

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Community

June 16, 2019



Gem of the Catskills

Parish Established 1902

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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

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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 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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Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

“Glory to the Father, Son, and the Holy Spirit; to God who is, who was, and who is to come.” *John 16:12-15*

Mass Intentions

Week of June 15th – June 20th

Sat	6/15	5:00p	Mass of Thanksgiving Andrew & Theresa Buchhalter 10 th Anniversary by Helen Morelli
Sun	6/16	9:00a	
Sun	6/16	10:30a	†Michael Jordan by Joyce Umhey Goodrich
Mon	6/17	8:00a	
Tues	6/18	8:00a	
Wed	6/19	8:00a	
Thur	6/20	8:00a	

The Second Collection is the Utility/Fuel Fund

Weekend of June 22nd – June 23rd

Sat	6/22	5:00p	Barry and Alice Lewis by Pat Ryder & Family
Sun	6/23	9:00a	†Louis Druffner by Suzanne Druffner
Sun	6/23	10:30a	

Weekend Lectors

Sat	6/15	5:00p	P. Ruane, M. Ruane
Sun	6/16	9:00a	B. Tretter, M. Tiso
Sun	6/16	10:30a	J. Pavone, L. Quinn



Weekend Eucharistic Ministers

Sat	6/15	5:00p	Zorn, Fiore, Barrack, DeMaria
Sun	6/16	9:00a	Colagrande, Nilsen, the Gormleys
Sun	6/16	10:30a	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 17th (Year C)

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11; 9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: 2 Cor 1:1-11; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday: Gn 14:18-20; Lk 9:11b-17

Regular: \$1,713
 Mission Among Black and Indian People: \$198
 Thank you for your generosity

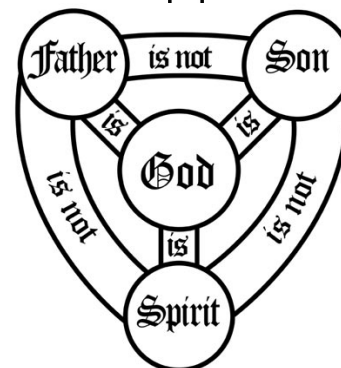
Scripture Reflection

The Spirit will guide you into all the truth"

Now Jesus promises to send his disciples the Spirit of truth who will guide them in understanding all that Jesus came to say and do! Jesus tells his disciples that it is the role of the Holy Spirit to reveal what is true. It is through the gift and working of the Holy Spirit, who enlightens our hearts and minds that we come to understand that the Godhead is a trinity of persons - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

The mission of Jesus and of the Holy Spirit are the same - to reveal the glory of God and to share that glory with us by uniting us in a community of love with the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. That is why Jesus tells his disciples that the Spirit will reveal the glory of the Father and the Son and will speak what is true. Before his Passover, Jesus revealed the Holy Spirit as the 'Paraclete' and Helper who will be with Jesus' disciples to teach and guide them "into all the truth." The ultimate end, the purpose for which God created us, is the entry of God's creatures into the perfect unity of the blessed Trinity. In baptism we are called to share in the life of the Holy Trinity here on earth in faith and after death in eternal light. Do you seek the wisdom that comes from above and do you eagerly listen to God's word and obey it? *Copyright 2019, Don Schwager:*

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“If you love me, you will keep my commandments.” – John 14:15

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Novena to Our Lady of La Salette:

Monday, June 17 after 8:00 am Mass, we pray the 7th 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:

Congratulations to our First Communicants, Spencer, Joseph and Siobhan who received our Lord on June 9, 2019.

Also, many thanks and congratulations to their parents and all of the teachers who worked with the children this past year. Have a fun and safe summer and we'll see you back for class in September!

For more information, call Religious Education Coordinator, Gerry Nilsen, 687-9769.



PHOENICIA SCHOOL CEREAL PROJECT:

Thank you, parishioners and visitors! The summer "breakfast project for the Phoenicia School ended last weekend. Our parish donated 42 boxes of cereal and 31 jars of peanut butter and jelly for the school. Fifty-one dollars in cash was also donated. Thank you all!

****** RECTORY OFFICE COVERAGE ******

Volunteers are staffing the Rectory Office **Monday through Friday mornings (9 am - noon)** to help Fr. Raphael by answering phones and scheduling Mass Intentions. Please call during these hours with an emphasis on Monday-Thursday.

Friday is Father's official 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!



CARPOOL TRIP TO SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL – TUESDAY, JULY 16

Celebrate the Feast Day of Our Lady of Mount Carmel at the National Shrine in Middletown. The day will include Mass (11:30 am), optional lunch \$10. Scapular enrollments and procession to outdoor Shrine following Mass...and more. Volunteer drivers also needed. See Flyer on bulletin board. If interested, please contact Pam 688-2642 no later than June 23rd.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: The Parish Council will meet **Tuesday, June 18 at 7:00 pm** in the Rectory. Anyone is welcome to attend.

COFFEE KLATCH – SUNDAY JUNE 16!

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-

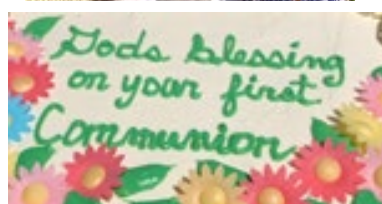
2013. A great opportunity to meet others in our faith community!

CELEBRATING FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Last weekend, St. Francis de Sales parishioners celebrated the special day with three communicants, their families, friends and teachers of the Religious Education program. Father Raphael presents Spencer, Siobhan and Joseph (pictured below) with their First Holy Communion. After Mass, the congregation enjoyed cake and refreshments outside of church courtesy of the Parish Council. Gerry Nilsen, coordinator of Religious Education and Pat



Ryder, Vice-President of Our Lady of La Salette Sodality, pose behind the children who each received a gift from the Sodality. God bless you all!



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

Parishioners often forget that our priests are human and need encouragement, prayers and support. The main article on page two of the June “Growing in Faith” gives readers ideas for how to support the priests who serve us and our Church. Take home a copy of the June issue located in the entranceway of the Church.

INDUCTION – THIRD ORDER FRANCISCANS:

Parishioner, Pat Ryder, will be inducted into the Third Order Franciscans on **Saturday, June 22, 1:30 pm** at St. John’s in Woodstock. The ceremony and Mass will be celebrated by Fr. George W. Hommel. Refreshments to follow. All are welcome. Congratulations, Pat!



FREE DISHWASHER

We have taken out the portable dishwasher from the corner of the Hall kitchen and will be putting it out on the street to give away. It is in working order, so...let Laurie Brown, Burr Hubbell or Fr. Raphael know if you can use it, and it's YOURS!

Pope’s Prayer Intention for June 2019

The Mode of Life of Priests

That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.



MOST HOLY TRINITY: The fundamental dogma, on which everything in Christianity is based, is that of

the Blessed Trinity in whose name all Christians are baptized. The feast of the Blessed Trinity needs to be understood and celebrated as a prolongation of the mysteries of Christ and as the solemn expression of our faith in this triune life of the Divine Persons, to which we have been given access by Baptism and by the Redemption won for us by Christ. Only in heaven shall we properly understand what it means, in union with Christ, to share as sons in the very life of God.

Source: CatholicCulture.org

FEAST DAY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST:

June 24th is the Feast Day of John the Baptist, Jesus’ older cousin. He was a prophet sent by God to prepare people for the coming of Christ into the world. John’s parents were Elizabeth and Zechariah. They were an elderly couple who had nearly given up hope that their marriage would be blessed with a child. Then the angel Gabriel appeared to Zechariah in the temple and told him that Elizabeth would give birth to a son. Gabriel said they should name the child John. (Read about the birth of John in Luke 1:57-80.) *Source: Saints Resource.*



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; Theresa Strauss, 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 16	Sun	Celebrate All Dads / Coffee Klatch on the Rectory porch after Sunday Masses!
June 18	Tues	Parish Council Meeting at 7 pm in Parish Rectory
June 25	Tues	Tai Chi with instructor, Celeste. Parish Hall, 3:00 – 4:00 pm
June 26	Wed	Women's Bible Study in Fr. Gorman Hall at 3:30 pm
June 26	Wed	Men's Bible Study in the Rectory at 7:00 pm

A FATHER'S DAY PRAYER

Heavenly Father,
 you entrusted your Son Jesus,
 the child of Mary,
 to the care of Joseph, an earthly father.
 Bless all fathers
 as they care for their families.
 Give them strength and wisdom,
 tenderness and patience;
 support them in the work they have to do,
 protecting those who look to them,
 as we look to you for love and salvation,
 through Jesus Christ our rock and defender.
 Amen.

SPIRITUAL BOUQUETS

In Memory of Jerry Bender by his Loving Daughters 	Thank God for the blessings He has bestowed on our parish and may we continue to grow in faith and love. – The Gormley Family 	In Loving Memory of Barbara Caton. By son, William 	In Loving Memory of my dear husband, Tony, and beloved son, Anthony. – Angie Valentino & Family 
 Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with us. The Morelli Family	In Loving Memory of Jack and Virginia  Fleming and John Fleming, Jr. by Veronica & Jon Rowe	In Loving Memory of my beloved wife, Harriet, our mom  & brother Frank, by Frank Raucht, John, Veronica & Joseph	In Loving Memory of my dear husband Romeo and my beloved son, Joseph by Saveria “Honey” Fecci 
In Loving Memory...  James P. Hefferan and daughter Maureen Hefferan Swezey, by Iris D’Agostino and Family.	In Loving Memory of Lawrence Monachelli and Eleanor  Monachelli. – Mike & Eileen O’Connor	Stephen, Your brothers and your mother and father miss you always. – The Chesire Family 	In Loving Memory of Vic Cammardella by Helen & Family <i>“The measure of love is to love without measure.”</i> – St. Francis de Sales
In Loving Memory of our Parents, Marian  & Howard and Grandparents, Callaghan and Umhey, and all our Loved Ones. -The Howard Umhey Family	In Loving Memory of my beloved  wife, Josie, our parents, and our siblings. – Dick Morra	In Loving Memory of our beloved parents, John & Frances Raucht, Alfred & Veronica  Grace and our deceased brothers and sisters.	 <i>Carmelo & Barbara</i> <i>Two Together</i> <i>Forever</i>
In Loving Memory of Patricia and  Terry Buchanan by the Wolfrom Family	In Loving Memory of our beloved parents, Lillian and Henry Miller and Mildred and William  DiPasqua, and our deceased brothers.	Pray to the Infant Jesus of Prague. In Memory of George and Mary Wallace, George L. & William T. Wallace, Bruce A. Wallace and Eric Kohlroser. – The Wallace Family	In Loving Memory of our parents, Jack  & Sue Tiso and Anthony & Florence Persichilli by Charles, Joe, Margie, Pam & Susan

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