francis de Sales Catholic Church. participants had to attend both sessions in order to receive certification.

St Francis de Sales Ministry Center Staff Trained and Certified in 2019

	LZFD Stop the Bleed	LZFD CPR/ AED	LZFD First Aid	LCounty Mental Health
Fr. David Ryan	X	X	X	X
Tami Anderson	X	X	X	X
Laura Angelini	X	X	X	X
Cathy Chiarell	X	X	X	X
Traci Dahlinger	X	X	X	
Laurie Haas	X	X	X	
Karin Jurczak	X	X	X	X
Pam Lynch	X	X	X	X
Catherine McGlauchlin		X	X	X
Mimi McGlauchlin	X	X	X	X
Julie Morones	X	X	X	X
Jerry Perez	X	X		
Judy Reilly	X	X	X	X
Pat Stewart		X		X
Chris Tovar	X	X		
Bob Arvidson	X	X		
George Stewart				X
Kyle Schmitt	X	X		X
Rita Nigro	X	X		X
Karen Muir	X	X		X
Mary Keller		X		X

March 7, 2019

Renew My Church: What is a culture of evangelization?

During the Renew My Church Summit in October, participants were invited to participate in “next step” opportunities like an Evangelization Day — a half-day session dedicated to sharing the vision of what a vital parish could be.

Hosted in each of the six vicariates over the past few months, Evangelization Days, which were offered in English, Spanish and Polish, pulled together nearly 1,200 priests, deacons, laypeople and religious from 228 parishes throughout the archdiocese.

Father Peter Wojcik, director of the Department of Parish Vitality and Mission, and Marco Oropeza, chief program management officer, who are overseeing the last phase of Renew My Church called “Building the New Reality,” provided a grounding for the event.

They shared key insights into how our world has changed, and how our modes may need to give way to new ideas and new methods so that we are better able to fulfill the mission of the church, to make disciples in our modern times.

A focus of “Building the New Reality” encourages parishes to develop and nurture a culture of evangelization. Coordinators from the Office for Evangelization and Missionary Discipleship — José Coronel, Jennifer Delvaux, Alicja Pozywio and myself — sought to animate evangelization and a culture of evangelization for participants as well as provide first steps to start forming that culture.

We assured participants that all parishes likely have natural evangelizers who share their faith with ease and invite others to join them in the life of the community. We know there are parishes that have ministries focused on evangelization. A culture of evangelization, however, is different.

Culture as values

The culture of any organization reflects its values. These values are reflected not in what is said, but rather in actions. An organization values what it celebrates, tolerates and presumes. A value or mission statement is good, but how those in the organization or parish act demonstrates the values more than words.

Put another way, do we presume that everyone in our pews are baptized disciples and followers of Christ? Do we help all feel welcome and provide

a sense of belonging? Do we invest as much in the formation of our adults as we do our children? Do we regularly celebrate those who have joined us, those who have become disciples and those who have become more engaged in the church?

A culture of evangelization gives priority to introducing people to Jesus Christ, to inviting people into a relationship with him and the community, to accompanying and forming people on their discipleship journey, and to sending missionary disciples out to give witness to Christ through their lives. It is a community that reflects the priorities of Renew My Church — to make disciples, build community and inspire witness.

Culture as soil

Another way to look at a culture of evangelization is to look at culture as soil, rocky or rich. During Evangelization Days, people paired off into small groups and used the Parable of the Sower (Mt 13: 1-9; 18-23) to ask, “Does our parish have rich soil where seeds can be sown that will bring forth mature disciples with deep roots who will bear much fruit?”

The seeds are the programs, tools and resources we utilize. The fruit is getting someone more engaged in their relationship with Jesus and in life of the community.

Parishes have tended to focus on the seeds — programs, RCIA, retreats, etc. — trying to spread the Good News. Many have been successful in helping people encounter Jesus. What has become evident, however, is that the seeds are not taking root — they are not leading to engagement.

Through this exercise, parishes were invited to take a step back and start looking at their soil, the culture of their parish, to ask, “Why are we like this?” and “How might we change?”

All parishes have some rich soil and thorns and rocky ground and hard paths. The invitation, as parishes prepare to be activated in the Renew My Church process, is to look for the rich soil and expand that soil so that when the community utilizes programs and tools, they increase engagement in their communities, bearing much fruit.

Article by Elizabeth White, Evangelization Director at the Archdiocese of Chicago

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



October 2019

School Compliance

Review your school's compliance report with your site administrator to determine the status of all clergy and employees. School employees must be in complete compliance **now**. Any employee not in compliance should be suspended **now**. Should you need assistance, do not hesitate to contact your HR manager. As you verify compliance for all clergy, employees and volunteers, send in your audit. November 30 falls on a Saturday. Please have audits in before you leave for the Thanksgiving holiday. If necessary, plan now for any substitutes you will need on December 2.

Site Administrators

Pastors and principals have been asked to confirm the names of site administrators. Please send the name and email address to afreshwater@archchicago.org as Amy Freshwater will be keeping track of this list.



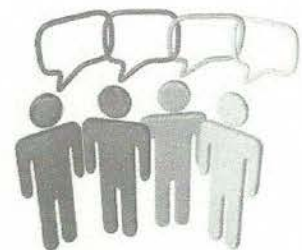
Now that all arch employees have an arch email address, that is the one that will be used for our communication.

School Audit Checklist

- Verify and update compliance of all clerics and employees in eApps
- Reach out to clerics and employees missing a requirement
- Verify the compliance of all volunteers in Virtus
- Reach out to volunteers missing a requirement
- Download Annual Audit [School Survey](#)
- Complete and submit the survey
- Arrange for substitutes for any employee not in compliance by November 30

November Webinar

The subject of the November webinar will be the compliance data migration. The steps to take now so the information transfers more smoothly will be repeated. This webinar will be scheduled for one hour. We are increasing the time to 45 minutes and then we will stay around to answer questions.



November 12, 2019 link

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NJza2G8TtoA>

Upcoming Changes

As of December 1, all compliance for new clergy and employees will be created in the Virtus database. Also, we will begin to migrate clergy and employee data to the Virtus System. To help this transition, ask all clerics, employees, and volunteers to go to their Virtus account and update all information. When logging into their Virtus

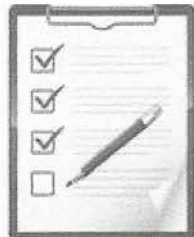


accounts, they will be asked to add a birthdate, and clergy and employees will be asked to add the last 4 numbers of their social security number.

Making sure the information in eApps is the same as it is in Virtus will make the transfer of information smoother.

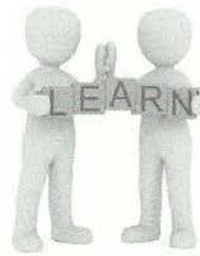
Checklist for migration:

- Have clerics, employees and volunteers verify that the information in eApps and Virtus are accurate and are their legal name
- Run an eApps Compliance Report containing all the columns available. Save to your computer for later reference
- Archive people no longer employees
- Pay all outstanding bills to Austin Computing
- Notify clergy, employees and volunteers they will be asked to add a birthdate the next time they sign into Virtus (This will help match the records.)
- Notify clergy and employees they will be asked to add the last 4 numbers of their social security number the next time they sign in (This will help match the records.)



Student Training

Our schools teach our students many valuable lessons in the span of a year. One of the important lessons that follow our Catholic teachings is child protection. It is a fundamental issue in upholding human life and dignity. Just as caring adults can prevent sexual abuse of a minor, students can be



given the skills to protect themselves. Those key skills are learning to recognize grooming, learning how to say no to an adult, and learning how to report their concerns. The last

hurdle an offender needs to get over is the minor's natural hesitancy. Our training can strengthen that.

If you have not already done so, please schedule your training. All schools and all religious education programs are required to present a program annually in our schools and religious education programs.

Looking Ahead

May 1, 2020 at 11:30 is the next **Healing Garden Prayer Service**. It is held at Holy Family Church 1080 Roosevelt Rd.

Chicago. Every year students from our schools participate in the prayer service and then planting the pinwheels. Some

assistance is available to help with transportation costs and a pizza lunch is provided. This is a great opportunity to show students how important their safety is to the Church. Please consider joining us. Perhaps this could be a student Council activity? More details to come.





Advent begins

That season of hope, anticipation, waiting and JOY. It's that chance for us once again to accept the gift of Jesus and invite Him into our hearts. It's a time to ponder the wonder of Jesus coming to put the pieces of our human brokenness back together. A time to realize just how beautiful we are in God's eyes that He would send His only Son to rescue us.

We can become so busy and distracted especially at this time of the year. But Jesus tells us, "Beware that your hearts do not become drowsy from...the anxieties of daily life... Be vigilant at all times and pray". Luke 21:34-36

Take the time to meet Jesus this Advent, to spend time with Him, to talk to Him, and more importantly to listen to His still, quiet whisper. He's always waiting for us to invite Him in.

We are blessed that God has given us so many ways to encounter Him. Take some quiet time this Advent and talk to Him in prayer, hear Him speak to you in Scripture, feel His Presence in the Sacraments, see His Face in the poor, "waste" time with Him in Adoration.

Some Advent resources to help:

Short 2-3min Advent daily videos by top Catholic speakers <https://redeemedonline.com/>

Short, inspirational videos each day to help you slow down, think and pray. <https://dynamiccatholic.com/best-advent-ever>

Reflections on the daily Advent Gospel reading by Bishop Barron <https://www.wordonfire.org/resources/blog/sign-up-for-bishop-barrons-free-daily-advent-reflections/18981/>



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with Fr. Rick McGurn, SJ
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Saint Viator High School

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OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, October 27, 2019
1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

ENTRANCE EXAM

December 7, 2019
8:00 a.m.

SHADOW A LION

Schedule a shadow
day online at
www.saintviator.com

Monday, October 28, 2019
6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.



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2019 Advent, Christmas & Holy Days Schedule



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays at 11:00 AM until Noon

See Parish bulletin/e-newsletter for additional Reconciliation services

ADORATION • MEDITATION • RECONCILIATION

Thursday, December 19

at any time that fits your schedule between 12 Noon & 12 Midnight as we offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES

Tuesday, December 24
3:00pm, 4:30pm, 6:00pm
& 12:00 Midnight

All masses are in the Church this year
No 4:15pm Mass in Father Walker Hall

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES

Wednesday, December 25
6:30am, 8:00am, 9:30am

with Fr. David F. Ryan
11:00am & 12:30pm
with Fr. James McIlhone
No 5:00pm Mass

HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

Sunday, December 29 | Regular Sunday Schedule

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Tuesday, December 31 | 8:30AM, Noon & 5:00PM (Holy Day Vigil)

Wednesday, January 1 | 6:30AM, 8:30AM, Noon, 4:30PM & 7:00PM

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Sunday, January 5 | Regular Sunday Schedule

Awaiting the Kingdom

An Evening Reflection for Advent



Presented by Deacon Keith Strohm
Executive Director of
M3 Catholic Ministries

Thursday, December 5, 2019

7-9:00pm in the parish meeting rooms

St. Mary of the Annunciation Parish
22333 W Erhart Road in Mundelein

The word advent is derived from the Latin word "adventus" which means "coming." As the Church, we wait during Advent and look forward to celebrating the breaking in of God's Kingdom by the incarnation and birth of Jesus Christ. Advent, however, is more than simply waiting for Christmas. As God's people we also wait for the coming of God's Kingdom in fullness, and the fulfillment of the Father's promises. Come reflect upon what it means to live life in the Kingdom of God here and now as we await its fulfillment. Prepare your heart for Christmas and allow the power of God's Kingdom to take root in your life!

Registration is requested. Find information at the parish website www.stmaryfc.org

Or by calling the parish office 847-223-0010

a Holiday Tradition *a Gift of Love*

This year we have many individuals and families who need our assistance during the upcoming holidays. By remembering them with a Christmas gift and food for their dinner, we act as a reminder of Christ's presence in the world today. Residents at Mt. St. Joseph and Lexington Health Care Center, as well as families from St. Francis de Sales and area parishes, need our help this Advent season. We ask that you purchase a new article of clothing and a gift for each child in the family. Gifts for the parents are optional. We also ask that you purchase \$10 Jewel or Walmart gift cards per person for the family so that they may make their own food selection. There is no need for gift cards for residents at Mt. St. Joseph or Lexington. On behalf of everyone who has been assisted through the Gift of Love, thank you for your generosity in past years. We hope you find it possible to continue to make this a holiday tradition.

Our Lady of Tepeyac *Sharing Tree*

The Christmas Tree/Sharing Tree for Our Lady of Tepeyac will "bloom" in the Church Gathering Space on the weekend of November 9-10 and will remain there throughout the month of November. All ideas are in the paper mittens.

The Christmas Gifts for our Sister Parish, Our Lady of Tepeyac, will be collected on the weekend of December 7-8.

The gifts will be distributed in the grade school, high school, parish, and food pantry. May God bless you! For questions, contact Patricia Linares at pjimenezlinares04@yahoo.com or (847) 550-1053.



St. Francis de Sales Coat Drive

Warm Someone's Heart

Please bring your clean, gently used winter coats to **any Mass in November**. Men's, women's, and children's coats in all sizes are needed. Look for the blue bins at both Church entrances to accept your donations. We are sure your generosity will warm the hearts of those in need!



"O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL" COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULTS!

One time rehearsal in the Church on **Saturday, December 21, from 10:00am-Noon**. St. Francis de Sales welcomes you to sing at the 9:30am Mass on Christmas Day. Join your fellow alums from Lake Zurich, Stevenson, Wauconda, Mundelein, St. Viator, Carmel, and Barrington High Schools as they raise their voices in song in the all-collegechoir. Noneedtohavebeeninvolvedinachoir in the past! All are welcome! Music will be available well in advance. For further information, please contact Pat Stewart at (847) 726-4720 or Chris Misik at (847) 732-3106.

JOIN OUR *Christmas Youth Choir*

FOR GRADES 3-8

Our Christmas Youth Choir will sing at the 3:00PM Mass on Christmas Eve, Tuesday, December 24. Make a short term commitment and join us to celebrate the birth of our Lord!

Six Rehearsals

Thursday, November 14

Thursday, November 21

Tuesday, November 26

Thursday, December 5

Thursday, December 12

Monday, December 16 (in church)

Rehearsals will be held from 4:45-6:00 in the Ministry Center, 2nd floor.

TO SIGN UP YOUR CHILDREN OR HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT PAT STEWART
musicfsds@stfrancislz.org

JOIN US

YOUTH MINISTRY
ADORE
every wednesday | 7pm

LIFE-TEEN St. Francis de Sales CATHOLIC PARISH

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.

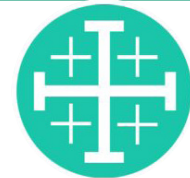
Youth Ministry

LIFE NIGHT
EVERY SUNDAY
JOIN US FOR 5PM MASS, DINNER AND FUN!
Bring a friend!

UPCOMING YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

Please join us on Sunday nights for the following activities:

- Nov 17th - New Discipleship/ Scripture Series
- Nov 24th - Friendsgiving celebration
- Dec 1st - No youth group
- Dec 8th - Advent Night
- Dec 15th - Christmas Party with White Elephant gift exchange and ugly sweater contest



Kairos Retreat

SFK 17 | January 17-20, 2020

SAVE THE DATE

Who could use the gift of Kairos in your life?

ATTENTION ONLINE SHOPPERS!

2 WAYS TO SUPPORT OUR PARISH SCHOOL THIS HOLIDAY SEASON



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Visit schoolstore.com and search our school name: Saint Francis de Sales

Our School Code is: 116778

Shop everyday stores like Kohl's, Macy's, Target, Old Navy, etc... and a % of your sale will come back to the school!



St. Francis de Sales CATHOLIC PARISH
YOUNG ADULTS

follow us on insta @sfdsyam

There are two local groups to join along with ours too!

Young Adult Ministry Lake County

www.yamlakecounty.com

Young Adult Ministry Northwest

www.facebook.com/groups/yamnwc/

Need help or have questions? Please email Lisa Romano at lhansen19@hotmail.com

Thank you for your support of our parish school!

† Mass Schedule †

Monday, December 2

8:30 - Intention for Police Officers and Firefighters
 8:30 - Souls in Purgatory
 8:30 - Father Thomas Carmondy
 8:30 - John & Ann Furlong

Tuesday, December 3: St. Francis Xavier

7:00 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
 7:00 - Intention for Persecuted Christians
 7:00 - Carmello Scalzo, req by Emma Scalzo
 7:00 - Daniel Leahy

Wednesday, December 4: St. John Damascene

8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School Children
 of our Community
 8:30 - Deceased members of Durstin family,
 req by the Paulus family
 8:30 - Daniel Marlowe

Noon - For the Success of Alpha
 Noon - Intention for Renew My Church
 Noon - Clifford Pletsch

Thursday, December 5

7:00 - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
 7:00 - Patty Truett

Friday, December 6: St. Nicholas; First Friday

8:30 - Intention of Charlene Johnstone
 8:30 - Intention for Barbara Schlosser
 8:30 - Charles H Adams
 8:30 - Hillary Box

**Saturday, December 7: St. Ambrose; First Saturday;
Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day**

8:30 - Intention of U.S. Veterans
 8:30 - Intention of Those Missing in Action, Prisoners
 of War, and Refugees of War
 8:30 - Maria Scardina, req by Genevieve M Scardina
 8:30 - Ed & Kitty Dembski

5:00 - Walter Lehner, req by Roy & Joanne Luce
 5:00 - George Buskirk, req by Jeanne Eby
 5:00 - Chester J Swiat, req by Swiat family
 5:00 - Intention for 50th Anniversary Blessing
 for Mike & Mary Catherine Ryan
 5:00 - Jake & Elsie Reiser

Sunday, December 8: Second Sunday of Advent

6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk
 6:30 - Robert Morcocchio
 6:30 - Angelo DiVito, req by Jo Bevins
 6:30 - Darlene Donahue

8:00 - Joan Brenner
 8:00 - Samuel & Marie Sfire
 8:00 - Kitty Dembski
 8:00 - Ann & Red Samz

9:30 - Kimberly Matthews on her 2nd Anniversary
 of Eternal Life
 9:30 - Hilary Box, req by Larry Box
 9:30 - John Duffy
 9:30 - Stewart Tanakatsubo
 9:30 - Christine Parr
 9:30 - Intention for Jennifer Hicks

11:00 - Intention for Jeremy Gaham & family,
 req by family
 11:00 - Mr & Mrs August Schuett, req by Martin Schuett
 11:00 - Mr & Mrs Henry Doden, req by Martin Schuett
 11:00 - Gabrielle Simmons

12:30 - Joseph Kociuba, req by Polnaszek family
 12:30 - Janet Regina Crowe

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

WEDDING BANS

Megan McElwee & Ryan Kilduff

*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.

- Ron Farrell** (brother to Bonnie Balster)
- Wilfredo Juarez**
- Bernie Fischer** (brother to Cathy (John) Chiarelli)
- Kristin Noon** (parishioner)
- Michael Sanks** (friend of Ray & Cheryl Bott)
- Yvonne Dyer** (mother to Susan (Stephen) Laudick)
- Jennifer Blacklock** (sister to Marsha Smyser)
- Kevin Lake** (husband to Linda)
- Candace Cotsiomitis** (parishioner)
- Andrew Chase** (father to Tiffany (Kevin) Mottison)
- Joann Swanson** (sister to Linda Bolsens)
- Amanda Wilk** (daughter to Mitchell & Barbara)
- Nancy Fischer** (sister-in-law to Cathy Chiarelli)
- Liv Roffman** (friend of a parishioner)
- Elle Roffman** (friend of a parishioner)
- Jim Jones** (friend of Barb Westerlund)
- Christine Miller** (mother of Michelle Anderson)
- Mitch Maloney** (friend to Bob & Sally Allard)
- Lisa Phillips** (friend of Carolyn Denaro)



† In Sympathy †

- Michael Banks** (husband to Linda)
- Hannah Kirschner** (mother of Karen (Jim) Hartwell)
- Carol A Hess** (sister of Dennis (Judy) Stephens)
- Janet Crowe** (friend of Marge Duer)
- Anita Dyer** (sister-in-law to Susan (Stephen) Laudick)
- Sandi Dobbs** (friend of Jean Meinhardt)



MINISTRY OF CARE SERVICE

December 2 - 8, 2019

- Lexington:** Dec 2 - Presider: Mary Kloss, Cindy Schwicow, Patti Rusch, Phil Surdynski*, Sub: Cathy Criel
- Good Shepherd:** Dec 3 - Tami Anderson, Dec 5 - TBA, Dec 7 - Delores Mark, Dec 8 - John Ergastolo, Bob Kopfer
- Cedar Lake:** Dec 7 - Fran Farruggio
- LZ Meadows:** Dec 8 - Jo Anderson
- Azpira Place:** Dec 7 - Debbie Devitt
- Auberge:** Dec 6 - Denise Haire

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

Charlene Johnstone, Robert Cook, Liza Hassler, Dawn Repta, Jocelyn Brown, Jocelyn Brown, Donna Steinmetz, Baby Omar Spitz, Karen DiTommaso, John Thullen, Jennifer Hicks, Robert Montcalm, William Miller, Carolynne Fox, Kevin Kleine, Jane Polnaszek-Gray, Kendall Urban, Patrick Rams, Marlys Marie Williamson, Cheryl Jonelis, Kristy Williams, Nancy Grasso, Barb Grabarek, Alyssa Matney, Beatrice Flitman, Chris Koster, Brian Ford, Lydia Oliver, Dwayne Shepherd, Melinda Rodriguez, Wayne Dreyer, Peter Powers, Chrisi Rusk, Cathy Orlando, Veronica Hoehne, 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, Angela Orlando, Janet Burrows, Dolores Guzy, Audrey Krupa, Ligia Jiménez, Sam Orlando, Tripp Buckman, Milton Gerard, Lisa Friebus, Nicole Humlicek, Bruce Dille, Raymond Brefeld, Andrew Chase, Jeff Gauthier, Linda Kalteux, Anna Kroll, Melissa Cimaglio, Nancy Morrissey, Denise Molony, Kenneth Molony, Amanda Wilk



EMMAUS HOUSE OF HOSPITALITY COMMUNITY DINNER

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

November


Mariann Gorman [marianngorman@sbcglobal.net]
Kathleen Johnson [kathleenjohnson1@earthlink.net]

December

Mary Helen Solan [jms200mh@aol.com]

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

saint snippets



The giver of every good and perfect gift has called us to mimic his giving.

St. Nicholas of Myra

4th-century Greek bishop known for putting coins in the shoes of the poor

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December 6

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

Molly's Adopt a Sailor

WE SHIP LOVE

Sending a little bit of "home"
in every package

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

Terrance Cullinan: Stationed in Iraq, Nephew of Mary Layton

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

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

Stephen Morris: Great Nephew of Annette Feller

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

Captain Jason Finkenkeller: 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

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

2nd Lt Charles (Chad) Bohac: 2nd Battalion 4th Marines, Camp Pendleton, Son of Chuck & Ginger Bohac

David Gudgeon: Air Force, Stationed in Colorado Springs, Grandson of Christian and Priscilla Roder

Patrick Shoaff: U.S. Army Special Forces, Captain, Ft. Bragg, NC, Nephew of Thackray Family

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

Petty Officer 3rd Class Michael Geske: U.S. Navy, Deployed, Son of John and Cathy Geske

Captain Michael Crisman: U.S. Army, Deployed to Afghanistan, Nephew of Bob and Sue Arvidson

Staff Sgt. Andrew Kremmel: U.S. Marines, Stationed in San Diego, CA, Nephew of Bernardine and Wally Labuz

SA U.S. Navy Amy Hudek: stationed at Norfolk, VA as air traffic controller on USS Eisenhower, niece of Judy & Mike Reilly

Lance Corporal Johnathan Kosirog: U.S. Marine, deployed on the USS Harpers Ferry. Grandson of Dr. Pat Fitz-Hugh

Private Brandon Mahute: Deployed to the Middle East, Nephew of Tom and Joanne Jacobi

Steven Surdynski: National Guard being deployed to Iraq, Nephew of Phil and Karen Surdynski

Builder Chief, Jesse Ward: U.S. Navy, 2nd deployment to Afghanistan, brother to Wendy Borst, Parishioner

Staff Sergeant Joseph Littell: U.S. Army, Deployed to Africa on psychological operations, Barb & Ken Littell, parishioners

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. Muraeski, 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 Bosgall, Tom Mahoney, Spec. Sean Anthony Whippo, Lt. Jack Connor, Private Michael Szydelko, Staff Sgt. Rod Jacobs, Cdr. Mike Sheedy, Airman Joshua Emmons, S. Sgt. Brad Ginn, Sgt. Sarah Leigh Forgey, Petty Officer Stephen McKean, E4 Jonathan Mele, Michael McGary, Alec M. Brown, Capt. Bryan Blackburn, 1st Lt. Clayton Rife, 1st Lt. Christopher Best, 2nd Lt. Luc Logan, L Cpl. Kenneth Trygstad, Capt. Bianca Lane, Airman Robert William Dones, L Cpl. Donald Adams, Sgt. Cass Zacharyasz, Dylan Becker, Amie Maychszak, Petty Officer 3rd Class Gregory Gornik



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

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

Thanks be to God for the continuing generosity of the good people in this good parish on bringing about the Good News of Jesus Christ. Thank you for the investment of your time, the gifts of the Holy Spirit within each of you and the contributions of your financial resources to our Father, who loves us unconditionally as His Family in this community.

Financial Report from Business Office

2019-2020 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

July	\$110,520	Christmas (2018)	\$214,349
August	\$128,615	Christmas (2017)	\$192,800
September	\$125,063	Easter 2019	\$100,140
October	\$112,250	Easter 2018	\$112,270
		Our Lady of Tepeyac	
		Sharing Parish	\$7,937
		Karoline Choir	
		(Uganda)	\$2,734
		Lake County	
		Right to Life	\$1,238
		Peter's Peace	\$4,401
		Seminarian Education	\$3,598
		World Mission	\$4,479

SPECIAL APPEALS

Catholic Campaign of Human Development	\$4,278
Church in Latin America	\$3,947
Church in Eastern Europe	\$5,638
Holy Land	\$1,480
Catholic Charities	\$6,222
Fund for Retired Priests	\$5,768
St Vincent de Paul (2019)	\$6,000
Eagle Scout Projects (2019)	\$4,482
Little Sisters of the Poor (2018)	\$15,394
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2018)	\$10,173
Chicago Jesuit Academy (2016)	\$7,512
Holy Family Food Pantry (2016)	\$7,971
Little Sisters of the Poor (2016)	\$22,700
Lake Zurich High School Choir (2015)	\$2,827
Eagle Scout Projects (2015)	\$2,769
Molly's Adopt A Sailor (2014-15)	\$3,259
Lenten Collection for Ghana (2014)	\$15,189
Community Flood Relief (2013)	\$26,554
Southern IL Tornado Relief (2012)	\$31,302
LZHS Choir Trip to Vatican (2012-13)	\$23,480
Eagle Scout Projects (2012-13)	\$8,177
5 Seminarians to India (2008)	\$8,000

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

Hurricane Harvey Help	\$21,946
Project Kashalala Lake Victoria	\$18,630
Hurricanes Irma and Maria Help	\$4,081
2016 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$259,096
2017 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$298,802
2018 Annual Appeal Rebate	\$230,484

Parish Debt to the Archdiocese: \$0

Parish Community Statistics: July 1, 2019 to September 30, 2019

Registered Families	4,365
*Registered Families in 1949	94
Parish School Students	296

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS

Preschool / Kindergarten	16
Grade School	297
Middle School	140
Home Study	16
SPRED	0
Children's Catechumenate	7

YOUTH MINISTRY

Confirmation (Registration Pending for 2019-2020)	
1st Year Program	119
2nd Year Program	130
Peer Ministers	45
Adult Leaders	38

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers	163
Teen Eucharistic Ministers	11
Ministers of Care	130
Ushers	32
Cross Bearers	8
Sacristans	12
Altar Servers	52
Adult Lectors	52
Teen / Child Lectors	14 / 5
Prayer Shawl Ministers	32

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms	42
Marriages	15
Marriage Anniversary Blessings	12
Funerals	18
First Communion	0
Confirmation	0
First Confession	0
Received into the Church	0

December 7 & 8, 2019

	CELEBRANT	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	LECTORS	CROSS BEARERS ALTAR SERVERS	GREETERS
SATURDAY 5PM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Fran Farruggio Bob Kopfer Tami Anderson Gary Greco Margaret Gas Gene Bader Adrienne Virgilio Kathy Duggan Jeanette Greco	Anthony Tomei Cindy Tomei	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Jia Anderson Anna Roscoe	Pam & Ray Urban Schumacher Family
SUNDAY 6:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Scott McConnell Therese Wegner Jim Gill Ann Marie McConnell Tony Pfeifer Diane Kleine Jocelyn Purfell	Ronald DeSimone	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Sean Sullivan Olivia Thomas	Jim Gill Georgen Family
SUNDAY 8AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Eileen Glazik Ksawera Karbowski John Ergastolo Chuck Meinhardt Mary Flanagan Paul Latter Terry Eiduke Denise Gaffney Bobbi Sfire	Dianne Rose Marilee Grenning	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Annabelle Pinto Lauren Pinto	
SUNDAY 9:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Dana Petraglia John Uriell David Kalafut Buddy Wright Mary Kalafut Kirk Galasso Phil Pace Laurie Wright Delia Kavanaugh	John Wiseman Joyce Bozacki Rae	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Katie Agrella Sarah Wiseman	Schroeder Family Frank Johnstone
SUNDAY 11AM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon George Flaherty	Carol Brozek Cathy Abbinante Kim Stratman Jo Anderson Steve Lammers George Flaherty Holly Smigleski Gerald Kmiecik Mary Tinkham	Emma Watts Ellison Watts	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Kaylie Freeland Adam Galdoni	
SUNDAY 12:30PM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon George Flaherty	Marilyn Ostovits Henry Zobel Denise Alianello Harry Cione George Flaherty Kathy Woloshyn	Michael Miodonski	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS	
SUNDAY 5:00PM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon George Flaherty	Sue Tuckey Karen Beierwaltes David Nolan Steven De Spain George Flaherty Eric Edgcomb Claire Jones	Nathan James	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 contact information of the chairpersons of each Commission and Council representatives are also included for your information. Please feel free to contact any of these dedicated men and women to answer any questions you might have about a particular ministry or activity or visit www.sfrancislzparish.org for more information.

PARISH LEADERSHIP CHAIRPERSONS

Finance Council Chair , Douglas Samz	(847)644-9277
School Board Chair , Bob Quast.....	(847)909-9088
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SACRAMENTS

- Sacrament of Baptism:** Baptism is celebrated after parental participation in a preparation meeting. Please call the Parish Office for a date to attend. Do not finalize your plans until this formation meeting.
- Sacrament of Confirmation:** Preparation for Confirmation takes place during the high school years with the celebration of the Sacrament taking place no sooner than the end of sophomore year in high school. For more info and registration please contact the Youth Ministry Office at 847-726-4842.
- Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays between 11am 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, 11am, 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 Masses

