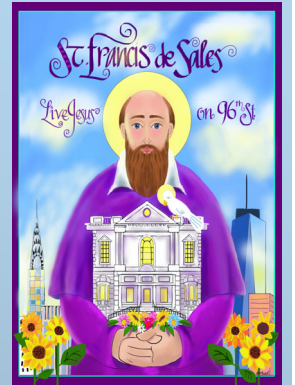




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Pastoral Staff

Rev. Philip J. Kelly, Pastor
Rev. Mr. Sonny Ungco, Deacon
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

Msgr. Robert Stern
Rev. Anthony Ciorra

MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays

9am, 11am, 12:30pm*

Saturdays

5:00pm**

Weekday Mass Schedule

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri

8:30am Mass

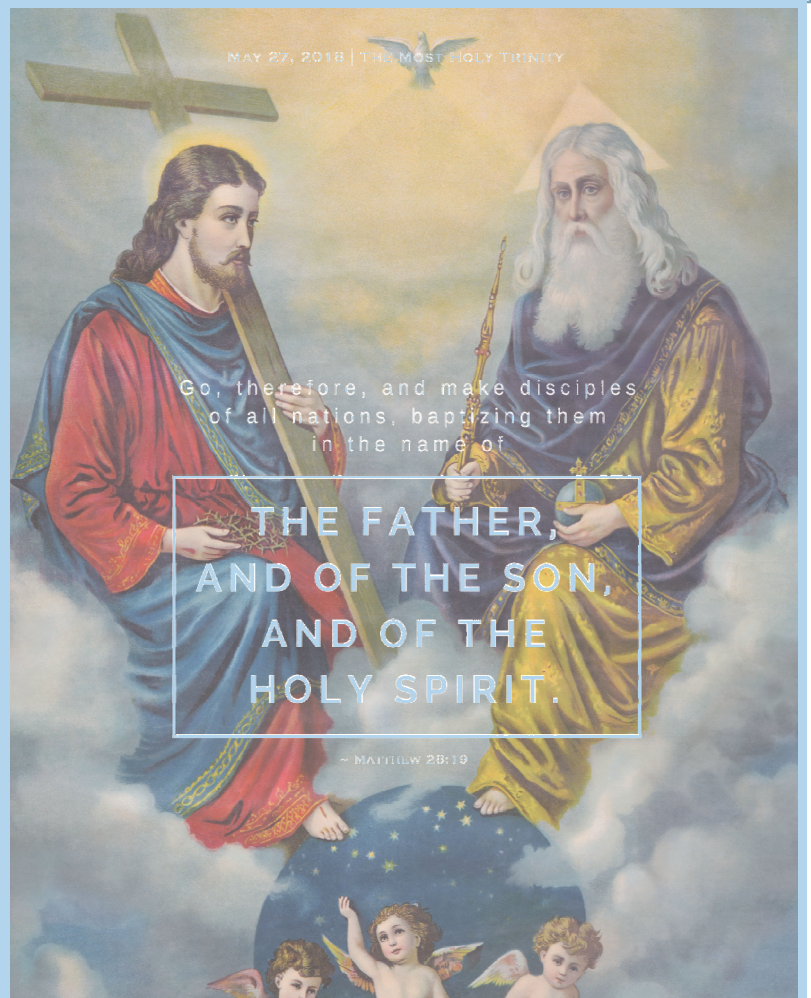
WEDNESDAYS

Morning Prayer 8:30am

*Misa en Español

**Vigil- Sunday Mass Celebrated

**Church Office will be Closed on Monday,
May 28, 2018 (In observance of
Memorial Day)**



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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WEBSITE:
WWW.SFDSNYC.ORG

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.

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 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!

From The Pastor's Desk

Br. David Steindl Rast is a Benedictine brother and psychologist who writes extensively on the subject of gratitude and how it contributes to a happy life. He contends that we are not grateful because we are happy, rather, we become happy people because we are people who practice gratitude. I can say Amen to that! This past weekend was a time of immense gratitude on my part for blessings received. The gift of priesthood shared with me 25 years ago is a great gift which has brought me to this wonderful community of faith which we know as St. Francis de Sales. As we celebrated Eucharist together last Sunday I could feel God's goodness through your outpouring of generosity. It is this goodness which brings you to the Lord's table each Sunday to share your gifts of ministry and presence with one another. It was a very special celebration in that we had the privilege of accompanying members of our community through the celebration of confirmation and reception into full communion. The parish community of St. Francis de Sales has become known for its radical welcome and this springs from your radical generosity to be present and open to God's grace. I am grateful and humbled to be a recipient of that grace. Thank you for your financial sacrifice in offering me a wonderful summer vacation. Surprised and delighted are words that come to mind in terms of my reaction! Most of all thank you for the gift of yourself offered each week in helping to create community here at St. Francis de Sales. The Lord has called me to minister to you as pastor and friend but also in a real way as a brother on the journey. Equally so you have become sisters and brothers to me, praying with me, sharing with me and ultimately helping one another to see the Lord in our encounter. For this and so many blessings received I am grateful to the Lord and ask that He in turn continue to bless each and every one of you for your goodness. Br. David is correct in that gratitude begets happiness. May we continue to be grateful and consequently happy people!

Brother Tyrone Davis from the Office of Black Ministry

In our Archdiocese will be visiting with us on Monday evening June 4 at 7pm. Br Tyrone is coming to share his faith story with our RCIA catechumens...those folks you see every Sunday who are preparing for initiation into our church. If you would like to come hear his Br Tyrone's journey of faith you are most free to join us in the parish house at 7pm. Please feel free to invite anyone you think might be interested in learning more about initiation in the Catholic church.



Are you a millennial looking for a unique way to use your talents for the church? The fledgling DIGITAL MINISTRY at St. Francis de Sales is seeking people to become involved in making the message of Jesus and the work of the church more present online through videos, podcasts, and social media. Does this sound intriguing? We are seeking the digitally literate with a flair for creativity. Contact Bradley at bradley@sfdsnyc.org for more information.

Calling All Single Parents!

We know you barely have time to breathe, what with everything you do for your family! We want to offer you a bit of time that's just for you! Time to de-stress and relax, time to talk with other single parents, time to pause, perhaps reflect on all that's good and pray for the strength to get through those tough moments.

If this sounds like something you might want to be a part of, please contact Jayne as to your availability for a gathering. We can provide babysitting if that makes coming together easier. Talk with Jayne after Mass, during the week or drop an email: jayneporcelli@sfdsnyc.org. Looking forward to getting together with you soon.



TITHE.LY

Simplify Giving to Our Parish with "Tithely"

We are beginning shortly with a new and improved online giving program called Tithely. You will hear more about it in the weeks to come. We will explain why we are changing programs and the new advantages Tithely offers us over our current WeShare program. It looks like a great way to help make our weekly collections simple and consistent. If you're already a WeShare member, stay tuned for 'how to' transfer over. If you have not yet tried online giving...wait til you see how easy this is! And if you've been waiting to 'text to give' to St Francis...you're gonna love this we think! More next week!!

MEET US AT

the Table

Jun 2 6pm

GRADES 7-12 WELCOME



ST FRANCIS DE SALES BOOK CLUB, SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY & LGBTQS CATHOLIC ALLIANCE
PRESENT

A CONVERSATION WITH JAMES MARTIN, SJ AUTHOR OF *BUILDING A BRIDGE*

June 21, 2018 • 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM • Reception 6:00PM

St Francis de Sales Church - 135 E96th St, Parish Hall

Inquiries & Information: sfdsbookclub@gmail.com

CAN THE ROSARY & THE RAINBOW FLAG MEET ONE ANOTHER?

This book includes spiritual resources to help LGBT people and their families find their place in the church and enter into a deeper relationship with God.

Learn how "respect, compassion, and sensitivity" from the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* can be used as a model for how LGBT Catholics and Catholic Leadership can move towards reconciliation and love.



Copies available at SFDS for \$15

Profits benefit homeless LGBT youth at Ali Forney Center

Don't forget to post photos to social media!
#wearorange

WEAR ORANGE JUNE 1-3

for
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Religious Education

Parents interested in registering their children for Faith Formation classes beginning on Sept 23 are invited to come to a registration session on Sat June 2 at 4 pm or, Sun June 3 at 10am in the church. Please let your friends know that registration is now open for our 2018-19 year.

Thank you very much





Music Selections for The Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity – May 27th

9:00am and 11:00am Sunday Masses



Processional: *Holy, Holy Holy, Lord God Almighty*

1. Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee: Holy, Holy, Holy! merciful and mighty, God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.
2. Holy, Holy, Holy! all the saints adore thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, God everlasting through eternity.
3. Holy, Holy, Holy! though the darkness hide thee, Though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see, Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.
4. Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! All thy works shall praise thy Name in earth, and sky, and sea; Holy, Holy, Holy! merciful and mighty, God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

Responsorial Psalm: *Psalm 33*

Lord, let your mercy be on us as we place our trust in you.

Offertory: *I Will Rejoice*

Refrain: I will rejoice, I will be glad. I will praise the God who holds my life in his hands.

1. I will praise my Father each and every day. O and will sing his love songs forever more.
2. I will praise the Father, I will praise the Son. O and I will praise God's Spirit forever more.

Communion: *I Am The Living Bread*

Refrain:

See this bread; take and eat and live in me. See this cup; take and drink, remember me

Meditation: *How Great Is Our God*

How great is our God! How great is our God! How great, how great is our God.

Recessional: *Rejoice!*

Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice! This is the day that the Lord has made, be glad about it.
Everybody rejoice! Rejoice! This is the day that He's made, be glad.



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

March		April		May	
Mar 4	\$ 3,501.00	Apr 1– Easter Triduum Collection		May 6	\$ 3,639.00
Mar 11	\$ 12,094.00	Including WeShare Total: \$ 14,066.50		May 13	\$ 2,490.00
Mar 18	\$ 3,830.00	Apr 8	\$ 2,572.00	May 20	\$ 5,611.00
Mar 25	\$ 3,393.00	Apr 15	\$ 4,055.36	May 27	
Second Collection June 3, 2018 Catholic Missions Among Black and Indian People		Apr 22	\$ 4,367.00	DipJar (5/5-5/20 \$ 608.34)	
		Apr 29	\$ 8,019.00		
		DipJar (4/1-4/29 \$ 1,405.00)			
(226) Parish Pay Total: \$ 26,091.00		(202) Parish Pay Total: \$ 10,151.00		(232) Parish Pay Total: \$ 8,809.00	
Totals: \$ 48,909.00		Totals :\$ 44,635.86		Totals: \$ 21,157.34	

Desde el escritorio del Pastor

El Hno. David Steindl Rast es un hermano y psicólogo benedictino que escribe extensamente sobre el tema de la gratitud y cómo contribuye a una vida feliz. El Sostiene que no estamos agradecidos porque somos felices, sino que nos convertimos en personas felices porque somos personas que practicamos la gratitud. ¡Puedo decir Amén a eso! Este pasado fin de semana fue un momento de inmensa gratitud de mi parte por las bendiciones recibidas. El don del sacerdocio compartido conmigo hace 25 años es un gran regalo que me ha llevado a esta maravillosa comunidad de fe que conocemos como San Francisco de Sales. Al celebrar juntos la Eucaristía el domingo pasado, pude sentir la bondad de Dios a través de su efusión de generosidad. Es esta bondad la que los trae a la mesa del Señor cada domingo para compartir sus dones de ministerio y presencia entre ustedes. Fue una celebración muy especial ya que tuvimos el privilegio de acompañar a los miembros de nuestra comunidad a través de la celebración de la confirmación y la recepción a la plena comunión. La comunidad parroquial de San Francisco de Sales se ha hecho conocida por su bienvenida radical y esto surge de su generosidad radical para estar presente y abierto a la gracia de Dios. Estoy agradecido y honrado de ser un receptor de esa gracia. Gracias por su sacrificio financiero al ofrecerme unas maravillosas vacaciones de verano. ¡Sorprendido y encantado son las palabras que me vienen a la mente en términos de mi reacción! Sobre todo, gracias por el obsequio que se ofrece cada semana para ayudar a crear una comunidad aquí en St. Francis de Sales. El Señor me ha llamado para ministrarle como pastor y amigo, pero también de una manera real como un hermano en el camino. De igual manera, ustedes se convirtieron en hermanas y hermanos para mí, rezando conmigo, compartiendo conmigo y, finalmente, ayudándose unos a otros a ver al Señor en nuestro encuentro. Por esta y tantas bendiciones recibidas, estoy agradecido con el Señor y pido que Él a su vez continúe bendiciendo a todos y cada uno de ustedes por su bondad. El Hno. David tiene razón en que la gratitud engendra la felicidad. ¡Que sigamos siendo personas agradecidas y, por consiguiente, felices!

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 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.



Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 26, 2018

5:00pm– Luz Celeste Ramos (D)

Sunday, May 27, 2018

9:00am– Maria Gomez (D)

11:00am– Joan Holohan (L) For Health

12:30pm– En Honor a Jesus de la Divina Misericordia

Monday, May 28, 2018

8:30am-

Tuesday, May 29, 2018

8:30am– Delfin Trinidad (D)

Wednesday, May 30, 2018

8:30am– Morning Prayer

Thursday, May 31, 2018

8:30am–

Friday, June 1, 2018

8:30am-

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,

Moira Gallagher for acolytes training and schedules at:
moira.gallagher@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:
monsivalencia@ gmail.com, mester66@live.com



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 27-June 2

Sunday, May 27

Monday, May 28

8:30am Mass

Church Office Closed-Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 29

8:30am– Mass

Wednesday, May 30

8:30am-Morning Prayer

10am– Prayer (SCC)

6:30pm-AA

Thursday, May 31

8:30am Mass

Friday, June 1

8:30am-Mass

Saturday, June 2

5pm– Family Mass



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,
Anne Mulderry, Liz Khoury, Laurie Leabn

Deceased: Benedicta Almeida, Virginia Grant, , Thomas
Perkins, Caridad Marino, Mino Nagy, Margaret Whalen

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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