

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Community

November 4, 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

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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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Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord; and my Father will love him and we will come to him.” - Mark 12:28b-34

Mass Intentions

Week of November 3rd – November 8th

Sat	11/3	5:00p	†Heather Marsten req. by Barbara De Maria
Sun	11/4	9:00a	
Sun	11/4	10:30a	†Harriet Rauchut (3rd Anniversary) req. by the Family
Mon	11/5	8:00a	
Tues	11/6	8:00a	Thanksgiving to St. Jude req. by Barbara Ahouse
Wed	11/7	8:00a	
Thur	11/8	8:00a	

2nd collection is the Monthly Collection

Weekend of November 10th – November 11th

Sat	11/10	5:00p	†Carmelo Barrientos req. by Barbara DeMaria
Sun	11/11	9:00a	†Sue & Jack Tiso (Anniversary) req. by the Family
Sun	11/11	10:30a	†Joe Strauss req by Barbara Ahouse

The Weekend Lectors

Sat	11/3	5:00p	E. McWhinnie, J. Druffner
Sun	11/4	9:00a	B. Hubbell, V. Rowe
Sun	11/4	10:30a	L. Brown, E. Quinn



Weekend Eucharistic Ministers

Sat	11/3	5:00p	Zorn, Gormley, De Maria
Sun	11/4	9:00a	Colagrande, Nilsen, Wolfrom
Sun	11/4	10:30a	Ullmann, Paultre, Bloodgood



Weekend Ushers

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

Readings for the Week of November 5

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19; Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4; Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Lk 21:20-28
Friday: Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22
Saturday: Rv 22:1-7; Lk 21:34-36
Sunday: Jer 33:14-16; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

October 28 Collection: \$1365
Thank You for Your Generosity

Scripture Reflection

"Love the Lord with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength"

What does God require of us? Simply that we love as he loves! God is love and everything he does flows from his love for us. God loved us first and our love for him is a response to his exceeding grace and kindness towards us. The love of God comes first and the love of neighbor is firmly grounded in the love of God. The more we know of God's love and truth the more we love what he loves and reject what is hateful and contrary to his will.

What makes our love for God and his commands grow in us? Faith in God and hope in his promises strengthens us in the love of God. They are essential for a good relationship with God, for being united with him. The more we know of God the more we love him and the more we love him the greater we believe and hope in his promises. The Lord, through the gift of the Holy Spirit, gives us a new freedom to love as he loves. Do you allow anything to keep you from the love of God and the joy of serving others with a generous heart? Paul the Apostle says: *hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit which has been given to us.* Do you know the love which conquers all?

"We love you, O our God; and we desire to love you more and more. Grant to us that we may love you as much as we desire, and as much as we ought." Copyright 2018, *Don Schwager: www.dailyscripture.net. Reprinted with permission*



“You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” –Mark 12:31

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Novena to Our Lady of La Salette: Monday, November 5th after the 8:00 am Mass, we pray the 4th 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 classes, Nov. 4, 18, 25.** For information or to register a child, call Religious Education Coordinator, Gerry Nilsen, 687-9769.



Songs - 9:00 am 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: "Down in My Heart"

I have the Joy, Joy, Joy, Joy down in my heart "Where?"
Down in my heart, "Where"? down in my heart!
I have the Joy, Joy, Joy, Joy down in my heart "Where?"
Down in my heart to stay.

And I'm so happy, so very happy I have the love of Jesus in my heart. And I'm so happy, so very happy, I have the love of Jesus in my heart!

I have the love of Jesus, love of Jesus done in my heart
"Where?" Down in my heart "Where"? Down in my heart I have the love of Jesus, love of Jesus down in my heart
"Where"? Down in my heart to stay.

And I'm so happy, so very happy I have the love of Jesus in my heart. And I'm so happy, so very happy, I have the love of Jesus in my heart!

And if the devil doesn't like it, he can sit on a tack OUCH
Sit on a tack OUCH Sit on a tack.

And if the devil doesn't like it, he can sit on a tack OUCH
Sit on a tack to stay!

And I'm so happy, so very happy I have the love of Jesus in my heart. And I'm so happy So very happy, I have the love of Jesus in my heart!

OUR LADY OF LA SALETTE SODALITY:

The monthly meeting of the Sodality will take place **Sunday, November 4** in the rectory dining room after the 10:30 am Mass. Members will decide location of our Christmas Luncheon. All women are invited to attend the meeting and learn more about our organization. Call Pam at 688-2642 if you have any questions.

RESPECT LIFE – SIGNATURES & DONATIONS:

Donations and signatures will be collected after Masses **THIS weekend, Nov. 3 and Nov. 4.** A donation of \$2.00 per line is asked to help defray the cost of the Annual Respect ad placed in the Kingston Sunday Freeman on January 20, 2019. Sponsored by the Ulster Deanery Respect Life Committee. Thank you for your generosity and support of life!



MEN & WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES: Women's Bible Study: **Wednesday, November 14, 2018 at 3:30 pm.** Lesson 6 (the last in our series of the book of Revelation) is entitled: "A City Coming Down From Heaven" Revelation 21:9 - 22:5.

The women meet in the Fr. Gorman room the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month. All women are welcome to join us. The booklets we use as part of our study are provided by the Parish. Since this will be the last week of the series, we will be determining at this meeting which book of the Old or New Testament we would like to explore for the next series. Any questions? Please Contact Marge Tiso 688-5898.

The Men's Bible Study Group meets Wed. Nov. 14 at 7:00 pm in the rectory. All men are welcome.

Jerry Bender Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner, Saturday, Nov. 17 at 2 pm in the Parish Hall. Please



join us for our Free Annual Feast sponsored by St. Francis de Sales Parish and the Phoenicia Rotary.

Menu is Turkey, stuffing, candied sweet potatoes, mashed potatoes, gravy, cole slaw, vegetables, cranberry sauce and more. Come, eat, see old friends, make new friends, good conversation and most of all ENJOY! Do you know anyone who is a shut-in and can't attend? We will deliver them a turkey dinner. A sign-up sheet for Helpers & Desserts is in the vestibule of the church. Call Laurie at 657-9652.

DOO WOP DANCE FUNDRAISER – WOW!

The **October 20th** fundraiser raised **\$2,787** for the **Phoenicia Food Pantry...**the highest annual amount since our first dance held in 2010! Thank you, Doo Wop Dance Committee members and our talented entertainers who work tirelessly every year! Thank you, parishioners and community members who help behind the scenes and at the dance. And thank you everyone who supports the dance by your attendance and/or donations. The Shandaken community is blessed by your generosity!



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Special Occasions & Celebrations

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



“Happy Birthday” Jacqui

Guglielmetti, Diana Munch, Frank Rauchut, Jamie Umhey (11/7); Helen Cammardella (11/13); Bruce Wallace (11/15); Eileen O’Connor (11/16); Linnie Bloodgood (11/24); Fr. Mathew Azhakath, Bob Pavone (11/30). *May God continue to bless you every day with health, love, happiness, and the best life has to offer. Have a wonderful birthday!*

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

HOLIDAY BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT

Thanksgiving Bulletin “Early” Deadline: The Thanksgiving holiday weekend bulletin (Nov. 24-25), must be submitted to our publisher by **Noon on Friday, November 16**. To ensure your article or announcement is published in the **Nov. 25** bulletin, please give us your information by **6 pm on Thursday, Nov. 15**. In addition, the **Nov. 25** bulletin covers **Mass Intentions from Nov. 24 through Dec. 2**. If you miss the published deadline for a Mass Intention, Father Raphael can still accept a Mass Intention for any “open date” during this period. Please call or speak with him before the intended Mass. Your intention (though not published in the bulletin) would be announced at the time of the Mass. Thank you.

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY: To learn more about the Chaplet of Divine Mercy visit the website www.thedivinemercy.org.

TAI CHI CLASS: The next class with instructor Celeste Graves will be held **Tuesday, November 27 from 3:00 - 4:00 pm** in the Parish Hall. The group practices on other Tuesdays at 3:00 pm in the hall.

QUOTE OF THE DAY

Persevere in overcoming yourself in the little, everyday frustrations that bother you; let your best efforts be directed there. God wishes nothing else of you at present.

– St Francis de Sales



“You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” –Mark 12:31

GROWING IN FAITH – NOVEMBER ISSUE

Stewardship is about love, not money! Good stewards are motivated by love. Strong families come together and are formed in love. Loving family stewards put the needs of members’ first before spending time or money on anything else, especially themselves.

Take home a bulletin to receive your November issue of Growing in Faith. Share your faith with others.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

DID YOU FORGET?

(DST was extended by four weeks in the U.S. in 2007.) **On Sunday, November 4, 2018 at 2**



a.m., Daylight Saving Time ends. Remember to set your clocks back one hour before going to sleep.

***Remember: Fall Back,
Spring Ahead!***



Russell Abbrecht, Luisa Armani, Laureen 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 Hildenhagen, Fr. George Hommel, Laurie Hoy, Justin Kolb, Josephine Kloufas, Kathy Kretschmer, Amada Lumbaca, Zee Marek, Helen Morelli, Diana Munch, Doris Murphy, Gerry Nilsen, Janet Oakes, Florence Palmer, Claire Paultre, Judy Pavone, Nicholas Percoco, 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.*

PARISH CALENDAR

Nov 3	Sat	Respect Life Weekend Nov 3-4: signatures and donations collected after Masses
Nov 4	Sun	Religious Education Program after 9:00 am Mass in Parish Hall
Nov 4	Sun	Our Lady of La Salette Sodality meeting after 10:30 am Mass
Nov 14	Wed	Women's Bible Study at 3:30 pm. See bulletin for more details
Nov 14	Wed	Men's Bible Study at 7:00 pm in the rectory dining room



















SMALL COMMUNITY MEAL GATHERINGS

Our Parish tradition of offering Small Community meals is in its 6th year! This year, TWO locations will be offered. Kathy & Bill Tretter (845 684-7015) will host a dinner in Mt. Tremper on **Friday 11/9 at 6 pm**. Pat and Mike Ruane (845 688-5357) will host a lunch in Shandaken on **Sunday, 11/11 at noon**.



This is an opportunity for parishioners to get past the brief weekend encounter at Mass by sharing fellowship and breaking bread together. Please RSVP to the host for directions to their home and to inquire what type of dish you may bring. Please remember these community meals are “pot luck” with contributions to be enjoyed by all. If something unforeseen prevents you from attending after you’ve made a commitment, please contact the host who will be expecting you. Seating will be limited so please call the hosting family now if you would like to participate in the meal.

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