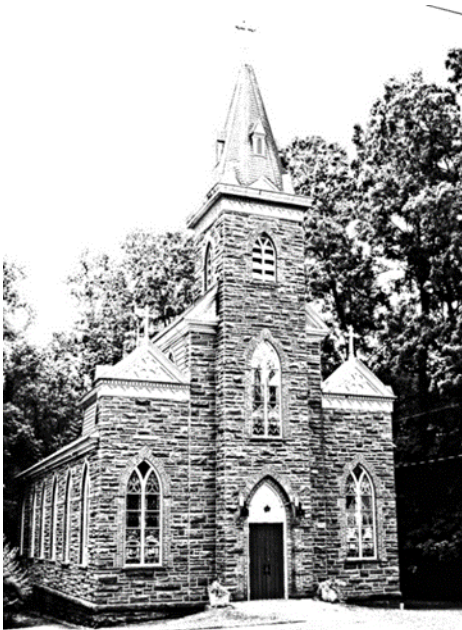


St. Francis de Sales Catholic Community

October 14, 2018



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 (Mon–Thurs)
Holy Day of Obligation
Eve: 5:00 pm
Holy Day: 8:00 am & 7:00 pm

Rev. Raphael Iannone, O.F.M., Cap, Priest in Attendance

rjiannone@juno.com

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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

VP-Sec.: †Heather Marsten...*Forever Joyful*

Parish Secretary (M-W-F) Vikki Hall: 688-5617

Fr. Raphael Iannone, O.F.M., Cap.: 688-5617

PARISH COUNCIL LEADERS

Bldg & Grounds: Burr Hubbell..... 845-750-3203
Cemetery Mgr: Mark Wilsey 688-5500
Communication: Pam Hammond..... 688-2642
Director of Music: Dennis Yerry... .. 657-2714
Emerg. Relief Committee: Ed Ullmann..... 688-5874
Religious Education Program: Gerry Nilsen ... 687-9769
Finance: Mike Ruane 688-5357
Liturgy: Contact Father Raphael..... 688-5617
Parish Hall: Laurie Brown 657-9652
Social and Outreach: Bill Colagrande..... 688-2013
Martha & Mary Ministry: Marge Tiso..... 688-5898
Bulletin Team: Cheryl Bender, Judy Pavone, Marge Tiso

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Francis de Sales Church is a Christ-centered Catholic community of joyful stewards sharing our faith journey through worship and service. We cherish our Catholic Tradition, work to model and proclaim the teaching of Jesus Christ, and offer comfort and peace to all. Our doors and our hearts are open to everyone.

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 (and by appointment)

Anointing of the Sick and

Communion to the Homebound

Call the Rectory to make arrangements

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Religious Education and Adult Faith Formation schedules are posted in our bulletins and on the parish website.

OUR LADY OF LA SALETTE SODALITY

Meets after 10:30 am Mass the first Sunday of the month

President: Pam Hammond 688-2642

Vice-President: Pat Ryder – Secretary: Elizabeth Quinn

Treasurer: Eileen O'Connor

ABOUT OUR PARISH

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

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Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.” – Mark 10:17-30

Mass Intentions

Week of October 13th – October 18th

- Sat 10/13 5:00p †Robert P. Stauffer req. by Robert and Eleanor Barrack
- Sun 10/14 9:00a †Theodore Schlager req. by Tiso Family
†Joe Strauss req. by Dennis Yerry and Maggie Yerry-Jones
- Sun 10/14 10:30a Maggie Yerry-Jones
- Mon 10/15 8:00a
- Tues 10/16 8:00a
- Wed 10/17 8:00a
- Thur 10/18 8:00a

Today's Second Collection: World Mission Sunday

Next Week's Second Collection: Utility Fund

Weekend of October 20th –October 21st

- Sat 10/20 5:00p †Heather Marsten req. by Don and Peggy Kearney
- Sun 10/21 9:00a
- Sun 10/21 10:30a †Joe Strauss req. by Jean Druffner

The Weekend Lectors

- Sat 10/13 5:00p D. Kearney, E. McWhinnie
- Sun 10/14 9:00a B. Hubbell, B. Tretter
- Sun 10/14 10:30a L. Quinn, J. Pavone



Weekend Eucharistic Ministers

- Sat 10/13 5:00p Di Ciervo, Barrack, Washer
- Sun 10/14 9:00a Colagrande, Nilsen, Wolfrom,
- Sun 10/14 10:30a Ullmann, Paultre, Bloodgood



Weekend Ushers

Jerry Baltz Bill Caton Frank Rauchut
John Sansone Rick Nace Ed Zorn

Readings for the Week of October

- Monday:** Gal 4:22-24; Luke 11:29-32
- Tuesday:** Gal 5:1-6; Luke 11:37-41
- Wednesday:** Gal 5:18-25; Luke 11:42-46
- Thursday:** 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Luke 10:1-9
- Friday:** Eph 1:11-14; Luke 12:1-7
- Saturday:** Eph 1:15-23; Luke 12:8-12
- Sunday:** Is 53:10-11; Mk 10:35-45

October 7 Collection: \$ 1,669

Monthly Collection: \$590

Thank You for Your Generosity

Scripture Reflection

"Give - and you will have treasure in heaven"

Why does Jesus tell his disciples to "sell all" for the treasure of his kingdom? *Treasure* has a special connection to the heart, the place of desire and longing, the place of will and focus. The thing we most set our heart on is our highest treasure. The Lord himself is the greatest treasure we can have. Giving up everything else to have the Lord as our treasure is not sorrowful, but the greatest joy. Selling all that we have could mean many different things - letting go of attachments, friendships, influences, jobs, entertainments, styles of life - really anything that might stand in the way of our loving God first and foremost in our lives and giving him the best we can with our time, resources, gifts, and service.

Those who are generous towards God and towards their neighbor find that they cannot outmatch God in his generosity towards us. God blesses us with the priceless treasures of his kingdom - freedom from fear and the gripping power of sin, selfishness and pride which block his love and grace in our lives. Freedom from loneliness, isolation and rejection which keep his children from living together in love, peace, and unity. And freedom from hopelessness, despair, and disillusionment which blind our vision of God's power to heal every hurt, bind every wound, and remove every blemish which mar the image of God within us. God offers us treasure which money cannot buy. He alone can truly satisfy the deepest longing and desires of our heart. Are you willing to part with anything that might keep you from seeking true joy with Jesus? Copyright 2018, *Don Schwager*: www.dailyscripture.net. Reprinted with permission



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PARISH ACTIVITIES

Novena to Our Lady of La Salette: Monday, October 15th after the 8:00 am Mass, we pray the 1st day of the Novena. "Our Lady of La Salette, *Reconciler of Sinners, pray without ceasing for us, who have recourse to you.*"

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM:

Children's Religious Education classes are held on **Sunday's following 9:00 am Mass. Upcoming October classes, Oct. 14, 21 and 28.** For information or to register your child, call Religious Education Coordinator, Gerry Nilsen, 687-9769.



Songs 9:00 am Mass ("Children's Mass"):

Peace Time lyrics (during the Sign of Peace): "Peace Time, Peace Time, time for Making Peace. Peace time, Peace time, time to say I forgive you. Time for saying I love you. Time to live as Friends."

Recessional Hymn: "This Little Light of Mine"

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine (3xs)
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!
Hide it under a basket: NO! I'm gonna let it shine! (3xs)
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!
Nobody's gonna blow it out, I'm gonna let it shine (3xs)
Let it shine, let it shine let it shine!
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine(3xs)
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!

OCTOBER ROSARY IN CHURCH ON SUNDAYS

In celebration of the "Month of the Rosary," please join Sodality members **every Sunday in October at 10 am** to recite the Rosary (betw. 9:00 and 10:30 am Masses). To learn more about the Rosary and its origins, www.ewtn.com/devotionals/prayers/rosary.

MEN & WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES: The

groups meet again **Wednesday, October 24.** The woman at 3:30 in the Fr. Gorman Hall and the men at 7:00 pm in the Rectory dining room. Details next week. All are welcome.



GARDEN CLEAN-UP, OCT. 21 (10 - NOON)

Calling ALL gardeners! We will have a fall clean-up of the grotto and Meditation Garden following the **9:00 am Mass.** Bring tools and gloves!

***Volunteers are Needed to Help Decorate the Parish Hall for Doo Wop Dance – Sat. Morning 10/20
Call Judy or Pam for the time. Thank you!***

HOLY HOUR OF PRAYER AND REPARATION IN OUR CHURCH

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21 at 2 pm

With all the terrible news about abuse within the Catholic Church, Fr. Raphael will lead our community in special Holy Hour of Prayer and Reparation to promote healing of victims, healing of the Church itself, and hopefulness for the future. We will be praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, the Litany to the Divine Mercy, and a Prayer of Reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Father will also offer Benediction to the Blessed Sacrament. Please join us for this important hour, as our whole community prays with one voice.

HOSTS/HOSTESSES NEEDED – NOVEMBER

"Small Communities Meals"

Small community meals have become a new autumn tradition in our faith community. The idea is to get beyond our limited community interaction during weekend liturgies and get to know one another through the breaking of bread over a pot luck meal located in one of the many neighborhoods where parishioners reside.

Each host offers a main dish and welcomes 6-10 people, who in turn bring a dish to share. Fr. Raphael hopes to participate in each gathering. If you are willing to serve as a host, please contact Bill Colagrande (688-2013) with a date and your contact information by October 21. Dates may be Saturday/Sunday dinner, lunch, or brunch, as well as weeknights through Wednesday. THANK YOU for supporting this special outreach.

DOO WOP – COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER!

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20 –Move to the Groove
Celebrating our 10th Dance, Folks!**

Since 2010, this popular fundraiser has donated \$12,348 to local charities serving the Shandaken area. Featuring DJ Larry Walsh, the Doo Wop Sisters, refreshments, raffle, and much more! Costumes welcome. BYOB. Tickets on sale now. Sold after Masses or call Pam 688-2642 or Judy 688-9912

FREE CONCERT! SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27 IN CHURCH AT 3:00 PM

Our Parish is hosting THE LINDEN PLAYERS in a gorgeous concert of English Sacred Music and Hymns, including Henry Purcell's "The Blessed Virgin's Expostulation," which dramatizes Mary's inner thoughts at the Annunciation. Many parishioners

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may remember some of these Artists from the exciting concerts offered by The Cambridge Singers, who have performed for many years for the Festival of the Voice. Information on church bulletin board.

Special Occasions & Celebrations

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



“Happy Birthday” Madeline DiCiervo (10/8); Ed Baldyga (10/12); Mike Ruane (10/14); Esynce (10/15); Gerry Nielsen & Zee Marek (10/16); Lilah (10/19); Vikki Hall (10/23); Chuck Tiso 80th! (10/27); Bill Tretter (10/28); Honey Fecci (10/30); Joyce Marie (Umhey) Goodrich (10/31). *May God bless you on your special day. Have a wonderful birthday!*

“Happy Anniversary” Helena & Ed Baldyga (10/14); Karen & John Malloy (10/16); Lou & Donna Csurics (10/27); Marion & David Rosen (10/30). *May God continue to guide you and bless you in your marriage journey. Happy Anniversary!*

Share your good news with the parish; drop info in the collection basket, email or contact Judy at 688-9912, jap120@hvc.rr.com.

LOCAL PUBLIC ROSARY: This year's rally will be held **Saturday, Oct. 13 at 12 noon in the Big Indian car park on State Route 28**. For more information, contact Irene at (845) 254-8087.

LECTORS' TRAINING AND PREPARATION: A reminder: **CURRENT LECTORS** are asked to check in with Pam Hammond, Pat Ruane, or Bill Tretter to schedule a 15-minute, one-on-one practice session. You can clear up any questions and work on your public speaking skills. This constitutes our "training" event for the fall, so please take advantage, and make a date BEFORE Thanksgiving and Advent season. **NEW LECTORS** are always welcome. Lectors interested in purchasing a personal copy of the Lector manual, must let Pat Ruane know by **NOVEMBER 1**. A copy is available in the sacristy for people to share.

GROWING IN FAITH – OCTOBER ISSUE

How can I get more out of Scripture? Here is one of four tips: Get A Catholic Bible. There are more books in Catholic versions. You don't want to miss important doctrine they may contain. Catholic Bibles will have the words “Imprimatur” and/or “Nihil obstat.” meaning that the margin notes are in keeping with Church teaching. Another tip in next week's bulletin. Take home a copy of this month's Growing in Faith.

TAI CHI CLASS: The next class with instructor Celeste Graves will be held **Tuesday, October 23 from 3:00 - 4:00 pm** in the Parish Hall. The group practices on other Tuesdays at 3:00 pm in the hall.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION – OCT. 28

All are welcome to attend Sr. Catherine's class on **Sunday, Oct. 28** in the rectory dining room after 9:00 am Mass. This class will focus on Paul's first letter to the Corinthians. He is upset about their quarrels and division and councils them about sexual morality, lawsuits, marriage and virginity. Save the date!



Living Your Faith:

Catholic evangelization begins with *living* one's faith before talking about it.

We need to be prayerful people who nourish our faith by reading Scripture and participating in the Sunday Eucharist. *Source: AmericanCatholic.org*

Feast Day of St. Teresa of Avila – October 15

Teresa of Avila (1515-1582) was a Spanish nun who established the Discalced Carmelites, an order devoted to quiet prayer, poverty and austerity.



Russell Abbrecht, Luisa Armani, Lauren Aversa, Jerry Baltz, Jim Barden, Cheryl Bender, Rick Bicanovsky, Sheila Madera-Brown, Ellen Burmeister, Ryan Callahan, Liam Casey, Ben Cole, Ed Dannen, Lillian DiPasqua, Betty Djerf, Iris D'Agostino, Honey Fecci, Ernest Fudge, Sr., Lois Giambrone, Dorothy Gorman, Chris Hall, Victoria Hall, Catherine Hand, Etta Hanigan, Dolores Harvey, Rosemarie and Erwin Hildenhausen, Fr. George Hommel, Laurie Hoy, Justin Kolb, Josephine Klonfas, Kathy Kretschmer, Amada Lumbaca, Zee Marek, Helen Morelli, Diana Munch, Doris Murphy, Gerry Nilsen, Janet Oakes, Florence Palmer, Claire Paultre, Judy Pavone, Sylvia Persons, Franca Ravetier, Joel Rivera, John Rossett, Mary Ellen Rury, Jon Rowe, Catherine Ryan, Michael Ryder, Pat Ryder, Zoila Santa, Martha Santicola, Bert Shafer, Gladys Gilbert Spiegler; Marie Stutman, Dorothy and John Sylak, Fr. Phil Tran, Sonja Turner, Sharon Umhey, Angie Valentino, Stephanie Vesely, Bruce Wallace, Bob Walsh, Ellen Watson, Catherine Whitelaw, Greg Zaff. *Pray for our men and women in military service. Call the Rectory to add or remove a person's name. Thank you for your courtesy.*

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PARISH CALENDAR

Oct 14	Sun	Religious Education classes for children in parish hall after 9:00 am Mass
Oct 20	Sat	Doo Wop Dance – 7-11 pm, Parish Hall. (Fundraiser for Phoenicia Food Pantry)
Oct 21	Sun	The grotto, rectory and gardens Fall Clean-Up following the 9 am Mass
Oct 21	Sun	Holy Hour of Prayer and Reparation at 2 pm in Church
Oct 23	Tues	Tai Chi at 3 pm in Parish with instructor Celeste Graves



















BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS



Last Saturday, Fr. Raphael welcomed parishioners and their furry and feathered pets for an annual blessing honoring the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi. Each animal received Father's special blessing and was sprinkled with Holy water. It was an enjoyable experience for all, including Father!



SPIRITUAL BOUQUETS

<p>In Memory of Jerry Bender by his Loving Daughters</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 my beloved wife, Harriet, our mom & brother Frank, by Frank Rauchut, John, Veronica & Joseph</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of my dear husband Romeo and my beloved son, Joseph by Saveria "Honey" Fecci</p> 
<p>In Loving Memory... James P. Hefferan and daughter Maureen Hefferan Swezey, by Iris D'Agostino and Family.</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of Lawrence Monachelli and Eleanor Monachelli. – Mike & Eileen O'Connor</p> 	<p>In Honor of my family and friends living & deceased. May God bless us all and grant us world peace. – Lois Giambrone</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 style="text-align: center;"><i>Carmelo & Barbara Two Together Forever</i></p> 
<p>In Loving Memory of Patricia and Terry Buchanan by the Wolfrom Family</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of our beloved parents, Lillian and Henry Miller and Mildred and William DiPasqua, and our deceased brothers.</p> 	<p>Pray to the Infant Jesus of Prague. In Memory of George and Mary Wallace, George L. & William T. Wallace & Eric Kohlroser. – The Wallace Family</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of our parents, Jack & Sue Tiso and Anthony & Florence Persichilli by Charles, Joe, Margie, Pam & Susan</p> 

Spiritual Bouquets: Renewals/Changes. Call Claire 688-5155