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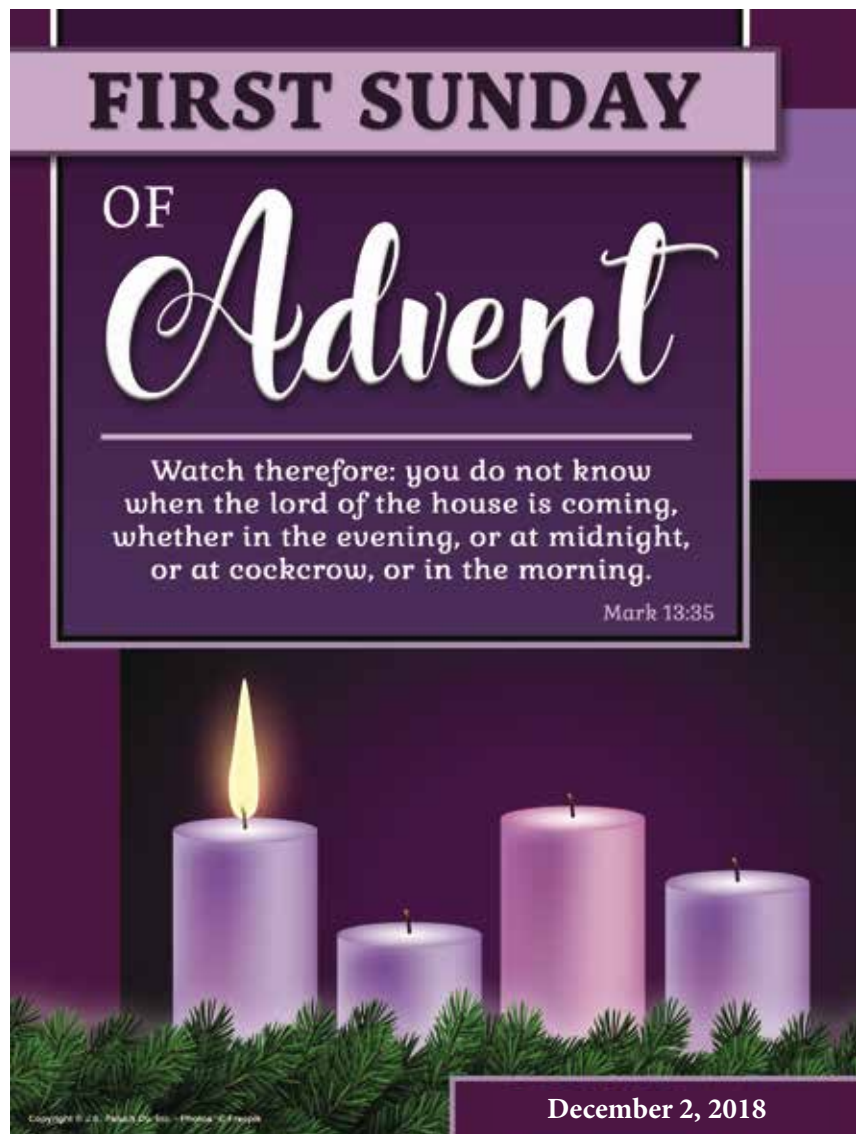
**GOD AND COUNTRY
RENEW MY CHURCH
All for One...
One for All in Jesus Christ**



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WELCOME TO ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH!

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

Sunday, December 2, First Sunday of Advent

- **Mass:** 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm — Church
- **Life Night:** 6:30-8pm — Ministry Center
- **Emmaus House Community Dinner:** 6-9pm — Fr. Valker Hall
- **2nd Year Confirmation Class:** 3:15-4:30pm — Ministry Center
- **RCIA & Children's Catechumenate Rite of Acceptance:** 9:30am — Church
- **Catechumenate Reception:** after 9:30am — Valker Hall

Monday, December 3, St. Francis Xavier

- **Mass:** 8:30am — Church
- **Yoga:** 9:30am — Ministry Center
- **Athletic Board Meeting:** 7pm — Ministry Center

Tuesday, December 4, St. John Damascene

- **Mass:** 7am — Church
- **NAMI Meeting:** 6-9pm — Ministry Center
- **EQUIP:** 6:45-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **RCIA:** 7-9:30pm — Gathering Space
- **Candy Cane Corner:** 8am-2pm — Valker Hall
- **Boy Scouts Pack Meeting:** 7:30-9pm — Valker Hall
- **Bereavement Meeting:** 2-4pm — Ministry Center

Wednesday, December 5, St. Nicholas

- **Mass:** 8:30am & Noon — Church
- **Adoration:** 7-8pm — Valker Hall
- **BUILD:** 6:45-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Indian Guides Meeting:** 7-8:30pm — Valker Hall
- **SPRED Catechist Meeting:** 6:30-8:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Choir:** 7-8:30pm — Ministry Center

Thursday, December 6

- **Mass:** 7am — Church
- **BUILD:** 9:15-11am — Ministry Center
- **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 6-7:15pm — Ministry Center
- **Baptismal Prep Meeting:** 6-9pm — Church
- **Handbells:** 6:45-8:30pm — Church
- **Youth Choir:** 4:45-6pm — Ministry Center

Friday, December 7, St. Ambrose; First Friday

- **Mass:** 8:30am — Church
- **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** 9am-4pm — Church
- **Holy Day Vigil Mass:** 7pm — Church
- **Girl Scouts Meeting:** 2:30-3:30pm — Valker Hall

Saturday, December 8, The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- **Holy Day Mass:** 8:30am & 12 noon — Church
- **Confessions:** 11am — Church
- **Sunday Vigil Mass:** 5pm — Church

Sunday, December 9, Second Sunday of Advent

- **Mass:** 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm, 5pm — Church
- **Gift of Love Distribution:** 8am-4pm — Ministry Center
- **Children's Catechumenate Session:** 9:30am — Valker Hall
- **Home Study Session:** 11am — Valker Hall
- **Emmaus House Community Dinner:** 6-9pm — Valker Hall
- **1st Year Confirmation Class:** 3:15-4:30pm — Ministry Center
- **Life Night:** 6:30-8pm — Ministry Center

This Weekend: December 1 & 2, 2018

RCIA & Children's Catechumenate Rite of Acceptance
Star of Bethlehem Olive Wood Sale

Next Weekend: December 8 & 9, 2018

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2nd Collection - Retirement Fund for Religious

December 2, 2018: The First Sunday of Advent

"With unrivaled mercy he opens the heart's door by means of those remorseful stings of conscience which come from the various kinds of light and knowledge he casts into our souls." - St Francis de Sales

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- The days are coming when the LORD will fulfill the promise made to Israel and Judah (Jeremiah 33:14-16).

Psalms -- To you, O Lord, I lift my soul (Psalm 25).

Second Reading -- Abound in love for one another and for all (1 Thessalonians 3:12 -- 4:2).

Gospel -- Stand erect and raise your heads; your redemption is at hand (Luke 21:25-28, 34-36).

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 2:1-5; 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: Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38

Sunday: Bar 5:1-9; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 1:4-6, 8-11; Lk 3:1-6

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: First Sunday of Advent; Hanukkah begins

Monday: St. Francis Xavier

Tuesday: St. John Damascene

Thursday: St. Nicholas

Friday: St. Ambrose; First Friday, Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

Saturday: The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

THE PROMISE OF JUSTICE

We are in fairly good company when we ask God for justice. Often enough we hear and agree with the lament of the people of Israel asking God why the wicked prosper. However, when we call out for justice, we usually want someone to get his or her comeuppance. God's justice is something other than this, of course. God's justice comprises a wonderful rightness between God and humankind. Today, Jeremiah looks ahead to a time when a just one will sprout from the shorn-off stump of Jesse of the house and family of David. Life was not fair in Jeremiah's time. Israel's kings held the promise of God's fidelity, but it was difficult to see how God's promise could be realized through them.

Nevertheless, Jeremiah lifts his voice and announces that the Promised One will come. Luke's Gospel echoes that announcement, and Paul is filled with sturdy encouragement. And so Advent begins with a promise.

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



RESURRECTION

Adam and Eve's choice to turn their backs on God moved us into the kingdom of darkness. It chained us to brokenness, weighed us down with fears and death, and separated us from the Father's love. These chains were broken when Jesus rose from the dead. Through his resurrection, Jesus triumphed! Death could not hold him. Jesus broke the enemy's grip, opened our way back to the Father, and the kingdom life that was originally our birthright. This is the Good News!

Questions? Please e-mail
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St. Francis de Sales Mom's Group

"Advent at Home"



When: Thursday, December 13th from 9:30-11am

Where: Gathering Space of St. Francis de Sales Church

Join us as we share ideas on how to approach the Advent season with our families. Teaching our children the importance of Christ's birth is the best gift we can give them. If you have any items at home that help teach your children about Advent and the Nativity, bring them along!

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

Upcoming Events:

December 16th Family Event: "Mass & Pancakes" Join us for the 8am or 9:30am Mass and Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast after!

January 10th: Mom's Group Meeting, 9:30-11am

January 24th: Mom's Group Meeting, 9:30-11am

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November 16, 2018

Dear Brothers,

Thank you for the support and good counsel you have given the People of God and each other during this difficult time. We know our parishioners value and trust you and we deeply appreciate your patience and faithfulness. You and many others desire to be more informed about the actions the Archdiocese of Chicago has taken to address clergy sexual abuse, ensure leadership accountability and protect and support victim-survivors and their loved ones. The pain the scourge of abuse has caused victim-survivors, as well as our parishioners and their communities, may never be erased. But I hope they can take some solace in knowing that the Archdiocese has, for nearly three decades, been at the forefront of this issue, deeply committed to preventing abuse and responding to it with actions that go beyond mere words.

Bearing this need for information in mind, I share the attached two-page document which details our work going back to Cardinal Joseph Bernardin's 1991 lay commission that reviewed the Archdiocese's procedures for handling accusations of clergy sexual abuse and helped frame what were then model policies. Our journey since then to better understand and respond to clergy sexual abuse, and to support the psychological, emotional and spiritual healing of its victim-survivors, continues today. We will always stand ready to assist those affected by the horrific crime of sexual abuse.

To ensure our efforts remain both vigilant and current, we recently engaged an independent firm to assess our policies, procedures and practices. We will share with you the results of this review and our plans to implement their recommendations in early 2019.

Part of the work of rebuilding the trust broken by this scandal involves regular communication. The attached document is part of our commitment to what we believe is a necessary, ongoing conversation within our community about this issue. We hope these materials assist you as you speak with parishioners and all who come to you with concerns about this painful subject. And we urge you to help spread the word about our child protection and victim assistance ministries by reproducing and distributing it at Masses and sharing it through your bulletins and website. More information on our efforts can be found online at heal.archchicago.org.

Please know you are in my prayers as you work to serve and heal our people.

Peace,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ronald A. Hicks".

Bishop Ronald A. Hicks

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**The Office for the Protection of Children and Youth (OPCY)**

Archdiocese of Chicago's Response to Sexual Abuse of Minors

Early and Decisive**1991**

Cardinal Joseph Bernardin convened lay commission to review the Archdiocese of Chicago's procedures for handling accusations of sexual abuse.

1992

The Archdiocese of Chicago put in place policies and procedures to address allegations and issues related to sexual abuse of minors.

The Archdiocese of Chicago created the first Office of Victim Assistance Ministry to provide direct outreach and support to victims-survivors and their families.

The Archdiocese of Chicago created an independent office (now known as the Office of Child Abuse Investigations and Review) to receive allegations of abuse of minors by clergy.

1993

The Archdiocese of Chicago's Independent Review Board convened to review allegations of abuse and to make direct recommendations of the accused clergy's fitness for ministry to Cardinal.

Comprehensive and Sustained

The Archdiocese of Chicago created the **Office for the Protection of Children and Youth (OPCY)** in 2003 to bring together the various ministries within the archdiocese that had been operating to ensure the archdiocese is a safe place for children. The following offices work together to stay current on preventing and responding to child sexual abuse:

Office for Assistance Ministry (OAM) personnel reach out and extend supportive services to victims-survivors from the moment they come forward with an allegation of clergy sexual abuse. This includes traveling throughout the country



Healing Garden at Holy Family Church in Chicago.

with personnel from the Office of Child Abuse Investigation and Review (CAIR) to meet with and listen to victims-survivors. OAM personnel also provide the opportunity for victims-survivors to get independent professional counseling from fully accredited therapists. Additionally, OAM personnel have worked in collaboration with victims-survivors to respond to their need for healing. This has led to the development of the Healing Garden, annual Mass for Hope and Healing and Pinwheel Service for Child Abuse Prevention, victim-survivor led peace circles, and the Healing Voices magazine. To date over 400 victims-survivors and family members have been served by OAM personnel.

Office of Child Abuse Investigation and Review (CAIR) is headed by a lay professional who provides a compassionate and thorough process for receiving and investigating reports of child abuse against archdiocesan personnel. Archdiocese personnel notify public authorities of all reports of possible abuse of any kind and from any date, regardless of legal requirements.

- The Director of CAIR serves as staff for the Independent Review Board, which is an advisory board for the Cardinal. The Board's main charges are ensuring the safety of children and determining a cleric's fitness for ministry. Over 230 recorded Board meetings have been held. The Board has determined 296 allegations of abuse to be substantiated and determined 75 allegations of abuse to not be substantiated.

Safe Environment Office personnel provide resources to educate archdiocesan clergy, employees and volunteers on how to prevent child sexual abuse, how to recognize sex offender behavior and how to create safe environments for children and youth.

Since 2003 more than 3,700 training sessions in the archdiocese have been held training more than 263,000 adults.

- Archdiocesan parishes and schools are required to provide valuable training to children and youth on how to recognize, respond and report grooming or abuse.
- Safe Environment Office personnel also screen, through name-based background checks, all clergy, employees and volunteers. Office personnel also receive and review fingerprint results for school personnel.

- All employees and volunteers who work with children and youth in the archdiocese must submit a CANTS (Child Abuse and Neglect Tracking Systems) Form.
- All employees and volunteers in the archdiocese must abide by the archdiocese's Code of Conduct.
- The archdiocese requires Mandated Reporter Training for all clergy, school personnel, religious education personnel, youth ministers and coaches as part of the archdiocese's Safe Environment Compliance.

Priest Monitoring Program is the Archdiocese of Chicago's stringent monitoring program of clergy with substantiated cases of sexual abuse against them. These men have been withdrawn from ministry and are prohibited from presenting themselves as a priest. They are required to comply with numerous restrictions to provide safety for the community, the program participants, and the Church.

The Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People

The *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* was approved in 2002 by the bishops of the United States Catholic Conference.

The latest revision was approved June 2018.

The Charter reinforced what the Archdiocese of Chicago was doing by requiring all dioceses to:

- Heal and promote reconciliation of victims-survivors and their families;
- Make prompt and effective response to abuse allegations;
- Cooperate with civil authorities;
- Discipline offenders;
- Create a safe environment for children and young people through training and screening;
- Provide means of accountability for the future and to ensure the problem continues to be effectively dealt with through the **Secretariat of Child and Youth Protection** and the **National Review Board**.

Every year the Archdiocese of Chicago participates in an audit of the implementation of the *Charter's* requirements. Every year the archdiocese passes the audit.

To report an allegation of abuse and/or neglect of minors, contact the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Hotline at 800.25.ABUSE and/or contact your local police department. You can also contact the Office of the Protection of Children and Youth (OPCY) at 312.534.5254.



St. Joseph's Home for the Elderly
80 W. Northwest Highway, Palatine, IL 60067

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9TH, 2-4 PM

SANTA WILL WELCOME KIDS YOUNG AND OLD
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CHRISTMAS TREES THROUGHOUT OUR HOME
COOKIES AND HOT CHOCOLATE



JOIN OUR

Christmas Youth Choir

FOR GRADES 3 - 8

Our Christmas Youth Choir will sing at the 4 PM Mass on Christmas Eve, Monday, December 24. Make a short term commitment and join us to celebrate the birth of our Lord!

FIVE REHEARSALS:

Thursday, November 15
Thursday, November 29
Thursday, December 6
Thursday, December 13
*Thursday, December 20

Rehearsals will be held from 4:45 - 6:00 PM in the Ministry Center.

*Rehearsal on December 20 will be held in the church from 4:45 - 6:00 PM.

TO SIGN UP YOUR CHILDREN OR HAVE ANY
QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT BENJAMIN VALLE
benjaminvallemusic@gmail.com
or PAT STEWART musicSFDS@stfrancisilz.org

ABOUT THE DIRECTOR - BENJAMIN VALLE

Passionate about music from a young age, Benjamin grew up playing piano, guitar, and singing as much as he could. He studied music for a year at the University of Illinois prior to setting his music studies aside to pursue a degree in Theology at Franciscan University of Steubenville. He has worked as a youth minister in the Archdiocese of Chicago for the past five years in addition to leading worship for churches and events in the diocese. You may have seen him on occasion at Saint Francis de Sales as an accompanist and he looks forward to working with the Youth Choir this Christmas season!

2018 Advent, Christmas & Holy Days Schedule

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 11:00am until Noon

More times to be added, so check back weekly!

Christmas Eve

Monday, December 24 Mass Schedule

4pm Church - Fr David F. Ryan

4:15pm Father Walker Hall - Fr. Fortunato Turati

**Note Change: No 4:15pm mass
in the Parish School Gym**

6pm Church - Fr David F. Ryan

12 Midnight Church - Fr David F. Ryan

Christmas Day

Tuesday, December 25 Mass Schedule

6:30am, 8am, 9:30am - Fr David F. Ryan

11am & 12:30pm - Fr James McIlhorne

No 5pm Mass on Dec 25

[Dec 30] Sunday Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph
Regular Sunday Schedule

[Dec 31] Monday Vigil for Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
8:30am, Noon & 5pm Vigil

[Jan 1] Tuesday Solemnity of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)
6:30am, 8:30am, Noon, 4:30pm and 7pm

[Jan 6] Epiphany of the Lord
Regular Sunday Schedule



"O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL" COLLEGE STUDENTS!

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! Will comprise of college (even Master level) students only - Vocalists and Instrumentalists! There will be ONE rehearsal a couple days prior to the Mass (when all will be home). 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.

ARE YOU WRAPPING UP a Gift of Love?

Drop-off days at the Ministry Center are Friday, December 7 from 3-7 PM and Saturday, December 8 from 8AM-5PM.

If these dates are not convenient for you, please call Jane Clery at 847-370-8933 this week to make alternate arrangements. If you have not yet signed up to sponsor a family or individual and would like to do so, please call Jane. There are still many ways to spread some Christmas cheer this year. If you have already signed up to sponsor a family or an individual, thank you! Please be sure to read the back of your signup sheet for all the details.

If you are sponsoring an **individual**, please remember to use a decorative gift bag, not a box, for these gifts. If you are sponsoring a **family**, we ask you to help us by providing your own boxes.



Our Lady of Tepeyac Sharing Tree

The Christmas Tree/Sharing Tree for Our Lady of Tepeyac has bloomed in the Church Gathering Space 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 8-9.** 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.



REMINDER
Collections are
NEXT WEEKEND

GIFT OF LOVE & TROOP 309 NEEDS

25 BIKES

for middle school aged kids
NEW, USED, OR IN NEED OF REPAIR
please bring to the ministry center

[bikes for all ages are welcomed, big or small, too!]

THE STASH HAS BEEN DEPLETED!

225 BIKES

have been repaired this summer and fall by Nic Angelini, Ryan Kowalski, Ryan McCaully, Eli Larson, and Jonathan Young and were distributed to Our Lady of Tepeyac Parish in Chicago, Holy Family Food Pantry in Waukegan and St. Dismas Parish in Waukegan.



**Friday,
December 7**

**Eucharistic
Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament**

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

Pizza with a purpose

Bring in this flyer, present it to your server and we'll donate 20% of your check to the organization listed below. Purchases include dine-in, takeout, catering and all beverages.

Fundraiser in support of:

**Society of
St. Vincent DePaul**

December 12

All Day

Dine-In & Take-Out

Valid at the following location:

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20502 N. Rand Road
Deer Park, IL

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Join the CPK *Power*™ program and receive a free Small Plate on your next visit after registering. Register today at cpk.com or download our new app today!



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Fundraiser offer valid only on the date(s) and at the CPK location identified on the flyer. Only 501(c)(3) organizations and non-profit schools are eligible to participate in CPK's fundraiser program. CPK will donate 20% (twenty percent) of all food and beverage sales to the organization. Tax, gratuity, gift card and retail sales are excluded from the donation. Offer valid for dine-in, takeout, online, catering, outside or delivery orders placed directly with CPK. Not valid for third-party delivery. Offer void if flyer is distributed in or near restaurant. For more information about the 501(c)(3) organization participating in the fundraiser, please contact the organization directly.



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**Love Notes - How to Build Your
Personal Relationship with Jesus**

Guest Speaker: Father Britto Berchmans

Join us February 1-3, 2019
at the beautiful Marytown

Registration is full for this retreat, but if you are still
interested in joining us, please reach out to Rose
Weismann at Rose.Weismann@gmail.com
or 847-975-8005.

JOIN US FOR THE NEXT BUS PILGRIMAGE!

*Basilica of
St. Josaphat*

December 11th in Milwaukee, WI
Cost // \$25.00/person

We will visit in addition to the basilica:
T.H. Stemper Co. church supply and
religious goods store, Mader's German
Restaurant for lunch (at everyone's
own expense), and we will stop on way
home at Leon's for ice cream. Contact
the Ministry Center to sign up today!

Hand-Carved Olive Wood Gifts from the Holy Land

Proceeds benefit Catholic schools in the Holy Land.



Did you know that 600 Christian families are living in Bethlehem and are completely dependent on carving olive wood figurines for their livelihood? The recent clashes in the Middle East have stopped the tourism industry in Bethlehem, causing most of those families serious harm in earning their living and forcing many of them to leave their homeland. Christians having to leave the land of Christ has tragic consequences on the holy sites. Issam from "Star of Bethlehem Group" came to the United States with a mission to help those families by selling their beautiful religious hand crafts. The cost of goods goes to benefit the Christian carvers to keep them working in the spirit of our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, the profit from sales goes directly to the needy Catholic schools and clinics in the Holy Land. Star of Bethlehem has been approved by many bishops and the diocese of Jerusalem. **Please take a look at those beautiful artifacts December 1st & 2nd.**



HOLY FIRE, Chicago, IL - On the weekend of October 26-27, the Archdiocese of Chicago and National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry hosted the 2018 Holy Fire Conference at the UIC Pavilion. For the first time ever, St. Francis de Sales participated by sending four busloads of first-year Confirmation students, peer ministers, and adult volunteers on Saturday, October 27. With over 10,000 6th - 9th grade teens, this was the Archdiocese's largest gathering to date. St. Francis de Sales was highlighted during the event for bringing the largest group. The teens and adults from our parish were able to hear the transforming witness of nationally known speakers and participate in praise and worship music. The day concluded with Mass and Eucharistic Adoration. A wonderful day-long retreat!

sources: <http://nfcym.org/holyfirechicago/>

<https://pvm.archchicago.org/events/holy-fire>



YOUTH MINISTRY

JOIN US FOR LIFE NIGHTS!

Life Nights are teen focused events which can help you grow in your relationship with Jesus and have some fun, too. These nights also include social nights and special events. We offer Life Nights almost every Sunday between September and May. Life Nights take place immediately after the 5pm Life Teen Mass with activities usually scheduled from 6:15 to 8pm. Food is always served. Also, join us for Wednesday Adoration in Church from 7 to 8 pm All ages welcome!

UPCOMING TOPICS

Sunday, October 21: Chili Bingo Night

Sunday, October 28: Getting to Know Jesus Series #5

Sunday, November 4: Getting to Know Jesus Series #6

Sunday, November 11:

Molly's Adopt-A-Sailor Packing Party

Sunday, November 18:

Friendsgiving Thanksgiving Celebration

Sunday, November 25: NO LIFE NIGHT

Sunday, December 2:

Getting to Know Jesus Series Wrap-Up

Sunday, December 9: Advent Night

Sunday, December 16: Christmas Party

Sunday, December 23: NO LIFE NIGHT

Sunday, December 30: NO LIFE NIGHT

Sunday, January 6: NO LIFE NIGHT



Friendsgiving 2018

† Mass Schedule †

Monday, December 3, St. Francis Xavier

- 8:30 - Intention for Police Officers and Firefighters
- 8:30 - Souls in Purgatory
- 8:30 - Carmelo Scalzo, Req. by his wife, Emma
- 8:30 - Deceased member of the Durstin Family, Req. by the Paulus family
- 8:30 - Father Thomas Carmody, Req. by Jan & George Yingst
- 8:30 - Willelma O'Brien, Req. by Beverly Nelson
- 8:30 - Cathy Orlando

Tuesday, December 4, St. John Damascene

- 7:00 - Intention for Francis I, Bishop of Rome
- 7:00 - Intention for Persecuted Christians
- 7:00 - Clifford Pletsch

Wednesday, December 5

- 8:30 - Intention for the Safety of the School Children of our Community
- 8:30 - Marie Greco, Req. by the Urban family

- Noon - Intention for Renew My Church
- Noon - Wilson Brumleve, Req. by daughter, Nancy Jarvis
- Noon - Robert Glodowski, Req. by the Latter family
- Noon - David Anderson
- Noon - Patricia Pruett

Thursday, December 6, St. Nicholas

- 7:00 - Intention for Blase Cardinal Cupich
- 7:00 - Charles H Adams, Req. by granddaughter, Susan
- 7:00 - Jim Moser (Month's Mind Mass)
- 7:00 - Joanne Guarino (Month's Mind Mass)

Friday, December 7, St. Ambrose

- 8:30 - Intention of Charlene Johnstone
- 8:30 - Intention of Barbara Schlosser
- 8:30 - Mary Kelly, Req. by the Larson family
- 8:30 - Marie Lydon

Saturday, December 8, The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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

- Noon - Joseph and Mary Smith
- Noon - Carl and Phylis Childers

- 5:00 - Robert Glodowski
- 5:00 - Louis and Mildred Jaacks
- 5:00 - Jake and Elsie Reiser

Sunday, December 9, Third Sunday of Advent

- 6:30 - Intention for Ed Olczyk
- 6:30 - Intention for Robert Morcocchio
- 6:30 - Robert O'Donovan

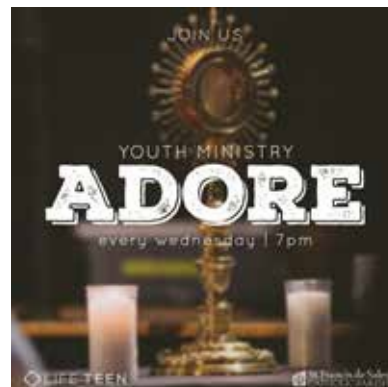
- 8:00 - Intention for Susan Osterman
- 8:00 - Helen Gaj (Guy), Req. by Ron & Geri Gaj
- 8:00 - Mildred Smith, Req. by Ron & Geri Gaj
- 8:00 - Margaret Ann Cuthbertson (Month's Mind Mass)
- 8:00 - Samuel and Marie Sfere

- 9:30 - Dan & Vera Marlow, Req. by Hank Paulus
- 9:30 - Richard Kalinowski, Req. by family
- 9:30 - David Light, Req. by Hank Paulus
- 9:30 - Peter McGrail, Req. by family
- 9:30 - Intention for Lois Matz, Req. by the Rae family
- 9:30 - Intention for Frank Schneider

- 11:00 - Aurora Mata, Req. by Chuck & Jean Meinhardt
- 11:00 - Antonino Polizzi, Req. by Jerry & Pam Marshall
- 11:00 - Mr. & Mrs. August Schuett, Req. by Martin Schuett
- 11:00 - Mr. & Mrs. Henry Doden, Req. by Martin Schuett
- 11:00 - Intention for Jeremy Graham & Family, Req. by family
- 11:00 - Michael Collins

- 12:30 - Intention for Mary Monti
- 12:30 - Marcos Linares, Req. by Caril Ruther & Betty Duff
- 12:30 - Joseph Kociuba, Req. by Polnaszek-Gray family

- 5:00 - Intention for Life Teen Youth Ministry & the People of St. Francis de Sales Parish
- 5:00 - Intention for Intentional Discipleship within our Parish
- 5:00 - James Moser, Req. by the Chiarelli family



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION EVERY WEDNESDAY!

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

† 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.

Roxanne Clark (parishioner)
Nancy Morrissey (mother to Lisa (Tim) Jordan)
Curly Strade (husband to Toni)
Paul Furfori (husband to Marge)
Harriet Gulik (parishioner)
Bruno Popiela (parishioner)
Melissa Cemaglio (daughter of Marilu Kust)
Jennifer Penney
 (daughter-in-law to Wayne & Linda Penney)
Valerie Weigland (parishioner)
Sophia Smith (great-niece to Gary & Karen Glinski)
Chad Glinski (son to Gary & Karen Glinski)
Nicole Glinski (daughter-in-law to Gary & Karen Glinski)
James Guidici (parishioner)
Kathleen Toth
Geri Romano (parishioner)
Amanda Wilk (daughter to Mitchell and Barbara)
Michelle Ryan (friend to Janet Whetter)
Donnelle Caulder (friend to Diane Whetter)
Janet Whetter (mother to Diane)
Susan Sullivan (niece to Marty O'Neill)
Patricia Brown (wife to Ed)

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

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

† In Sympathy †

Edwin Adamski (husband to Sandra)
Aldo Azzolin (father to Miehelle Keacher)
Margaret Cuthbertson (wife to Richard)
Nicholas Butler (husband to Kristina)
Jim Moser (father to Jackie (John) Bathery)
Ruthann Beauchat (mother to Mylind (Tom) Buto)
Antonino Polizzi (previous parishioner)



MINISTRY OF CARE SERVICE

December 3 - 9, 2018

Lexington: Dec 3 - Presider: Bonnie Balster, Cindy Schwiesow, Phil Surdynski*, Liz Bush, Sub: Cathy Criel

Silverado: Dec 7 - Denise Haire

Good Shepherd: Dec 4 - Marie Kraft, Dec 6 - TBA, Dec 8 - Fran Farruggio, Aleyce Baca, Jerry Jagla, Dec 9 - John Ergastolo, Bob Kopfer, Sandy Davern

Cedar Lake: TBA

LZ Meadows: Dec 7 - Jo Anderson

Azpira Place: Dec 8 - Lorraine Holland

EMMAUS HOUSE OF HOSPITALITY COMMUNITY DINNER

Every Sunday Night (unless otherwise noted*)

No Dinner on 12/16, 12/23, 12/30

6-7:30pm in Fr. Valer Hall

For more information visit

www.emmaus-house.org

December Coordinators

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 (847) 373-5343

January & February Coordinator

Laura Zuckuhr | lazfamily@juno.com

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

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



We thank you for your continued dedication and 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 Finkeneller: U.S. Army, Deployed to Taji Iraq North of Baghdad, Nephew of Robert & Irene Louis

Matthew Schrock: II National Guard, Stationed in Afghanistan Nephew of Steve & Joan Schultz

Staff Sgt. Andrew Pelc: Stationed in Iraq, Friend of the Glazik Family

L Cpl Edward Mc Donough: U.S. Marines, Deployed to Afghanistan Cousin of Susan Pflaumer

Major Jon Zachary: Redeployed to Afghanistan, Son of Frank Zachary

Staff Sgt. James Stonehouse: U.S. Marines, Deployed Overseas, Nephew of Joe & Diane Collins

Commander Colleen Glaser-Allen: U.S. Navy, Stationed in Japan Cousin of Mary Margaret Matuga

Cpt. Bryan Marone: U.S. Army, Deployed to Afghanistan, 2 Previous Deployments to Iraq, Husband to Melissa

Major Joseph Andresky: U.S. Air Force, Stationed in Washington, D.C., Nephew of Laurie & Mike Sweeney and Patti & Steve Yellin

Michael Scott Guzy: U.S. Marines, Stationed in Pensacola, FL Grandson of Dee Guzy & Nephew of Megan Bajor

Lt. Kristopher Lovekamp: E.O.D.: U.S. Navy, Stationed in Niceville, FL, Cousin to Fr. David F. Ryan

Captain Michael Vyn: U.S. Air Force, 5th Deployment to Kuwait, Grandson to Marie Fries

Commander Cory Rosenberg: U.S. Marines, Deployed to Afghanistan; Brother-in-Law of Angie Kula

L. Cpl. Cameron Kasmar: U.S.M.C., 2nd deployment to Afghanistan Boy Scout Troop 927 Eagle Scout

Captain Christopher Aument: U.S. Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, CA, Grandson of Barb & Bill Donnan

Lance Corporal Allan Borowick: Stationed in Afghanistan, Friend of Mary Margaret Matuga

L. Cpl. Brandon Helm: U.S. Marines, Stationed in Afghanistan, Nephew of Ric & Diane Bloch

L. Cpl. Scott Johnson: U.S. Marine Corps, Deployed to Afghanistan Friend of Kathleen Guzy

Bradley Vicciollo: Stationed in Japan, Nephew of Parishioner

Private First Class Blake Sieben: Stationed in Fort Lewis, WA, Son of Paul and Pamela Sieben

Sgt. Nicholas Raeff: U.S. Marines, Nephew of Anne and Russ Parsons 4th Class Midshipman Lindsey Moritz: Annapolis, MD; Daughter of Dan and Kim Moritz, Niece of Don and Tina Murray

Thomas Corcoran: Boatswain Mate 2nd Class, U.S. Coast Guard Station, Washington, D.C., Son of Terrence and Christine Corcoran

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

Major Eric Penney: U.S. Air Force, Stationed at Altus Air Force Base, Oklahoma, Son of Wayne & Linda Penney

PFC Nicholas Whitman: U.S. Marine Corps, Son of Renee Whitman, Grandson to Penny Whitman

Sgt. Lucas Jokisch: Illinois National Guard, 4th Tour of Duty, Returned from Afghanistan, Cousin to Father David F. Ryan

Petty Officer 3rd Class Gregory Gornik: U.S. Navy, Deploying on the USS Harry Truman S. Aircraft Carrier, Nephew of Rick & Kathy Gornik
Mitchel W. Gornik: U.S. Coast Guard, Maritime Security Response Team (MSRT) based in Chesapeake, VA. Nephew of Rick & Kathy Gornik

Trey Ross: U.S. Marines, Stationed in San Diego waiting for Deployment, Friend of Karoline Yacono

Lt. Michael Hornacek: MC U.S. Navy, Stationed at the Naval Medical Center, San Diego, Son of Michael and Claudia Hornacek

Corporal Ben Schick: U.S. Marines, Grandson of Anne Schick

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Returned Safely Home

Alex Gozzola, 1st Lt. Timothy Kirshner, Lt. Col. Joseph Thill, 1st Lt. Josh Bell, Navy Petty Officer Nicholas Thill, 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 Basgall, Tom Mahoney, Spec. Sean Anthony Whippo, Lt. Jack Connor, Private Michael Szydelko, Staff Stg. Rod Jacobs, Cdr. Mike Sheedy, Airman Joshua Emmons, S. Sgt. Brad Ginn, Sgt. Sarah Leigh Forgey, Petty Officer Stephen McKean, E4 Jonathan Mele, Michael McGarry, Alec M. Brown, Capt. Bryan Blackburn, Jesse Ward, 1st Lt. Clayton Rife, 1st Lt. Christopher Best, 2nd Lt. Luc Logan, L Cpl. Kenneth Trygstad, Capt. Bianca Lane, Airman Robert William Dones, L Cpl. Donald Adams, Sgt. Cass Zacharyasz, Dylan Becker.



Veterans and their families can take advantage of Veterans Administration and other helpful resources by connecting with the Lake County Veterans and Family Services representative and parishioner, Bob Gorman. Bob can be reached at (847) 322-5176, or email at robertegorman@sbcglobal.net.

Financial Report from Business Office

2018-19 MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

July	\$138,757	Christmas (2017)	\$192,800
August	\$131,091	Christmas (2016)	\$224,463
		Easter (2017)	\$159,887
		Easter (2018)	\$112,270
		Our Lady of Tepeyac	
		Sharing Parish.....	\$30,711
		Karoline Choir	
		(Uganda)	\$2,734

SPECIAL APPEALS

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

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

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

Parish Debt to the Archdiocese: \$0

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

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

Registered Families	4,447
*Registered Families in 1949	94
Parish School Students	320

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS

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

YOUTH MINISTRY STUDENTS

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

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers.....	186
Teen Eucharistic Ministers	29
Ministers of Care.....	139
Ushers.....	32
Cross Bearers.....	8
Sacristans	12
Altar Servers	100
Adult Lectors	65
Teen / Child Lectors	11 / 18
Prayer Shawl Ministers	32

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms	64
Marriages	17
Marriage Anniversary Blessings.....	20
Funerals	27
First Communion.....	0
Confirmation.....	0
First Confession	0
Received into the Church.....	0

December 9, 2018
Second Sunday of Advent

	CELEBRANT	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	LECTORS	CROSS BEARERS ALTAR SERVERS	GREETERS
SATURDAY 5PM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Fran Farruggio, Steven De Spain, Gene Bader, Joanne Smith, Tami Anderson, Michelle Roesner, Jan Janus, Julie Dobrow	Kathy Duggan Dylan Smith	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Madeline Rosenbaum Colin Ulbrich Leah Ulbrich	
SUNDAY 6:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Kathy Dellaria, George Mochocki, Emily Skarzynski, Gary Radwanski, Diane Kleine, Rick Elish, Bob Kopfer	Cindy Blank	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Camila Swaitlowski Nikki Swaitlowski	Jim Gill
SUNDAY 8AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Bonnie Balster, Mary Stubstad, Scott McConnell, Ann Marie McConnell, Art Williams, Mary Flanagan, Irene Goldthwaite, Victoria Williams, Sue Arvidson	Patricia O'Leary Tim O'Leary	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Marco Bruno Aidan Flannery Grace McConnell	Sherry Otto Geri Gaj
SUNDAY 9:30AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Buddy Wright, Dana Petraglia, Jerry Jagla, Laurie Haas, Donna Abbott, Mary Jo Kunzmann, Wayne Blume, Delia Kavanaugh, Laurie Wright, Mary Kloss, David Kalafut	Judy Filek Joyce Bozacki Rae	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Maddie Gillis Mia Gillis Tegan Rae	Pecora Family
SUNDAY 11AM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Helen Cawley, Kim Stratman, Victoria Morrissey, Carol Brozek, Donald Lydon, Gerald Kmiecik, Steve Lammers, Caroline Pytlak, Lisa Labuda	Tony Baca David Barker	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Kieran Cawley Ryan Cawley Kaylie Freeland	Erin & Shannon Jessen
SUNDAY 12:30PM	Fr. David F. Ryan	Edgar Garcia, Bruce Manson, Mary Manson, Natalie Warkenthien, Pam Postlewaite, Bobbi Sfire, Marilyn Ostovits	Harry Cione	CROSS BEARER To Be Scheduled ALTAR SERVERS Isabella Holaday Brad Schaefer	Mary Manson
SUNDAY 5PM	Fr. David F. Ryan & Deacon Bob Arvidson	Bob Arvidson, Adrienne Virgilio, Susie Bobrowski, Maureen McGowan, Cindy McGowan, Pam Lynch, Danielle Amato	Sean Friddle	Youth Ministry	Youth Ministry

MINISTRIES & ACTIVITIES AT ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

There are many opportunities to get involved in ministries and activities at St. Francis de Sales. The following ministries have been organized into Commissions that are set up by our Parish Pastoral Council. The names and phone numbers of the chairpersons of each Commission and Council representatives are also included for your information. Please feel free to contact any of these dedicated men and women to answer any questions you might have about a particular ministry or activity or visit www.stfrancislzparish.org for information.

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Finance Council Chair, Michael Carlino (847)438-3260
School Board Chair, Bob Quast..... (847)909-9088
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SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

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

CONFIRMATION

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

CATHOLIC EDUCATION

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 robert.quast@comcast.net
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 Jeff Kinsey (Chair) (847)736-1943
 Jim Ronayne..... (847)540-8163

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Finance Council, Michael Carlino (847)438-3260
Business Manager, Laura Angelini (847)726-4747

HUMAN CONCERNS

Chairperson, John Ergastolo..... (847)726-7746 (PPC)
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 Dana Petraglia..... (847)471-0726
Homebound Ministry of Care Visits
 Kevin Wegner (847)438-3161
 Frank Dodds..... (847)438-5128
Angels of Mercy(Friendly visitors, medicine/grocery pickup, meals, drivers to Church/hospital appointments)
Drivers, Tami Anderson (847)726-4712
Meals, Mary Lahr (847)438-3553
Friendly Visitors to Lexington, Marianne Bailey..... (847)550-9463
Cancer Support/Sharing, Mary Manson..... (847)382-3051
Bereavement, Mary Manson (847)438-6622
Grief Support Group—Forever in Our Hearts (for those who have experienced the loss of a child) Fr. David Ryan..... (847)726-4723
Prayer Shawl Ministry, Lisa Warren (847)540-8654
Meals on Wheels Volunteer Drivers: Molly Ergastolo (847)867-1179
Meal Sign-up: Intake at Catholic Charities..... (847)546-5733
Molly's Adopt-A-Sailor, Cathy Chiarelli..... (847)726-4842
National Alliance on Mental Illness Chapter, Teri Latter (847) 809-6038
Pastoral Counseling Services..... Open Position
Safety and Security Ministry, Joseph Pasquesi (847) 726-9550
Covenant Ministries, Stewart Tanakatsubo (224)475-7919 (PPC)
Emmaus House Ministry, Brian Pozzi (516)658-2089
Gift of Love, Jane Clery (847)370-8933
Jubilee Garden, Sharon Fredrickson..... (847)643-6633
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Clean Jeans Drive, Tammy Cunnion..... (224)475-8447
Back to School Backpack Drive, Sherry Otto (847)438-2782

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

SCOUTING PROGRAM

Boy Scouts Troop 309, Kurt Schafer(847)736-2906, kscha4lz@gmail.com
Cub Scouts, Kate Bialecki (480)390-6799
Girl Scouts Main Contact, Lise Wiseman (224)244-3836
Daisy Troop, Ann Monte (847)865-5192
Brownie Troop, Lise Wiseman (224)244-3836
Junior Troop, Amy Ribordy (847)847-1849



PARISH STAFF

Rev. David Francis (Joseph) Ryan, M.B.A., M.S.W.

Pastor, (847)726-4723

*Appointed Pastor 1 July 2006 and Re-appointed Pastor on 1 July 2012 by the late Francis Cardinal George, O.M.I. On January 25, 2018, Blase Cardinal Cupich re-appointed Father Ryan as Pastor with a term to conclude on 30 June 2019. However, in August, Father Ryan submitted, once again, a letter requesting an extension and re-appointment to this parish.

Mr. Robert Arvidson, M.A.P.C., M.B.A. Deacon

Mr. George Flaherty, B. Pharm, R.Ph. Deacon

Mr. John Sfire Deacon

Mr. Kyle Schmitt, M.A.T., M.A.Ed. Principal of the Parish School

Mrs. Theresa Grom Assistant Principal of the Parish School

Ms. Mimi McGlauchlin Coordinator of Religious Education

Mrs. Patricia Stewart Director of Liturgical Music

Ms. Pam Lynch, M.A. Director of Young Adult/Youth Ministry

Mrs. Laura Angelini, M.B.A. Business Manager

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Feast Day: January 24

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St. Francis de Sales Parish Website

www.stfrancislzparish.org

St. Francis de Sales School Website

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Archdiocese of Chicago Website

www.archchicago.org

Lumen Christi Institute

www.lumenchristi.org

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

www.usccb.org

The Vatican Website

www.vatican.va/

SACRAMENTS

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

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays between 11 a.m. and noon.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: This Sacrament offers the Lord's healing strength and peace to anyone who is seriously or chronically ill, hospitalized, or about to undergo surgery. Please contact the Ministry Center 847-438-6622, or Fr. Ryan at 847-726-4723 if you wish to have someone anointed, or the Last Rites near death.

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

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

MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS

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

WEEKDAYS

Monday

8:30am Mass

Wednesday

8:30am & 12 noon Masses

Tuesday & Thursday

7am Mass

Friday

8:30am

Saturday

8:30a Mass,

5pm Mass (Fulfills Sunday Obligation)

Holy Days

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

