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MASS SCHEDULE All Masses in church

Saturday Vigil Mass	3/14	5:00p.m. English, 7:00pm Spanish
Sunday	3/15	7:30a.m. English, 9:00a.m. Português 10:30a.m. English & 12p.m. Spanish
Monday	3/16	7:30a.m. English
Tuesday	3/17	7:30a.m. English
Wednesday	3/18	7:30a.m. English
Thursday	3/19	7:30a.m. English 7:00p.m. Português-6:30pm Via Sacra 8:00p.m. Spanish-8:30pm Via Crucis
Friday	3/20	7:30a.m. English 7:30p.m. Stations of the Cross
Saturday	3/21	8:00a.m. English

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00p.m-5:00p.m. or by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the rectory for Baptism Information

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact the Parish office 973-779-4330 at least one year in advance for arrangements.

Sick & Home bound

To all who may have a sick relative at home, in rehab, hospital or nursing home please notify the Parish office 973-779-4330 so we can arrange a time to visit them.

3rd
Sunday
of
Lent

HOW TO REPORT ABUSE

The Archdiocese takes very seriously any and all allegations of the clergy, Religious and lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct to inform us immediately so that we may take the appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse. Individuals who wish to report allegation of misconduct may do so by calling the Archdiocesan Office of Child and Youth Protection at 201-407-3256.

COMO REPORTAR ABUSO

La Arquidiócesis toma muy en serio todas y cada una de las acusaciones del clero, los religiosos y el personal laico de la Arquidiócesis. Animamos a cualquier persona con conocimiento de un acto de mala conducta sexual a que nos informe de inmediato para que podamos tomar las medidas adecuadas para proteger a los demás y brindar apoyo a las víctimas de abuso sexual. Las personas que deseen reportar alegaciones de mala conducta pueden hacerlo llamando a la Oficina Arquidiocesana de Protección de Niños y Jóvenes al 201-407-3256

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear brothers and sisters,

We are already on third Sunday of Lent. There are two main points that the Gospel speaks about are “grumbling” and “thirst”. Let us speak about “grumbling” because it is more common than we think. The people of Israel has just gotten out of Egypt and God now brings them through the desert but not through the path that they think He should take. So, they start grumbling because they are thirsty, no way God can provide anything in the desert. It is this “grumbling” that is dangerous because it brings us to be fighting God for what we think is the “right” thing to happen. It goes opposite to what we pray in the Our Father – Thy will be done. It brings us to sadness and slowly to bitterness. And, the people grumbled because they were “thirsty” – lacking water (as symbol of life and the Spirit). We are looking for this life but when we look in the wrong place we are never satisfied as the Gospel points out with the Samaritan Woman. Only one has streams of living water that satisfy the deeps desires of our heart. So, let us ask Christ for that water and life in this Lenten Season.

As I announced last weekend, the Cardinal has asked us to take some preventive measures to avoid the spread of Coronavirus – thus, we have removed offering the chalice during mass for a time. I invite you not to fall into the pandemic of fear but to take precautions like washing your hands and if you are sick stay home, you are not committing a sin but is an act of charity.

Saint Francis de Sales Pray for Us!

Queridos hermanos y hermanas:

Ya estamos en el tercer domingo de Cuaresma. Hay dos puntos principales de los que habla el Evangelio: "murmuración" y "sed". Hablemos de "murmuración" porque es más común de lo que pensamos. El pueblo de Israel acaba de salir de Egipto y Dios ahora los lleva por el desierto, pero no por el camino que creen que debería tomar. Entonces, comienzan a quejarse porque tienen sed, de ninguna manera Dios puede proporcionar nada en el desierto. Es esta "murmuración" lo que es peligroso porque nos lleva a estar luchando contra Dios por lo que creemos que es lo "correcto". Va en contra de lo que oramos en el Padre Nuestro: Hágase tu voluntad. Nos lleva a la tristeza y lentamente a la amargura. Y, la gente se quejó porque tenía "sed" - falta de agua (como símbolo de la vida y el Espíritu). Estamos buscando esta vida, pero cuando miramos en el lugar equivocado, nunca estamos satisfechos como el Evangelio señala con la mujer samaritana. Solo uno tiene corrientes de agua viva que satisfacen los deseos más profundos de nuestro corazón. Entonces, pidamos a Cristo por esa agua y vida en esta temporada de Cuaresma.

Como anuncié el fin de semana pasado, el Cardenal nos ha pedido que tomemos algunas medidas preventivas para evitar la propagación del Coronavirus, por lo que hemos eliminado la oferta del cáliz durante la misa por un tiempo. Te invito a que no caigas en la pandemia del miedo, sino a tomar precauciones como lavarte las manos y, si estás enfermo, quédate en casa, no estás cometiendo un pecado, sino un acto de caridad.

San Francisco de Sales ¡Ruega por nosotros!

Caros irmãos e irmãs

Já estamos no terceiro domingo da Quaresma. Há dois pontos principais sobre os quais o Evangelho fala: "resmungar" e "sede". Vamos falar de "resmungar" porque é mais comum do que pensamos. O povo de Israel acabou de sair do Egito e Deus agora os leva pelo deserto, mas não pelo caminho que eles pensam que Ele deveria seguir. Então, eles começam a resmungar porque estão com sede, de jeito nenhum Deus pode fornecer algo no deserto. É esse "resmungo" que é perigoso, porque nos leva a lutar contra Deus pelo que pensamos ser a coisa "certa". Isso vai oposto ao que oramos no Pai Nosso - seja feita a tua vontade. Isso nos leva à tristeza e lentamente à amargura. E as pessoas resmungavam porque estavam com "sede" - sem água (como símbolo da vida e do Espírito). Estamos procurando esta vida, mas quando olhamos para o lugar errado, nunca ficamos satisfeitos, como o Evangelho aponta com a mulher samaritana. Somente um tem correntes de água viva que satisfazem os desejos mais profundos do nosso coração. Então, peçamos a Cristo a água e a vida nesta estação quaresmal.

Como anunciei no fim de semana passado, o Cardeal nos pediu para tomar algumas medidas preventivas para evitar a disseminação do Coronavírus - assim, removemos a oferta do cálice durante a missa por um tempo. Convido você a não cair na pandemia do medo, mas a tomar precauções como lavar as mãos e, se estiver doente, ficar em casa, não estará cometendo pecado, mas é um ato de caridade.

São Francisco de Sales ora por nós!

Fr. Francisco

3rd Sunday of Lent

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

March 14-15

5:00p.m. **Lori Sorbello** Agatha Healy
 7:30a.m. **Mary Ann Harris** Ron Lombardi
 10:30a.m. **Mary Ellen Sabatino** Judy Schroeder

March 21-22

5:00p.m. **Sue Maikisch** Peter Christiano
 7:30a.m. **Bruce Masopust** Charles Gibbons
 10:30a.m. **Nancy Cardone** Andrea Verdugo

March 28-29

5:00p.m. **Sister Lois** Elizabeth Genaro
 7:30a.m. **Frank Steffens** Ray Petrisin
 10:30a.m. **Alice Homler** Judy Schroeder

Lectores y Ministros de la Eucaristia

March 14

Primera Lectura Sandra Lara
Segunda Lectura Johana Lozada
Ministros de Eucaristia Jennifer Vidal

March 15

Primera Lectura Maria Jose Biong Bil
Segunda Lectura Tony Sanchez
Ministros de Eucaristia Carlos Rivera

March 21

Primera Lectura Maria Quiceno
Segunda Lectura Juan Carlos Salamanca
Ministros de Eucaristia Elizabeth De La Rosa

March 22

Primera Lectura Ambrosia Garcia
Segunda Lectura Wilma Jimenez
Ministros de Eucaristia Ambrosia Garcia

Weekly Readings

March 15, Ex 17:3-7, Rom 5:1-2,5-8, Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26,39a,42 (28)

March 22, 1 Sam 16:1b,6-7, 10-13a, Eph 5:8-14, Jn 9: 1-41 or Jn 9:1,6-9, 13-17,34-38 (31)

Monaguillos /Altar Servers

March 14, 7:00p.m. Nicholas Castaneda, Sebastian Rodriguez, Yandel Minaya
March 15, 10:30a.m. Ryan Cortez, David Eczos, Favian Tenezaca
 12:00p.m. Marco De La Rosa, Ryan Rivera, Matthew Delgado
March 21, 7:00p.m. Nicholas Castaneda, Diego Castaneda, Marco De La Rosa
March 22, 10:30a.m. Ryan Verdugo, Steven Cruz, Ryan Cortez
 12:00p.m. Ryan Rivera, Yandel Minaya, David Eksoz

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, Weekday

8:00a.m. Ann Schnepel
 5:00p.m. Dominick Cassar r/b Joe & Susan Capozzi
 7:00p.m. Rafael Mendez r/b His Family

SUNDAY, MARCH 15, 3rd Sunday of Lent

7:30a.m. August Nagy r/b Nagy Family
 9:00a.m. Antonio Nobre r/b Pais, Irmaos e Filhos
 Rosa Maria Perrecho & Pais r/b Rosa Perrecho & Filhos
 Otilia Sarmento & Filhos Falecidos r/b Delmina Caneja
 Manuel Perrecho, Sogra & Maria Cortez r/b Serafim & Maria Perecho
 10:30a.m. Alfred Maikisch r/b Mr. & Mrs. Charles Maikisch
 12:00p.m. Intenciones Comunitarias

MONDAY, MARCH 16, Weekday

7:30a.m. Maria Gozdz r/b Lucy Rieger

TUESDAY, MARCH 17, Saint Patrick Bishop

7:30a.m. Anne J. Parente r/b Micky Satkowski

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, Saint Cyril of Jerusalem

7:30a.m. Ann Schnepel

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, Saint Joseph

Spouse of The Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30a.m. Henry Satkowski r/b His wife Micky
 7:00p.m. Intenções da comunidade
 8:00p.m. Intenciones Comunitarias

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, Weekday

7:30a.m. Ann Schnepel

SATURDAY, MARCH 21, Weekday

8:00a.m. Antonio Nobre r/b Estela, Aida & Jimmy
 5:00p.m. Thomas Cattafi r/b Joe & Sue Capozzi
 7:00p.m. Luis Ramon Velazquez Tejada r/b Graciela Giacomelo
 Clema Liliana Blosser 1er Aniversario r/b Ruby Eksoz y Familia

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 4th Sunday of Lent

7:30a.m. Ernest Rosalen r/b Carolyn & Jack Carpenter
 9:00a.m. Antonio Nobre r/b Pais, Irmaos e Filhos
 Joao Rocha, Esposa, Pais & Sogros r/b Filhos
 Justino Pires & Rosa Alves r/b Helena Pires
 10:30a.m. Jack Mc Donald r/b Al & Judy Schroeder
 12:00p.m. Intenciones Comunitarias

WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY 3/15

* All CCD Classes in School at 8:45am in School

MONDAY 3/16

*Staff Meeting at 2pm in Rectory
*CCD Confirmation Level 2 at 7pm in School
*Circulo de Oracion at 7pm in Church
*Finance council Meeting at 7:30pm in Rectory

TUESDAY 3/17

WEDNESDAY 3/18

THURSDAY 3/19

*Via Sacra 6:30pm in Church, Português
*Via Crucis 8:30pm in Church, Español

FRIDAY 3/20

* Bible Study, at 6:30pm in Mother Angela Commons.
* Stations of the Cross, 7:30pm in Church
* Youth Group, 7:30 pm in Mother Angela.
* Taller Cuaresmal 8pm, in Church

SATURDAY 3/21

*Confessions 4pm in church

SUNDAY 3/22

* CCD Home Formation
* CCD Level 2 8:45am in School

CALENDARIO DE LAS MARTAS

*Mar 20, 5pm Grupo 3
Ruby Eksoz
*Mar 27, 10am Grupo 1
Clarena Santamaria
*Abril 4, 9am Grupo 2
Veronica Peralta

ANNOUNCEMENTS / EVENTS / PROGRAMS

- **Choir** Anyone who is interested in joining, please see Paul after Mass.
- **Weekly Mass**, for the time of Lent, the weekly 7:30am Mass will be in Church.
- **Stations of the Cross** will be, Quinta Feira Português at 6:30pm, Español a las 8:30pm March 20, Station of the cross, in English at 7:30pm in Church.
- **Bible Study**-Samson Lenten Journey, Friday March 20, at 6:30pm in Mother Angela.
- **Youth Group** Friday, March 20, at 7:30pm in Mother Angela Commons.
- **Taller Cuaresmal** Fridays at 8pm, in Church.

Upcoming Events

- **Knights of Columbus Pancake breakfast:** St Michaels Council will hold their monthly pancake breakfast, **April 12th, May 10th and June 14th.** From **8:30a.m. to 12 noon** at the K of C Hall 39 Washington St. Lodi, NJ. The cost is \$7.00 for adults \$4.00 for children over 6. Menu includes pancakes, French toast, eggs, orange Juice, coffee, and tea. Tickets can be purchased at the door.
- **Respect Life** If you are suffering from a past abortion experience and have isolated yourself from help and forgiveness, we've been there! Consider attending one of the upcoming retreat weekends here in the Archdiocese. April 3-5, 2020 and Oct 30-Nov. 1 2020 in Spanish, May 8-10 in & Sep. 11-13 in English. For confidential help and information, please call us: 973-497-4350 or via e-mail cheryl.riley@rcan.org
- **Immaculate Conception High School**, Will be holding its Annual "Taste Of... Food Festival & Tricky Tray event on Thursday, April 30, 2020 at 6:30pm. To buy tickets or learn about sponsorship opportunities, please visit www.ichslodi.org. you can also contact Dr. Sodaliz A. Morel-Baber at 973-472-7231/ giving@ichslodi.org
- **CORPUS CHRISTI R.C. CHURCH**, Presents... A Night of World Class Opera, Saturday, April 25, 2020 at 7:30pm, Corpus Christi Chapel, 215 Kipp Avenue, Join us for a spectacular evening featuring Theresa Carlomagno, Soprano, and Nelson Ebo, Tenor. Visit our website, www.corpuschristihh.org, for their bios. Tickets are \$30.00/pp and may be purchased at the Parish Center, 218 Washington Place, during regular business hours. Cash and checks accepted. You can contact the Parish at 201-288-4844 should you have any questions.

<i>Sharing God's Blessings Archbishop's Annual Appeal*</i>	<i>Updated 2/02/2020</i>
Goal Amount	\$17,925.00
Donor Pledged	\$10,359.00
Pledges Received	\$5,415.66
Balance of Goal - Pledges	\$7,566.00
St. Vincent de Paul Poor fund	\$900.00
<u>Weekly Offerings</u> March 8, 2020	\$3,008.00

Saint Vincent de Paul Poor Fund

Our finance Council has approved the start of an account for the Poor of our Parish, **Saint Vincent the Paul Poor Fund**. The fund will exclusively help the poor among our parishioners. If you want to contribute write a check payable to St. Francis De Sales, in the check memo or in the sealed envelope, write poor fund.
Thank you for your generosity.

Pray for

Mary Rodrigues, Eloisa Meric, Vilma Maikisch, Serafin Fernandes, Ellen Gibbons, Bob Goodwin, Joyce Kasperski, Irene Luczyk, David Pilger, Beverlye Sogluizzo, Rose Tavoraro, Mary Zabran, Andy Mullins, Alfred Pelikan, Jacob Berard, Ann Tramuta

Memorials

Bread, Wine and Sanctuary Lamp
will be offered this week for

**The deceased members of this Parish
Community, and for all the deceased for whom we
have celebrated their Funeral Mass in St. Francis de
Sales Church.**



2020 Annual Appeal



The theme of the 2020 Annual Appeal is "Shining the Light of Christ." As disciples, we are individually called to radiate the love of God in our work, our relationships, our service and our giving (cf. Mt. 5:16). As a Catholic faith community, our common worship, hospitality, pastoral care and ministry reflect this love to the wider community. By sharing our time, unique talents, and personal treasure, we participate in shining the light of Christ ever more brightly.

As members of the Catholic Church of Newark, we are united by a common mission entrusted to us by Jesus Christ - to proclaim the Gospel, to pass on the faith to the next generation through the celebration of the sacraments, to care for the poor and vulnerable, and to form our future priests. The 2020 Annual Appeal binds us more closely to this mission through our stewardship of God's many gifts.

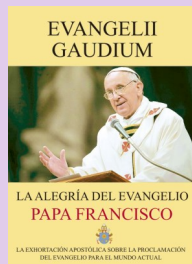
Your support of this year's Annual Appeal will have a direct impact on the lives of those served through the ministries and programs of this Archdiocese.

Saint Francis de Sales Church

TALLERES DE CUARESMA

Sobre la Enciclica del Papa Francisco

La Alegria del Evangelio



Viernes 8:00p.m.

Comenzando Marzo 6, 2020

En el salon Mother Angela Commons

Saint Francis de Sales Church



Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

June 18-June 29, 2020

For more information call the Rectory 973-779-4330

Special Announcement / Anuncio Especial

Cardinal Tobin has directed the following:

Priests, deacons and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion are urged to practice good hygiene, washing their hands before Mass begins or even using an alcohol based anti-bacterial solution before and after distributing Holy Communion, as is practiced in so many of our parishes and institutions already.

Assure the faithful that if they are sick or are experiencing symptoms of sickness they are not obligated to attend Mass, and even out of charity they ought not to attend.

The sign of peace should be exchanged without physical contact. Distribution of Holy Communion to the faithful via the chalice is to be suspended.

Cardenal Tobin ha dirigido lo siguiente:

Se insta a los sacerdotes, diáconos y ministros extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión a practicar una buena higiene, lavarse las manos antes de que comience la misa o incluso usar una solución antibacteriana a base de alcohol antes y después de distribuir la Sagrada Comunión, como se practica en muchas de nuestras parroquias e instituciones ya.

Asegure a los fieles, que si están enfermos o experimentan síntomas de enfermedad, no están obligados a asistir a misa, e incluso por caridad no deben asistir.

El signo de la paz debe intercambiarse sin contacto físico.

Se suspenderá la distribución de la Sagrada Comunión a los fieles a través del cáliz.

Cardeal Tobin dirigiu o seguinte:

Pede-se aos sacerdotes, diáconos e ministros extraordinários da Sagrada Comunhão que pratiquem boa higiene, lavando as mãos antes do início da Missa ou até mesmo usando uma solução antibacteriana à base de álcool antes e depois da distribuição da Sagrada Comunhão, como é praticado em muitas de nossas paróquias e instituições já.

Garanta aos fiéis que, se estiverem doentes ou apresentarem sintomas de doença, não serão obrigados a comparecer à missa e, mesmo por caridade, não deverão comparecer.

O sinal de paz deve ser trocado sem contato físico.

A distribuição da Sagrada Comunhão aos fiéis através do cálice deve ser suspensa.



The Knights of Columbus St.

Michael's Council 2861 Lodi Has
CANCELED the Fish Fry for Satur-
day March 28, 2020.

