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 [StFrancisdeSalesChurchLodiNJ](https://www.youtube.com/StFrancisdeSalesChurchLodiNJ)

OFFICE HOURS DURING SUMMER TIME

Monday through Friday 9a.m.—2 p.m.

08/21 Saturday	5:00 p.m. English Vigil Mass 7:00 p.m. Spanish Vigil Mass
08/22 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
08/23 Monday	12:00 p.m. Angelus/ English Mass
08/24 Tuesday	7:30 a.m. English Mass
08/25 Wednesday	12:00 p.m. Angelus / English Mass
08/26 Thursday	12:00 p.m. Angelus/ English Mass 8:00 p.m. Spanish Mass
08/27 Friday	12:00 p.m. Angelus / English Mass
08/28 Saturday	12:00 p.m. Angelus / English Mass 5:00 p.m. English Vigil Mass 7:00 p.m. Spanish Vigil Mass

If you need help or need to speak to someone during this time please call our emergency number: 201-638-6323.

August 22, 2021

21st Sunday

in Ordinary Time



Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.” (Jn 6: 68)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 04:00 pm to 05:00 pm 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,

The Gospel of today states "This saying is hard; who can accept it?" After you hear the readings of today you might say this as the disciples said it to Jesus then. To follow Christ, if seen just as a set of rules or behaviors to follow, can be understood as difficult and harsh. It is interesting that as long as the disciples were fed, they were happy with Jesus Christ. This begs the question, why are you following Christ? Because to follow Christ, implies that there is a different way of seeing the world and behaving. We do not believe in abortion, in euthanasia, in certain policies of the world, we believe sexuality is sacred, we are called to love our enemies. So why are you following Christ? Do you believe everything that the Church teaches as handed down to us by Christ? All these questions are fundamental to understand what a Christian is. For this reason, it is fundamental time to time, to reassess our following of Christ. However, if you are following Christ because you had a meeting with him; if you have discovered his love – another answer comes: "Lord to whom shall we go? You only have the words of Eternal Life." This is the point. If you have met Christ, then, to follow him comes not from effort but from love and you start seeing the world as Jesus Christ sees it. Thus, today is an invitation to discover Christ and to fall in love with him.

On August 25, we will have a parent meeting for confirmation candidates about True Love Waits program. Please make sure that you attend. And mark your calendars for our End of Summer Parish BBQ on September 12 at 1 pm. Please take a bulletin for more information.

Saint Francis de Sales Pray for Us!

Queridos hermanos y hermanas:

El Evangelio de hoy dice: "Esta palabra es dura; ¿quién puede aceptarlo? Después de escuchar las lecturas de hoy, puede decir esto como los discípulos se lo dijeron a Jesús entonces. Seguir a Cristo, si se ve solo como un conjunto de reglas o comportamientos a seguir, puede entenderse como difícil y severo. Es interesante que mientras los discípulos fueron alimentados, fueron felices con Jesucristo. Esto plantea la pregunta, ¿por qué estás siguiendo a Cristo? Porque seguir a Cristo, implica que hay una forma diferente de ver el mundo y de comportarse. No creemos en el aborto, en la eutanasia, en ciertas políticas del mundo, creemos que la sexualidad es sagrada, estamos llamados a amar a nuestros enemigos. Entonces, ¿por qué estás siguiendo a Cristo? ¿Crees todo lo que la Iglesia enseña según nos fue transmitido por Cristo? Todas estas preguntas son fundamentales para entender qué es un cristiano. Por esta razón, es fundamental de vez en cuando, reevaluar nuestro seguimiento de Cristo. Sin embargo, si está siguiendo a Cristo porque tuvo una reunión con él; si has descubierto su amor, llega otra respuesta: "Señor, ¿a quién iremos? Solo tienes las palabras de la vida eterna ". Este es el punto. Si has conocido a Cristo, entonces, seguirlo no proviene del esfuerzo sino del amor y comienzas a ver el mundo como lo ve Jesucristo. Así, hoy es una invitación a descubrir a Cristo y a enamorarse de él.

El 25 de agosto, tendremos una reunión de padres para los candidatos a confirmación sobre el programa True Love Waits. Por favor asegúrese de asistir. Y marque sus calendarios para nuestra barbacoa parroquial de fin de verano el 12 de septiembre a la 1 pm. Por favor, tome un boletín para obtener más información.

¡San Francisco de Sales ¡Ruega por nosotros!

Caros irmãos e irmãs

O Evangelho de hoje afirma: "Esta palavra é difícil; quem pode aceitar isso? " Depois de ouvir as leituras de hoje, você pode dizer isso como os discípulos disseram a Jesus então. Seguir a Cristo, se visto apenas como um conjunto de regras ou comportamentos a serem seguidos, pode ser entendido como difícil e duro. É interessante que, enquanto os discípulos foram alimentados, eles ficaram felizes com Jesus Cristo. Isso levanta a questão: por que você está seguindo a Cristo? Porque seguir a Cristo implica que existe uma maneira diferente de ver o mundo e de se comportar. Não acreditamos no aborto, na eutanásia, em certas políticas do mundo, acreditamos que a sexualidade é sagrada, somos chamados a amar os nossos inimigos. Então, por que você está seguindo a Cristo? Você acredita em tudo o que a Igreja ensina que foi transmitido a nós por Cristo? Todas essas perguntas são fundamentais para entender o que é um cristão. Por isso, é um momento fundamental para reavaliar o nosso seguimento de Cristo. No entanto, se você está seguindo a Cristo porque teve um encontro com ele; se descobriste o seu amor - vem outra resposta: "Senhor, para quem iremos? Você só tem as palavras de Vida Eterna. " Essa é a questão. Se você encontrou Cristo, segui-lo não vem do esforço, mas do amor, e você começa a ver o mundo como Jesus o vê. Assim, hoje é um convite a descobrir Cristo e a apaixonar-se por ele.

Em 25 de agosto, teremos uma reunião de pais para os candidatos à confirmação sobre o programa True Love Waits. Por favor, certifique-se de comparecer. E marque em sua agenda nosso churrasco no fim do verão no dia 12 de setembro às 13h. Por favor, leve um boletim para mais informações.

São Francisco de Sales ora por nós!

Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Saturday August 21st. St Pius X

12:00 pm English	† Doris Lourick by Judith and Michael Grembowiec
5:00 pm English	† Vera and Joseph Gerace by Marge and Dominic DiMaulo
7:00 pm Spanish	Intensiones Comunitarias

Sunday August 22nd. Twenty first Sunday in Ordinary Time.

7:30 am English	† Carl Weiboldt by The Family
9:00 am Portuguese	† Antonio Nobre by Isabel Nobre
	† Joao Capela Paeis e Sogios by Esposa & Filhos
	† Serafim Fernandes by Esposa, Filhos e Netos
10:30 am English	† Josephine Fallano by Judith Schroeder
12:00 pm Spanish	† Byron Miguel Gonzalez Beltran by Sandra Alvarez

Monday August 23rd. St Rose of Lima, Viorgin

12:00 pm English	† Charles Palumbo & Nicole Velez by Anna Lipari
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Tuesday August 24th. St Bartholomew, Apostle

7:30 am English	SAINT BATHOLOMEW by JAMES HESS
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Wednesday August 25th. St Louis; St Joseph Calasanz, Priest

12:00 pm English	† MARTHA HESS by JAMES HESS
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Thursday August 26th. Weekday in Ordinary Time

12:00 pm English	† Charles Palumbo & Nicole Velez by Anna Lipari
8:00 pm Spanish	Intensiones Comunitarias

Friday August 27th. St Monica

12:00 pm English	Community Intentions
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Saturday August 28th St Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

12:00 pm English	† Cornelius "Bud" Wenthen III by The Campillo and Tocci Families
5:00 pm English	† Jorge Matos by Sister, Niece and Grand Niece
7:00 pm Spanish	Por el Saludo de Eray Eksoz de su esposa e hijos. by Ruby Eksoz

Sunday Readings

21st Sun in Ordinary Time: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17 • Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 • Eph 5:21-32 • Jn 6:60-69

22nd Sun in Ordinary Time : Dt 4:1-2, 6-8 • Jas 1:17-18. 21-22.27 • Mk7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Pray for

Bob Goodwin, Irene Luczyk, David Pilger, Rose Tavoraro, Mary Zabran, Andy Mullins, Alfred Pelikan, Jacob Berard, Ann Tramuta, Rose Jasmine, Louis Jasmine and Sister Martine, Carolin D'Anico.

Ministros Lectores y Eucaristía

Sabado 21 de Agosto 7:00 pm	Domingo 22 de Agosto 12:00 pm
Juan Salamanca	Carlos Castaneda
Carmen Rosa	Nubia Costa
Jennifer Vidal	Elizabeth de la Rosa
Sabado 28 de Agosto 7:00 pm.	Domingo 29 de Agosto 12:00 pm
Carlos Castaneda	Naira Bellinghieri
Nubia Costa	Maria Victoria Maldonado
Elizabeth de la Rosa	Eugenia Velez

Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

August 21-22		August 28-29	
5:00 pm	Cathy Zalenski Vilma Maikish	5:00 pm	Lucy Rieger Cathy Zalenski
7:30 am	Frank Steffens Ron Marino	7:30 am	Bruce Masopust Chris Fredericks
10:30 am	Mary Walsh Dale Sipos	10:30 am	Carmen Pielger Mary Scimeca
September 4-5		September 11-12	
5:00 pm	Sister Lois Elaine Murgolo	5:00 pm	Sister Martine Vilma Maikisch
7:30 am	Mary Ann Harris Charles Gibbons	7:30 am	Frank Steffens Ron Marino
10:30 am	Maryellen Sabatino Joseph Capozzi	10:30 am	Nancy Cardone Dolores Putt

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.

Memorials

The Bread and Wine will be offered for
† Hellen Mondell
The Sanctuary Lamp will be burned for
† Helen Mondell

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 August 21

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

4:00 pm Confessions

SUNDAY August 22

7:00 am-2:00 pm Chapel is open for prayer

MONDAY August 23

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

TUESDAY August 24

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

8:30 pm NCW Community

WEDNESDAY August 25

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

6:45 pm Vespers and Parish house visitations

THURSDAY August 26

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

FRIDAY August 27

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

SATURDAY August 28

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

4:00 pm Confessions

THE SUNDAY MASSES FOR 9AM / 10:30AM / 12:00PM WILL BE LIVE-STREAMED

LAS MISASAS DE 9AM / 10:30AM / 12:00PM DEL DOMINGO SERÁN TRANSMITIDAS EN VIVO



ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH

RECTORY OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Mon-Fri 9 AM – 2 PM

AUGUST 9 – 27, 2021

Normal hours will resume on Monday, August 30, 2021.



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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Registration for 2021/2022

Levels 1, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7: First Child \$55.00 (Each additional child \$45.00, *must be from the same family and household)



Level 2 – First Holy Communion: \$150.00



Level 8 – Confirmation: \$175.00

- You can also register online at:

<https://saintfrancisdesaleslodi.org>

See CCD Registration on left hand side of the Home Page

- Blank Forms will also be available in the Rectory Foyer and can be filled out and returned with payment to the Rectory Office during normal office hours

Payments can be made by Cash, Check or Credit Card (if payment is a hardship, please contact Fr. Preston)

Registrations will close on September 12, 2021

Following this date all registrations will be subject to a late fee of \$50.00

Weekly Offerings August 15, 2021

Collection	\$ 3144.00
Assessment	\$48.00
Online Giving	\$200.00

Archbishop's Annual Appeal	Updated on August 8, 2021
Goal Amount	\$19,811.00
Pledges Received	\$24,000.00
Balance of Pledges	\$2,550.00
Percentage of Goal	121.14%
Number of Donors	127
St. Vincent de Paul Poor Fund	\$500.00



Be Extraordinary! Immaculate Conception High School in Lodi, New Jersey is still accepting applications for all grade levels for the 2021-2022 school year. We proudly welcome young women from all Catholic, Private and Public schools. For more information, visit our website – www.ichslodi.org or contact Nicole Mineo, Coordinator of Enrollment Management – (973) 773 – 2665 or nmineo@ichslodi.org



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PARISH BARBECUE

Come enjoy an afternoon barbecue
together as we say farewell to the summer!
Disfrutemos una tarde juntos para despedir
el verano!

Venha desfrutar uma tarde juntos na
despedida do verao!

SUNDAY, SEPT. 12, 2021
1 - 5 PM

★ DELICIOUS FOOD FOR PURCHASE
★ BEER GARDEN

