



ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Msgr. Robert Stern
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MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays

9am, 11am, 12:30pm*, 6pm

Saturdays

5:00pm**

Weekdays

8:30am

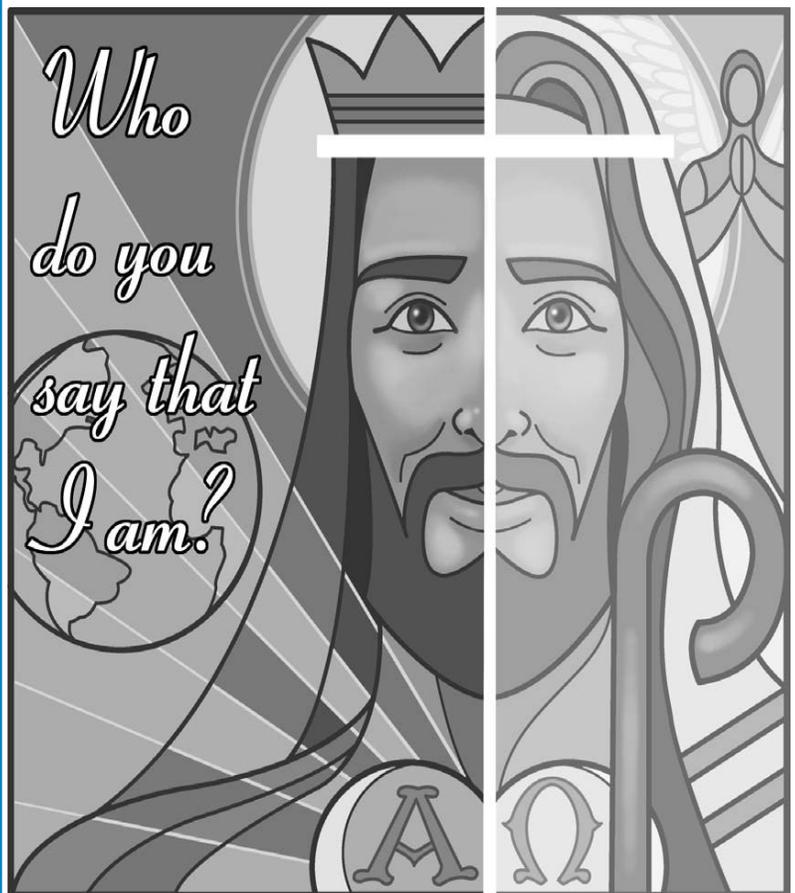
*Misa en Español

**Vigil- Sunday Mass Celebrated

First Friday Devotions: after 8:30 am Mass

Twelfth Sunday In Ordinary Time

June 19 2016



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Peter proclaims Jesus as the Christ; Jesus speaks of his great suffering to come (Luke 9:18-24).

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, Wednesday, Thursday,
9:00 am—8:00 pm

Tuesday & Friday -9:00am—
5:00pm

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
St. Francis Foodies (2nd Tuesday of the Month 7:30PM)
RCIA-Sunday, 11 Mon 7PM
Religious Education-Sunday 10AM Mon 4PM, Catholic Sports, Gay Straight Catholic Alliance (4th Wednesday of the Month 7:00PM), Catholic Asian Family and Friends Association
2nd Sunday At Noon Young Couples, Social Media Team

MINISTRIES

Adult Choir, Hospitality Ministry, Eucharistic Ministry, Ministry of Lector, Altar Servers/Acolytes, Coro Para Adultos en Español

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WEBSITE
WWW.SFDSNYC.ORG



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday June 18, 2016

5:00PM

Sunday, June 19, 2016

9:00AM Luis Antonio Rosales y Hijos (D)

11:00AM Robert Bolus Sr. (D)

12:30PM Guillermo Ramirez (D)

6:00PM Oscar Gomez (D)

Monday, June 20, 2016

8:30AM Hiroyuki Watanabe (L)

Tuesday, June 21, 2016

8:30AM Lilly Smith (L) For Health

Wednesday, June 22, 2016

8:30AM

Thursday, June 23, 2016

8:30AM Jordan Rivas (L) Birthday

Friday, June 24, 2016

8:30AM

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 19—JUNE 25

Sunday, June 19

Monday, June 20

8:30 Mass
7pm-RCIA

Tuesday, June 21

8:30AM Mass

Wednesday, June 22

8:30AM Mass
2:30PM— Legion of Mary
6:30PM-AA
7:00-LGBT
8:00pm-Game Night

Thursday, June 23

8:30am-Mass

Friday, June 24

8:30am-Mass

Saturday, June 25

5:00pm-Mass



SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

BAPTISM

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.

FIRST COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION AND CONFIRMATION

Two year preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Classes meet on Sunday Mornings and Monday afternoons. All families invited to participate. ADULTS INTERESTED IN SACRAMENTS PLEASE CONTACT JAYNE PORCELLI FOR MORE INFORMATION.

MARRIAGE

Please call to make an appointment at least 6 months in advance of possible date.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK- Please call and let us know if a family member is sick and would like to be anointed.

Email Addresses

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From The Pastor's Desk

The names are beginning to sound like a litany: Columbine, Newtown, . . . and now Orlando. This past week we witnessed the horror of the tragedy in Orlando. The numbers of those dead and wounded are still numbers which are hard to wrap our heads around. In today's gospel Jesus asks the disciples "Who do you say that I am?" In light of Orlando, who do we say that Jesus is? Redeemer, Messiah, Prophet, Son of God, brother, friend, all accurate titles in who God desires to be for us and in how we need God in our lives. If we believe in the Incarnation that God takes on our humanity in the person of Jesus, then by extension God becomes one of us in order to love us, save us and redeem us from the alienation and isolation of sin and destruction. What happened in Orlando reminds us of the power of that which we need to be redeemed from, the evil that comes from hatred. A hatred that is born of extremism that seeks to demonize and eradicate. 49 mostly young men and women out for an evening of enjoyment in the company of friends and family lost their lives because they were in a Gay Club. The motivation behind this atrocity is no doubt complex, but the victims were clearly chosen based on their sexuality. We mourn those who lost their lives and stand with their families and the community who mourns them.

It is important to examine the roots of a hatred that arises at times from a mindset that can find justification under the guise of organized religion. In asking us to identify who he is for us Jesus is challenging us to also ask ourselves who we become through knowing him. Am I more loving, forgiving, prophetic in the way I live my life? The prophetic nature of the church demands that we denounce any and all forms of violence against our LGBT brothers and sisters. Violence against anyone is an assault on the dignity of everyone. Jesus came not to redeem the few but for the life of the world. That redemption continues through honest self-evaluation and open dialogue not closed doors and closed hearts. As a church are we prophetic on the need to address the issue of gun control? Archbishop Blaise Cupich of Chicago has often been a voice crying out in the wilderness as he decries the violence and death which have plagued the streets of Chicago as a result of guns. How many more tragedies do we need to endure to come to terms with the sickness that undergirds a society which enshrines seemingly unfettered access to weapons of mass destruction? During the past week we have witnessed an amazing solidarity amongst people as they unite to pray for those who have died and those who are left behind to grieve.

The power of the cross which Jesus mentions in today's gospel has been present in the shared grief of a nation and world as we mourn the loss of innocent life. The power of the cross is in the transformation of violence into salvation, to move from condemnation to understanding from inaction to action and from hatred to love.

The Spirit of Stewardship

This is OUR Church. We all belong to St Francis and St Francis belongs to US! We are responsible for all the great things that go on here. . . (along with God of course,) and we are responsible when things need to be fixed. So here's the update:

The chair lift will be fixed thanks in large part to the generosity of two of our parishioners, who shared from their bounty with the parish. We are waiting for a part to arrive from Germany and it is expected to be here Tuesday June 21. We hope to have the chair working again by next Sunday. In the meantime, please look out for our friends who may need extra help on the steps and give them a helping hand.

The foyer to our church is being brightened up with a coat of white paint by the generosity of another parishioner, Peter LeConte. We think that the brighter color makes the whole entryway look more welcoming, don't you? Thank you to Peter and his crew who came in to paint on their own free time as their gift to us. Speaking of hospitality. . . as we approach the summer months when many folks go on vacation, we are asking each of us to take on the happy task of welcoming people into our assembly. When you come to church on Saturday or Sunday, please feel free to look around for someone who might like a friendly greeting or a warm handshake. We can all make someone else feel at home here. Let's share our joy and a song sheet or missalette with one another.

Finally, we have asked you what you thought about electronic giving and kiosks and you have been great in sharing your wisdom with us. Here's the news: none of us like paying bank fees. . . there's a surprise! So, in looking further into Parish Pay, the on line giving program we already use (and pay for!) we have found it is easy enough to sign up for recurring donations, on your phone while you are still here in church with us. We would love to take the time to walk you through NEXT Sunday, June 26. . . so that we can get as many folks invested in this on line giving BEFORE summer vacations hit! All you need to have with you is your smartphone and account information. We will help you sign up before you leave church!

And while we're talking about phones, check out a new "app" called One Parish. We are thinking of signing on to this program. . . experiment with it and tell us if you like it, if you think we should invest in it for St Francis.

That's all the stewardship news for today. Happy Father's Day to all.



Stewardship *IS* a Way of Life

"Where your heart is...there too is your treasure."

Data Collection includes:		Parishpay
Cash, envelopes, and Parishpay		Enrollments
June 12	\$ 6,435.91	173
June 5	\$ 4583.93	172
May 29	\$ 4803.47	172
May 22	\$ 7,099.12	172
May 15	\$ 6054.29	172

Weekday Collection
Total: 294.00

To sign up for parishpay please go to: www.paritypay.com
Second Collection June 12-Dwelling Place-\$2010.00

Welcome-Bienvenidos!

If you would like to become members of our parish, please fill out the following information. You may place it in the collection basket, mail it or bring it to the rectory. You may also register online.

Date/Fecha: _____
 Telephone/Telefono: _____
 Name/Nombre: _____
 Address/Direccion: _____
 City/Cuidad: _____ State/Estado: _____
 Zip code/Codigo Postal: _____
 Email: _____

- New to the Parish/Nuevo en la Parroquia
- New Address/Nueva Direccion.
- I will use/Usare **www.paritypay.com**
- I would like to receive contribution envelopes/
Quisiera recibir sobres de la colecta.

Su Boletín en Español

¿Qué hace un Consejo Parroquial?

Un Consejo Parroquial es un grupo asesor que ayuda al pastor a tomar decisiones por el bienestar de la parroquia. Las personas generalmente sirven en el consejo por un número limitado de años. En estos momentos estamos buscando nominaciones para considerar miembros para expandir el consejo parroquial. ¿Conoces a alguien que sea miembro de la comunidad de St. Francis de Sales que tenga algún talento particular que pueda compartir con el consejo? ¿Estás tú dispuesto a discernir devotamente si tienes el tiempo y talento para compartir de esta manera? Por favor contáctanos para más información.

Preguntita rápida

¿Eres tú de los que usas tu tarjeta de crédito o débito para todo? Estamos considerando expandir nuestra plataforma de ofrenda electrónica para incluir una aplicación móvil que te permita usar tu teléfono móvil para hacer tu ofrenda los domingos para apoyar tu comunidad parroquial, y/o un tipo de kiosco de ofrendas que te permita pasar tu tarjeta para hacer tu donación. ¿Tienes alguna preferencia? ¿Cuál usarías con más facilidad? Por favor déjanos saber tu preferencia de estas opciones cuando nos saludes hoy. Gracias.

La Silla Mecánica

Como habrán notado, la silla mecánica lleva fuera de servicio ya varias semanas. Dejó de funcionar el 22 de mayo durante la misa de las 12:30pm. Ya se ordenó la pieza que necesita, la cual viene de Alemania, así que tardará varias semanas más en lo que se arregla. Cuando llegue la pieza y la instalen nos facturarán más por la instalación y reparación final. Somos una iglesia que absolutamente creemos que debemos ser abiertos y accesibles a todas las hermanas y hermanos que quieran venir a orar aquí con nosotros. La silla mecánica es una manera real y tangible en la que hacemos nuestra iglesia una accesible a todos, pero como todo, cuesta dinero mantenerla en buena condición. Por esta razón, es que recomendamos usar Parish Pay. Sus contribuciones a través de este sistema de pago de ofrenda automático en línea nos ayudan a pagar incidentes como el arreglo de la silla mecánica. ¡Gracias por su constante generosidad!

PACIENCIA

La paciencia en un momento de enojo evitará cien días de dolor.



MUSIC MINISTRY



	9 & 11am Masses	Hymns	6pm Mass
Processional	Praise To The Lord		Praise to The Lord
Offertory	Bless That Wonderful Name		He Looked Beyond My Faults
Communion	It Is Well		It Is Well
Recessional	He's Done So Much For Me		The King of Love My Shepherd

A Word From The Dwelling Place

Sister Nancy, Sister Mary Echo, and Sister Joann from The Dwelling Place express sincere gratitude to Father Kelly, the pastoral staff and parishioners of St. Francis de Sales for your warm welcome and generous support during our visit last weekend, June 11-12. Experiencing the warmth of your hospitality, the vitality of your faith community, and the beauty of your worship was inspiring and uplifting. You gave us new courage to continue on!

Thank you for the opportunity to tell you about our ministry and the women whom we serve. Your generous response of \$ 2,010.00 is truly a blessing for us and the women who will benefit from your support. Thank You! We will hold you in prayer. Please do the same for us.

Blessings on your week ahead and all your ministry!
Sister Joann

Why Do We Have these ROCKING CHAIRS in church?

We want St Francis to be a warm and welcoming church for all. It has come to our attention that these chairs may make our worship space a bit more comfortable for: Parents and their babies; our elderly parishioners, for little ones who may need some help to calm themselves at times...

So we ask if you would kindly leave these chairs open and available for those who may need them the most...
Of course, if you're someone who needs them...please enjoy

Pray For Our Sick and Departed Sisters and Brothers:

Sick: Fr. Peter Smith, Daniel Lynch, Annalise McKnight, Maria Bruno, Harvey Reid, Patricia Shea, Vladimir Brezina

Deceased: Marie-Louis George.

(Please call the office to remove or add names to this list.)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR 2016-2017

Now is the time to **RE register** your children for their faith formation classes in September. To re-register simply fill out our handy on line form (this allows us to update your contact information). We will happily collect your registration fee. (\$100 per child)
To register for the FIRST time you may fill out the registration form on our parish website: www.sfdsnyc.org and then call Jayne to make an appointment for a face to face conversation about how to fully enter into the life of this parish community and the faith formation process. We need your special gifts here at St Francis and we look forward to growing in faith with you and your family.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

To all the wonderful men in our parish! May you continue to be a witness of God's love for you families and for all of us.



Graduations

Happy Graduation to all those who are moving on to a new adventure. We especially wish Marc Valdez well as he begins his college adventures at Arizona State University. We will miss you terribly and pray for your success!

Open Doors-Open Hearts...

Do you know someone who has questions about the Catholic Church? Would you like to know more about receiving Eucharist or Confirmation? Our doors are open for your questions on Monday nights at 7pm. We look forward to getting to know you better. Feel free to come by, no obligation, bring a friend if you like!

---COVER SHEET

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