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OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Friday 9a.m.—1p.m., 2 p.m.—7p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

01/31 Sunday	7:30 a.m. English Mass
	9:00 a.m. Portuguese Mass
	10:30 a.m. English Mass
	12:00 p.m. Spanish Mass
02/01 Monday	12:00 pm. / Mass
02/02 Tuesday	7:30a.m. Mass
02/03 Wednesday	12:00p.m. Angelus / Mass
02/04 Thursday	12:00 a.m. Angelus / Mass
	8:00 p.m. Spanish Mass
02/05 Friday	12:00 p.m. Angelus / Mass
02/06 Saturday	12:00 p.m. Angelus / Mass
	5:00 p.m. English Mass
	7:00 pm . Spanish Mass

Please keep Social distancing and wear a face mask at all times. -
If you need help or need to speak to someone during this please
call our emergency number 201-730-1497

January 31, 2021

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



He taught them with authority

Mk 1, 22

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00pm 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.

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,

In the Gospel today, we hear that people were impressed that Jesus taught with authority. I want to reflect today what is the meaning of that word and why it impressed the people that heard him. First, the way that a rabbi taught in Jesus' time was by quoting other rabbi's saying and tying it together – it was called “stringing a teaching”. Jesus, however, did not use that technique but directly proclaimed as a prophet (the one who was going to be sent that we read in the first reading) the word and the teaching. Second, the Greek word used to describe how Jesus spoke is “parrhesia”, which Merriam-Webster defines it as boldness or freedom of speech. This is very important because when one is teaching or announcing some news, it means that some people are not going to like it and you have to risk getting them annoyed or even mad at you for this. To have “parrhesia” calls for an internal freedom from affections and fears that only one who has the Spirit of Christ is able. Jesus speaks boldly because he knows his Father in Heaven is with him and will not abandon him. This freedom impressed the people who heard him; he broke the tradition of “stringing a teaching” and spoke without fear for the truth. This is a call of conversion for all of us. Many times, we do not speak boldly of what Jesus Christ through the Church teaches. This could be out of fear of losing face or affections and thus we are “cowards”. It might sound harsh, but it is a call to remember that the Truth that God has entrusted to us needs to be spoken boldly and without fear. Christ is Lord! Thus, what He taught us is the Truth, and this in every field – abortion, money, society, marriage, virginity, etc. I invite you to have “parrhesia” in your life and proclaim Christ every day, especially with your life. My dear parishioners, I invite you to support the mission of our Church and for this we depend on the generosity of the disciples. I hope we all participate, even the widow in the Gospel had something to contribute. Our goal is \$ 19,811. Let us pray for each other every day. Saint Francis de Sales Pray for Us!

Queridos hermanos y hermanas:

En el Evangelio de hoy, escuchamos que la gente quedó impresionada de que Jesús enseñara con autoridad. Quiero reflexionar hoy cuál es el significado de esa palabra y por qué impresionó a la gente que lo escuchó. Primero, la forma en que un rabino enseñaba en la época de Jesús era citando el dicho de otro rabino y uniéndolo, se llamaba "entrelazar la enseñanza". Jesús, sin embargo, no utilizó esa técnica, sino que proclamó directamente como profeta (el que iba a ser enviado que leímos en la primera lectura) la palabra y la enseñanza. En segundo lugar, la palabra griega utilizada para describir cómo habló Jesús es “parresia”, que Merriam-Webster la define como audacia o libertad de expresión. Esto es muy importante porque cuando uno está enseñando o anunciando alguna noticia, significa que a algunas personas no les va a gustar y tienes que arriesgarte a que se molesten o incluso se enojen contigo por esto. Tener “parresia” requiere una liberación interna de los afectos y temores que solo quien tiene el Espíritu de Cristo es capaz. Jesús habla con valentía porque sabe que su Padre Celestial está con él y no lo abandonará. Esta libertad impresionó a la gente que lo escuchó; rompió la tradición de “entrelazar la enseñanza” y habló sin temor por la verdad. Este es un llamado a la conversión para todos nosotros. Muchas veces, no hablamos con valentía de lo que enseña Jesucristo a través de la Iglesia. Esto podría ser por miedo a perder la cara o los afectos y por eso somos “cobardes”. Puede sonar duro, pero es un llamado a recordar que la Verdad que Dios nos ha confiado debe ser dicha con valentía y sin miedo. ¡Cristo es el Señor! Entonces, lo que nos enseñó es la Verdad, y esto en todos los campos: aborto, dinero, sociedad, matrimonio, virginidad, etc. Te invito a tener “parresia” en tu vida y proclamar a Cristo todos los días, especialmente con tu vida. Mis queridos feligreses, los invito a apoyar la misión de nuestra Iglesia y para ello dependemos de la generosidad de los discípulos. Espero que todos participemos, incluso la viuda del Evangelio tuvo algo que aportar. Nuestra meta es \$ 19,811. Oremos los unos por los otros todos los días. ¡San Francisco de Sales ¡Ruega por nosotros!

Caros irmãos e irmãs

No Evangelho de hoje, ouvimos que as pessoas ficaram impressionadas com o fato de Jesus ter ensinado com autoridade. Quero refletir hoje qual é o significado dessa palavra e porque impressionou as pessoas que o ouviram. Primeiro, a maneira como um rabino ensinava na época de Jesus era citando o ditado de outro rabino e amarrando-o - era chamado de "amarrar um ensino". Jesus, porém, não usou essa técnica, mas proclamou diretamente como profeta (aquele que seria enviado que lemos na primeira leitura) a palavra e o ensino. Em segundo lugar, a palavra grega usada para descrever como Jesus falou é “parrhesia”, que Merriam-Webster define como ousadia ou liberdade de expressão. Isso é muito importante porque quando alguém está ensinando ou anunciando uma notícia, significa que algumas pessoas não vão gostar e você corre o risco de deixá-las irritadas ou até bravas com você por isso. Ter “parrhesia” exige uma liberdade interna das afeições e medos de que só quem tem o Espírito de Cristo é capaz. Jesus fala com ousadia porque sabe que seu Pai Celestial está com ele e não o abandonará. Essa liberdade impressionou as pessoas que o ouviram; ele quebrou a tradição de “amarrar um ensinamento” e falou sem temer a verdade. Este é um apelo de conversão para todos nós. Muitas vezes, não falamos com ousadia sobre o que Jesus Cristo ensina por meio da Igreja. Pode ser por medo de perder prestígio ou afeto e por isso somos “covardes”. Pode soar duro, mas é um chamado para lembrar que a Verdade que Deus nos confiou precisa ser falada com ousadia e sem medo. Cristo é o Senhor! Assim, o que Ele nos ensinou é a Verdade, e isto em todos os campos - aborto, dinheiro, sociedade, casamento, virgindade, etc. Convido-os a ter “parrhesia” na sua vida e a anunciar Cristo todos os dias, especialmente com a sua vida. Caros paroquianos, convido-os a apoiar a missão da nossa Igreja e para isso contamos com a generosidade dos discípulos. Espero que todos participemos, até a viúva do Evangelho tinha algo a contribuir. Nossa meta é \$ 19.811. Vamos orar uns pelos outros todos os dias. São Francisco de Sales ora por nós!

Fr. Francisco

Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Saturday January 30th, Weekday in Ordinary Time

12:00 pm English Community intentions
 5:00 pm English † Capozzi Family by Joseph and Susan Capozzi
 7:00 pm Spanish † Rosa Victoria Garcia (1 mes de fallecida) by Luis Garcia
 † Carmelina Arevalo by Luis Garcia
 † Juan Garcia by Luis Garcia

Sunday January 31st, Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am English † Ruth Luna by Capozzi Family
 9:00 am Portuguese † Serafim Fernandes by Esposa e Filhos & Netos
 10:30 am English † Ruthe Luna by Robert and Dolores Putt
 12:00 pm Spanish † Juan De Dios Martinez by Frances Rodriguez &
 Juan Manuel Martinez
 † Francisco Antonio Ortega by Yudelca Ortega

Monday February 1st, Weekday in Ordinary Time

12:00 pm English Community Intentions

Tuesday February 2nd, Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am English † Ruth Luna by Marge & Dominic DiMauro

Wednesday February 3rd, Weekday in Ordinary Time

12:00 pm English Community Intentions

Thursday February 4th, Weekday in Ordinary Time

12:00 pm English Community Intentions
 8:00 pm Spanish Intenciones Comunitarias

Friday February 5th, Weekday in Ordinary Time

12:00 pm English Community Intentions

Saturday February 6th, Weekday in Ordinary Time

12:00 pm English † Ed & Veronica Zalenski by Their Children
 † Mary & Paul Placko by Susan Maikisch
 † Fred Maikisch by Susan Maikisch
 5:00 pm English † Janice Fiscina by Susan Maikisch
 7:00 pm Spanish Intencionones Comunitarias

Sunday Readings

Jan 31: Dt 18:15-20* 95:1-2,6-9 • 1 Cor 7:32-35 • Mk 1:21-28
 Feb 7: Jb 7:1-4,6-7 • 1 Cor 9:16-19,22-23 • Mk 1:29-39

Pray For

Bob Goodwin, Irene Luczyk, David Pilger, Rose Tavolaro, Mary Zabrano, Andy Mullins, Alfred Pelikan, Jacob Berard, Ann Tramuta, Alice Rigolosi, Rose Jasmine.

Ministros de Lectores y Eucaristía

Sábado 30 de enero, 7:00 pm

Carlos Castaneda
Nubia Cuesta
Jennifer Vidal

Domingo 31 de enero, 12:00 pm

Monica Pulido
Tony Sanchez
Pilar Deleg

Sábado 6 de Febrero 7:00 pm

Jose Perez
Carmen Rosa
Ambrosia Garcia

Domingo 7 de enero, 12:00 pm

Naira Bellinghieri
Maria Victoria M
Carlos Rivera

Sábado de 13 Febrero 7:00 pm

Sandra Lara
Ivan Vides
Irma Villalobos

Domingo 14 de Febrero 12:00 pm

Carolina Bordes
Monica Pulido
Ambrosia Garcia

Sábado 20 de Febrero 7:00 pm

Juan Salamanca
Johana Lozado
Jennifer Vidal

Domingo 21 de Febrero 12:00 pm

Tony Sanchez
Maria Victoria Maldonado
Eugenia Velez

Agradecemos que por favor, el Segundo lector, llegue temprano para tomar las intenciones.

Attention CCD Families:

The CCD Calendar
 can be found in our website:

saintfrancisdesaleslodinj.org/calendars

Memorials

The Bread and Wine will be offered for
Ruthe Luna

The Sanctuary Lamp will be burned for
Ruthe Luna

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.

WEEKLY EVENTS

SATURDAY January 30

7:00am-7:00pm Chapel is open for prayer
 4:00 pm Confessions
 4:15 pm RCIA for minors
 5:30 pm RCIA for adults

SUNDAY January 31

8:45 am CCD Classes Levels 1-7
 8:45 am Sp Comm 1 & 2

MONDAY February 1

7:00 am 7:00 pm Chapel is open for prayer
 7:00pm Level 8

TUESDAY February 2

7:00 am-7:00pm Chapel is open for prayer

WEDNESDAY February 3

7:00am -7:00pm Chapel is open for prayer
 7:00 pm Baptismal Class English

THURSDAY February 4

7:00am -7:00pm Chapel is open for prayer
 8:30-9:30 Reunion Ministerio de las Martas

FRIDAY February 5

7:00 am- 7:00 pm Chapel is open for prayer
 7:00 pm Spiritual Night Youth Group

SATURDAY February 6

7:00 am- 7:00 pm Chapel is open for prayer
 4:00 pm Confessions
 4:15 pm RCIA for minors
 5:30 pm RCIA for adults

THE SUNDAY MASSES FOR 9AM / 10:30AM / 12:00PM WILL BE LIVE-STREAMED
 LAS MISAS DE 9AM / 10:30AM / 12:00PM DEL DOMINGO SERÁN TRANSMITIDAS EN VIVO

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.

Sharing God's Blessings
 Archbishop's Annual Appeal*

Updated
 01/17/2021

Goal Amount	\$19,811.00
Balance of Goal - Pledges	\$4,150.00
Balance Pledge	\$2,140.00
St. Vincent de Paul Poor fund	\$100.00

Weekly Offerings January 25, 2021

Online Giving—Collection	\$ 90.00
Collection	\$ 2,820.50
Assessment	\$ 55.00
Food Pantry	\$ 00.00
Fuel Collection	\$ 243.00

ATENTO AVISO

La misa de 12:00 en español en domingo será en el gimnasio hasta nuevo aviso.

Este pendiente de revisar en el sitio en línea:

Saintfrancisdesaleslodinj.org

para ver posibles cambios.

Activity for Children of God

F	O	N	N	R	T	I	T	P	S	CAPERNAUM	SABBATH	SYNAGOGUE
Q	O	A	S	E	B	I	R	C	S	TEACH	SCRIBES	UNCLEAN
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Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

January 30-31

5:00 pm Sister Martine/ **Vilma Maikish**
 7:30 am Mary Ann Harris/ **Ron Marino**
 10:30am Pauline Gonsisko / **Dale Sipos**

February 13-14

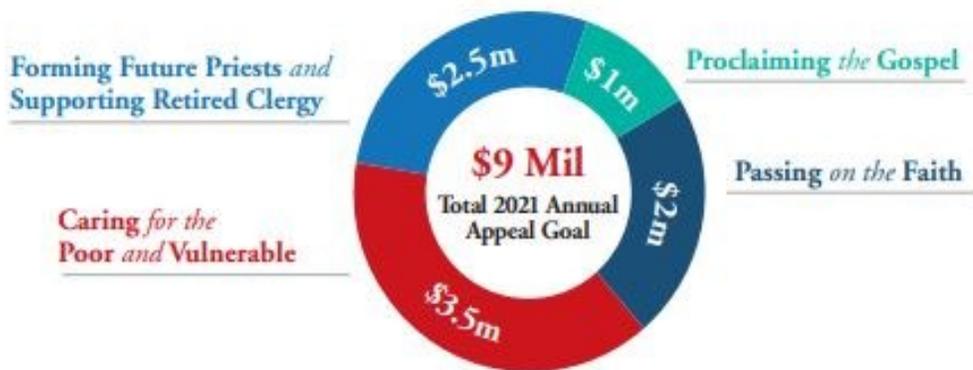
5:00pm Sister Lois / **Elaine Murgolo**
 7:30am Bruce Masopust/ **Charles Gibbons**
 10:30am Carmen Pilger/ **Joseph Capozzi**

February 6-7

5:00pm Lucy Rieger / **Sister Martine**
 7:30am Frank Steffens / **Chris Fredericks**
 10:30am Mary Walsh/ **Mary Scimeca**

February 20-21

5:00pm Sister Martine/ **Peter Christiana**
 7:30am Mary Ann Harris/ **Ron Marino**
 10:30am Pauline Gonsisko/ **Dolores Putt**



Annual Appeal ^{the 2021} Case for Support

Your gift to the 2021 Annual Appeal supports essential programs and ministries including:

\$1 Million Proclaiming the Gospel

- Ministry to Multi-Ethnic Communities
- Office of Evangelization
- Office of Family Life
- International Missions
- Ministry with the Deaf

\$3.5 Million Caring for the Poor and Vulnerable

- Catholic Charities
- Hospital and Prison Chaplaincy
- Ministry With Persons With Disabilities
- Respect Life Office
(Includes Mercy House and Pro-Life Efforts)
- Protecting God's Children

\$2 Million Passing on the Faith

- Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry
- Catechetical Office
- Campus Ministry and affiliated Colleges & Universities
- Catholic Schools

\$2.5 Million Forming Future Priests and Supporting Retired Clergy

- Continuing Formation for Priests
- Seminarian Education
- Priest Health Care



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