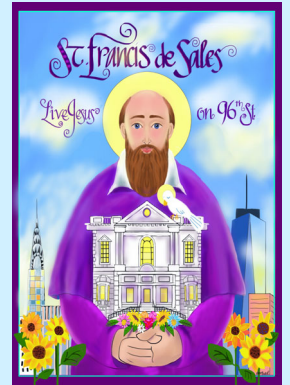




ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays
9am, 11am, 12:30pm*
Saturdays
5:00pm**
Weekdays
8:30am

*Misa en Español
**Vigil- Sunday Mass Celebrated

Mission Statement

Taking Jesus' message of loving service to heart, all are welcome in our vibrant, hopeful, diverse, Eucharistic Community where we break the bread and open the Word and discover God in our midst.

Tomando el mensaje de Jesús de servicio amoroso a corazón, todos son bienvenidos en nuestra Comunidad Eucarística vibrante, lleno de esperanzas, diversa, donde rompemos el Pan y abrimos la Palabra y descubrimos a Dios en medio de nosotros.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME • JANUARY 21, 2018

Jesus came to Galilee
proclaiming the gospel of God:
"This is the time of fulfillment.
The kingdom of God is at hand.
Repent, and

*believe
in the
gospel."*

MARK 1:14-15



PARISH INFORMATION

Contact any staff or clergy through our website or by calling the church rectory and leaving a message.
(212) 289-0425

OFFICE HOURS

Monday Thru Friday
9:00am—5:00pm

CHURCH HOURS

Weekdays: 8:00 am—4:00 pm
Weekends: 8:30 am—4:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:30 pm—5:00 pm
and by Appointment

GROUPS & PROGRAMS

20/30's Young Adults
RCIA-Sunday, 11 Mon 7PM
Religious Education-Sunday 10AM
Mon 4PM, Catholic Sports, Gay
Straight Catholic Alliance (4th
Wednesday of the Month 7:00PM),

MINISTRIES

Adult Choir, Hospitality Ministry,
Eucharistic Ministry, Ministry of
Lector, Altar Servers/Acolytes, Coro
Para Adultos en Español

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SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION



Baptism/Bautismo: We celebrate the baptism of infants & young children on the third Sunday of the month during the 11:00AM mass. Baptism class is held the first Wednesday of the month. Bautizos en Español son celebrados el tercer Domingo del mes a las 12:30PM. Come to the office to talk to a staff person to register for baptism Please bring Birth Certificate when you come in to register. Call us or visit our website for more information.

Marriage: Couples should make an appointment at least 6 months in advance of possible date. Please call the Rectory and make an appointment with the priest.

Sacrament of the Sick- Please call and let us know if a family member is sick and would like to be anointed.

Faith Formation for All- Our Religious Education classes are held on Sunday Mornings (10:00 a.m.) for children in grades 1-8. In addition families are *expected* to participate in monthly Family Faith Days WITH their children, as well as Family Mass on the First Sat of each month (Oct-May) at 5p.m.

Children will participate in the program for a minimum of 2 years to prepare for sacraments.

Monday classes (4:00 p.m.) are offered for those older youngsters and their families who are seeking sacraments of initiation.

Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.)—Adults who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith gather on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the parish house. The door is always open to newcomers. All questions welcome

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New Parishioners

Please register online @ sfdsnyc.org or pick up a registration form after mass. Registration helps us to serve you more efficiently, especially in matters such as testimonial letters, sponsor certificates and school registration. WELCOME!



Spirituality for Everyone

PARISH RETREAT—SAT., JAN. 27

St. Francis de Sales promoted the idea that all of us are called to be holy in whatever our daily situation calls us. Whether we are laborers, executives, computer wizards, teachers, bankers...the list goes on and on...

His simple spirituality is a way for us to find a deeper holiness/wholeness in our lives.

Come join us and Mr. Joe Long for a day that promises to open our eyes to find the Lord in the many hidden spaces in our city lives.

Retreat Day 10am-3pm

-\$20 Fee/RSVP required to jayneporcelli@sfdsnyc.org, Lunch provided -

Feast Day Mass 5pm

Open House 6pm

Joe Long is a Pastoral Associate at St. Agnes Cathedral in Rockville Centre, NY. He hails from the Philadelphia area, most recently by way of pastoral work in North Carolina. He worked for years with the National Forum on Initiation and the RCL Benziger Publishing Company. His wealth of experience and his great love for St. Francis de Sales make him a great gift to us as we celebrate the Feast of St. Francis de Sales here at our parish.



Did you hear about THE TABLE?

Two weeks ago, on one of the coldest nights of the year, our new Youth Group began! Teens and team members gathered at THE TABLE for questions, conversation, pizza, prayer and fun. The 'reviews' have been terrific.

If you are a teen (grades 7-12) or a parent of a teen, mark your calendars now for Feb. 3. We will meet again at THE TABLE immediately after the 5pm Family Mass. We can't wait to meet you!

ST FRANCIS DE SALES BOOK CLUB

Letters of Spiritual Direction edited by Wendy Wright

To honor the upcoming feast day of Saint Francis de Sales, we'll be reading a collection of letters he exchanged with Saint Jane Frances de Chantal. The book explores their daily striving to live the authentic spirit of Jesus which reflects both the 17th century when they were written as well as the modern day Catholic experience .

“Due to a last minute cancellation, we will be postponing our discussion of *Letters of Spiritual Direction*. Please join us in February for what we're hoping will be one of our most insightful and meaningful discussions yet.

8pm, Monday, February 12, 2018
St Francis de Sales Church Rectory
Light Refreshments will be served

Please RSVP and e-mail questions to sfdsbookclub@gmail.com



Catholic Gay Straight Alliance

Our first meeting for 2018 will be on Tuesday evening Jan 23 at 7pm. Come join us for prayer, fellowship, good conversation, laughter, & light refreshments. All are welcome.

MARDI GRAS



St. FRANCIS de SALES
96th & LEXINGTON-NEW YORK CITY

AN EVENING OF COMEDY
BENEFITING CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES
HOSTED BY JAY MALSKY

TUES // FEB 13 // 7PM



Music Selections for the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00am, Sunday Masses



Processional: *Lead Me Guide Me*

Refrain

Lead me, guide me, a-long the way, For if you
lead me, I can-not stray. Lord, let me walk each
day with thee. Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.

Verses

1. I am weak and I need thy strength and pow'r to
2. Help me tread in the paths of right-eous-ness, Be my
3. I am lost if you take your hand from me, I am

help me o-ver my weak-est hour. Help me through the
aid when Sa-tan and sin op-press. I am put-ting
blind with-out thy Light to see, Lord, just al-ways

dark-ness thy face to see, Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.
all my trust in thee. Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.
let me thy ser-vant be. Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.

Responsorial Psalm: *Psalm 25*

To you, O God, I lift up my soul; lift up my spir-it
to my Lord. To you I lift up my soul.

Offertory: *I Can Go To God In Prayer*

Verses

C – Call – We Respond: **I can go to God in prayer.**

Chorus

*I can call Him when I need Him,
Our Father, up in heaven;
I can go to God in prayer, I can go to God in
prayer.*

Bridge

C – Call – We Respond: **(yes, He can) x4.**

Communion: *Pescador de Hombres*

Estribillo/Refrain

Se- ñor, me has mi- ra- do a los o- jos,
O, Lord, with your eyes set up- on me,
son- ri- en- do has di- cho mi nom- bre,
gent- ly smil- ing, you have spo- ken my name;
en la a- re- na he de- ja- do mi bar- ca,
all I longed for I have found by the wa- ter,
jun- to a ti bus- ca- ré o- tro mar.
at your side, I will seek oth- er shores.

Meditation: *Abide With Me*

Recessional: *I'll Be Somewhere Listening For My Name*

1. When He Calls Me I Will Answer
2. With A Glad Heart I Will Answer
3. When He Calls You, Will You Answer

1., 2. I'll be some-where list-'ning, I'll be some-where list-'ning,
3. You'll be some-where list-'ning, You'll be some-where list-'ning,
I'll be some-where list-'ning for my name. Oh,
You'll be some-where list-'ning for your name. Oh,

I'll be some-where list-'ning, I'll be some-where
you'll be some-where list-'ning, You'll be some-where

list-'ning, I'll be some-where list-'ning for my name.
list-'ning, You'll be some-where list-'ning for your name.



Ready or Not, Here Comes Ash Wednesday!!

Ash Wednesday

Our Ash Wednesday services will be as follows: 7:00 am Mass; 12 Noon-prayer service; 6:00 pm Mass. Stay tuned for more information on our Lenten Small Christian Communities and other opportunities for prayer during the sacred season.



Baptisms and Lent

As many of you are aware, the church does not recommend celebrating the sacrament of Baptism during the Lenten season. We all enter into a time of fasting and preparation for the great celebration of Easter where we bless new water.

Aware of the reality that Lent begins very early this year we would like to offer any families with babies to be baptized the option of celebrating the sacrament earlier in February BEFORE Lent begins on Feb. 14th. If this is something of interest to you please contact Jayne Porcelli immediately. (jayneporcelli@sfdsnyc.org)



Let us remember in our prayer this week Minoo Nagy. Minoo was a parishioner who attended daily mass here with her husband Bill Nagy. You could always find her in the front pews. She was a gentle traveler on the road of life. She recently had entered the hospital for surgery and the end result was not successful. She has left us too soon and we will miss her warm presence in our parish.

Question of The Week

Adults: What part of your life is Jesus calling you to change right now?

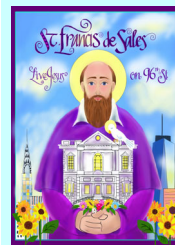
Children: In what way do you think you can be a better follower of Jesus?

Are You or Someone You Know "addicted" to your Cell Phone? (Ipad or Computer)

Join us on Sunday February 4th at 10am in the parish hall for a thought provoking session on how to help our youngsters be smart with their smart phones. Dr Michael Fraser, a clinical psychologist will take us through the steps to learn best practices for social media usage and our families.

All are welcome to join us for a very informative morning.

Looking For A Gift?



We love our St Francis banner that proudly hangs in front of our church now. We are so grateful to Br Mickey McGrath, OSFS for its creation. We want to let you know that we have more of Br Mickey's artwork available for sale in the parish office. We have several of his books and collections of note cards. These items will make fabulous Christmas gifts, baptism and confirmation gifts too! Stop and visit Kathy and check out these beautiful gift items!

Coming Soon St. Francis De Sales Youth Choir

St. Francis De Sales is starting a brand new Children's Choir!!

The *Youth Choir* will sing once per month at the 9am Mass and at Special Liturgies throughout the year.

Rehearsals will take place before Mass at 8:15

The *Youth Choir* is open to our young parishioners from 2nd Grade—12th Grade

For More Information or to Join the *Youth Choir* please sign up at the Ministry Table at the back of the Church or email our Music Director, Jim at sfdsnymusicministry@gmail.com





Stewardship IS a Way of Life

"Where your heart is...there too is your treasure."

Data Collection includes: Cash, Envelopes, Weekday Collections

November		December		January	
Nov 5	\$ 4,317.00	Dec 3	\$ 3,993.00	Jan 7	\$ 2,549.00
Nov 12	\$ 2,225.00	Dec 10	\$ 3,293.00	Jan 14	\$ 2,640.00
Nov 19	\$ 2,817.00	Dec 17	\$ 2,751.00	Jan 21	
Nov 26	\$ 2,550.00	Dec 24	\$ 2,002.00	Jan 28	
		Dec 31-	\$ 2,066.00		
Second Collection Peter's Pence February 11, 2018		Christmas Collection \$ 23,253.00			
(226) Parish Pay Total: \$ 11,512.00		(202) Parish Pay Total: \$ 16,644.00		(232) Parish Pay Total: \$ 6,097.00	
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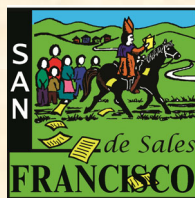
Miércoles de Ceniza!

Nuestros servicios de Miércoles de Ceniza serán los siguientes:

Ash Wednesday
7:00 am Misa; 12 medi-
odía-servicio de oración; 6:00 p.m.
Misa. Estén atentos para más infor-
mación sobre nuestras Comunidades
de Pequeños Cristianos de Cuaresma
y otras oportunidades para orar du-
rante la temporada sagrada.

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Lunes: Día de Oración por la Protección Legal de
la Criatura en el Vientre Materno
Martes: San Vicente; Santa Marianne Cope
Miércoles: San Francisco de Sales
Jueves: La Conversión de San Pablo
Viernes: San Timoteo y San Tito
Sábado: Santa Ángela de Merici



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Bautismos y Cuaresma

Como muchos de ustedes saben, la iglesia no recomienda celebrar el sacramento del Bautismo durante el tiempo de Cuaresma. Todos entramos en un tiempo de ayuno y preparación para la gran celebración de la Pascua en la que bendecimos agua nueva.

Conscientes de la realidad de que la Cuaresma comienza a principios de este año, nos gustaría ofrecer a las familias con bebés para ser bautizados la opción de celebrar el Sacramento a principios de febrero ANTES que comience la Cuaresma el 14 de febrero. Si estas interesado, comuníquese con Jayne Porcelli inmediatamente.
(jayneporcelli@sfdsnyc.org)

Pregunta de la Semana

Adultos: ¿Qué aspecto de mi vida, me pide Jesús que cambie?

Niños: ¿Cómo puedo ser un mejor creyente en Cristo?



Mass Intentions

Saturday Jan 20, 2017

5:00PM- John Ryan (D)

Sunday, Jan 21, 2017

9:00AM- Minoo San Gupta Nagy (D)

11:00AM- Virginia De Margitay (D)

12:30PM- Msgr. Neil Connolly (D)

Monday, Jan 22, 2018

8:30am-

Tuesday, Jan 23, 2018

8:30AM - Robinson Barranda Jr. (L)

Wednesday, Jan 24, 2018

8:30AM - Elma Barranda (L) Birthday

Thursday, Jan 25, 2018

8:30am-

Friday, Jan 26, 2018

8:30AM-

Calendar For the Week of Jan 21-Jan 20

Sunday, Jan 21

12:30PM- New Parishioner Brunch

Monday, Jan 22

8:30AM- Mass
4pm-RCIA Kids
7pm-RCIA

Tuesday, Jan 23

8:30AM-Mass
7pm- Choir Practice
7pm-LGBTQS Mtg

Wednesday, Jan 24

8:30AM -Mass
6:30PM-AA
10am- Prayer
Feast of St. Francis de Sales

Thursday, Jan 25

8:30AM-Mass

Friday, Jan 26

8:30AM- Mass

Saturday, Jan 27

10am-3pm Parish Retreat
5PM- Mass
6pm- Open House

Ministry Emails

Have you gotten involved in a liturgical ministry yet?

Jorge Vargas coordinates our Lectors email- sfdslectors@gmail.com

Rebecca Thompson coordinator for Eucharistic Ministers email rebeccathompson@sfdsnyc.org

Jim Stayton our Musicians email: sfdsnycmusicministry@gmail.com,

contact **Moira Gallagher** for acolytes training and schedules at: moira.gallagher@gmail.com

Our Justice and Social Media please contact **Bradley Behrmann** at: Socialmedia@sfdsnyc.org

Ministerio Español : contacta Monserrat Valencia and Maria Gonzalez at **emails:** monsivalencia@gmail.com, mter66@live.com

Pray For Our Sick and Departed Sisters and Brothers

Sick: Daniel Lynch, Katie Cummings, Jose Torres, Martin Vito-Cruz, Baldomero Valencia, Martin Pena, Jem Escalera, Laughlin Toolin, Jean Stonier, Sr. Joan Inglis, Felicita Casanova, John Raimundi, Tom Chestaro, Chris J. Cooper, Alice Shea

Deceased: Benedicta Almeida, Virginia Grant, Larry Frankini, Thomas Perkins, Caridad Marino, Arthur Peters, Minoo Nagy

(Please call the office to remove or add names)

CURIOUS ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH-ADULT INITIATION

You know we talk about RCIA all the time...we always want to make sure you know what that is...the RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS is simply put, the way folks with questions about the Catholic church learn about us and if they desire, how they become Catholic. It is the most amazing gift to be a part of someone's faith journey. We have one of the few YEAR ROUND processes in the Archdiocese of NY. That means that anyone can begin their journey by coming to ask their questions at any point in the year. It also means that we always love to have parishioners join us, helping with hospitality and making strangers feel welcome on any Monday night. If you have cookies in your house that you know you shouldn't be eating...why not bring them by on a Monday night and stay for the conversation? If you like to bake or want to donate a case of water...come join us for prayer and some faith talk. Get to know our inquirers and let them learn about SFDS by meeting you. We gather at 7pm in the parish house and you (and your friend with questions about the Catholic church) are always welcome.

---COVER SHEET

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