



**ST. FRANCIS
DE SALES**

WHERE THE UPPER EAST SIDE AND EAST HARLEM MEET
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May 21, 2023

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

OFFICE HOURS

MON - FRI
9am - 5pm

MASS TIMES

SUNDAYS
9am/11am / 12:30pm Spanish

**MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY
FRIDAY**
8:30am Mass

WEDNESDAYS
**Wednesday Reflection/Reflexión los
Miércoles**
12:10pm
This is Hosted by Jayne Porcelli

CHURCH HOURS

WEEKDAYS
9am - 4pm

WEEKENDS
10:30am - 2pm

OUR MISSION

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.

NUESTRA MISIÓN

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

Jesus needed followers, too.

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THOSE IN OUR PRAYERS

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2023

9am– Anthony Garay (D)

11am - Augustine Ortiz (D)

Carmen Sophia Rivera (D)

12:30am –Padre Rudy Casals (D)

MONDAY, MAY 22, 2023

8:30am– Bravo Drekovic (D)

TUESDAY, MAY 23, 2023

8:30am– John Kenny (D)

THURSDAY, MAY 25, 2023

8:30am –Mary Greene (D)

FRIDAY, MAY 26, 2023

8:30am– Ann Parker (L)

SICK & DEPARTED

SICK : Elena Millerman, Dean Crone, Alessandra Greenstein, Edward Siegal

DECEASED ☒

Ada Calderon, Vincent Dorgan, Joyce Reidy, Ellen Margarf, Marty Dineen, Sixta Gonzalez, Msgr. Thomas Shelley, Sr. Elinor Shea, Stefan Cavallo, Jeffrey Parker, Charmaine Innis, Jean Stonier, Fr. Rodolfo Casals, Casey Tolar, Mary Greene, Icema Williams, Clemente Cuadrado, Jose Guzman, Josephine Porcelli, Gerard Reidy

HAVE A SPECIAL PRAYER REQUEST?

Send us who or what needs a special prayer by using the Prayer Request feature on our new SFDS app—available in the Google Play or Apple App Store. Our parish prayer group will pray upon all submissions.



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SHARING MY GOOD NEWS!

Dear St. Francis Parishioners,

It is with both joy and sadness that I share with you today, that after much prayer and discernment, I have made the decision to retire from full time parish work.

My years at St Francis de Sales have been among the happiest in my ministry. Fr. Kelly has given me more opportunities to serve, to grow, to stretch my wings, to challenge myself, than I ever could have imagined. I am truly grateful to him.

To all who I have worked with in RCIA , Stewardship, Faith formation, Liturgy, Social Justice, Young Adults and the many other wonderful, creative programs we have here at SFDS, a huge thank you.

This parish is truly unique. In over 40 years of ministry I have met many wonderful people. You are, without a doubt, among the most faithful parishioners I have had the privilege to work and pray with. You are so committed to living your lives of faith and looking for ways to come to know, love and serve Jesus better in our community. I am humbled by how lovingly you try to live out the gospel each day. By your example you have made me a better person. Thank you!

I'm not going anywhere....but I do hope to travel in my free time now. I look forward to coming to church on Sundays to pray with you. I'll be sitting in a pew somewhere in the middle, rather than keeping an eye on the doors!

My last 'official' Sunday will be Pentecost, May 28, the birthday of the church. What a better way to begin a new adventure! **We are planning a bit of a celebration and cake for Sunday May 21st. after the 11 and 12:30 Masses.** I hope in the next few weeks we will have a chance to say..goodbye...not forever, but just for this little bit of transition to whatever adventures God has planned for the next part of our journeys.

Thank you for all you have shared with me over these last 9 years. From the bottom of my heart, I am so very grateful.

Wishing you Peace,

Jayne

Weekly Collection May 9th-May 15th

\$4,838.21—Online Debit Giving

\$3,141.00— Collection 9:00am,11:00am&12:30pm Masses

Mailed in Checks

Total-\$ 7,979.21



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LATEST NEWS

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SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY AT ST FRANCIS DE SALES

Our next meeting is scheduled for Thursday evening May 25th at 7pm in Frank's Cafe. New members are always welcome to join the conversation. If you have questions about what Social Justice means in our community, come and see!



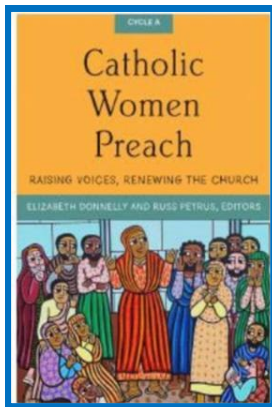
SPRING CLEANING?

We have received a request from Little Sisters of the Assumption Family Health Services for assistance. It seems that they have been extremely busy and their 'CLOTHING ROOM' is almost empty. They are in dire need of clothing for men, women and children- especially spring and summer items. Thank you for all you can do to help them. **Please bring your donations DIRECTLY TO LITTLE SISTERS AT 333 E 115TH ST.**



IN THE SPIRIT OF SAINT MARY MAGDALENE,

who was the first to share the good news of Jesus' resurrection we humbly invite you to share YOUR good news....will you take a few minutes and write a review for St Francis de Sales Parish, on Google, or Yelp or whichever platform you prefer. ***This is 21st century evangelization:*** getting the word out, spreading the good news as wide and far as possible...letting everyone know how great Easter was here, what a welcoming church we are, how excellent the preaching is...now is a great time to help grow our community at St Francis de Sales! Thank you ahead of time, for your review; **YOUR GOOD NEWS!!**



GET YOUR COPY NOW!

Emerging from the ground-breaking website, **Catholic Women Preach** comes this new collection of reflections on the readings for Sundays and other feast days, offering an invaluable resource for weekly meditation, an inspiration for homilists, and an aid to enriching the church with diverse voices and experiences.

Published by Orbis Books, this first of three volumes opens with an emerging foreword by Sr. Barbara Reid, O.P. one of the world's leading scholars in feminist interpretation of the Scriptures.

Together, the sixty-four contributors, including our friend, Sr. Donna Ciangio, O.P., represent an extraordinary range voices-religious and lay, scholars, activists, and pastoral leaders of every age and ethnicity.

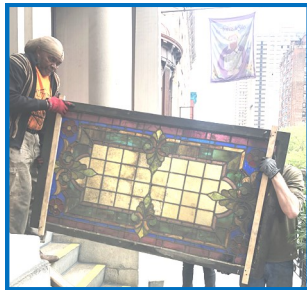
ÚLTIMAS NOTICIAS & PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

ENTÉRATE DE TODO LO QUE ESTÁ PASANDO EN SFDSNYC.ORG



¿LIMPIEZA DE PRIMAVERA?

Hemos recibido una solicitud de asistencia de los Servicios de Salud Familiar de las Hermanitas de la Asunción. Parece que han estado extremadamente ocupados y su 'VESTUARIO' está casi vacío. Tienen una gran necesidad de ropa para hombres, mujeres y niños, especialmente artículos de primavera y verano. Gracias por todo lo que puede hacer para ayudarlos. **Por favor traiga sus donaciones DIRECTAMENTE A LITTLE SISTERS EN 333 E 115TH ST.**



¡¡ MIRAR HACIA ARRIBA!!

No se sorprenda, sin embargo, cuando mire hacia arriba si ve que faltan nuestras hermosas ventanas lucernarias en el techo. Están en reparación bajo la hábil mano de obra del Sr. Patrick Clark. Es gracias a su generosidad en nuestra Campaña Renovar y Reconstruir que podemos continuar restaurando nuestra iglesia a su belleza original. ¡Gracias una vez más por las muchas formas en que apoya su hogar parroquial!



EN EL ESPÍRITU DE SANTA MARÍA MAGDALENA,

quién fue el primero en compartir las buenas noticias de la resurrección de Jesús, lo invitamos humildemente a compartir SUS buenas noticias ... ¿podría tomarse unos minutos y escribir una revisión (evaluación) para la Parroquia de San Francisco de Sales, en Google, Yelp o lo que sea? plataforma que prefieras. Esta es la evangelización del siglo XXI: hacer correr la voz, difundir las buenas nuevas lo más amplio y lejos posible... dejar que todos sepan que asombroso fue la Pascua aquí, qué iglesia acogedora somos, que excelente es la predicación... ahora es ¡Es un buen momento para ayudar a hacer crecer nuestra comunidad en San Francis de Sales! Gracias de antemano por su revisión; TU BUENAS NOTICIAS!!

PROCESSIONAL: THIS MORNING WHEN I ROSE

This morning when I rose,
I didn't have no doubt (3X)

(I know the Lord) will take care of me,
(I know the Lord) will provide for me,
(and I know He will) lead and guide me all the way,
Yes, all the way.

Woke up this morning, I saw a brand new day,
I didn't have no doubt. (3X)

(I know the Lord) will take care of me,
(I know the Lord) will provide for me,
(and I know He will) lead and guide me all the way,
Yes, all the way.

I woke up this morning with the Holy Ghost
I didn't have no doubt. (3X)
Felt like walking
felt like talking.
Felt like praying.
Felt like shouting.

(I know the Lord) will take care of me,
(I know the Lord) will provide for me,
(and I know He will) lead and guide me all the way,
Yes, all the way.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 27

**I believe that I shall see the good things of the Lord in the land
of the living.**

OFFERTORY: TO GOD BE THE GLORY

How can I say thanks
for the things You have done for me?
Things so undeserved,
yet You gave to prove Your love for me;
the voices of a million angels
could not express my gratitude.
All that I am and ever hope to be,
I owe it all to Thee.

To God be the glory,
to God be the glory,
to God be the glory
for the things He has done.

With His blood He has saved me,
with His power He has raised me;
to God be the glory
for the things He has done.

Just let me live my life,
let it pleasing, Lord to Thee,
and if I gain any praise,
let it go to Calvary.

By Andrae Crouch

COMMUNION: JESUS CHRIST IS THE WAY

When I think about the hour
when I think about what God has done for me;

Refrain

I will open up my heart to everyone
I see, and say "Jesus Christ is the Way."

No one knows the day nor the hour, may be morn,
night or noon, but just rest assured time will be no
more, he is coming soon.

RECESSIONAL: I LOVE TO PRAISE HIM

Chorus 1

(I love to praise Him),
I love to praise His name.

(I love to praise Him),
I love to praise His name.

(I love to praise Him),
I love to praise His name;
I love to praise His holy name.

Bridge

He's my rock,
my rock, my sword and shield,
He's my wheel in the middle of a wheel.
I know He'll never, never let me down;
He's just a jewel that I have found.

Chorus 2

Hallelujah (2x),
I love to praise His name.

Hallelujah (2x),
I love to praise His name.

Hallelujah (2x),
I love to praise His name;
I love to praise His holy name.

21 DE MAYO 2023 SEPTIMO DOMINGO DE PASCUA

ENTRADA: VAMOS TODOS AL BANQUETE

Estribillo:

Vamos todos al banquete,
a la mesa de la creación,
cada cual con su taburete,
tiene un puesto y una misión.

1. Hoy me levanto muy temprano,
ya me espera la comunidad,
voy subiendo alegre la cuesta,
voy en busca de tu amistad.
2. Dios invita a todos los pobres,
a esta mesa común por la fe,
donde no hay acaparadores,
donde todos puedan comer.
3. Dios nos manda hacer de este mundo,
una mesa de fraternidad,
trabajando y luchando juntos,
compartiendo la propiedad.

SALMO: 27

I believe that I shall see the good things of the Lord in the land
of the living.

OFERTORIO: AQUÍ ESTAMOS SEÑOR

Estribillo

Aquí estamos, Señor,
unidos en la misma fe.
Acepta, Señor, nuestros dones
y transforma nuestras vidas.
Aquí estamos, Señor,
unidos en la misma fe.
Realiza con tu Espíritu,
la obra salvadora.

1. Estos dones de tu bondad,
que has puesto en nuestras manos,
por tu sacrificio,
santifican nuestras vidas.
2. Mantengamos lazos de paz,
unidos con el mismo Espíritu.
En oración y cantos,
muéstranos tu presencia.
3. Uno es el Señor,
una la fe, uno el bautismo.
Sirvámonos unos a otros,
como un solo cuerpo en Cristo.

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COMUNIÓN: PAN DE VIDA

1. Yo soy el Pan de Vida.
El que venga a mí
no tendrá hambre;
ni sed, el que crea en mí.

Estribillo

Pan de Vida;
danos siempre de ese pan.
Tú eres el Pan de Vida:
danos siempre de ese pan.

3. El que coma de mi carne
y beba de mi sangre
vive de vida eterna
y yo lo resucitaré.

4. Yo soy la resurrección.
Yo soy la vida.
Todo el que crea en mí,
aunque muriera, vivirá.

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SALIDA: SOMOS UNA IGLESIA

Estribillo

Un solo Señor, un solo Señor.
Un mismo Espíritu, un mismo Espíritu.
Somos una Iglesia.

1. Vivamos nuestro llamado siendo humildes,
siendo amables y pacientes.
2. Unidos nos mantendremos con lazos,
vivos lazos, de paz y amor.

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