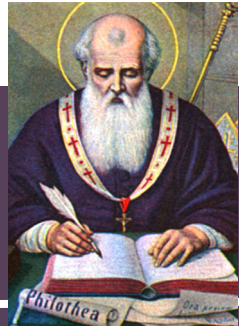


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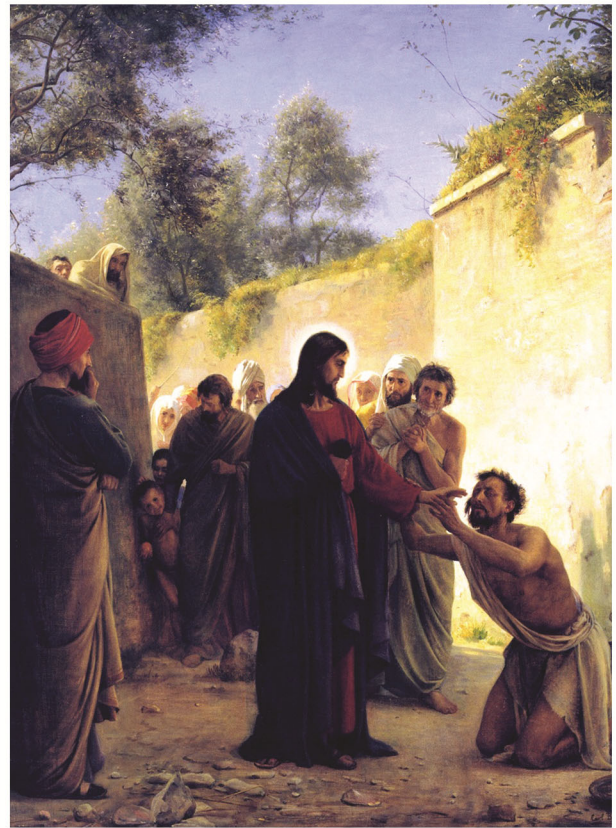
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## Sunday of Lent

March 22, 2020

Jesus said, "I came into this world for judgment, so that those who do not see might see, and those who do see might become blind."

John 9:39



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

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**Communion Service:** Monday 7:00 a.m.; Saturday, 8:00 a.m.

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| Marie Rowickie         | Dorcas Breuninger        |
| Mary Huml Conway       | Robert Haimann           |
| Aiden Conway           | Bobby Zagrodnik & Family |
| Karen Buhmann          | Evelyn and Ray           |
| Donovan Johnson        | Lucivansky               |
| Cheryl and George      | Charlie Moelter          |
| Samantha Rowley        |                          |
| Jim and Nancy Allen    |                          |

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54  
 Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16  
 Wednesday: Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38  
 Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47  
 Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30  
 Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53  
 Sunday: Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

## EARLY BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Due to the Easter holiday, please take note of a few upcoming changes to the weekly bulletin schedule.

### Early deadlines:

**Wednesday, March 25:** Bulletin for **April 5** is due (Palm Sunday issue)

**Wednesday, April 1:** Bulletin for **April 12** is due (Easter issue)

All articles for the bulletin must be emailed to [bulletin@sfdslg.org](mailto:bulletin@sfdslg.org) or submitted in writing to the parish office.. Thank you!

## MASS INTENTIONS

*\* Fr. Sergio will celebrate these Masses privately.*

### **SATURDAY, March 21, 2020**

8:00 a.m. Communion Service  
 5:15 p.m. † Kathleen Arnez and Lorraine Ohm

### **SUNDAY, March 22, 2020**

7:30 a.m. † Steven Krupowicz  
 9:00 a.m. † Greg Desecki, Walter Maywald and Henry & Louella Rogers  
 10:30 a.m. † All Parishioners  
 5:00 p.m. † Juan Fonseca and Santos Soto (*Spanish Mass*)

### **MONDAY, March 23, 2020**

7:00 a.m. Communion Service

### **TUESDAY, March 24, 2020**

7:00 a.m. † Dr. Charles Thometz and Intentions of Linda Jensen

### **WEDNESDAY, March 25, 2020**

7:00 a.m. † Kathleen Miller

### **THURSDAY, March 26, 2020**

7:00 a.m. Intentions of Sally Ann Petterson

### **FRIDAY, March 27, 2020**

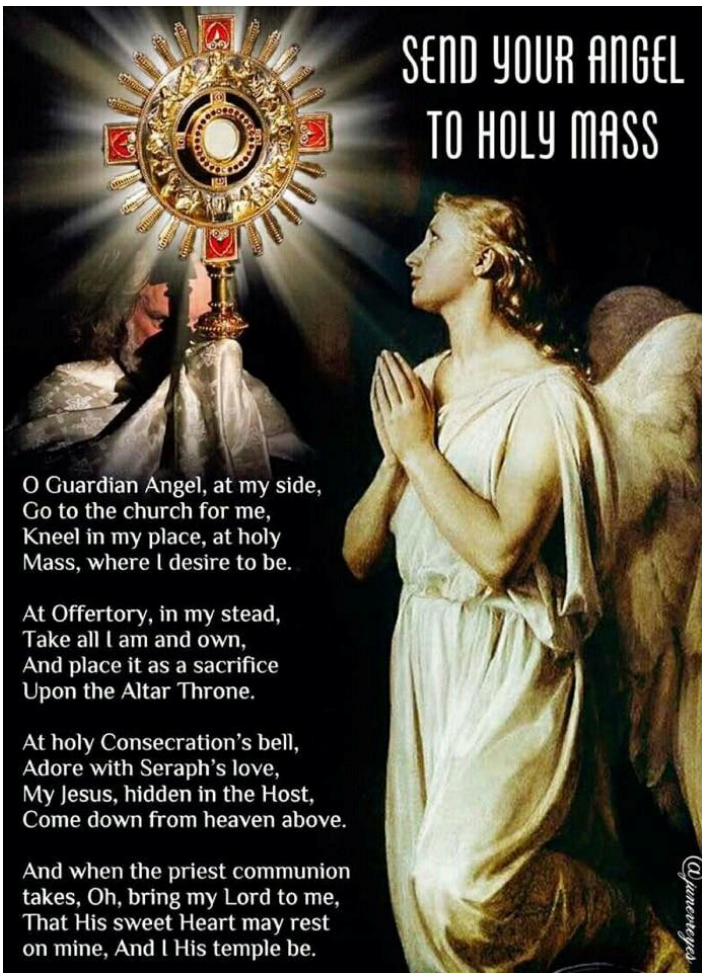
7:00 a.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory

### **SATURDAY, March 28, 2020**

8:00 a.m. Communion Service  
 5:15 p.m. † Dan & Joanne Parfrey

### **SUNDAY, March 29, 2020**

7:30 a.m. All Parishioners  
 9:00 a.m. † Bob Krawisz  
 10:30 a.m. † George Happ  
 5:00 p.m. All Parishioners (*Spanish Mass*)



**SEND YOUR ANGEL  
TO HOLY MASS**

O Guardian Angel, at my side,  
Go to the church for me,  
Kneel in my place, at holy  
Mass, where I desire to be.

At Offertory, in my stead,  
Take all I am and own,  
And place it as a sacrifice  
Upon the Altar Throne.

At holy Consecration's bell,  
Adore with Seraph's love,  
My Jesus, hidden in the Host,  
Come down from heaven above.

And when the priest communion  
takes, Oh, bring my Lord to me,  
That His sweet Heart may rest  
on mine, And I His temple be.



**1 Make an act of faith**  
Come up with your own prayer or use a traditional one to express to the Lord our faith in his real presence in the Eucharist.

**2 Make an act of love**  
Say a prayer that expresses your love and gratitude to the Lord. Thank Him for his infinite love as well.

**4 steps for Spiritual Communion**  
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**3 Express your desire to receive him**  
As you are not able to physically receive the Lord, express your desire to receive Him in your heart.

**4 Invite Jesus to come into your heart**  
With a humble and contrite heart we ask the Lord to come to us just as He would if we were able to receive the sacrament.

| Stewardship Treasure                       |                |                |                 |
|--------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Giving Method                              | Actual         | Goal           | Over/ (Under)   |
| <b>Weekend of March 15</b>                 |                |                |                 |
| Envelope & Checks                          | 4,530          | 7,327          | (2,797)         |
| Offertory Cash                             | 858            | 1,438          | (580)           |
| Electronic                                 | 2,398          | 2,664          | (266)           |
| <b>Total</b>                               | <b>7,786</b>   | <b>11,429</b>  | <b>(3,643)</b>  |
| <b>Year to Date (07/01/19 to 03/15/20)</b> |                |                |                 |
| Envelope & Checks                          | 305,517        | 303,797        | 1,720           |
| Offertory Cash                             | 88,527         | 107,067        | (18,540)        |
| Electronic                                 | 117,734        | 128,016        | (10,282)        |
| <b>Total</b>                               | <b>511,778</b> | <b>538,879</b> | <b>(27,101)</b> |
| <b>Other Weekend Giving</b>                |                |                |                 |
| Capital                                    | 5              |                |                 |
| Angel Fund                                 | 20             |                |                 |
| Human Concerns                             | 60             |                |                 |

**Please consider OnLine giving by navigating to [www.sfdslg.org](http://www.sfdslg.org), clicking on the DONATE icon and signing up today!**

## 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](http://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> - it's free!

## LETTER FROM FATHER MARK

March 17, 2020

Dear Parishioners,

In this time of uncertainty and "social distancing," I want to reach out with an update as to what will be happening at St. Francis de Sales Parish.

Following the guidelines of Archbishop Listecki, all Masses, events and gatherings are canceled from March 18 through April 3. The church will be closed during this time, however, the chapel will remain open each day from 11:00-1:00 for private prayer. The Sacrament of Individual Reconciliation will be available on Saturdays in English from 11:00-12:00, and on Sundays in Spanish from 11:00-12:00. The parish office is closed, but the phones and e-mails will be monitored remotely. Church will still be available for funerals.

I will let you know when we receive further direction from the Archbishop.

Let us continue to hold our world and each other in prayer.

**Fr. Mark**

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**TOPPERS**



March 16, 2020

Dear Faithful of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee,

Praised be Jesus Christ!

We continue to be mindful of the latest recommendations from our health departments and the CDC. With the latest directive from CDC asking that public gatherings be limited to no more than 50 people, I am providing you the latest directives with regard to the celebration of Mass and other sacraments.

Effective Wednesday, March 18, I am suspending the public celebration of Masses throughout the Archdiocese of Milwaukee, through Friday, April 3. This includes weekday and Sunday Masses. I ask that priests still celebrate Mass in their parishes, without an assembly, including the Sunday “pro populo” Masses as required by canon law.

This is a big decision and I don’t make it lightly. As Catholics, the Eucharist is the source and summit of our lives. In times of public crisis, people naturally turn to the Church for spiritual direction, and we need to continue to do whatever we can to support people through prayer. However, taking precautionary measures is a prudent course of action. I would ask that, where possible, our churches remain open for private prayer and that our people reserve some part of their day for private prayer or devotions.

Liturgy for weddings, funerals and baptisms should still be celebrated, but you should work with families to try and limit attendance at these events. Communal reconciliation services should be canceled and confessions should be limited to individual confession. The 12 hours of Reconciliation across the archdiocese on April 1, will continue as scheduled. For those in RCIA, the archbishop has dispensed individuals from the scrutinies.

All non-essential Parish gatherings should be postponed, including fish fries. Schools are discontinuing face-to-face instruction this week and Religious Education programs should also stop for the time being. All of these measures will be re-evaluated on April 1, with additional communication at that time.

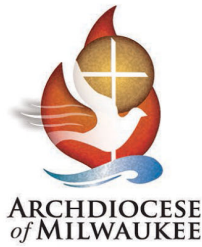
The Chrism Mass scheduled for Tuesday, April 7, will not be celebrated publicly. I will celebrate the Mass with our auxiliary bishops and live-stream it. The oils will be blessed and consecrated and information will be shared with you later about how we will get the oils to parishes.

Economically, we know CoVID19/coronavirus will have a negative impact on our parishes and schools. Our development office will be reaching out to parishes with assistance with on-line giving and other strategies. To help parishes with cash flow, payments for parish assessments, pension contributions and the participant indemnity plan, can be delayed

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until July 1, 2020. Those parishes/schools in the St. Raphael Health Plan, will receive a “premium holiday” for the month of April. These are small measures, but hopefully they will provide some relief.

In addition, I am implementing a work-from-home plan for our archdiocesan offices/staff. We will be limiting the number of people at the Mary Mother of the Church Pastoral Center. Staff will work remotely in their day-to-day responsibilities to serve you.

Two Sunday Masses at the Cathedral will still be celebrated but without an assembly. The 9 a.m. Mass is available on Radio 920 AM, WOLF, and the 11 a.m. Mass is live-streamed on the Cathedral website. Other TV Masses are available on WVTM, My24 at 7 a.m. and 9 a.m., and on WITI Fox 6, at 5:30 a.m.

Lastly, let us hold each other in prayer during this time of concern, asking Mary Help of Christians to intercede on our behalf. Together we can pray this Spiritual Act of Communion.

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,  
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never  
permit me to be separated from You.  
Amen.

With the assurance of prayers, I am,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Jerome E. Listekki  
Archbishop of Milwaukee

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## A PRAYER FOR PROTECTION IN TIME OF PANDEMIC



The ancient fresco of Madonna del Soccorso (Our Lady of Help) in St. Peter's Basilica was restored with the support of the Knights of Columbus to mark the Year of Faith (2012-2013). Photo courtesy of Fabbrica di San Pietro/M. Falconi.

O Mary,  
you always brighten our path  
as a sign of salvation and of hope.  
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,  
who, at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain  
while remaining steadfast in faith.

O loving Mother,  
you know what we need,  
and we are confident you will provide for us  
as at Cana in Galilee.

Intercede for us with your Son Jesus,  
the Divine Physician,  
for those who have fallen ill,  
for those who are vulnerable,  
and for those who have died.

Intercede also for those charged with  
protecting the health and safety of others  
and for those who are tending to the sick  
and seeking a cure.

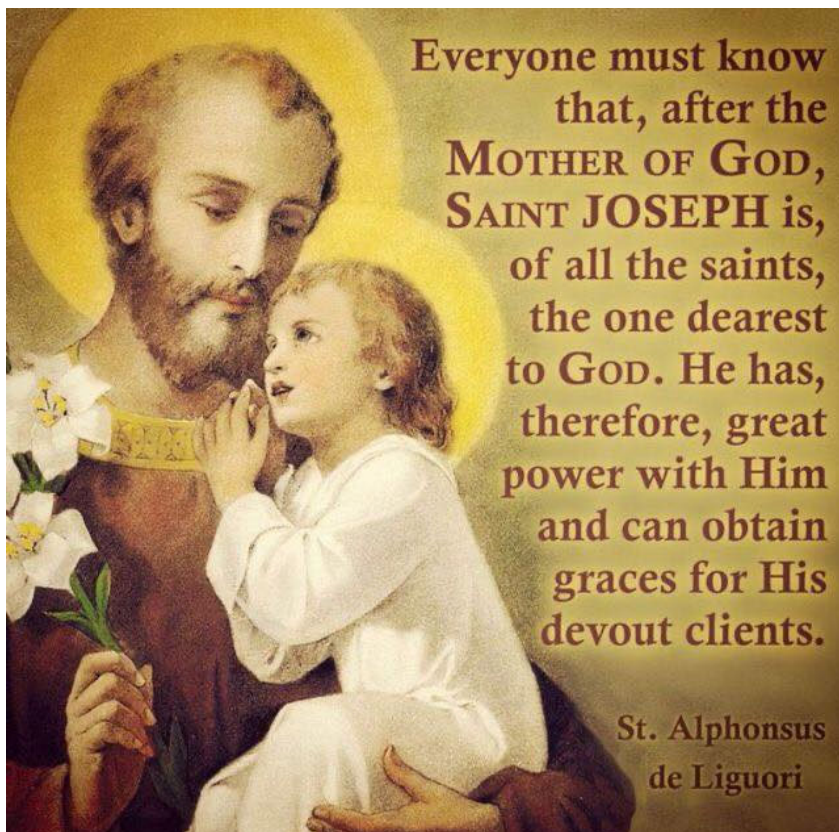
Help us, O Mother of Divine Love,  
to conform to the will of the Father  
and to do as we are told by Jesus,  
who took upon himself our  
sufferings and carried our sorrows,  
so as to lead us, through the Cross,  
to the glory of the Resurrection. Amen.

*Under thy protection we seek refuge,  
O Holy Mother of God.*

*In our needs, despise not our petitions,  
but deliver us always from all dangers,  
O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.*

*Adapted from the prayer of Pope Francis*

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**Everyone must know  
that, after the  
MOTHER OF GOD,  
SAINT JOSEPH is,  
of all the saints,  
the one dearest  
to GOD. He has,  
therefore, great  
power with Him  
and can obtain  
graces for His  
devout clients.**

**St. Alphonsus  
de Liguori**

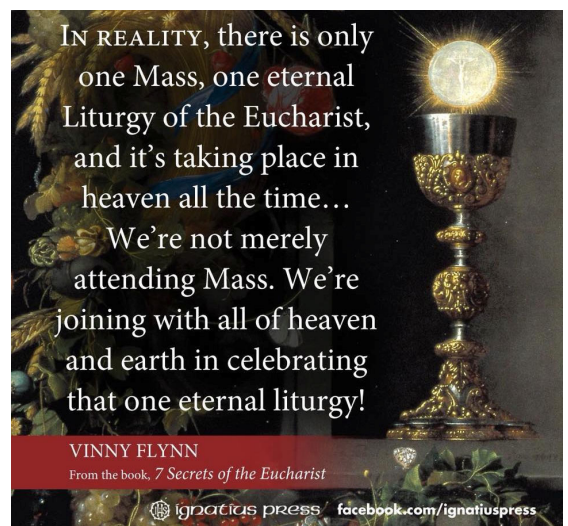
## PRAYERS FOR OUR FIRST COMMUNICANTS AND CONFIRMATION STUDENTS

Join us in praying for each of our First Communion Students and Confirmation Students from now until they receive their sacraments. Our First Communicants will receive the Precious Body and Blood of our Lord for the first time during the weekend of April 25 and 26.

Our Confirmation Students will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, which is actually the completion of the grace of our Baptism by a special outpouring of the gifts of the Holy Spirit, on Sunday, May 17.

In a couple of weeks we will have individual prayer "cards" available with the name of one of the students and which sacrament they will be receiving for you to take home and pray for them every day. You can, of course take one for more than one student if you wish. We will ask you also, if you feel so inclined, to write a short note to that student(s) or to use the prayer provided at the bottom of the form with the student's name, and return it to Church in an envelope with their name on it and with your name on the letter if you so choose, before the date of the celebration of their sacrament. These notes will be a wonderful encouragement to the students and a special way of connecting our Parish family in support of our young members.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact: Maureen Redmer  
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Chair, Christian Formation and Evangelization committee.



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Liturgy of the Eucharist,  
and it's taking place in  
heaven all the time...

We're not merely  
attending Mass. We're  
joining with all of heaven  
and earth in celebrating  
that one eternal liturgy!

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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.

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