

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Community



Gem of the Catskills

Parish Established 1902

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MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am & 10:30 am
Daily: 8:00 am (Monday – Thursday)
Holy Day of Obligation:
Eve: 5:00 pm
Holy Day: 8:00 am & 7:00 pm

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HOLY SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment. Prior instruction required.

Sacrament of Matrimony

By appointment 6 months before wedding

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:30 pm to 5:00 pm
or by appointment

Anointing of the Sick and Communion to the Homebound

Call the rectory to make arrangements

PARISH COUNCIL

Meets at the rectory the second Tuesday of every other month at
7:00 pm unless noted otherwise in the bulletin.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Pres.: Pat Ruane: 688-5357 • Sec.: Heather Marsten: 514-0112
• Fr. Raphael Iannone, O.F.M., Cap.: 688-5617
Pam Hammond • Mike Ruane • Burr Hubbell

FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM

Catechetical Formation for adults and young people and their
families meets each month. Schedule posted in bulletin.

PARISH COMMITTEE LEADERS

Bldg & Grounds: Burr Hubbell.....845-750-3203
Cemetery Mgr: Mark Wilsey..... 688-5500
Communications: Pam Hammond 688-2642
Director of Music: Dennis Yerry... .. 657-2714
Emerg. Relief Committee: Ed Ullmann.. 688-5874
Youth Faith Formation, Gerry Nilsen 687-9769
Finance: Mike Ruane 688-5357
Fund Raising: Faye Storm..... 532-4601
Liturgy: Contact Father Raphael..... 688-5617
Parish Hall: Jerry Bender..... 688-5132
Social and Outreach: Bill Colagrande.... 688-2013

OUR LADY OF LA SALETTE SODALITY

Meets the first Sunday of the month after the 10:30 am Mass.
President: Judy Pavone, 688-9912
Vice-President: Nancy Zorn - Secretary: Harriet Rauchut
Treasurer: Lois Giambrone

BULLETIN EDITORS

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Our Parish

In 1902, Archbishop Michael A. Corrigan entrusted the care of the newly formed parish of St. Francis de Sales to the Missionary Fathers of La Salette. The first pastor, Rev. M. Julien Ginet, M.S., was architect and builder of the Phoenicia church dedicated Sunday, August 21, 1904. The Missionary Fathers of La Salette returned pastoral care of St. Francis de Sales Parish to the Archdiocese of New York in 2003.

Across from the church is a shrine and grotto dedicated to Our Lady of La Salette. A winding path near the grotto leads to an adjacent Meditation Garden where visitors can enjoy quiet reflection.

October 18, 2015

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The Son of Man came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." --Mark 10:35-45

Mass Intentions

Week of October 17th – October 22nd

- Sat 10/17 5:00p †Ann Smith req. by Clarke & Maryann Ulmer
 Sun 10/18 9:00a † Augustus J. Simpson req. by Family
 Sun 10/18 10:30a †Janey Cheu req. by Tiso Family
 Mon 10/19 8:00a Communion Service
 Tue 10/20 8:00a Communion Service
 Wed 10/21 8:00a Communion Service
 Thur 10/22 8:00a Communion Service

Second Collection today is for Mission Sunday

Weekend of October 24th– October 25th

- Sat 10/24 5:00p †Jack Fleming 1st Anniversary req. by Mark & Mary Wilsey
 Sun 10/25 9:00a †"Smiling" Jack Fleming req. by Veronica, Jon & Alison
 Sun 10/25 10:30a †Mass of the Angels for Gerard Morelli req. by Helen Morelli

Weekend Lectors

- Sat 10/17 5:00pm Heather Marsten/Zee Marek
 Sun 10/18 9:00am Jean Druffner
 Sun 10/18 10:30am Pat/Mike Ruane



Weekend Eucharistic Ministers

- Sat 10/17 5:00pm Bender, Paultre, Gormley
 Sun 10/18 9:00am Colagrande, Nilsen, Ryder
 Sun 10/18 10:30am Rauchut, Ullmann



Weekend Ushers

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| Frank Rauchut | Ron Pawlowski |
| Ed Zorn | Andy Nappi |
| Jerry Baltz | John Sansone |

Readings for the Week of October 19, 2015

- Monday:** Romans 4:20-25; Luke 12:13-21
Tuesday: Romans 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Luke 12:35-38
Wednesday: Romans 6:12-18; Luke 12:39-48
Thursday: Romans 6:19-23; Luke 12:49-53
Friday: Romans 7:18-25a; Luke 12:54-59

Regular Collection for October 11, 2015-\$1,752.00

Thank You for your generosity

Scripture Reflection

"Are you able to drink the cup that I drink?"

Would you rather be the leader or a follower, take first place or the last? Two of Jesus' disciples boldly asked Jesus to promote them to first place in his kingdom. The desire for greatness seems to be inbred in all of us. Who wants to be last or least?

What kind of cup does the Lord have in mind for each one of us? For some disciples such a cup entails physical suffering and the painful struggle of martyrdom - the shedding of one's blood for the sake of Christ's name. But for many of us, it entails the long routine of the Christian life, with all its daily sacrifices, disappointments, set-backs, struggles, and temptations. The Lord Jesus has offered his life for our sake and he calls us to freely offer our lives in a daily sacrifice of love and service for others. What makes such sacrifice a joy rather than a burden is love - the kind of love which has power to transform and change our lives and the lives of those around us. Paul the Apostle tells us that this "love" is a pure gift "which God has poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit which has been given to us" (Romans 5:5). If we allow God's love to transform our lives, then no sacrifice will be too great or hard to make.

"Lord Jesus, May the fire of your love inflame my heart that I may give generously and serve joyfully for your sake."

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PARISH ACTIVITIES

Novena to Our Lady of La Salette: Monday, October 19th following the **8:00 am Mass**. We pray the **8th** day of the Novena. *“Our Lady of La Salette, Reconciler of Sinners, pray without ceasing for us, who have recourse to you.”*

The Second Collection this week is for World Mission Sunday. There will be a Fuel Collection next week.

Father Raphael will be on retreat from October 18th-October 22nd. Therefore, there will be a Communion Service every morning in the Church at 8:00 am rather than the usual Mass.

Children’s Faith Formation: The last October class is October 18th **after the 9:00 am Mass**. Please pray for our students & their families. FMI, please call Faith Formation Coord. Gerry Nilsen at 687-9769.



Adult Faith Formation: There will be no Adult Faith Formation this month. The next class is scheduled for November 22nd after the 9 am Mass.

October - Month of the Holy Rosary: Our Lady of La Salette Sodality will offer recitation of the Rosary after the 5 pm Mass. Those attending the 9:00 am Mass are invited to remain after Mass for the Rosary. If you plan to attend 10:30 am Mass, please consider arriving about 20 mins earlier for this recitation.

Sat. Oct. 24 Doo Wop Dance!

Annual community fund-raiser. **Get your tickets now – limited seating! \$15 each.** Tickets available after some Masses or call Pam, 688-2642 or Judy, 688-9912. Don’t miss it. Live entertainment, DJ, Raffle, light snacks & beverages (BYOB). **Help needed morning of Sat. Oct 24 (10 am) with decorating and preparing food.** Please call Pam 688-2642.



Listen to Father Raphael’s

Homilies: Go to our parish website www.stfrancisdesalesphoenicia.com Click “Liturgy Sacraments” menu at top of webpage. Let others know – especially those who might be homebound or are living elsewhere. Must have internet connection. We are working on other ways for the homebound to hear Father’s homilies. Thank you.



Coffee Klatch: Come join us for coffee and cake **Sunday, October 18** after both the **9:00 am and 10:30**



am Masses. Enjoy some fellowship out on the lawn with other parishioners, along with delicious, fresh-brewed coffee and tasty pastries. Avail yourself of this wonderful opportunity to strengthen and enhance our parish community. See you there!

Who are the Missionary Fathers of La Salette – What do they mean to our Parish? (Everything!)

Join us Sunday, Oct. 25 at 10:30 am Mass... Our Lady of La Salette Sodality and St. Francis de Sales Parish celebrate the Missionary Fathers of La Salette and their contribution to our parish for 100 years! Fr. Jeff L’Arche, MS from the Missionary Fathers will celebrate Mass and afterwards hold a short ceremony in the grotto to dedicate our Marian statues from the Allaben and Boiceville churches. Afterwards we will celebrate Fr. Jeff’s 40th Anniversary of the priesthood at the Parish Hall – with a light lunch and refreshments. Additional cold side dishes are welcome. See list on the bulletin board. For questions, call Judy at 688-9912.

Please join us in thanking Father Jeff and the Missionary Fathers of La Salette who sustained our parish for 100 years! We welcome all – bring your family and friends!

Hello My Name Is..... Last chance for parish name tags! If you failed to order your parish name tag earlier, now is the time to do it. A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the church vestibule. Please print your name legibly as you would like to see it appear. Please be sure you are committed to wearing it prior to requesting one. ***Deadline is Sunday, 11/1/15.***



From the Archdiocese of New York: Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact. Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 x 2949 or Deacon George J. Cappola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached via email at **victimassistance@archny.org**. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, **www.archny.org**. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

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Special Occasions & Celebrations



October Celebrations: May God bless all our parishioners who have special birthdays, anniversaries and celebrations this month!

“Happy Birthday” Ed Baldyga (Oct. 12); Esynce Cordero (Oct. 15); Zee Marek (90th birthday); Gerry Nilsen (Oct. 16); Lilah Signore (Oct 19) and Honey Fecci (Oct. 30). May God continue to bless you every day with health, love, happiness, and the best life has to offer. *Happy Birthday!*

“Happy Anniversary” Ed & Helena Baldyga (Oct 14). *May God bestow His goodness and blessings on the two of you as you celebrate another year of marriage.*

Honey Fecci continues to do well after her recent hip surgery. Thank you for your prayers!

Share your good news with the parish; drop info in the collection basket, email sfdchurch@hvc.rr.com or call Judy at 688-9912.

Faith Formation Mural on Pope Francis...

Children’s Faith Formation students put together a commemoration of Pope Francis’ visit to the United States. All are invited to come by and look at the magnificent project which is located at the entrance hallway of our Parish Hall. Great job, everyone!



Share your thoughts...About Pope Francis

We invite you to give us your thoughts and/or opinions on Pope Francis’ recent visit to the United States. What were some of your memorable images of his journey...in Washington, D.C., New York City and Philadelphia? Please call Judy at 688-9912 to share your comments any time after 12:00 pm daily. Thank you for your comments.

From the Archdiocese of New York:

Cualquier persona que necesite reportar algún incidente de abuso sexual de un menor por un sacerdote, diacono, religioso/a. o laico sirviendo en la Arquidiócesis de Nueva York, se le pide que por favor contacte Hermana Eileen Clifford, O.P. al 212-371-1000 extension 2949 o Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Ambos tambien pueden ser contactados via correo electronico: victimassassistance@archny.org. Para mas information pueden visitar la pagina en la red del la Arquidiócesis: www.archny.org. De acuerdo con las normas de la Arquidiócesis respeto al abuso sexual de menores, esta information se prove para asegurar que nuestro nifi os permanezcan seguros.

Feast Day of St. Luke (October 18): The only Gentile Christian of the Gospel writers, St. Luke penned major portions of the New Testament including the Acts of the Apostles. Luke traveled extensively with St. Paul and is the patron of physicians and surgeons.



Russell Abbrecht, Luisa Armani, Laureen Aversa, Jerry Baltz, Jim Barden, Carmelo Barrientos, Kathleen Biondo, Sheila Madera-Brown, Liam Casey, Ben Cole, Cathy Connell, Ed Dannen, Lillian DiPasqua, Betty Djerf, Robyn Daugherty, Iris D’Agostino, Honey Fecci, Ernest Fudge, Sr., Rose Fudge, David Gerdes, Dorothy Gorman, Jan Goyer, Chris Hall, Victoria Hall, Catherine Hand, Etta Hanigan, Dolores Harvey, Fr. George Hommel, Laurie Hoy, Fr. Raphael Iannone, Arleen Kachadoorian, Jimmy Kinns, Amada Lumbaca, Nina Marino, Irene May, Mary McCloskey, Josie McIsaac, Ed McCoy, Helen Morelli, Diana Munch, Gerry Nilsen, Diane O’Donnell, Ron Pape, Judy Pavone, Karlee Pavone, Florence Palmer, Sylvia Persons, Franca Ravetier, John Rossett, Jon Rowe, Catherine Ryan, Michael Ryder, Zoila Santa, Martha Santicola, Bert Shafer, Peter Spiegler; Marie Stutman, Dorothy Sylak, Fr. Phil Tran, Angie Valentino, Stephanie Vesely, Bob Walsh, Ellen Watson, Catherine Whitelaw. *Pray for our men and women in military service.*

We’re always eager to hear that someone is doing better and that our prayers are being answered. Please call Father to add or remove someone’s name and to help keep our list current, call 688-5617.

PARISH CALENDAR



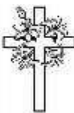











Oct 17 & 18	Both	Recitation of the Rosary: Immediately following Sat. 5:00 pm Mass. On Sundays approx. 10:00 am (after 9:00 am, Mass & before 10:30 am Mass). Please join us.
Oct 18	Sun	Coffee Klatch outside the church following the Sunday Masses
Oct 24	Sat	Doo Wop Dance in Parish Hall at 7 pm til 11 pm
Oct 25	Sun	Celebrating the Missionary Fathers of La Salette in Parish Hall after 10:30 am Mass

12 FRUITS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT



#10 MODESTY (10 of 12) We must conduct our lives with humility, not claiming any credit for ourselves, but giving all credit and thanksgiving to God by accepting His Holy Will. When we get "puffed up" - thinking we can do things on our own or when we feel we have accomplished something we are proud of without giving God any glory or thanks- we distance ourselves from the teachings of Jesus Christ. Modesty is an essential base for humility; it may appear mediocre in the eyes of man, but not in the eyes of God. By this fruit of the Holy Spirit one learns to be contented with what is just required. One doesn't harbor any ambitions, nor take pride in any achievements since they appear commonplace. *Source <http://cmvic.net/for-every-catholic>*

SPIRITUAL BOUQUETS

<p>No eye has seen, nor ear heard, what God has prepared for those who love Him. (1 Cor. 2:9) -- The children of Ellie & Larry Monachelli</p>	<p>Thank God for the blessings He has bestowed on our parish and may we continue to grow in faith and love. – The Gormley Family</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of Barbara Caton. By son, William</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of my dear husband, Tony, and beloved son, Anthony – Angie Valentino & Family</p> 
<p>Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with us. The Morelli Family</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of Jack and Virginia Fleming and John Fleming, Jr. by Veronica & Jon Rowe</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of our Beloved Son and Brother Frank by Frank & Harriet Rauchut, John, Veronica & Joseph</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of my beloved husband, Romeo, and son, Joseph by Honey</p> 
<p>In Loving Memory... James P. Hefferan and daughter Maureen Hefferan Swezey, by Iris & the D'Agostino Family.</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of Lawrence Monachelli and Eleanor Monachelli. - Mike & Eileen O'Connor</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of my daughter and our sister Janet by Enid Cervino, Paul, Diane, Cathy and Francesca</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of Vic Cammardella by Helen & Family "The measure of love is to love without measure." - St. Francis de Sales</p>
<p>In Loving Memory of our Parents, Marian & Howard and Grandparents, Callaghan and Umhey and all our Loved Ones. - The Howard Umhey Family</p>	<p>In Loving Memory of my beloved wife, Josie, our parents, and our siblings. – Dick Morra</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of our beloved parents, John & Frances Rauchut, Alfred & Veronica Grace and our deceased brothers and sisters.</p> 	<p>"Oh Lord, how magnificent are the works of your hands!" <i>In Loving Memory of my wonderful Mom</i></p>
<p>If you remain in my word, you will truly be disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free. (John 8:31-32)</p>	<p>In Memory of the Missionary Fathers of La Salette</p> 	<p>Prayer to the Miraculous Infant Jesus of Prague. The Wallace Family</p> 	<p>Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous...do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go. (Josh.1:9) – Sue Tiso</p>