Saint Francis de Sales Church – Welcomes you

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January 13,2019

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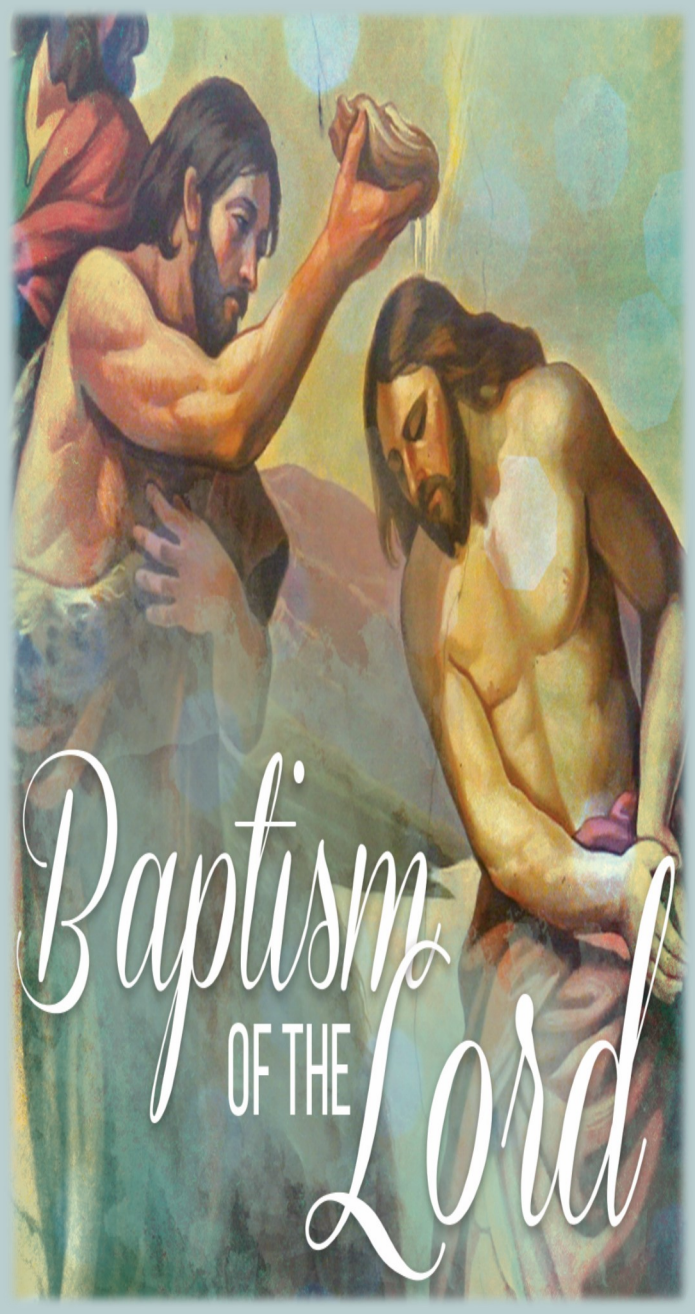

MASS SCHEDULE
Sunday –7:30 a.m. English, 9:00a.m. Portuguese, 10:30a.m. English & 12:00p.m. Spanish
Monday- 7:30a.m,
Tuesday-7:30a.m.
Wednesday -7:30a.m.
Thursday-7:30a.m.,7:00p.m.Portuguese, & 8:00p.m. Spanish
Friday-7:30a.m.
Saturday -8:00a.m.English, 5:00p.m. English & 7:00p.m.Spanish

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 advanced 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.

St. Francis de Sales Parish confesses our belief in Jesus Christ as Lord and proclaims the Kingdom of God in the Roman Catholic tradition by forming a community reflective of the diverse cultures of our area, empowered by God's spirit, and dedicated to the shared ministry of witnessing to the Good News in Word, in Sacrament, and in Action.

Saint Francis de Sales Lodi, N.J.

From Fr. Francisco 's Desk

Dear brothers and sisters,

Today is the end of the Season of Christmas. During all these days the Church has invited us to reflect on God who has descended to our lives; God who has taken our nature so that we can take HIS. The admirable exchange as Tertullian, an early Christian writer, said; we are in front of the mystery of God loving us to the extreme so that we can know HIM. Today we celebrate that God manifests who He is in the waters of the Jordan. He who is without sin joins us who are sinners and takes our sins upon Himself to save us. Thus, let us rejoice in this marvelous gift that is God's Love for us!

Also, today is the last day of Paul Diverio as our music minister. He has served our parish for 37 years and we are very grateful for all he has done. I am grateful to all the help he gave me in our Sundays breakfasts together during my first year and until now. Let us greet Paul at the reception after the Spanish Mass. May God accompany him in this new journey!

Finally, I want to inform you that we have adopted a new procedure for the use of parish meeting rooms (Church, rectory, school). I have requested to all the heads of groups to return their keys and if they need to use a room they need to reserve it in advance and come to the rectory to pick up the keys and drop them off in the key box after the event. This is done to know who is using the parish and at what time they are in the building. Thanks for your cooperation and help.

Saint Francis de Sales Pray for Us!

Queridos hermanos y hermanas:

Hoy es el final del Tiempo de Navidad. Durante todos estos días, la Iglesia nos ha invitado a reflexionar sobre Dios que ha descendido a nuestras vidas; Dios que ha tomado nuestra naturaleza para que podamos tomar SU. El admirable intercambio como Tertuliano dijo, uno de los primeros escritores cristianos. Estamos ante el misterio de que Dios nos ama al extremo para que podamos conocerlo. Hoy celebramos que Dios manifiesta quién es Él en las aguas del Jordán. El que está sin pecado se une a nosotros que somos pecadores y toma nuestros pecados sobre Sí mismo para salvarnos. Por lo tanto, ¡regocijémonos por este maravilloso regalo que es el Amor de Dios por nosotros!

Además, hoy es el último día de Paul Diverio como nuestro ministro de música. Él ha servido en nuestra parroquia durante 37 años y estamos muy agradecidos por todo lo que ha hecho. Agradezco toda la ayuda que me brindó en nuestros desayunos de los domingos juntos durante mi primer año y hasta ahora. Saludemos a Paul en la recepción después de la misa en español. ¡Que Dios lo acompañe en este nuevo viaje!

Finalmente, quiero informarles que hemos adoptado un nuevo procedimiento para el uso de las salas de reunión parroquiales (Iglesia, rectoría, escuela). He solicitado a todos los jefes de grupos que devuelvan sus llaves y, si necesitan usar una habitación, deben reservar-la con anticipación y venir a la rectoría para recoger las llaves y dejarlas en la caja de llaves después del evento. Esto se hace para saber quién está usando la parroquia y a qué hora están en el edificio. Gracias por su cooperación y ayuda.

San Francisco de Sales ¡Ruega por nosotros!

Queridos irmãos e irmãs,

Hoje é o final do Tempo do Natal. Durante todos esses dias, a Igreja nos convidou a refletir sobre Deus que desceu às nossas vidas; Deus que tomou nossa natureza para que possamos tomar o seu. O admirável intercâmbio como Tertuliano, um dos primeiros escritores cristãos, disse; estamos diante do mistério de Deus nos amando ao extremo para que possamos conhecê-lo. Hoje celebramos que Deus manifesta quem Ele é nas águas do Jordão. Aquele que é sem pecado se junta a nós que somos pecadores e leva nossos pecados sobre Si para nos salvar. Assim, regozijemo-nos neste dom maravilhoso que é o amor de Deus por nós!

Além disso, hoje é o último dia de Paul Diverio como nosso ministro da música. Ele serviu a nossa paróquia por 37 anos e estamos muito gratos por tudo o que ele fez. Sou grato a toda a ajuda que ele me deu em nossos cafés da manhã aos domingos juntos durante o meu primeiro ano e até agora. Saudemos a Paulo na recepção depois da missa espanhola. Que Deus o acompanhe nesta nova jornada!

Por fim, quero informá-lo de que adotamos um novo procedimento para o uso das salas de reunião da paróquia (Igreja, reitoria, escola). Solicitei a todos os chefes dos grupos que devolvessem as chaves e, se precisassem usar um quarto, eles precisavam reservá-lo com antecedência e ir até a casa paroquial para pegar as chaves e deixá-las na caixa de chaves após o evento. Isso é feito para saber quem está usando a paróquia e a que horas estão no prédio. Obrigado pela sua colaboração e ajuda.

São Francisco de Sales ora por nós!

The Baptism of the Lord

Liturgical Ministers

January 12-13

5:00p.m.	**Susan Maikisch**	Elizabeth Genaro, Tina Pelikan, Jean Canta
7:30a.m.	**Pauline Gonsisko**	Charles Gibbons,Ron Marino, Dale Sipos
10:30a.m.	**Alicia Acerra**	Mitch Santlofer, Linda Stumper, Aida Hess Judy Schroeder, Cathy Anger

January 19-20

5:00p.m.	**Lori Soribello**	Agatha Healy, Barbara Hughes, Elaine Murgolo
7:30a.m.	**Mary Ann Harris**	Ron Lombardi, Ray Petrisin, Chris Fredericks
10:30a.m.	**Alice Homler**	Vilma Maikisch, Dolores Putt, Estella Carrilho, Mary Scimeca, Mitch Santlofer

January 26-27

5:00p.m.	**Lucy Riger**	Peter Christiano, Jackie Zambrano, Sister Martine
7:30a.m.	**Bruce Masopust**	Charles Gibbons, Ron Marino, Dale Sipos
10:30a.m.	**Nancy Cardone**	Linda Stumper, Aida Hess, Judy Schroeder, Cathy Anger, Vilma Maikisch

Spanish Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors

January 12

First Reading	Carlos Castaneda
Second Reading	Richard Vargas
Eucharistic Ministers	Rosa Quizhpi, Ana Mariano, Nubia Cuesta

January 13

First Reading	Max Arias
Second Reading	Rosy Miralles
Eucharistic Ministers	Liliana Leon, Pilar Deley, Carlos Rivera, Graciela Giacomello, Margarita Peguero

January 19

First Reading	Sandra Lara
Second Reading	Luis Altamirano
Eucharistic Ministers	Luis Altamirano, Jenifer Vidal, Elizabeth de la Rosa

January 20

First Reading	Tony Sanchez
Second Reading	Johana Lozado
Eucharistic Ministers	Maricela Sandoval, Rosy Miralles, Johana Lozado, Eugenia Velez, Jacky Zambrano

Weekly Readings

January 13 Is 40:1-5,9-11/1 Ti :2:11-14;3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16,21-22

January 20 Is 62:1-5/1 Cor 12: 4-11/ Jn 2:1-11

Bishop's Weekly Bible Reflection on Stewardship

"John answered them all, 'I baptize you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming ..he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit.." (Lk 3:16)

The Catholic Catechism states that, "Jesus' immersion in the water is a sign for all human beings of the need to die to themselves to do God's will." In other words, as baptized Catholics there is only one gift that we need to give to Jesus– the Gift of ourselves. Surrender yourself to God, place your trust in Him and allow the Holy Spirit to work through you for the greater glory of God.

Prayer Participation Generosity

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12
8:00 a.m. People of the Parish Living and Deceased
5:00p.m. Tom Hughes r/b Barbara, Kelly & Jason
7:00p.m. People of the Parish Living and Deceased
SUNDAY, JANUARY 13 ***The Baptism of the Lord***
7:30 a.m. Peggy Marro r/b Tom Marro and Family
9:00a.m. Joao Augusto & Esposa r/b Armenio & Fatima Duarte
Antonio Nobre r/b Pais, Irmaos & Filhos
10:30a.m. Helen Monahan r/b Joe & Sue Capozzi
12:00p.m. People of the Parish Living and Deceased
MONDAY, JANUARY 14
7:30a.m. Lucio Meric r/b Eloisa, Lucy Meric & Family
TUESDAY, JANUARY 15
7:30a.m. People of the Parish Living and Deceased
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16
7:30 a.m. Jean Bongardt r/b Sister Marlene
THURSDAY, JANUARY 17 ***St. Anthony, Abbot***
7:30a.m. People of the Parish Living and Deceased
7:00p.m. Rosa Maria Perrecho & Pai r/b Rosa Perrecho & Filhos
8:00p.m. People of the Parish Living and Deceased
FRIDAY, JANUARY 18
7:30 a.m. Nelli C. Astudillo r/b Valerie, Staci and Susanne Capozzi
SATURDAY, JANUARY 19
8:00 a.m. Nelly Hidalgo r/b Bob & Dolores Putt
5:00p.m. Mary Placko 1St Anniversary r/b Sue & Fred Maikisch
7:00p.m. People of the Parish Living and Deceased
SUNDAY, JANUARY 20 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 a.m. Frank Paladino r/b Joe & Sue Capozzi
9:00a.m. Rosa Alves & Justino Pires r/b Helena Pires
Michael Nascimento & Avos r/b Pais & Irma
Joao Dominges r/b Pais
10:30a.m. Dennis Walsh r/b Wife & Sons
12:00p.m. People of the Parish Living and Deceased

Memorials

The Bread and Wine this week are for
People of the Parish Living and Deceased

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for
People of the Parish Living and Deceased

For the deceased members of this Parish Community,
And for all the deceased who have celebrated their
Funerals in St. Francis de Sales Church

Nelli C Astudillo
Stephen Liszewski
Helen Mondell

Pray For Lynn Assenheimer, Richard Baier, Rita Bozzelli, Pat Brown, Joseph Burraci, Sophia Cassera, Beatriz Contreras, Eugenio and Dorothy Darby, Caridad Delgado, James DeMarco, Brandon Drobenak, Serafin Fernandes, Monique Frontera, Ellen Gibbons, Kathleen A. Greiner, Gordon C. Gladden, Bob Goodwin, Margaret Grillo, Jordan Guarino, Henry Hess, Joyce Kasperski, Irene Luczyk, Pat Macchia, Jenna Mania, John Marano, Walter Mason, Dolores McLaren, Richard Miller, Maria Miranda, Eileen Nowak, Rosa T. Osorio, Angelina Perez Susan Peterson, Mary "Candy" Petrisin, David Pilger, Rosa Pinho, Ethan Poreman, Beatriz Quintero, James Raftery, Juana Reyes, Mary Rodrigues, Axel Romo, Vincent Roppatte, Joseph Rosa, Eugene Saez, Emily Santana, Ashlyn Santlofer, Rosa María Santos, Beverlye Sogluizzo, Rose Tavolaro, Ethel Thomas, Aurora Torres, Donna Vaccaro, Carolina Valencia, Carole Valle, Vera Vietri, Mary Zambrano

Saint Francis De Sales Announcements

CCD Announcements

The 2019 Class of Confirmation Candidates is sponsoring a diaper drive. All gifts will be given to "New Hope Pregnancy Resource Center" in Westwood www.newhope4lifeweb.org and "Birthright" in Maywood. Please consider donating a package of Disposable Diapers (Sizes 3-5). Also needed are Wipes and CHILDREN'S BOOKS. Please bring your donations to the Church the weekend of January 26 and 27 and put them in the boxes provided in the Church foyer.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL LEVEL 5 and LEVEL 8 STUDENTS AND PARENTS:

The two part ACRE assessment test will be give to all Level 5 and Level 8 students for the next two Sundays, January 27th and February 3rd (if a second session is needed). All students must be in attendance to take the test. If you have any questions or concerns, please call the Religious Ed office 973-779-4330 ext. 14 M or TH between the hours of 11am and 1:30pm to speak with Mrs. Santlofer.

FIRST RECONCILIATION MEETING FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS

On Sunday, January 13, 2019 at 9am, there will be a mandatory meeting for parents of children in Level 2A and Special Communion. These children are preparing to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist. Please gather for this meeting in Mother Angela Commons (Rectory basement). The meeting will begin promptly at 9am. All parents/guardians, Moms and Dads are expected to attend.

Date	*Church Activities*
January 13	-CCD 8:45a.m. -Reconciliation and Parent Communion Meeting at 9am in Mother Angela Commons -Baptism 1:30p.m. -Paul's retirement Party at 1:30p.m.in Lennon Hall
January 14	-Circulo de Oración 7:00p.m. en la Iglesia -Circulo de Oracion y Vida 7:00p.m. -Finance Council Meeting at 7:30p.m.
January 15	-Core Team Meeting in the Youth Cave at 7:00p.m.
January 16	-Spanish Baptismal Class at 7:00p.m. in Mother Angela Commons
January 17	Consecration Class– Bonds of Marian Love at 7:30p.m. Mother Angela Commons
January 18	Youth Group at 7:00p.m. in Mother Angela Commons
January 19	-RCIA 3:30p.m. Mother Angela Commons -Confessions 4:00p.m-5:00p.m.
January 20	-CCD 8:45 a.m. -Spanish Baptism 1:30p.m.

January 18-25,2019

St. Francis de Sales Church now accepts credit/debit cards for all payments.

*Sharing God's Blessings Archbishop Annual Appeal** Goal Amount	*Updated 10/15/18** $15,220.00
Donor Pledged	*$12,916.00*
Pledges Received	$10,854.00
Balance of Pledges	$2,304.00
Balance of Goal	$4,366.50
Weekly Offerings	
December 25,2018	$10,053.00.
Christmas Flowers	$951.00
December 30,2018	$4,338.99
Solemnity of Mary Mother of God	$890.00
January 6,2018	$3,723.00

2019 Mass Book has open availability for mass intentions! Please visit the rectory or call 973-779-4330 to place Mass intentions.

Office of Family Life Ministries

Cardinal Joseph Tobin is preparing the annual tradition of honoring all the couples that are celebrating their 5th,25th and 50th Christian wedding anniversary in 2019. The Mass will take place in the Sacred Heart Basilica in Newark, NJ and the liturgy will be celebrated by Cardinal Joseph Tobin.

April 28,2019 3:00p.m. (50th wedding anniversary)
June 2,2019 3:00p.m. (5th and 25th wedding anniversary)

If you are interested in celebrating your anniversary at the Sacred Basilica please contact the rectory for registration 973-779-4330.

Bishop's Initiative on Marriage

When all the hustle-bustle of the holidays are over..... Don't you and your spouse deserve a beautiful, romantic weekend away together? If you agree then you'll want to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. For more information call Mike and Janet Turco at 973-427-7016

Annual Sweet Heart Tricky Tray

St. Francis De Sales Parish

25 Union St, Lodi, NJ 07644

Friday, February 1, 2019

Doors Open – 5:30pm

Drawings start 7pm

Tickets are now available

$10.00 each

Coffee and dessert provided.

NO ONE UNDER 18 PERMITTED

FOR TICKETS:

Rectory: - (973) 779-4330

Sue Vomero: - (551)-265-9560

or see a representative after Mass

Don't forget the Gift of Love
Please bring a non perishable food item for our food pantry

Saint Francis De Sales Church Announcements

We want to congratulate the recipients of the Stewardship award from our Parish. Mrs. Judith Schroeder our trustee and Mrs. Andrea Verdugo our Financial Council Chairperson. Thanks to all who help the parish with their Time, Talent and Treasure.

Pilgrimage to Israel 2019

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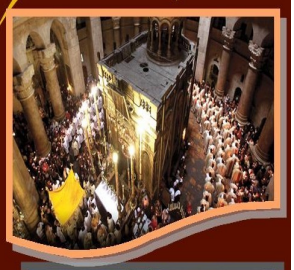

Pilgrimage is from June 25,2019-July 5 ,2019
Price is $3,280.00 per person (double occupancy)
Price includes daily breakfast, lunch & dinner.
For more Information, Itinerary & Registration please visit Genesis Tours Online

English- https://www.genesistoursusa.com/tours/saint-francis-english/

Para mas Información,Itinerario y Registración por favor visite la pagina de Genesis Tours

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If you have any questions please call the Rectory 973-779-4330.

The three Kings Visit Our Parish

January 5,2019