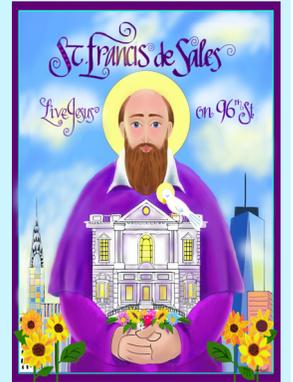




# ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Pastoral Staff

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**Ms. Jayne Porcelli**, Pastoral Associate, DRE,  
Adult Faith Formation  
**Sr. Lynne Jacoby, RSHM**, Pastoral Associate  
**James Stayton**, Music & Liturgy  
**Bradley Behrmann**, Digital & Young Adult  
Ministry  
**Kathleen Calderon**, Office Manager  
**Alberto Pena**, Plant Manager

## 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.

## Weekend Associates

Mgr. Robert Stern  
Rev. Anthony Ciorra

## MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays

9am, 11am, 12:30pm\*

Saturdays

5:00pm\*\*

## Weekday Mass Schedule

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri

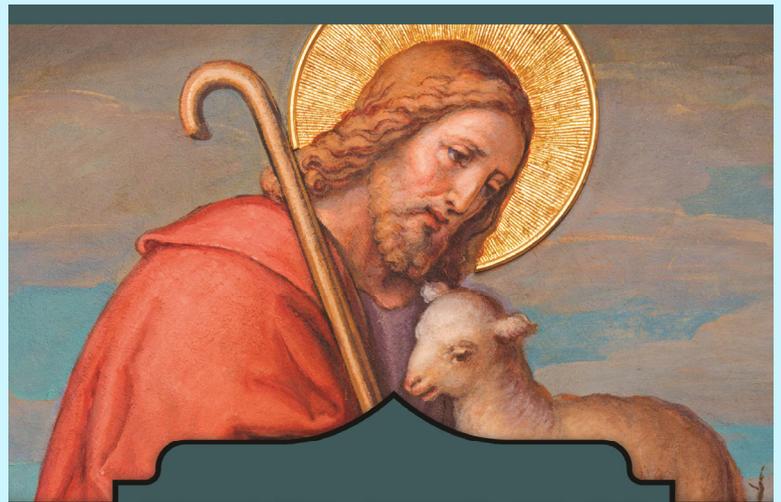
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WEDNESDAYS

Communion Service 8:30am

\*Misa en Español

\*\*Vigil- Sunday Mass Celebrated



FOURTH SUNDAY OF

*Easter*

APRIL 22, 2018

I am the good shepherd,  
and I know mine and mine know me,  
just as the Father knows me and I know the Father;  
and I will lay down my life for the sheep.

John 10:14-15

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## 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, Tuesday, Wednesday  
9am—8pm  
Thursday and Friday  
9am—5pm

## 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, Youth  
Choir

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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!



## SFDS BOOK CLUB

In honor of beloved book club member  
Shirley Frieko

*The Wind is My Mother: The Life and Teachings of a  
Native American Shaman*  
By Bear Heart with Molly Larkin

Bear Heart, a full-blooded Muskogee Creek Indian and one of the last "trained" Medicine Men, shares traditional tribal wisdom, combining it with his more formal, graduate degree in psychology to build a bridge between Native American and modern spirituality.

Monday, May 14, 8pm  
SFDS Church Rectory  
Light refreshments served  
RSVP: [sfdsbookclub@gmail.com](mailto:sfdsbookclub@gmail.com)

MEET US AT

*the*  
**Table**

May 5 6pm

GRADES 7-12 WELCOME



### Social Justice Ministry

The Social Justice Ministry invites you "Come Together for Our Common Home" on Earth Day & EVERY DAY. Fun Fact: Did you know that 280 species of birds have been reported in Central Park? Earth Day is April 22nd and the focus this year is to end plastic pollution. Plastic is not biodegradable and only about 9% is recycled. As a parish and as individuals we can reduce our plastic consumption by following the **5 Rs—Reduce, Refuse, Reuse, Recycle and Remove**. Let us work together to protect our "Common Home," the beautiful world that God has created.

### St Francis De Sales Social Justice Committee

April 26 - Did you know between 100,000 and 300,000 children in the U.S. are forced into commercial sex work every year. And the use of Social Media by traffickers to lure our kids is increasing at an alarming rate. Attend "Keeping Our Kids Safe From Online Predators" Thursday, April 26, 6:00 to 8:30, Parish Hall to understand the risks, obtain tools, and learn how to navigate the use of social media and cyber security. Presenters include the Bronx DA, FBI agent, Anti-trafficking educator, Author of *Abolitionista!* Email: Pat Latona if you need further information [palatona27@gmail.com](mailto:palatona27@gmail.com).

### Thank you

**Thank you** to Deacon Sonny and his wife Nini Uncgo, for their donation of our new Chrismatory set. These are the glass containers that hold our holy oils: Sacred Chrism, Oil of the Catechumens and Oil of the Sick. We are most grateful for this lovely addition to our liturgical worship.

### Mother's Day Celebration in honor of our Blessed Mother!

Sunday May 13th, 10:15 am. (between our morning Masses!) Come join us for a half hour of prayer and song dedicated to honoring Mary, our Blessed Mother, on Mother's day! All are welcome.

### Did you know?

Pastors have permission to confer the sacrament of Confirmation to those baptized Catholics parishioners who have been prepared through an initiation process. (RCIA). We are most excited to share the news that we will have more than a few adults in both our English and Spanish speaking communities, completing their initiation, or coming into Full Communion with the Catholic church in the month of May. We have much to celebrate and much to be grateful for! Please keep our sisters and brothers in your prayers as they complete their time of preparation.



### **Business and Ethics-a Faith based Perspective**

Do you ever find yourself in a work situation that makes you feel uncomfortable and you wonder how you ended up in this questionable spot? Is it hard to hold on to the values you believe in when the corporate world is pushing its own agenda?

Please join us for a conversation with Ms JoAnn Stonier, an executive with MasterCard Worldwide, as we look more deeply at the demands of trying to negotiate your professional life while holding on to your Christian ethics.

**Today, April 22, 2018**

**St Francis de Sales Church 135 East 96<sup>th</sup> St  
Parish Hall 2-4 pm**

JoAnn C. Stonier is MasterCard's chief data officer. In this newly created role, Stonier oversees the curation, maintenance and management of the company's strong data assets as MasterCard increasingly looks to deepen the value it can provide its merchant, banking and government customers and cardholders through its analytics capabilities.

### **GREETINGS ALL,**

I want to THANK YOU so very much for the fantastic donation of \$1,301.00 that I received from St Francis de Sales. I am so grateful for your profound generosity and thinking about our work here in Nairobi.

It hardly seems possible that I have now already been back in Africa for five months! I am working with a few different projects that constantly keep me busy, energized but at times, concerned. I reflected during the Easter gospel, that this was the exact reaction of the first disciples to the empty tomb: fear and joy. And yet, as these early disciples returned to Galilee and they encounter the risen Lord, they are very clearly instructed: Do not be afraid. I claim those words, sometimes daily.

My main work continues to be with the Eastern Deanery AIDS Relief Program (EDARP) located in the eastern slums of Nairobi. EDARP was started in the early 1990's by another Maryknoll priest and today provides comprehensive care and treatment to over 27,000 HIV positive children and adults. Our own laboratory is able to monitor the progress and health status with blood chemistries, CD4 counts, viral load measurements, and the ongoing screening for tuberculosis. I truly witness the miracle of treatment every day as the work of EDARP was transformed from caring for the dying to accompanying and supporting the living.

I am now working with over 350 staff members and 1,000 community health volunteers who daily provide support, encouragement and treatment for one of the largest HIV treatment programs in Nairobi. We are now putting renewed effort helping teens and young adults get on treatment, stay on treatment and navigate what is now a chronic illness. While EDARP has historically provided outstanding physical, emotional and social care, we are now exploring how addressing and caring for an individual's spiritual needs and concerns can further enhance treatment and well-being.

As the chair of the Catholic HIV and AIDS Network with Caritas Internationalis, we will hold a three-day pre conference before the International AIDS Conference in July, this year in Amsterdam. On the last day of our time together, we will join our colleagues at the World Council of Churches for an interfaith session developing new ways of faith building bridges to end the HIV pandemic in our lifetime.

I'm also continuing to work with the African Palliative Care Association (APCA) and the International Children's Palliative Care Network working to integrate culturally appropriate, person-centered spiritual care into palliative care service provision. Next year during the triennial APCA meeting we will hold a pre conference, bringing pairs of physicians and chaplains together teaching about team work and the provision of spiritual assessment and spiritual care for patients.

I remain so very, very grateful for your prayerful support and your generous financial support for these many projects. As always, you can continue to send any donations to: Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers, Controller's Office, PO Box 302, Maryknoll, New York 10545-0302. Checks can be made out to "Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers" and then state that the funds are for the mission account of Fr. Richard Bauer. This way all of your donation safely reaches me here in Nairobi. Please, never send funds directly to Africa.

I pray that this Easter Season is filled with many surprise blessings of Joy for all of you, peace,

*Fr. Rick*



## Music Selections for the 4th Sunday of Easter – April 22<sup>nd</sup>

9:00 am and 11:00am Sunday Masses



### **Processional:** *God Is A Wonder To My Soul*

1. God is a wonder to my soul. God is a wonder to my soul. Came into my life one day, and took all my sins away. Oh, God is a wonder to my soul.
2. My God's truth has set me free. My God's truth has set me free. Came into my life one day, and took all my sins away. My God's truth has set me free.
3. Now I can live abundantly. Now I can live abundantly. Came into my life one day, and took all my sins away. Now I can live abundantly.

### **Responsorial Psalm:** *Psalm 118*

The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

### **Offertory:** *Alleluia! Siakudumisa – 9:00*

Masithi. Amen siakudumisa. Siakudumisa, Masithi. Amen siakudumisa. Siakudumisa, Masithi. Amen bawo, bawo, bawo, Amen bawo, bawo, bawo, Amen siakudumisa. Masithi.

O sing now. Amen, sing praises to the Lord. Sing praises to the Lord, O sing now. Amen, sing praises to the Lord. Sing praises to the Lord, O sing now. Amen, sing praise, O praise God's name, Amen, sing praise, O praise God's name, Amen, sing praises to the Lord. O sing now.

### **Offertory:** *I Can Go To God In Prayer – 11:00*

Makes no difference what the problem, (I can go to God in prayer).

Yes, I have this blessed assurance, (I can go to God in prayer).

He will take my gloom and sorrow, (turn them into light).

He will comfort, strengthen and keep me, (I can go to God in prayer)

**Refrain:** 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.

Sometimes my burdens get so heavy, (I can go to God in prayer).

I have found one who is so faithful, (I can go to God in prayer).

He will take my gloom and sorrow, (turn them into light).

He will comfort, strengthen, and keep me, (I can go to God in prayer).

### **Communion:** *Gift Of Finest Wheat*

**Refrain:** You satisfy the hungry heart with gift of finest wheat. Come give to us, O saving Lord, the bread of life to eat.

### **Meditation:** *His Name Is Wonderful*

### **Recessional:** *All Creatures Of Our God And King*

1. All creatures of our God and King, Lift up your voice and with us sing, Alleluia! Alleluia! Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver moon with softer gleam!

**Refrain: O praise Him! O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

2. Thou rushing wind that art so strong, Ye clouds that sail in heav'n along, O praise Him! Alleluia! Thou rising moon, in praise rejoice, Ye lights of evening, find a voice!
3. Thou flowing water, pure and clear, Make music for thy Lord to hear, O praise Him! Alleluia! Thou fire so masterful and bright, That givest man both warmth and light.



**Stewardship IS a Way of Life**  
*"Where your heart is...there too is your treasure."*  
**Data Collection includes: Cash, Envelopes, Weekday Collections**

February		March		April
Feb 4	\$ 4,061.00	Mar 4	\$ 3,501.00	Apr 1– Easter Triduum Collection
Feb 11	\$ 2,410.00	Mar 11	\$ 12,094.00	Including WeShare Total: \$ 14,066.50
Feb 18	\$ 2,703.00	Mar 18	\$ 3,830.00	Apr 8 \$ 2,572.00
Feb 25	\$ 3,094.00	Mar 25	\$ 3,393.00	Apr 15 \$ 4,055.36
				Apr 22
<b>Second Collection</b> <b>April 29th, 2018</b> <b>Aid to Church in Eastern &amp; Central Europe</b>				Apr 29
				DipJar (4/1-4/15 \$ 890.00)
<b>(226) Parish Pay Total: \$ 11,133.00</b>		<b>(202) Parish Pay Total: \$ 26,091.00</b>		<b>(232) Parish Pay Total: \$ 5,703.00</b>
Totals: \$ 23,401.00		Totals :\$ 48,909.00		Totals: \$ 27,286.86

**NUEVOS FELIGRESES**

Damos la más cordial bienvenida a nuestra iglesia a todos los nuevos participantes y estamos gozosos de que sean ahora parte de nuestra comunidad San Francisco de Sales.

Hay dos maneras para inscribirse formalmente en la parroquia. Una de ellas es a través de la Internet, ingresando al portal digital [www.sfdsnyc.org](http://www.sfdsnyc.org) y allí llena el formulario digital y la segunda forma usted también usar es la inscripción manual, llenando con sus datos la hoja de registro que se encuentra en las mesas al ingresar dentro de la iglesia, comenzando los bancos.

Este registro va ayudar a servile eficientemente en muchos de nuestros servicios: Cartas testimoniales, certificados de patrocinio, registro para las escuelas entre otros.

**Gracias**

Gracias al Diácono Sonny y su esposa Nini Ungco, por su donación de nuestro nuevo conjunto de envases de cristal. Estos son los recipientes de vidrio que contienen nuestros aceites sagrados: crisma sagrado, aceite de los catecúmenos y aceite de los enfermos. Estamos muy agradecidos por esta hermosa adición a nuestra adoración litúrgica.

**¡Celebración del Día de la Madres en honor a María,**  
**Nuestra Santísima Madre**

Domingo 13 de Mayo, 10:15 a.m. ¡Únase a nosotros durante media hora de oración y canción dedicada a honor a María, nuestra Santísima Madre, en el día de la Madres! Todos son bienvenidos.

**R.I.C.A. (Rito de Iniciación al Cristianismo para Adultos)**

Para todos los adultos que estén interesados en saber más sobre la fe católica, les invitamos a venir cada lunes a partir de las 7:00 p.m. a nuestra casa parroquial, para que sea parte de esta experiencia. Las puertas están siempre abiertas para los nuevos miembros de nuestra comunidad de San Francisco de Sales. Todas sus inquietudes son bienvenidas.

**¿Sabías?**

Los pastores tienen permiso para conferir el sacramento de la Confirmación a los feligreses católicos bautizados que han sido preparados a través de un proceso de iniciación. (RICA).

Estamos muy emocionados de compartir la noticia de que tendremos adultos en nuestras comunidades de habla inglés y español, completando su iniciación en el mes de Mayo. Tenemos mucho que celebrar y mucho por lo cual estar agradecidos. Por favor, mantengan en sus oraciones a nuestros hermanas y hermanos mientras completan su tiempo de preparación.





**Saturday Apr 21, 2018**

5:00PM- Ulysses Keitt (D)

**Sunday, Apr 22, 2018**

9:00AM- Virginia De Margitay (D)

11:00AM- John Ryan (D)

12:30PM- Carlos Pombar (D)

**Monday, Apr 23, 2018**

8:30am- Jeff & Donna Naples (L)  
Special intention

**Tuesday, Apr 24, 2018**

8:30am -

**Wednesday, Apr 25, 2018**

8:30am -

**Thursday, Apr 26, 2018**

8:30am- Annie Lee Barranda (L) B'day

**Friday, Apr 27, 2018**

8:30am- Jonathan James Pabiania (L)  
Birthday

**Calendar For the Week of  
Apr 22-Apr 28**

**Sunday, Apr 22**

10am-Rel Ed Classes  
2pm-Business & Ethics

**Monday, Apr 23**

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

**Tuesday, Apr 24**

8:30AM-Mass  
7pm- Choir Practice

**Wednesday, Apr 25**

8:30am- Communion Service  
10am- Prayer (SCC)  
6:30PM-AA

**Thursday, Apr 26**

8:30AM-Mass  
6:00pm-8:30pm- Human Trafficking  
Mtg (Parish Hall)

**Friday, Apr 27**

8:30AM- Mass

**Saturday, Apr 28**

5PM- Mass

**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, Adult Choir, Youth Choir, Liturgical Ministries email:sfdsnymusicministry@gmail.com,

contact Moira Gallagher for acolytes training and schedules at: moiragallagher@gmail.com

Digital Ministry &

Young Adult Ministry/20's/30's: Bradley Behrmann at:Bradley@sfdsnyc.org

Ministerio Español: contacta Monserrat Valencia and Maria Gonzalez at emails: monsilvalencia@gmail.com, mes-ter66@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, Laughlin Toolin, Sr. Joan Inglis, Felicita Casanova, John Raimundi, Tom Chestaro, Chris J. Cooper, Adriana Benitez*

*Deceased: Benedicta Almeida, Virginia Grant, Thomas Perkins, Caridad Marino, 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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