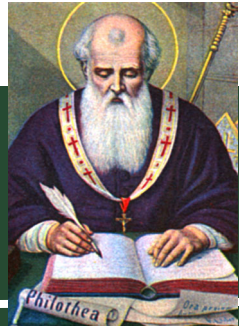


Welcome to the faith community of

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

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We, the community of St. Francis de Sales Parish, seek to **LIVE JESUS** through the empowerment of the Holy Spirit by ministering to the needs of our brothers and sisters through Word, Worship, Education and Service.

The
kingdom
of
heaven

Seventeenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

July 26, 2020

is like a merchant
searching for fine pearls.
When he finds a
pearl of great price,
he goes and sells all
that he has and buys it.

Matthew 13:45-46



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PRAYER & WORSHIP

Mass Schedule

Mass of Anticipation: Saturday, 5:15 p.m.

Sunday Mass: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (*Spanish Mass*)

Daily Mass: Wednesday & Thursday, 7:00 a.m.

School Mass: No School Mass

Communion Service: No Communion Services

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Tuesday, 10 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday, 4:00 p.m. or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE

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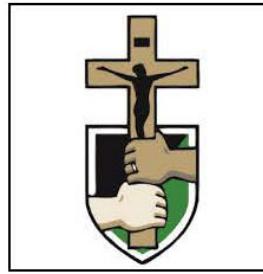
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| Robert Riley | Lynda Paese |
| Juliana H. Carpenter | Pat Paese |
| Maryann Doornbos | James Paese |
| Margie Detloff | Mark Voltz |
| Arthur Waldoch | Kellana Gladsky |
| Sandy and Tim Haggerty | Clarence Read |
| Nancy Mancuso | Vincent McClain |
| Chris Bettis | Tom Leedle |
| Debbie Mickelski | Jackie Heinrich |
| Kevin Rowickie | Dorcas Breuninger |
| Marie Rowickie | Bobby Zagrodnik & Family |
| Mary Huml Conway | Evelyn Lucivansky |
| Aiden Conway | Charlie Moelter |
| Karen Buhmann | AnneMarie Janikowski |
| Donovan Johnson | Edward Czerwinski |
| Cheryl and George | Hannah Palmer |
| Samantha Rowley | Nino Cruz |
| Jim and Nancy Allen | Gervaise (Bunny) Lauf |
| Joan and Gerry Nobiling | Kaylee |
| Stuart Jossart | |



Our Catholic Men's Group

Tues 7:30 pm meetings will resume when our church fully reopens.
For additional information contact:
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WEDDING BANNES

- III. Erin McErlean & Brent Paske
- III. Nicole Swierczek & Brian Zador
- II. Trace Hummel & Shelby Froberg
- I. Kate Falardeau & Matt Gordan

BULLETIN SUBMISSION

All articles for the bulletin must be emailed to bulletin@sfdslg.org or submitted in writing to the parish office. The deadline is at noon on Monday. Thank you!

ALTAR CARE SCHEDULE

7/27-8/1—Maria Starck & Kathy Vorpagel
8/3-8/8—Geri Braun

MASS INTENTIONS

- *Masses on Tuesdays and Fridays will continue to be celebrated privately by Fr. Sergio. Masses on Wednesdays and Thursdays are open to the public. Recorded Mass available on FaceBook and YouTube on Sunday.*

SATURDAY, July 25, 2020

5:15 p.m. ☩ Donald and Marcie Douglass and Lorraine Ohm

SUNDAY, July 26, 2020

7:30 a.m. ☩ Ed and Loretta Crowley and Jadelyn Davis

9:00 a.m. ☩ Sylvester Socha

10:30 a.m. All Parishioners

5:00 p.m. All Parishioners (*Spanish Mass*)

MONDAY, July 27, 2020

TUESDAY, July 28, 2020

☩ Cheryl Adamczyk

WEDNESDAY, July 29, 2020

7:00 a.m. All Parishioners

THURSDAY, July 30, 2020

7:00 a.m. All Parishioners

FRIDAY, July 31, 2020

☩ Holy Souls in Purgatory

SATURDAY, August 1, 2020

5:15 p.m. ☩ Syvilla Kestel and Nick Izzo

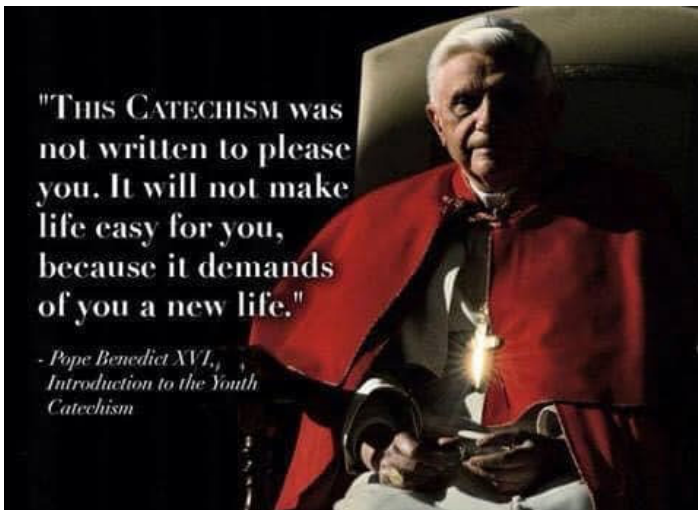
SUNDAY, August 2, 2020

7:30 a.m. ☩ Bob Haneman

9:00 a.m. ☩ Deceased Members of the Comstock Family

10:30 a.m. ☩ Bob Krawisz and Deceased Members of the Schweitzer Family

5:00 p.m. All Parishioners (*Spanish Mass*)



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13;
Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27
or Lk 10:38-42

Thursday: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34;
Mt 14:1-12

Sunday: Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-18;
Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21

IN LOVING MEMORY

Born to eternal rest
Esther Sigmund
Charles Moelter
Bruce Nelson
Mary Kaye
June Mikrut

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD,
 AND MAY PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON THEM

ANNUAL MASS OF ATONEMENT

The annual Mass of Atonement will be held on July 28, 2020 at 5:30 p.m. at St. Dominic Parish at 18255 W. Capital Drive in Brookfield, Wisconsin. This Mass is one of the ways that the current leadership of the archdiocese publicly atones for the clergy abuse crisis and scandal. This year's Mass will be available for limited, in-person attendance. Due to COVID-19 health concerns, the Mass will be recorded, closed-captioned and made accessible through the Archdiocese of Milwaukee website for those unable to attend in-person. Please visit www.archmil.org for more information. We invite you to join us in support of the survivors, family members, and communities that have spoken or unspoken stories of survival and pain. If you are unable to attend, we would ask that you please remember all those that suffer from the wounds of abuse in your prayers for peace, healing, and justice.

Save the date!

Join St. Francis de Sales for this year's fall festival...

IRISH fest

Renowned fiddler

EILEEN IVERS

Saturday, September 26th
 at the Geneva Theater



Evan & Tom Leahy
 &

The Trinity Irish Dancers
 Sunday, September 27th
 at St. Francis de Sales
 in Lake Geneva, WI



Corned Beef & Cabbage or Chicken Dinner
 Irish Beer ☘ Whiskey Pull ☘ Irish Wolfhounds
 Activities for Kids ☘ & other Irish Attractions
Raffle with a \$10,000 Grand Prize
2nd place prize a trip to Ireland!

Stewardship Treasure

| Giving Method | Actual | Goal | Over/ (Under) |
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Weekend of July 19

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| Envelope & Checks | 7,069 | 5,969 | 1,100 |
| Offertory Cash | 1,288 | 2,081 | (793) |
| Electronic | 2,474 | 3,297 | (823) |
| Total | 10,831 | 11,347 | (516) |

Year to Date (07/01/19 to 07/19/20)

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|-------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| Envelope & Checks | 20,657 | 18,712 | 1,945 |
| Offertory Cash | 5,844 | 6,074 | (230) |
| Electronic | 9,753 | 10,336 | (583) |
| Total | 36,254 | 35,123 | 1,131 |

Other Weekend Giving

| | |
|----------------|----|
| Capital | 5 |
| Angel Fund | 95 |
| Human Concerns | 5 |



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CONTINUING THE PILGRIMAGE

My assignment to this parish is coming to an end. I have been very blessed to serve you for the past three years as an Associate Pastor. I would like to thank the St. Francis de Sales Parish community for all your continuous spiritual support during this time. It was a wonderful experience for me, and I couldn't have done it without you! Sincerely, I will tremendously miss the parish. You have been so good and positive to me that I wanted to stay longer. But God has other plans for me, and I need to continue my pilgrimage.

I am going away thinking on the words of the prophet Isaiah: But now...the Lord who created you says: "Do not be afraid, for I have ransomed you. I have called you by name; you are mine. When you go through deep waters and great trouble, I will be with you. When you go through rivers of difficulty, you will not drown! When you walk through the fire of oppression, you will not be burned up; the flames will not consume you. For I am the Lord, your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.... From eternity to eternity I am God. No one can oppose what I do. No one can reverse my actions (Isaiah 43:1-3,13.)

So it is with gratitude and blessing I say to you: God is with us, leading us, guiding us, loving us, and providing for us. I pray that from his glorious, unlimited resources he will give you mighty inner strength through his Holy Spirit. (Cf. Eph. 3.14-16).

Thank you, community of St. Francis de Sales. Thank you, Father Mark. I say thank you from the depths of my heart. ¡Adiós amigos! I love you. God bless.

Fr. Sergio Lizama, S.A.C.

CONTINUANDO LA PEREGRINACIÓN

Mi asignación a esta parroquia está llegando a su fin. He sido muy bendecido en servirles durante los últimos tres años como Vicario de la parroquia. Me gustaría darle las gracias a la comunidad parroquial de San Francisco de Sales por todo su continuo apoyo espiritual durante este tiempo. ¡Fue una experiencia maravillosa para mí, y no podría haberlo hecho sin ustedes! Sinceramente, extrañaré enormemente la parroquia. Ustedes han sido tan buenos y positivos conmigo que querría quedarme más tiempo. Pero Dios tiene otros planes para mí, y necesito continuar mi peregrinación.

Me voy pensando en las palabras del profeta Isaías: Pero ahora... el Señor que te creó dice: "No tengas miedo, porque te he rescatado. Te he llamado por tu nombre; tú eres mío. Cuando pases por aguas profundas y grandes problemas, estaré contigo. Cuando pases por ríos de dificultad, ¡no te ahogará! Cuando camines a través del fuego de la opresión, no te quemará; las llamas no te consumirán. Porque yo soy el Señor, tu Dios, el Santo de Israel, tu Salvador... Desde la eternidad yo soy Dios. Nadie puede oponerse a lo que hago. Nadie puede revertir mis acciones" (Isaías 43:1-3,13.)

Así que con mucha gratitud y deseándoles grandes bendiciones, les digo: Dios esté con todos ustedes, guiándolos, amándolos y proveyéndoles de lo que necesiten. Ruego que de sus gloriosos e ilimitados recursos les dé poderosa fuerza interior a través de su Espíritu Santo.

Gracias, comunidad de San Francisco de Sales. Gracias, Padre Mark. Les doy las gracias desde lo más profundo de mi corazón. ¡Adiós amigos! Los quiero mucho. ¡Que Dios los bendiga!

P. Sergio Lizama, S.A.C.

LETTER FROM FR. MARK

Dear Parishioners,

After three years of being your pastor at St. Francis de Sales Parish, Aug. 4 will be my last day. I will be the pastor of St. Benedict in Fontana only, and Fr. Ray Guthrie will be your new pastor.

You have touched my life and my faith in countless ways, and I feel very privileged to be part of your lives.

As I set about the task of packing and moving, I've had to give some serious thought and prayer as to what to take and what to leave behind.

I will be taking with me:

- The **kindness**, caring, warmth and welcoming atmosphere I've experienced;
- The **celebrations** of meaningful liturgies, devotions and good prayer experiences;
- The **dedication, experience, loyalty and good friendship** of the office staff, Pastoral Council, committee members and countless volunteers;
- The **fun** of festivals, jokes and laughter;
- The **sorrows and joys** we've shared together – the funerals, anointings, reconciliations, weddings, anniversaries, Baptisms, Confirmations and First Eucharist's;
- The **spirit** of the children – the lessons they taught me and coming to know that most times God wears a kid's face.

I will leave:

- A **worshiping community** with its rich history; feet planted firmly in today with eyes looking towards tomorrow;
- A **footprint** in the history of St. Francis de Sales.

But mostly I will be leaving:

- A **smile**;
- Some **tears**;
- And a piece of my **heart**!
- **Thank you** for teaching me what it means to be a good **priest and pastor**! It has been an **honor and privilege** to journey together in God's love.

In Blessings and in Gratitude, Fr. Mark

RECTORY PORCH COLUMN PAINTING WORK DAYS:

Can you help?

We have 12 porch columns and 2 balcony columns that need to be painted to finish up our rectory porch project! Any help you can provide is greatly needed and very appreciated.

Two work dates to choose from:

SAT, AUG 1 - Start time 9:00am - (RAIN DATE: SAT, AUG 8)

MON, AUG 3 - Start time 9:00am - (RAIN DATE: WEDS, AUG 5)

Contact Kathie Murray 262-215-5199 kathie.murray@me.com

NOTE: if you would like to paint, but these days do not work with your schedule we will be happy to work around your availability. Thank you!



RAFFLE TICKETS

Would you take a chance to win \$10,000? Or a second prize of a trip to Ireland? Our parish festival, Irishfest, is scheduled for the weekend of September 26-27 and the drawing will be held that weekend. You can pick up raffle tickets after Mass tomorrow, fill them out at home and drop them back off with your donation at Mass next week or in our parish dropbox by the parking lot door. Good luck!



YOUR FINAL RESTING PLACE...ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CEMETERY

When was the last time you visited SFDS cemetery? Our historic country cemetery is located 2.4 miles east of Lake Geneva, on the south side of highway 50. This consecrated, holy ground inspires our own faith in giving public witness to lives of faith and our belief in the resurrection of the body and eternal life, our belief in the Church Triumphant and to the dignity of the human body.

Last year, new distinctive signage replaced the old, as 23 newly planted blue spruce, red and yellow maple trees began to take root. Since 2017, improvements have been realized including straightening and cleaning historic monuments, cutting back years of overgrowth, improving roadways and trying to keep abreast of weeds. Cemetery beautification is an on-going process and donations for cemetery improvements are always welcome!

Have you considered where you will be buried? The serene beauty of our SFDS cemetery is beckoning you to visit and consider making this your final resting place! Plot sections for above ground monuments, flat monuments and mausoleum burial are available for purchase. Information on plot pricing, as well as cemetery specifics may be found on our website: www.sfdslg.org. To discuss plot options, please contact Pat Vogel of CMS Management at 262-716-0005.



EMAILED BULLETINS

Did you miss getting our church bulletin this past weekend? There are two ways you can view it: 1) Current and prior bulletins are available on our website 24/7 at sfdslg.org or 2) You can subscribe to our bulletin company to receive the publication in your email every Saturday by signing up [here - https://www.jspaluch.com/bulletinsubscribe.aspx](https://www.jspaluch.com/bulletinsubscribe.aspx) - it's free!

“LIKE” US ON FACEBOOK

One of the ways to keep informed of all the goings on at SFDS is our Facebook page. Keep informed of adult faith formation opportunities, see photos of the wonderful things our ministries are doing, and get details of volunteer needs and social events. Go to “St. Francis de Sales Lake Geneva” and “like” it!

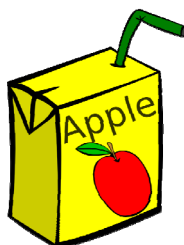


A REQUEST FROM THE TREE HOUSE

Children and their families are once again receiving services at The Tree House. This time of sequestration has seen a growth in child neglect and abuse. Your parish has found ways of supporting this free outreach by various collections these last few years.

The Tree House has asked for more juice boxes as that's a perennial favorite of the children. You can bring boxes to the Center or send/deliver them to:

The Tree House
W4063 County Rd NN, Elkhorn, WI 53121



May God bless you!

~ The Human Concerns Committee of St. Francis de Sales

REVISED SCHEDULE

(EFFECTIVE JULY 18, 2020)

MONDAY: CLOSED

TUESDAY: 10:00 AM TO 6:00 PM:
ADORATION WITH ROSARY AT 5:30 AND
NIGHT PRAYER AT 6:00

WEDNESDAY: 7:00 AM MASS
10:00 AM TO 4:00 PM: PRIVATE PRAYER

THURSDAY: 7:00 AM MASS
10:00 AM TO 4:00 PM: PRIVATE PRAYER

FRIDAY: CLOSED

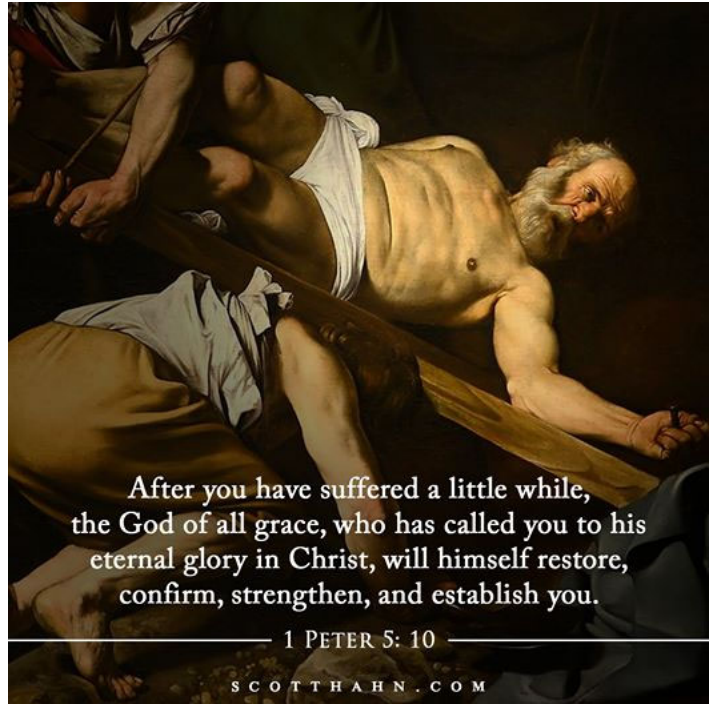
WEEKEND MASS:

SATURDAY: 5:15 PM

SUNDAY: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM
5:00 PM (SPANISH MASS)

2020-21 SCHOOL YEAR

St. Francis de Sales Parish School is enrolling for the 2020-2021 School Year! Interested in a tour? Contact Mary Jo Pankau at registrar@sfdslg.org.



After you have suffered a little while,
the God of all grace, who has called you to his
eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore,
confirm, strengthen, and establish you.

1 PETER 5: 10

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**"Whosoever dies
wearing this Scapular
shall not suffer
eternal fire!**

Wear it devoutly
and perseveringly;
THIS IS MY GARMENT.
To be clothed in it means
you are continually
thinking of me, and
I, in turn, am always
thinking of you
to secure your
Eternal
Salvation."

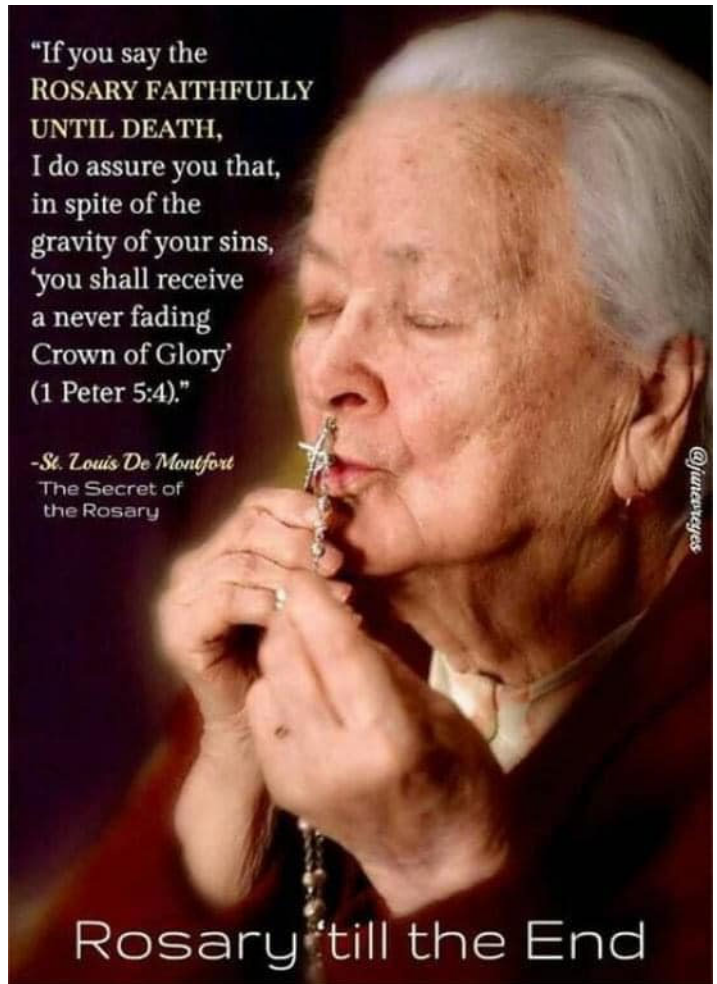
-Our Lady to
St. Simon Stock
July 16, 1251



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"If you say the
ROSARY FAITHFULLY
UNTIL DEATH,
I do assure you that,
in spite of the
gravity of your sins,
'you shall receive
a never fading
Crown of Glory'
(1 Peter 5:4)."

-St. Louis De Montfort
The Secret of
the Rosary



Rosary till the End

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SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Immediately after the engagement and before any date is set for the wedding, the couple is asked to make an appointment with the priest. Six months is the normal time required for preparation.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the parish office at (262) 248-8524 for Baptismal preparation/registration.

SPANISH CELEBRATIONS

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