



St. Francis de Sales
CATHOLIC PARISH

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Empowered,
Committed**

United as a Catholic
faith family

Empowered by the Holy
Spirit to proclaim Christ's
teaching in word and
deed

Committed to be Christ to
one another through love
and service... and honor
the dignity of all people.

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



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Second Sunday of

Advent

Up, Jerusalem! stand upon the heights;
look to the east and see your children gathered
from the east and the west at the word of the Holy One,
rejoicing that they are remembered by God.

Baruch 5:5

December 8, 2019

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**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 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

Monday, December 9: Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Not a Holy Day of Obligation)

- **Mass:** 8:30am — Church
- **Yoga:** 9:30am — Ministry Center
- **Prayer Shawl Meeting:** 9:30am — Ministry Center
- **RE Classes (Grades 1-5):** 4:15 - 5:30pm — Parish School
- **Castle Leader Meeting:** 6:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Cub Scouts Pack Meeting:** 6:30-8pm — Fr Walker Hall

Tuesday, December 10: International Human Rights Day

- **Mass:** 7am — Church
- **RE Classes (Grades 1-5):** 4:15 - 5:30pm — Parish School
- **NAMI:** 6pm — Ministry Center
- **School Board Meeting:** 6pm — Ministry Center
- **SPRED:** 6-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Alpha:** 6:30-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **RCIA:** 7-9:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Boy Scouts Pack Meeting:** 7:30-9pm — Fr Walker Hall

Wednesday, December 11: St. Damasus I

- **Mass:** 8:30am & Noon — Church
- **Mass with Fr Ryan:** 1:30pm @ Azpira, 3pm @ Cedar Lake, 4:30 @ Solana
- **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
- **Cancer Support & Sharing:** 7-9pm — Church Gathering Space

Thursday, December 12: Our Lady of Guadalupe

- **Mass:** 7am — Church
- **Alpha:** 9-11am — Ministry Center
- **Mom's Group Meeting:** 9:30-11am — Church
- **Youth Choir Rehearsal:** 4:45-6pm — Ministry Center
- **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 6-7:15pm — Ministry Center
- **Growing Disciples Leadership Meeting:** 6-8pm — Ministry Center
- **Boy Scouts Pack 309 Scheduling:** 7pm — Fr Walker Hall
- **Handbells:** 7-8:30pm — Church

Friday, December 13: St. Lucy

- **Mass:** 8:30am — Church
- **Brownie Troop Meeting:** 2:15-4pm — Parish School
- **Cub Scouts Pack Meeting:** 7:30-9pm — Fr Walker Hall
- **Youth Ministry Castle Retreat:** depart 4:30pm — Ministry Center (return for 12:30pm Mass Sunday)

Saturday, December 14: St. John of the Cross

- **Mass:** 8:30am, 5pm Vigil — Church
- **Art & Environment:** 9am — Church
- **Confession:** 11am — Church
- **Preschool/Kindergarten Christmas Program:** 3pm — Fr Firnbach Hall

Sunday, December 15: Third Sunday in Advent

- **Mass:** 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm — Church
- **Knights Cafe with Santa:** 6pm — Fr Walker Hall
- **Children's Catechumenate Sessions:** 9:30am — Church & Fr Walker Hall
- **Preschool/Kindergarten RE Sing Prelude:** 9:30am — Church
- **Home Study Family Session:** 11am — Fr Walker Hall
- **Youth Ministry Castle Retreat:** Return for 12:30pm Mass — Church
- **No Emmaus House Community Dinner this evening!**

This Weekend: December 7 & 8, 2019

2nd Collection: Retirement Fund for Religious

Next Weekend: December 14 & 16, 2019

December 8, 2019: Second Sunday of Advent

"If you want to know whether a man is really wise, learned, generous or noble, see if his life is moulded by humility, modesty and submission. If so, his gifts are genuine." - St Francis de Sales

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — He shall bring justice for the afflicted; the earth shall overflow with the knowledge of the LORD (Isaiah 11:1-10).

Psalm — Justice shall flourish in his time, and fullness of peace forever (Psalm 72).

Second Reading — Glorify God by living in harmony with one another, welcoming each other as Christ welcomed you (Romans 15:4-9).

Gospel — Produce good fruit worthy of your baptism; repent, for the reign of God is near (Matthew 3:1-12).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Is 40:1-11; Ps 96:1-3, 10ac, 11-13; Mt 18:12-14

Wednesday: Is 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10; Mt 11:28-30

Thursday: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Jdt 13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47, or any readings from the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary, nos. 707-712

Friday: Is 48:17-19; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mt 11:16-19

Saturday: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16, 18-19; Mt 17:9a, 10-13

Sunday: Is 35:1-6a, 10; Ps 146:6-10; Jas 5:7-10; Mt 11:2-11

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Advent

Monday: Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday: International Human Rights Day

Wednesday: St. Damasus I

Thursday: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Friday: St. Lucy

Saturday: St. John of the Cross

THE LONG-AWAITED ONE

As the Sundays of Advent unfold the scriptures shift focus from the final coming of the Lord to his historical birth. Today's scriptures blend the two. Isaiah's disillusionment with the kings of his own day led him to envision an ideal king who would rule with divine approval and be led by divine wisdom. For centuries the Jewish people anticipated the arrival of that Messiah, who would usher in a blessed age when the whole world would finally dwell in justice and peace.

After centuries of such growing expectation, the preaching of John the Baptist about the imminent arrival of the Messiah could not help but provoke intense interest. The Baptist's message about preparation for "the one who is coming" (Matthew 3:11) makes clear that Jesus is, in fact, the long-awaited one who is ushering in the new age foretold by Isaiah and all the prophets.

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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

We want control. As Christians we are called to surrender control. Mary gave away all her control when she said may it be done to me (Lk. 1:38) thus allowing Jesus' conception in her womb. In the Our Father all Christians echo Mary's words...thy will be done. Do you really mean this?

Practice releasing your control this week.

Questions? Please e-mail
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St Francis de Sales **THIS WEEK**

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 - auxiliary 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	\$ 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
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	\$ 1,554,131	\$ 2,236,039
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 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 held at the Archdiocesan Bank and are an Endowment and not available for operating.

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

FINANCE BOARD MEMBERS

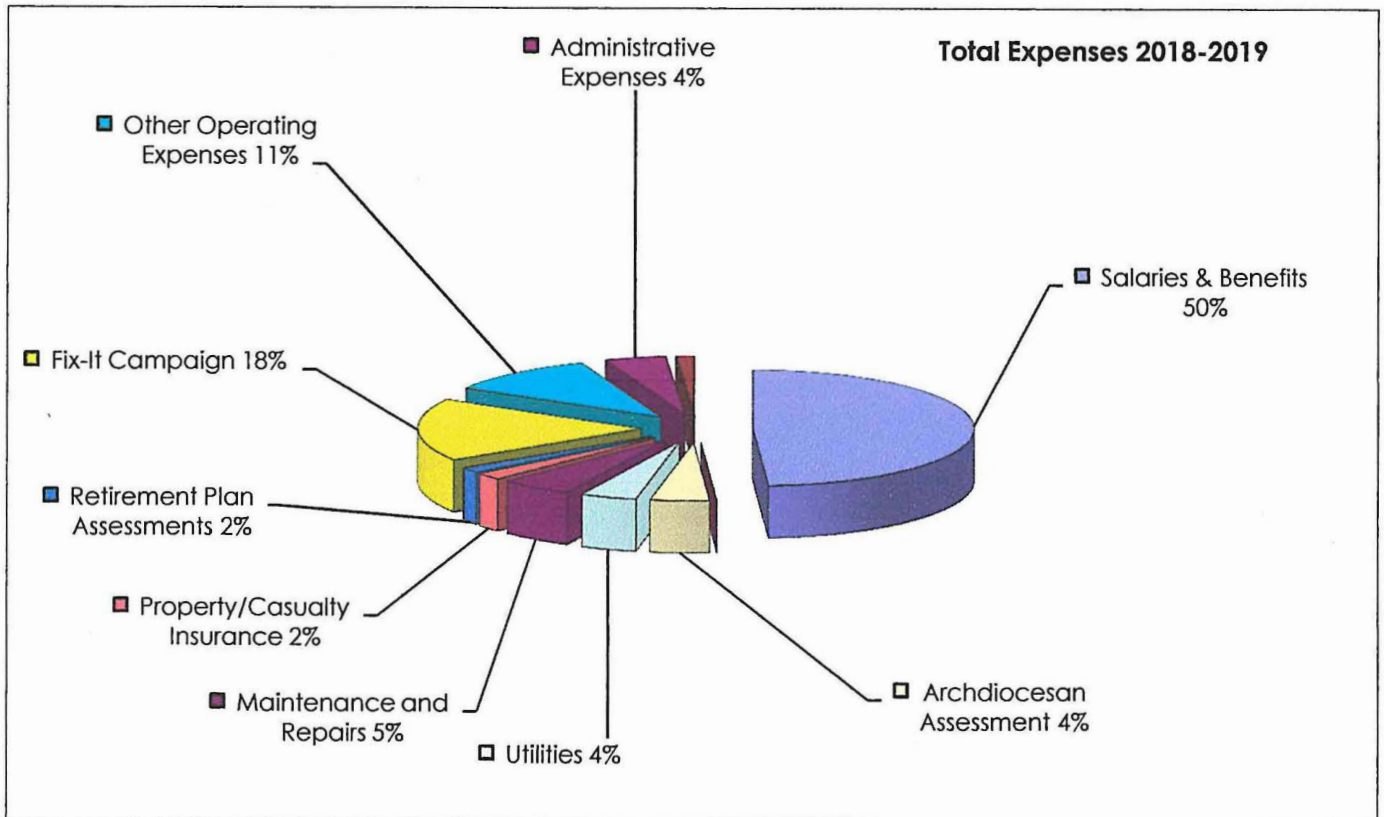
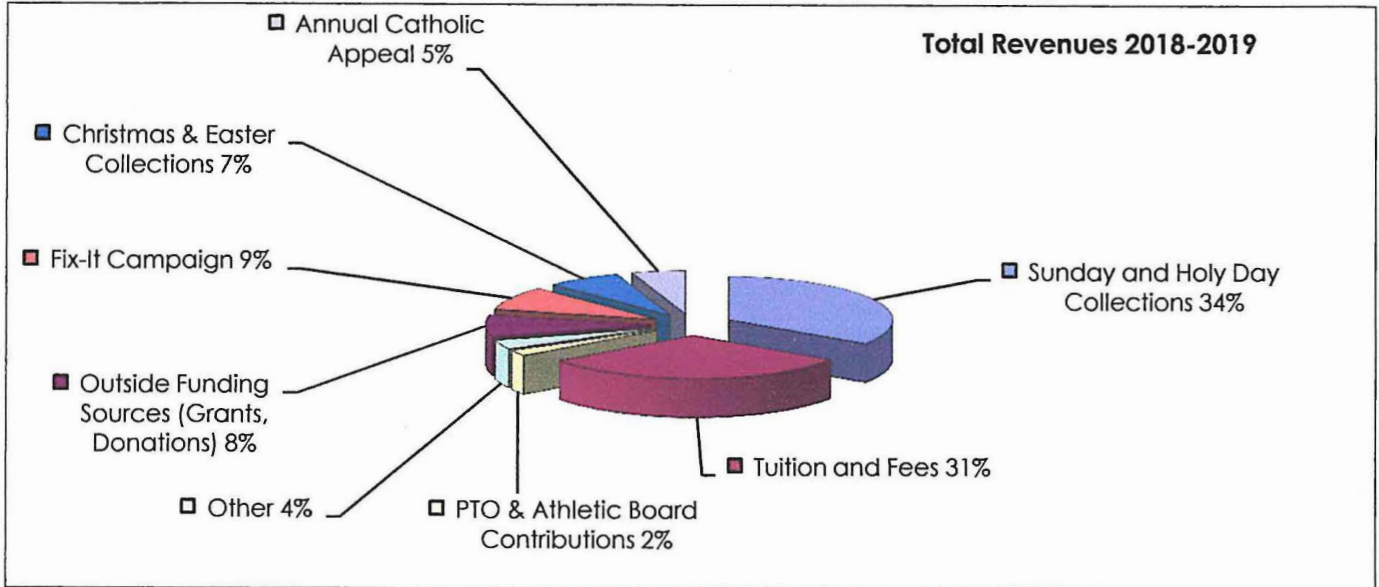
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St. Francis de Sales Parish
Statement of Parish Consolidated Revenues and Expenses
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019
With Comparative totals for 2018

	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



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Annual Catholic Appeal



Eighth Report:

2019 Annual Catholic Appeal as of November 19, 2019

Amount Pledged:	\$250,682
Amount Assessed:	\$116,460
Amount Paid:	\$280,973
First Rebate Returned:	\$114,000
Balance Due	\$9,708
Donor Count:	559

FINAL Report:

2018 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 19, 2019

Amount Pledged:	\$329,245
Amount Assessed:	\$91,655
Amount Paid:	\$322,140
Rebate Returned:	\$230,484
Balance Due	\$7,105
Donor Count:	708

FINAL Report:

2017 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 22, 2018

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

FINAL Report:

2016 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 23, 2017

Amount Pledged:	\$385,913
Amount Assessed:	\$122,707
Amount Paid:	\$381,803
Rebate Returned:	\$259,096
Balance Due	\$4,110
Donor Count:	945

Final Report:

2015 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 19, 2016

Amount Pledged:	\$357,405
Amount Assessed:	\$123,740
Amount Paid:	\$350,885
Rebate Returned:	\$227,145
Balance Due	\$6,520
Donor Count:	932

Final Report:

2014 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 17, 2015

Amount Pledged:	\$333,292
Amount Assessed:	\$124,384
Amount Paid:	\$321,168
Rebate Returned:	\$197,218
Balance Due	\$11,070
Donor Count:	916

Final Report:

2013 Annual Catholic Appeal as of February 17, 2014

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

Catholic Schools Week

Saint Francis de Sales School



The weekend of January 27th, 2019 a few 8th Graders from our 2007 & 2018 Blue Ribbon School shared their essays with our Parish after Holy Communion at each of the masses on Saturday and Sunday. Great job, Ben Swiat, Katie McCormick, Mary Huels, Georgia Pissios, Francisca Alivia, Nathan DiLegge, and Bradley Schaefer!



An Essay by Francisca Alivia

January 6, 2019

Hi my name is Francisca Alivia and I'm here to tell you why Saint Francis de Sales is such a great school. I have so many fun opportunities. I am so happy that I come to the school because of the education, teachers and friends, and all the extracurricular activities. We also go to Mass every Wednesday. Father Ryan is very supportive of our Blue Ribbon School. I am very proud to say that I attend this school.

First, I would like to say that I received a great education from the school. Teachers make learning fun by having us play games or activities to raise our understanding of a certain concept. We also worked so hard that we achieved two blue ribbons. The exercises and lessons we do in class prepare us for high school and get us ready for the future.

When I walk into school, I am always greeted by a smile and a "good morning" from every teacher I see. A big part of a school is your teacher. There are so many excellent teachers in our school. Another part of a school, is your friends. School is where you meet most of your first friends. Also many parishioners and volunteers support St Francis.

They take time out of their day to help volunteer and everyone is so grateful for them.

There are so many extracurricular activities that everyone loves and enjoys. We have the school play, band, cantering at Mass, clubs, basketball, softball, volleyball and football. The coaches and volunteers are so helpful and we appreciate them coming to help us kids grow not only in education, but also in sports and drama. There are so many opportunities and choices at Saint Francis that you don't even know what to choose from! We love and appreciate people who are volunteers, coaches and staff.

All in all, this is why I am proud to say that I attend this school and we would like to say thank you to everyone who supports us. We really appreciate it. Thank you!



St. Francis de Sales School Community Norms

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| <p>1. COMMUNITY
We strive to be connected within our school, our parish, our neighborhoods, and our world.</p> | <p>2. Innovation
We foster an environment in which we have the courage to take risks, anticipate future needs, and creatively solve problems.</p> | <p>3. Growth
We cultivate spiritual, intellectual, social, emotional, and physical growth.</p> | <p>4. Respect
We embrace uniqueness and value individuality.</p> | <p>5. Service
We recognize the needs of other and demonstrate our Christian values through loving service.</p> |
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CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

St. Joseph's Home for the Elderly

80 W. Northwest Highway
Palatine, IL 60067

*It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas...
and we would like to invite you to join us
for some Christmas cheer.*

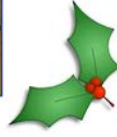
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15TH, 2-4 PM

CHRISTMAS CAROLS

SANTA AND GAMES FOR THE KIDS

**BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED
CHRISTMAS TREES THROUGHOUT OUR HOME**

COOKIES AND HOT CHOCOLATE



Tailgating With GOD!

Encountering Jesus in Our Everyday Lives

Men's Weekend of Reflection

January 17-19, 2020

Prayer, Presentations, Discussion, & Quiet Time



JOSEPH & MARY RETREAT HOUSE

on the beautiful & peaceful grounds of Mundelein Seminary!

Retreat Leader: Deacon Mark Duffey – facilitator of creative, enthusiastic retreats for over 30 years

Kickoff: Dinner Friday 1/17 at 6:00pm

Final Whistle: Mass Sunday 1/19 at 11:00am-noon

Attire: Casual – wear your favorite team gear!

All meals professionally prepared – including a tailgate-style lunch on Saturday!

Box Office/Registration/Questions: 847-566-6060 or jcumings@josephandmaryretreat.org (Jen Cummings)

\$250 for the full weekend

Our Gratitude

November 25, 2019

We would like to express our gratitude to all people,

Fr. Ryan, and all the staff of St. Francis De Sales parish who have made a great effort for the mission's success of the olive wood two weeks ago.

You have achieved a great difference to help the less fortunate of God's people. We do appreciate your assistance in purchasing our items to benefit the Christian community in the Holy Land.

We hope to keep your extending helping hands in the near future for more sales.

May God Our Lord Jesus Christ bless you all.

Sincerely in Christ,

Issam Qumsiyeh

Star of Bethlehem

Thank You

GOT LEMONADE?

Emmaus House is so grateful for all the forks and plastic bags coming in over the past couple of months and is now requesting powdered lemonade mix for their dinners! Donations may be dropped off in Fr Walker Hall at any time. Thank you!

OUR TIME TO SHARE

a cancer support group

Wednesday, December 11th

A support group for cancer patients and survivors continues to serve the St. Francis de Sales community. Our next meeting will take place on Wednesday at 7 pm in the Church Gathering Space. We offer a safe place to share, to release, to offer comfort and to be comforted... a place to feel loved. Strength, hope, faith and Please contact Mary Manson at (847) 382-3051 and let's begin our journey together.

*Are you seeking
quietness in your life?*



**PREPARE YOUR HEART FOR
CHRIST THIS CHRISTMAS**

JOIN US FOR A TIME OF
**RECONCILIATION, REFLECTION
& ADORATION**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19th, 2019
NOON - MIDNIGHT IN THE CHURCH

Even if it's been a while since you've been in church, no matter what has kept you away, we invite you back. Sit in quiet prayer, meditate with soft music and receive forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Allow yourself to be found by His grace and mercy. Jesus is waiting for you.

"I worry some of you still have not really met Jesus. Have you seen how He looks at you with love? Do you know Jesus in your heart?"
~ Saint Mother Teresa

Questions? growdisciples12@gmail.com | 847-438-6622

*Additional Confession
Opportunities in the Community*

Transfiguration

Tues & Wed | 7:30-8am English/Po Polsku

Thur & Fri | 7:30-8am English/Español

Saturday | 5-5:45pm English

Wednesday Evenings | 6:30-8pm

English/Español/Po Polsku

St. Mary of the Annunciation

Every Saturday | 4-4:45pm

Extended Session

Saturday, December 21 | 3-4:45pm

Advent Reconciliation Service

Thursday, December 19th | 7-8pm

Santa Maria del Popolo

Every Saturday | 4-4:45pm

1st & 3rd Saturday | 10:30am-Noon in the Church

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!

Friday, March 13, 2020



Mark Your Calendar

Shake off those winter blues, throw on a green sweater, and join the fun—Irish or not! It is time to celebrate the Feast of our Good Saint Patrick! Friday, March 13, 2019, 7 p.m., Fr. Walker Hall \$35.00 Ticket includes: Open Bar, Extensive Irish/Italian Buffet, Live Entertainment All Night, Dancing, Raffles! Bring your neighbors, family and friends! (21+) Featuring the Shannon Rovers Irish Pipe Band, Irish step dancers and live music performed by Out of Storage and Seamus O'Kane! For more information, please contact event co-chairs Helen Cawley or Trisha Rose at hicawley@hotmail.com.

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

Thank you for your support of our parish school!



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/>



BELLARMINÉ
Jesuit Retreat House

"Dining in the Kingdom of God"

January 10-12, 2020

with Fr. Rick McGurn, SJ
Ignatian, Silent Retreat for Men



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ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



MARCH FOR LIFE CHICAGO 2020

Save the Date | Saturday, January 11

Join thousands at the March for Life Chicago 2020!
Over 57 million babies have been victims of abortion since 1973.
Take a stand for life in every stage!

Start the 2020 March for Life Chicago Convention with:

Youth Rally | Saturday, January 11

Welcome all young people and their families for an epic morning rally.
Doors open at 8 a.m.

March for Life Chicago | Saturday, January 11

March with over 8,000 people.
Rally at Daley Plaza starting at 1 p.m.

Mass for Life Chicago | Saturday, January 11

Come celebrate Mass with hundreds starting at 4 p.m.

Save the date now,
more details are coming soon!
If you are interested to know more,
contact the Office of Human Dignity
and Solidarity – Respect Life Ministries
at 312-534-5355.





2019 Advent, Christmas & Holy Days Schedule



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 11am until Noon
For updated times, please visit
www.stfrancislz.org

Every Sunday of Advent

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

Christmas Eve Masses

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

Christmas Day Masses

Wednesday, December 25
6:30am, 8am, & 9:30am
with Fr. David F Ryan
11am & 12:30pm with
Fr. James McIlhone
No 5pm Mass

HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

Sunday, December 29
Saturday 5pm Vigil, 6:30am,
8am, 9:30am, 11am,
12:30pm, & 5pm

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Tuesday, December 31
8:30am, Noon, &
5pm Holy Day Vigil

Holy Day of Obligation

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

Wednesday, January 1
Tuesday 5pm Vigil, 6:30am,
8:30am, 12 Noon, 4:30pm,
& 7pm

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Sunday, January 5
Saturday 5pm Vigil, 6:30am,
8am, 9:30am, 11am,
12:30pm, & 5pm

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19th, 2019

Please join us as we spend time with Jesus in

RECONCILIATION • ADORATION • MEDITATION

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



"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-
college choir. No need to have been involved in a choir
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

Welcome!

If you have been away from the Catholic Church, for whatever reason, we ask you to take another look.

Perhaps you suffered some injustice, or you are unsure of your status in the Church. No matter what the reason for your absence, we're delighted you're here today!

If you are new to the Parish or new to the neighborhood, we want to Welcome You! For more information, or if we can be of any assistance, please return this info in the collection basket or at the Ministry Center.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Age: 13-17 18-25 25-35 35-50 51-65 65+

I would like information on:

Returning to active participation in the Church

Receiving the following sacraments:

- Baptism
- Reconciliation
- Eucharist
- Confirmation
- Marriage
- Marriage Annulment
- Anointing of the Sick
- Priesthood/Religious Life

Joining St Francis de Sales Parish

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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

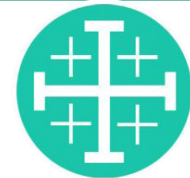
JOIN US FOR 5PM MASS, DINNER AND FUN!

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?



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/

† Mass Schedule †

Monday, December 9: Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 - Intention for Police Officers and Firefighters
 8:30 - Souls in Purgatory
 8:30 - Mike & Mary Kilroy

Tuesday, December 10: International Human Rights Day

7:00 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
 7:00 - Intention for Persecuted Christians
 7:00 - Intention for Amanda Wilk, req by family
 7:00 - Andrew Thomas, req by Rita

Wednesday, December 11: St. Damasus I

8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School Children of our Community
 8:30 - Intention for Mrs Michele Bodo
 Noon - For the Success of Alpha
 Noon - Intention for Renew My Church
 Noon - Tessie Ryan Cochran

Thursday, December 12: Our Lady of Guadalupe

7:00 - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
 7:00 - Intention for Jennifer Hicks

Friday, December 13: St. Lucy

8:30 - Intention of Charlene Johnstone
 8:30 - Intention for Barbara Schlosser
 8:30 - Charles H Adams
 8:30 - Hillary Box
 8:30 - Eugene Gawalek Jr, req by family
 8:30 - Angeline & Bruno Gawalek, req by family
 8:30 - Lou & Virg Klemanovic, req by family

Saturday, December 14: St. John of the Cross

8:30 - Intention of U.S. Veterans
 8:30 - Intention of Those Missing in Action, Prisoners of War, and Refugees of War
 8:30 - Harold Chisamore
 5:00 - Rick Rivota, req by family
 5:00 - Nick Figaro, req by Heidenreich family
 5:00 - Genevieve Krock, req by Heidenreich family
 5:00 - Marshall Sutton
 5:00 - Charles & Maria Fries

Sunday, December 15: Third Sunday of Advent

6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk
 6:30 - Robert Marcocchio
 6:30 - Ted Jurczak, req by family
 6:30 - Intention for Mary Sage
 6:30 - Raymond Creagh
 8:00 - Galen Hunt
 8:00 - Nino Despota Sr
 8:00 - Joanne Farias
 8:00 - Joan Murphy
 9:30 - Hank Paulus, req by fellow ushers from 9:30 Mass
 9:30 - Angel Galasso
 9:30 - Dennis Ulbert
 9:30 - Nicholas Olker
 11:00 - Wilfred Werner, req by Martin Schuett
 11:00 - Mr & Mrs Fritz Werner, req by Martin Schuett
 11:00 - Hannah Kirschner, req by the Dahlinger family
 11:00 - John Wayne
 11:00 - Daniel Rostenkowski
 12:30 - Eugene Pontillo Jr
 5:00 - Intention for Life Teen Youth Ministry & the People of St. Francis de Sales Parish

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED & THEIR FAMILIES

Olivia Rose, daughter of Michael & Jency Johnson
Amedeo Ireland, son of Taylor Dini
Cameron Seungwoo, son of James & Jaclyn Han
Kolbe Martin, son of John & Kaitlin Konopacz

WEDDING BANNS

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.

- Arnold Tetens** (father to Kathy (Tom) Burek)
- Ron Farrell** (brother to Bonnie Balster)
- Wilfreido 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)
- Kevin Lake** (husband to Linda)
- Candace Cotsiomifis** (parishioner)
- Andrew Chase** (father to Tiffany (Kevin) Mottison)
- Joann Swanson** (sister to Linda Bolssens)
- 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 †

- Dorothy Lorraine Marshalla** (mother to Bill (Suzanne) Marshalla)
- Kristina Rose Joern** (mother to Vera Joern)
- Michael Sanks** (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 9 - 15, 2019

- Lexington:** Dec 9 - Presider: Bonnie Balster, Audrey Spoerlein, Joanne Jacobi*, Phil Surdyski, Sub: Fran Farruggio
- Good Shepherd:** Dec 10 - TBA, Dec 12 - TBA, Dec 14 - John Casciotti, Dec 15 - Eileen Glazik, Barb Diebold
- Cedar Lake:** Dec 14 - Sherylann Phillips
- LZ Meadows:** Dec 15 - Cindy Gauvreau
- Azpira Place:** Dec 14 - Pam Urban
- Auberge:** Dec 14 - Cindy Tomei

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 Friebe, 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

December

Mary Helen Solan [jms200mh@aol.com]

January & February

Laura Zuckuhr [lazfamily@juno.com]

Please help out Emmaus House by donating powdered lemonade mix! Donations may be dropped off in Fr Valker Hall at any time. Thank you!

saint snippets

Do not be distressed. Am I not here who am your mother?



Our Lady of Guadalupe

St. Juan Diego received visions of her in Mexico in 1531. Her image miraculously appeared on his tilma.

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December 12

**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 Finkenkiller: 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

PFC Brandon Dobner: U.S. Army stationed at Fort Irwin National Training Center in CA, son of Phil and Denise Dobner

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 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 McGarry, Alec M. Brown, Capt. Bryan Blackburn, 1st Lt. Clayton Rife, 1st Lt. Christopher Best, 2nd Lt. Luc Logan, L Cpl. Kenneth Trygstad, Capt. Bianca Lane, Airman Robert William Dones, L Cpl. Donald Adams, Sgt. Cass Zacharyasz, Dylan Becker, Amie Maychszak, Petty Officer 3rd Class Gregory Gornik



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 October 31, 2019

Registered Families	4,365	Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers	163
*Registered Families in 1949	94	Teen Eucharistic Ministers	11
Parish School Students	296	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

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

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 14 & 15, 2019

	CELEBRANT	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	LECTORS	CROSS BEARERS ALTAR SERVERS	GREETERS
SATURDAY 5PM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	Joanne Smith Pam Urban Steven De Spain Kirk Galasso Audrey Spoerlein Bob Arvidson Raymond Urban Mary Tinkham Margaret Gas	Gretta Leedy Davis Leedy	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Francisca Alivia Liam Luby	Pam & Ray Urban Marilyn Peterson
SUNDAY 6:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	Kathy Dellaria Rick Elish Emily Skarzynski Gary Greco Bob Arvidson Cheryl Elish Jeanette Greco	Cindy Blank	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Will Jokerst Elena Labuda	Jim Gill
SUNDAY 8AM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	George Yingst J Bart Eiduke Mary Jo Kunzmann Bonnie Balster Scott McConnell Bob Arvidson Marsha Smyser Ann Marie McConnell Jan Yingst	John Baczek Tim Stellfue	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Aidan Flannery Emilee Moorman	Tuckey Family
SUNDAY 9:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	Wayne Blume Tim Lawson Mary Kloss David Kalafut Jocelyn Purtell Bob Arvidson John Wallor Maureen McGowan Marilee Grenning	Jerry Jagla Tom Purtell	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Zachary Marcheschi Grace Staehle	Myra Genovaldi
SUNDAY 11AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Kim Stratman Jo Anderson Bob Heiderman Natalie Warkenthien Holly Smigleski Carol Brozek Patty Antczak Janet Danielsen Rory Albrecht	Lisa Warren Jeff Misak	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Kendall Freeland	
SUNDAY 12:30PM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Bruce Manson Mary Manson Susie Bobrowski Delia Kavanaugh Edgar Garcia Kathy Woloshyn	David Eddleman	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Anna Roscoe	
SUNDAY 5:00PM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Karen Beierwaltes Claire Jones Matthew Roesner Joyce Bozacki Rae Danielle Amato Pam Lynch Katy Roesner	Jeff Rae	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
	robert.quast@comcast.net
Parish Pastoral Council Chair , Thomas Purtell.....	(847)304-5574
Parish School Principal , Kyle Schmitt	(847)726-4826

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

Chairperson , James Bataglia (PPC)	(847)462-0818
Adult Faith Formation	
Pam Lynch	(847)726-4862, plynch@sfrancislz.org
Judy Reilly	(630)338-7543, jreilly@sfrancislz.org
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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

