

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Community

June 2, 2019



Gem of the Catskills

Parish Established 1902

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WINTER MASS SCHEDULE

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

Rev. Raphael Iannone, O.F.M., Cap, Priest in Attendance
 rjiannone@juno.com

Rev. George W. Hommel, Parish Administrator
 gwhommel@hvc.rr.com 845-679-7696

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 Webmaster: Linda Senft

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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Seventh Sunday of Easter

“I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord. I will come back to you, and your hearts will rejoice” *John 17:20-26*

Mass Intentions

Week of June 1st – June 6th

Sat	6/01	5:00p	†Zee Marek req. by Barbara DeMaria
Sun	6/02	9:00a	Vikki Hall req. by Religious Education Program
Sun	6/02	10:30a	†Anthony Morelli req. by Helen Morelli
Mon	6/03	8:00a	
Tues	6/04	8:00a	
Wed	6/05	8:00a	
Thur	6/06	8:00a	

Second Collection is the Monthly Offering

Weekend of June 8th – June 9th

Sat	6/08	5:00p	†James Barden req. Local Pioneer Club Ladies
Sun	6/09	9:00a	
Sun	6/09	10:30a	†Ralph (1 st Anniversary) by sister Patti

Weekend Lectors

Sat	6/01	5:00p	Wolfrom. Druffner
Sun	6/02	9:00a	Hubbell, McWhinnie
Sun	6/02	10:30a	Quinn, Brown



Weekend Eucharistic Ministers

Sat	6/01	5:00p	Paultre, Zorn, Barrack, DeMaria
Sun	6/02	9:00a	Colagrande, Gormley, Nilsen
Sun	6/02	10:30a	Devoti, Paultre, Ullmann, Bloodgood



Weekend Ushers

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

Readings for the Week of June 3rd (Year C)

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Jn 17:1-11a
Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Jn 17:11b-19
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Jn 17:20-26
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Jn 21:15-19
Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Jn 21:20-25
Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9; Jn 7:37-39

May 26 Weekend Collections: \$2066
Thank you for your generosity

Scripture Reflection

Jesus prays for all who believe in him

When you pray - who and what do you pray for? Jesus' prayers were personal and directed to his Father in heaven. He prayed for his Father's will to be accomplished. And he prayed for all who believed in him that they might grow in love and unity with the Father in heaven and with one another as children of God - his beloved sons and daughters.

The Lord Jesus included each one of us in his high priestly prayer at the last supper. He continues his high priestly office this very day as our intercessor at the right hand of the Father. Paul the Apostle tells us that it is "Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised from the dead, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us." We, too, are called to join in Jesus' high priestly prayer that all who profess Jesus as Lord may grow in unity together as brothers and sisters who have been redeemed through the precious blood which the Lord Jesus shed for us on the cross. Where there is rivalry and division, may we sow seeds of friendship and forgiveness. Where there is hatred, envy, and jealousy, may we sow kindness, mercy, and selfless love and concern for others. Prayer to God and prayer for the unity of God's people is a sacred duty and a great privilege. May we join our prayer with the prayer of Jesus for the unity of all who belong to Christ as his disciples and friends. *Copyright, 2019, Don Schwager: www.dailyscripture.net. Reprinted with permission*



“Behold, I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God.” – Acts 7:56

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Novena to Our Lady of La Salette:

Monday, June 3 after 8:00 am Mass, we pray the 5th 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:

No classes Memorial Day Sunday (May 26). The last class of this season will be held **Sunday, June 2**.

First Communion will be celebrated Sunday, June 9 at the 10:30 Mass. For more information, call Religious Education Coordinator, Gerry Nilsen, 687-9769.



Songs - 9:00 am Sunday Mass:

Peace Time lyrics (during the Sign of Peace):

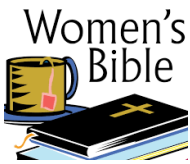
"Peace Time, Peace Time, time for Making Peace. Peace time, Peace time, time to say I forgive you. Time for saying I love you. Time to live as Friends."

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!

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY – JUNE 12:

Session 3 will be held **Wednesday, June 12 from 3:30**



until 4:45 pm in the Fr. Gorman Hall (behind the rectory). This session from Genesis 1-11 "God Makes a Start" covers Genesis 3:1-24 entitled: "Distrust, Disobedience, and

Dismay". All Women are gladly invited to attend. For more information please call Marge Tiso 688-5898.

COFFEE KLATCHES ARE BACK!

Sunday mornings on the rectory porch (Rain or Shine) for another year of Coffee Klatches!

Join us **June 16th, July 21st, August 18th, & September 15th**. Hosts are

needed for the July 21 date. For more information or to sign up, call Bill Colagrande at 688-2013. Mix and meet with our SFD parishioners!



LADIES SODALITY SPRING LUNCHEON:

Sunday, June 2 at 2:00 PM at Woodnotes Grille.

SCHOOL SUMMER CEREAL, ETC. DEADLINE TO DONATE NEXT SUNDAY!

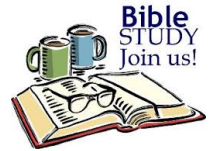
Sunday, June 9 is the deadline to donate. Please put your



cereal and peanut butter and jelly items in the box near the altar. Help support the Phoenicia School's summer project for children relying on federal government nutrition programs during the school year. Thank you for your support!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY – JUNE 12:

The Men's Bible Study class resumes on **Wednesday, June 12** from 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the rectory. We're looking for a few good men to round out the group. Each bi-weekly session is led by a different group member, who selects the scripture verses we study. The ensuing interaction is fun, informative and lively and serves to get to know both scripture and your brother parishioners better. Contact Bill Colagrande (688-2013) for further information. Come join us!



**** RECTORY OFFICE COVERAGE ****

Volunteers are staffing the Rectory Office during the week to help Fr. Raphael by answering phones, dealing with email, and scheduling Masses. This gives Father time to leave the rectory as needed during the workday.

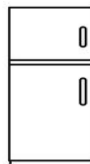
Monday through Friday mornings (9 - noon).

Please try to call during these hours, with an emphasis on Monday–Thursday. Friday is officially Father's day off (unless there is a funeral). ALSO, if you are someone who is willing to help with a morning or two each month, let Pat Ruane know at 688-5357; she will be glad to accommodate your schedule. THANKS!



BOUGHT A NEW REFRIGERATOR?

Need to remove your old working refrigerator? We have the perfect spot – the Parish Hall! With many events held in the hall throughout the year, we could use a second refrigerator. Please let Laurie Brown, Burr Hubbell, or Fr. Raphael know if you have a unit.



2019 MEMORIAL DAY – PHOENICIA:



Last weekend's Memorial Day Observance involved many St. Francis de Sales parishioners. We are truly blessed – thank you all for your dedication and service! (More photos on the back page)

SPECIAL OCCASIONS & CELEBRATIONS

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



“Happy Birthday!”

Lillian Di Pasqua (6/3); Patti Payette (6/7); Carol Murphy (6/10); MaryAnn Ulmer (6/12); Linda Augustine (6/13); Joe Tiso and Dorothy DeStefano (6/14); Terry Strauss (6/25).

May your special day be filled with JOY and LOVE and may you know that GOD is always with you. Happy Birthday!

“Happy Anniversary!”

Marge & Joe Tiso (6/24); Patti & Danny Payette (6/26).

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

GROWING IN FAITH – JUNE ISSUE: This month’s issue encourages readers to fall in love with their faith, become more intimate with God, be devoted to the sacraments, participate fully in parish life, and confidently and joyfully spread the Gospel. Excellent resource about our Faith. Take home a copy of the June issue located in the entranceway of the Church.

ABOUT OUR MUSIC MINISTRY:

The goal of Music Ministry in our parish is to help the congregation to participate in the Liturgy for that particular Mass. The hymns for the Liturgy are chosen to correspond with the readings and theme of the Liturgy of each Mass. We keep in mind that the hymns chosen from the current hymnals are those familiar to the congregation **so that we can all sing.**

Announcing the hymns is accomplished by providing the numbers of the hymns on our “blue board” which correspond with the number in the hymnals in the pews. This is the practical part of Music Ministry. Please

consider additional reasons for use of Music at the Liturgy:

At Mass we are entering into the on-going celebration of the “heavenly banquet” taking place within our midst. All our talents of praise add to this celebration. We may not be

musicians, or well-trained singers, however, whatever we can contribute adds to this divine celebration. God gave us a voice to use for His praise no matter how it may sound to us! To him our voices are glorious! As St. Augustine said: “When we sing, we pray twice!”



Have you ever had a tune swirling around in your mind after Mass? Hopefully the tune (and also the lyrics you have heard) continues to swirl around until the following week’s liturgy! **Please sing out at Mass!**

THANK YOU, SR. CATHERINE! Our parish is grateful to Sr. Catherine Gormley for her dedication to enhancing Religious Education. Throughout the year, Sr. Catherine teaches spirited Adult Faith Formation classes and also Religious Education certification classes for our Catechists. *Thank you, Sr. Catherine! We love your classes!*

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Please pray for the children in Religious Education making their First Holy Communion next **Sunday, June 9 at the 10:30 am Mass.** All God’s blessings to you!

LINDEN PLAYERS CONCERT:

FREE CONCERT IN CHURCH June 15 at 3:30 pm
The Linden Players are returning to our Church on **Saturday, June 15, for a 3:30 concert** before 5:00 pm liturgy. Don’t miss this opportunity to hear baroque vocal and instrumental music that will take you on a journey through seventeenth- and eighteenth-century Europe!! Soprano Claire Ferner is joined by David Miller (viola da gamba) and Matthew Hall (harpsichord) in a program that is near to their hearts. All welcome!



Thank you for your heartfelt prayers for healing. Please contact the rectory if you have someone to add or a name that can be removed. Thank you for your courtesy.

Russell Abbrecht, Luisa Armani, Laureen Aversa, Jerry Baltz, Cheryl Bender, Rick Bicanovsky, Sheila Madera-Brown, Ellen Burmeister, Ryan Callahan, Helen Cammardella, Liam Casey, Ben Cole, Ed Dannen, Lillian DiPasqua, Betty Djerf, Iris D’Agostino, Honey Fecci, Ernest Fudge, Sr., Lois Giambone, 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, Helen Morelli, 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, Zoila Santa, Martha Santicola, Anne Shea, Bert Shafer, Gladys Gilbert Spiegler, Marie Stutman, Dorothy and John Sylak, Fr. Phil Tran, Sonja Turner, Sharon Umhey, Angie Valentino, Stephanie Vesely, Bob Walsh, Ellen Watson, Catherine Whitelaw, Greg Zaff. *Please also pray for our men and women in military service.*



















PARISH CALENDAR

June 2	Sun	Religious Education Programs last class of the season
June 2	Sun	Our Lady of La Salette Sodality Spring Luncheon at 2:00 pm – Woodnotes Grille
June 5	Wed	Health Clinic in the Parish Hall
June 9	Sun	First Holy Communion at 10:30 am Mass
June 9	Sun	Summer Cereal and Peanut Butter and Jelly Collection Deadline
June 12	Wed	Women’s Bible Study 3:30 pm to 4:45 pm in Fr. Gorman Hall
June 12	Wed	Men’s Bible Study 7:00 to 8:00 pm in the Rectory

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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>Stephen, Your brothers and your mother and father miss you always. – The Cheshire Family</p> 	<p>In Loving Memory of Vic Cammardella by Helen & Family <i>“The measure of love is to love without measure.”</i> – 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, Bruce A. Wallace and Eric Kohloser. – 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