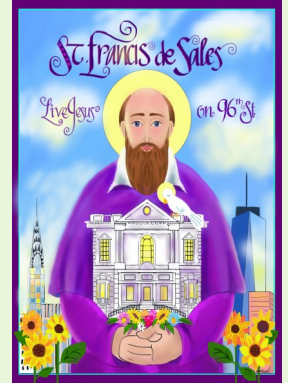




# ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Pastoral Staff

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Ministry  
Kathleen Calderon, Office Manager  
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## Weekend Associates

Msgr. Robert Stern  
Rev. Anthony Ciorra

## 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.

JANUARY 28, 2018

*Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

The people were astonished at Jesus' teaching,  
for he taught them as one having authority.

Mark 1:22



## 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

### Email Addresses

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### New Parishioners

Please register online @ [sfdsnyc.org](http://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!

**Did you hear about  
THE TABLE?**

Several 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 17<sup>th</sup> 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 are 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](mailto:sfdsbookclub@gmail.com)



**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](mailto:sfdsnymusicministry@gmail.com)



**MARDI GRAS**



St. FRANCIS de SALES  
96<sup>th</sup> & LEXINGTON - NEW YORK CITY

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

**TUES // FEB 13 // 7PM**



# Music Selections for the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time January 28<sup>th</sup>

9:00am & 11:00am, Sunday Masses



## **Processional:** *Standing On The Promises*

Standing on the promises of Christ my King,  
Through eternal ages let His praises ring,  
Glory in the highest, I will shout and sing,  
Standing on the promises of God.

## **Standing, standing, Standing on the promises of God my Savior; Standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.**

Standing on the promises that cannot fail,  
When the howling storms of doubt and fear  
assail,  
By the living Word of God I shall prevail,  
Standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises of Christ the Lord,  
Bound to Him eternally by love's strong cord,  
Overcoming daily with the Spirit's sword,  
Standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises I shall not fall,  
List'ning every moment to the Spirit's call.  
Resting in my Savior as my All in all,  
Standing on the promises of God.

## **Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 95**

\*Refrain: 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

If to-day you hear his voice, hard - en not  
your hearts, hard - en not your hearts.

## **Offertory:** *Can't Nobody Do Me Like Jesus*

Can't nobody do me like like Jesus.  
Can't nobody do me like like the Lord.  
Can't nobody do me like like Jesus.  
He's my friend.

He picked me up and turned me around.  
He picked me up and turned me around.  
He picked me up and turned me around.  
He's my friend.

Healed my body, told me to run on  
Healed my body, told me to run on  
Healed my body, told me to run on  
He's my friend

## **Communion:** : *Come To The Feast*

Come to the feast, come hear the Word,  
come to the ta - ble of the Lord.  
O come to the feast, come sing your  
song, come let us join and be one.

## **Meditation:** *His Eye Is On The Sparrow*

Why should I feel discouraged,  
Why should the shadows come,  
Why should my heart be lonely,  
And long for heaven, heaven and home,  
When, when Jesus is my portion,  
My constant Friend is He;  
His eye is on the sparrow,  
And I know He watched, watched it over me.  
I sing because I'm happy  
I sing because I'm free  
For His eye, his eye is on the sparrow,  
And I know, I know He watches over me

## **Recessional:** *Bless That Wonderful Name*

### **Refrain:**

**Bless that wonderful name of Jesus.  
Bless that wonderful name of Jesus.  
Bless that wonderful name of Jesus,  
no other name I know.**

There's power in the name of Jesus.  
Power in the name of Jesus.  
Power in the name of Jesus,  
no other name I know.

There's healing in the name of Jesus.  
Healing in the name of Jesus.  
Healing in the name of Jesus,  
no other name I know.



## 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. 14<sup>th</sup>. If this is something of interest to you please contact Jayne Porcelli immediately. ([jayneporcelli@sfdsnyc.org](mailto:jayneporcelli@sfdsnyc.org))



Let us remember in our prayer this week Mino Nagy. Mino 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. We will celebrate a memorial Mass for Mino on January 30 at 8:30am

## Question of The Week

**Adults:** What can you tell others about Jesus with the most assurance?

**Children:** What is the most important thing you would like others to know about Jesus?

## Come Learn How to Keep Our Kids Safe

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.

## Help Needed

Do you “know someone” who can help us purchase some new furnishings for meeting rooms in the parish house? We need some comfortable attractive chairs & such. Can you help us?

## Police?

If any of our parishioners serve on the NYPD or are retired officers-please speak with F. Kelly or Jayne today.

## Annual Archdiocesan Black History Month Mass

**& The National Day of Prayer for the African American & African Family**

**“Sharing The Journey”**

**Sunday, February 4, 2018 at 2:00pm  
St. Patrick’s Cathedral-5th Avenue**

**& 51st Street, NYC**

*All Are Welcome!*

**Guest Homilist**

**Rev. Patrick Smith**

**Pastor of St. Augustine Catholic Church  
The Mother Church of African-American  
Catholics in the Nation’s Capital  
Washington, D.C.**

**Bus service available from select locations  
in the Bronx & Harlem for those interested**

**For more information contact**

**The Office of Black Ministry**

**646-994-2681; [www.bmny.org](http://www.bmny.org);**

**[obm@archny.org](mailto:obm@archny.org)**



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	\$ 3,381.00
Nov 26	\$ 2,550.00	Dec 24	\$ 2,002.00	Jan 28	
		Dec 31-	\$ 2,066.00		
<b>Second Collection          Peter's Pence          February 11, 2018</b>		<b>Christmas Collection \$ 23,253.00</b>			
(226) Parish Pay Total: \$ 11,512.00		(202) Parish Pay Total: \$ 16,644.00		(232) Parish Pay Total: \$ 8,740.50	
Totals: \$ \$ 22,421.00		Totals :\$ 30,749.00		Totals: \$ 17,310.50	



### Miércoles de Ceniza!

Nuestros servicios de Miércoles de Ceniza serán los siguientes:  
**7:00 am Misa; 12 media-noche-servicio de oración; 6:00 p.m. Misa. Estén atentos para más información sobre nuestras Comunidades de Pequeños Cristianos de Cuaresma y otras oportunidades para orar durante la temporada sagrada.**

*Ash Wednesday*

#### LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Sal 3:2-7; Mc 5:1-20  
 Martes: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 -- 19:3; Sal 86 (85):1-6; Mc 5:21-43  
 Miércoles: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Sal 32 (31):1-2, 5-7; Mc 6:1-6  
 Jueves: 1 Re 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Cr 29:10-12; Mc 6:7-13  
 Viernes: Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Sal 24 (23):7-10; Lc 2:22-40 [22-32]  
 Sábado: 1 Re 3:4-13; Sal 119 (118):9-14; Mc 6:30-34  
 Domingo: Job 7:1-4, 6-7; Sal 147 (146):1-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mc 1:29-39



### 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 la vida de nuestro Señor puedo compartir con confianza absoluta?  
**Niños:** ¿Cuál es al característica más importante de Jesucristo que quiero compartir con los que no creen en Él?



# Mass Intentions

## Saturday Jan 27, 2018

5:00PM- Ruby See (L)

## Sunday, Jan 28, 2018

9:00AM- Shirley Frieko (D)

11:00AM- Flore Jean-Pierre (D)

12:30PM- Andres Delgado (D)

## Monday, Jan 29, 2018

8:30am- Carla Ottolini (D)

## Tuesday, Jan 30, 2018

8:30AM - Mino Nagy (D) Memorial Mass

## Wednesday, Jan 31, 2018

8:30AM -

## Thursday, Feb 1, 2018

8:30am-

## Friday, Feb 2, 2018

8:30AM-

## Calendar For the Week of Jan 28-Feb 3

Sunday, Jan 28  
10am- Rel Ed Classes

Monday, Jan 29  
8:30AM- Mass  
7pm-RCIA

Tuesday, Jan 30  
8:30AM-Mass  
7pm- Choir Practice

Wednesday, Jan 31  
8:30AM -Mass  
6:30PM-AA  
10am- Prayer

Thursday, Feb 1  
8:30AM-Mass

Friday, Feb 2  
8:30AM- Mass

Saturday, Feb 3  
5PM- Family Mass

## Ministry Emails Have you gotten involved in a liturgical ministry yet?

Jorge Vargas coordinates our Lectors email- [sfdslectors@gmail.com](mailto:sfdslectors@gmail.com)

Rebecca Thompson coordinator for Eucharistic Ministers email [rebeccathompson@sfdsnyc.org](mailto:rebeccathompson@sfdsnyc.org)

Jim Stayton our Musicians email: [sfdsnycmusicministry@gmail.com](mailto:sfdsnycmusicministry@gmail.com),

contact **Moira Gallagher** for acolytes training and schedules at: [moira.gallagher@gmail.com](mailto:moira.gallagher@gmail.com)

Our Justice and Social Media please contact **Bradley Behrmann** at: [Socialmedia@sfdsnyc.org](mailto:Socialmedia@sfdsnyc.org)

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## 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, Mino 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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