

# SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH

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## OFFICE HOURS

**Monday through Friday 9a.m. - 7p.m.**

## MASS SCHEDULE

|                       |                                 |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>9/20 Sunday</b>    | <b>9:00a.m. Portuguese Mass</b> |
|                       | <b>10:30a.m. English Mass</b>   |
|                       | <b>12:00p.m. Spanish Mass</b>   |
| <b>9/21 Monday</b>    | <b>12:00p.m. Mass</b>           |
| <b>9/22 Tuesday</b>   | <b>7:30a.m. Mass</b>            |
| <b>9/23 Wednesday</b> | <b>12:00p.m. Angelus / Mass</b> |
| <b>9/24 Thursday</b>  | <b>12:00p.m. Angelus / Mass</b> |
| <b>9/25 Friday</b>    | <b>12:00p.m. Angelus / Mass</b> |
| <b>9/26 Saturday</b>  | <b>12:00p.m. Angelus / Mass</b> |
|                       | <b>5:00p.m. English Mass</b>    |
|                       | <b>7:00p.m. Spanish Mass</b>    |

- **Maximum family member attendance per mass is 10 people.**
- **Monday through Friday 9am - 7pm, the Church is open for prayer (enter thru the chapel).**
- **Please keep Social distancing and wear a face mask at all time. - If you need help or need to speak to someone during this please call our emergency number 201-730-1497**

September 20, 2020



## *Sacrament of Reconciliation*

**Saturday: By appointment Only**

### ***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



*Archdiocese of Newark*  
OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP

September 20, 2020

My Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

On September 20<sup>th</sup>, the third Sunday of September, the U. S. Bishops call us once again to celebrate Catechetical Sunday in order to recognize and support in prayer those called to serve our parish communities in the catechetical ministry. The theme chosen for this year is **"I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you"** which is taken from St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians. In each parish, those who are called to the catechetical ministry, as catechists, parish catechetical leaders, youth ministers, Catholic School religion teachers and leaders in our RCIA processes will be called forth to be commissioned for their ministry among us.

This year's theme recalls our responsibility as disciples of Jesus given to us at our Baptism to share what we have received. Through our words and actions we are called to witness and to share our faith with others and to strengthen the faith of those whose lives we touch.

Today, we continue to ask for the grace to be faithful witnesses in handing on the gift of faith. In these challenging times, our lives have been so disrupted by the Covid-19 pandemic. The current situation has called each of us to use our creativity and to make an extra effort and sacrifice to continue to reach our young people and our families.

In our civic responsibilities we are also called to hand on what we have received—the rich social justice tradition of the Church that comes to us from the Gospels. We do this in the ways we work to protect those who are poor and forgotten-- the refugee and those who are at the margins of society, to cherish and protect the environment and to reach out to all who suffer injustice and racial bigotry. This is how the vision of the Gospel calls us to hand on what has been entrusted to us to enable Jesus to be recognized in the world through our witness and our choices. Through our catechetical ministry it is the task of the Church to hand on what we have received and to make this gift of faith alive and active.

As your Archbishop, I wish to join with the faithful of the Archdiocese in recognizing those who so generously offer their service in helping to make Jesus present by handing on what has been entrusted to us through the vital ministry of catechesis in our parishes and schools. I offer my gratitude and that of the whole Church of Newark to our catechists, our parish catechetical leaders and our Catholic school teachers and administrators and offer to them our support and our prayers.

May God bless you for your efforts to make Jesus present by handing on what you have received.

Sincerely yours in Christ the Redeemer,

Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R.  
Archbishop of Newark

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# 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday September 19th, Week Ordinary Time

- 12:00 pm  
English † Ellen Gibbons by Eloisa Meric
- 5:00 pm  
English † Joseph Cappozzi, Sr. by Joseph and Susan Cappozzi
- 7:00 pm  
Spanish Jose and Gloria Perez 31st year wedding anniversary by Gloria Perez  
Daniel and Daniela Perez 4yrs wedding anniversary by Gloria Perez  
† Edgar y Luz Marina Sanchez 29th Wedding Anniversary by Gloria y Jose Perez

### Sunday September 20th, Week of Ordinary Time

- 9:00 am  
Portuguese † Francisco Nunes e Laura Rodrigues by Mario e Sara Nunes  
† Antonio Nobre by Pais, Filhos e Irmaos  
† Preciosa e Antonio Fernandes by Antonio e Irene Fernandes
- 10:30 am  
English † Catherin Zingale by Madeline Marte  
† Ellen Gibbons by Barbara Hughes  
† Michael Warchol by Dolores and Bob Putt
- 12:00 pm  
Spanish † Cleri Pozzobon by Graciela Gervasoni  
† Claudio Vilches by Graciela Gervasoni

### Monday September 21st, Week of Ordinary Time

- 12:00 pm  
English † Beatrice and Dominic Lombardi by Ron and Marge and Family

### Tuesday September 22nd, Week of Ordinary Time

- 7:30 am  
English † Teresa Mazarolle by Joseph and Susan Capozzi

### Wednesday September 23rd, Week of Ordinary Time

- 12:00 pm  
English † Anne Parente by Parente Family

### Thursday September 24th, Week of Ordinary Time

- 12:00 pm  
English Alfredo Oliveria, Pais e Filhos by Rosa Fernandes

### Friday September 25th, Week of Ordinary Time

- 12:00 pm  
English † Ann Schnepel by Ann Schnepel

### Saturday September 26th, Week of Ordinary Time

- 12:00 pm  
English † Beverly Scioluzzo by Eloisa Meric
- 5:00 pm  
English † Miguel Velez by Luis and Mirna Velez
- 7:00 pm  
Spanish † Intenciones Comunitarias

## Sunday Readings

Sept 20, Is 55:6-9; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a (133)  
Sept 27, Ez 18: 25-28; Phil 2: 1-11 or 2:1-5; Mt 21: 28-32 (136)

## Pray for

Mary Rodrigues, Eloisa Meric, Vilma Maikisch, Bob Goodwin, Joyce Kasperski, Irene Luczyk, David Pilger, Rose Tavoraro, Mary Zabran, Andy Mullins, Alfred Pelikan, Jacob Berard, Ann Tramuta, Barbara Winner, Alice Rigolosi, Rose Jasmine



Archdiocese of Newark  
OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP

20 de septiembre, 2020

Mis estimados hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

El tercer domingo de septiembre, en este año el 20 de este mes los obispos de los estados unidos nos convocan a celebrar el Domingo Catequístico, al fin de reconocer y de apoyar con nuestras oraciones a todos aquellos que en nuestras comunidades parroquiales prestan su servicio en el ministerio de catequesis. Este año, el tema seleccionado es "Lo que he recibido del Señor es lo que les entrego" que es tomado de la Primera Carta de San Pablo a los Corintios. En cada parroquia, los que han sido llamados, al ministerio de la catequesis, como los catequistas, líderes parroquiales de catequesis, ministros de jóvenes, maestros de religión de la Escuela Católica, y líderes del RICA serán llamados para ser comisionados en su ministerio entre nosotros.

Este año nos recuerda la responsabilidad como discípulos de Jesús que adquirimos por nuestro Bautismo de compartir lo que hemos recibido. A través de nuestras palabras y acciones estamos llamados a testimoniar y compartir nuestra fe con los demás y a fortalecer la fe de aquellos que podamos contactar.

Hoy pedimos la gracia de Dios para ser testigos fieles en compartir el regalo de la fe. En estos tiempos difíciles, nuestras vidas han sido interrumpidas por la pandemia Covid-19. La situación actual nos ha llamado a cada uno de nosotros a utilizar nuestra creatividad y a hacer un esfuerzo y sacrificio extra a fin de llegar a nuestros pueblos jóvenes y a nuestras familias.

Es nuestra responsabilidad cívica compartir lo que hemos recibido, la rica tradición de la justicia social de la Iglesia que nos llega a través de los Evangelios. Lo hacemos de la forma en que trabajamos para proteger a los pobres y olvidados, el refugiado y los que están marginados de la sociedad, para apreciar y proteger el medio ambiente y para alcanzar a todos los que sufren de injusticia y racismo. Así es como la visión del Evangelio nos llama a compartir lo que se nos ha confiado para que Jesús sea reconocido en el mundo a través de nuestro testimonio y de nuestras decisiones. A través de nuestro ministerio de la catequesis es tarea de la Iglesia compartir lo que hemos recibido y hacer que este don de fe se mantenga vivo y activo.

Como tu arzobispo, deseo unirme a los fieles de la Arquidiócesis para reconocer a los que tan generosamente ofrecen su servicio en hacer presente a Jesús al entregar lo que se nos ha confiado a través del ministerio vital de la catequesis en nuestras parroquias y escuelas. Les ofrezco mi gratitud y la de toda la Iglesia de Newark a nuestros catequistas, líderes catequéticos parroquiales, a maestros y administradores de nuestras escuelas católicas; para todos ellos, les ofrezco nuestro apoyo y nuestras oraciones.

Que Dios los bendiga por sus esfuerzos al hacer presente a Jesús y al entregar lo que han recibido.

Con mis mejores deseos quedo.

Sinceramente en Cristo Redentor,

*Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin*  
\* Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R.  
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## Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers



September 19 - 20

|         |                |                  |
|---------|----------------|------------------|
| 5:00PM  | Sister Martine | Elizabeth Genaro |
| 10:30AM | Carmen Pilger  | Mary Scimeca     |

## Memorials

The Bread and Wine will be offered for

**Mary Cirillo**  
**r/b Donald and Kathy Cirillo**

The Sanctuary Lamp will be burned for

**Mary Cirillo**  
**r/b Donald and Kathy Cirillo**

*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

### SUNDAY 9/20

|                    |                            |
|--------------------|----------------------------|
|                    | Levels 5, 6 & 7 Class      |
| 8:45a.m.-10:15a.m. | Level 2 Class              |
| 8:45a.m.-10:15a.m. | Levels 1,3 & 4 Class       |
| 8:45a.m.-10:15a.m. | Special Communion II Class |
| 1:30p.m. -         | Spanish Baptism            |

### MONDAY 9/21

|                   |                                                   |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| 9:00a.m.-7:00p.m. | Church is open for prayer (enter thru the chapel) |
| 7:00a.m.-8:30p.m. | Level 8 Class                                     |

### TUESDAY 9/22

|                   |                                                   |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| 9:00a.m.-7:00p.m. | Church is open for prayer (enter thru the chapel) |
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### WEDNESDAY 9/23

|                   |                                                   |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| 9:00a.m.-7:00p.m. | Church is open for prayer (enter thru the chapel) |
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### THURSDAY 9/24

|                   |                                                   |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| 9:00a.m.-7:00p.m. | Church is open for prayer (enter thru the chapel) |
| 7:00p.m.-         | Confirmation Rehearsal                            |

### FRIDAY 9/25

|                   |                                                   |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| 9:00a.m.-7:00p.m. | Church is open for prayer (enter thru the chapel) |
| 7:00p.m.—         | Confirmation                                      |

### SATURDAY 9/26

|            |             |
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| 4:00p.m. - | Confessions |
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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

### 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.

|                                                     |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Sharing God's Blessings Archbishop's Annual Appeal* | Updated 9/16/20 |
| Goal Amount                                         | \$17,925.00     |
| Balance of Goal - Pledges                           | \$14,400.00     |
| St. Vincent de Paul Poor fund                       | \$900.00        |
| <b>Weekly Offerings - September 9 and 13, 2020</b>  |                 |
| Collection of 9/9/20                                | \$2,261.00      |
| Collection of 9/13/20                               | \$1,929.00      |
| Peter's Pence                                       | \$35.00         |
| Assessment of 9/9/20                                | \$144.00        |
| Assessment of 9/13/20                               | \$115.00        |
| Food Pantry                                         | \$100.00        |
| Holy Land                                           | \$401.00        |

POPE FRANCIS

### GENERAL AUDIENCE

Wednesday, 16 September 2020

### Care of the common home and contemplative dimension

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

In our continuing reflections on the current pandemic in the light of the Church's social doctrine, we have seen the vital role played by the many people who generously care for others, especially the sick, elderly and most vulnerable. We have also recognized our responsibility to care for the natural world, whose beauty is all too often ignored and its resources squandered. In order to regain a proper sense of our place within God's creation, and of our call to respect and care for the earth and one another, we need to learn anew the art of *contemplation*. For when we enter into silence and contemplate our interconnected world, we come to appreciate the true meaning and value of all creatures, for each in its own way reflects something of God's infinite wisdom, goodness and beauty. Contemplation teaches us how integral we all are to the whole of creation, our calling to be faithful stewards of its riches, and our need to preserve it for future generations.

And this must not be delegated to others: this is the task of every human being. Each one of us can and must be a "guardian of the common home", capable of praising God for His creatures, and of contemplating creatures, and protecting them.

Upon all of you and your families I invoke the joy and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ. God bless you!

### Cuidado de la casa común y actitud contemplativa

Queridos hermanos y hermanas:

En nuestras continuas reflexiones sobre la pandemia actual a la luz de la doctrina social de la Iglesia, hemos visto el papel vital desempeñado por muchas personas que se preocupan generosamente por los demás, especialmente los enfermos, los ancianos y los más vulnerables. También hemos reconocido nuestra responsabilidad de cuidar el mundo natural, cuya belleza se ignora con demasiada frecuencia y se desperdician sus recursos. Para recuperar un sentido apropiado de nuestro lugar dentro de la creación de Dios y de nuestro llamado al respeto y cuidado de la tierra y de los demás, debemos aprender de nuevo el arte de la contemplación. Porque cuando entramos en silencio y contemplamos nuestro mundo interconectado, llegamos a apreciar el verdadero significado y valor de todas las criaturas, pues cada una a su manera refleja algo de la infinita sabiduría, bondad y belleza de Dios. La contemplación nos enseña cuán integrales somos todos de la creación en su conjunto, nuestro llamado a ser administradores fieles de sus riquezas y nuestra necesidad de preservarlas para las generaciones futuras.

Y esto no debe delegarse en otros: esta es la tarea de todo ser humano. Cada uno de nosotros puede y debe ser un "guardián de la casa común", capaz de alabar a Dios por sus criaturas, de contemplar las criaturas y protegerlas.

Sobre todos ustedes y sus familias invoco el gozo y la paz de nuestro Señor Jesucristo. ¡Dios les bendiga!

### Cuidando do lar comum e atitude contemplativa

Queridos irmãos e irmãs:

Em nossas contínuas reflexões sobre a atual pandemia à luz da doutrina social da Igreja, vimos o papel vital desempenhado por muitas pessoas que cuidam generosamente dos outros, especialmente os doentes, os idosos e os mais vulneráveis. Também reconhecemos nossa responsabilidade de cuidar do mundo natural, cuja beleza é muitas vezes ignorada e seus recursos são desperdiçados. Para recuperar um senso adequado de nosso lugar na criação de Deus e de nosso chamado para respeitar e cuidar da terra e dos outros, devemos reaprender o arte da *contemplação*. Porque quando entramos silenciosamente e contemplamos nosso mundo interconectado, passamos a apreciar o verdadeiro significado e valor de todas as criaturas, cada uma à sua maneira refletindo algo da infinita sabedoria, bondade e beleza de Deus. A contemplação nos ensina como todos nós somos essenciais para a criação como um todo, nosso chamado para sermos administradores fiéis de sua riqueza e nossa necessidade de preservá-la para as gerações futuras.

E isso não deve ser delegado a outros: esta é a tarefa de todo ser humano. Cada um de nós pode e deve ser "guardião da casa comum", capaz de louvar a Deus pelas suas criaturas, de contemplar as criaturas e protegê-las.

Sobre todos vós e as vossas famílias, invoco a alegria e a paz de nosso Senhor Jesus Cristo. Deus os abençoe!

# Saint Francis de Sales Church



**Bishop Michael A. Saporito**

**WELCOME  
TO OUR PARISH!**



**2020 ROSARY CONGRESS**

**7 Days  
&  
7 Nights**

Masses, Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration, Hourly Recitation of the Rosary, Confession, Processions

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3  
THROUGH  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9**

This Rosary Congress will take place in various churches throughout the Archdiocese of Newark (12 or 24 hours/parish). Plan to come and join others in prayers for reparation, life, peace, healing, renewal, families, our Country and our Church.

Sponsored by the  
Office for Evangelization [www.rcan.org/evangelization](http://www.rcan.org/evangelization)

SAVE THE DATE

**1000 Strong  
Rosary for Life**

Conference Call

**Tuesday, October 13, 2020  
at 7:00pm EST**

Our goal is 1,000 people praying in  
Reparation for the Sin of Abortion  
& for the Protection of the  
Babies in the Womb

Spread the word & sign up at:  
[www.lifeneteducation.org/1000strong](http://www.lifeneteducation.org/1000strong)

CONFERENCE CALL DETAILS  
WILL BE PROVIDED LATER



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## FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

|               |                                               |                                 |            |
|---------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------|
| CEREAL        | APPLE JUICE / ORANGE JUICE                    | CANNED VEGETABLES               | FRESH MEAT |
| OATMEAL       | CANNED FRUIT/ APPLE SAUCE                     | PAST A SAUCE (RAGU, PESTO, ETC) | COLD CUTS  |
| PEANUT BUTTER | PASTA                                         | DICE TOMATOES / TOMATO SAUCE    |            |
| JELLY         | MAC AND CHEESE                                | RICE                            |            |
| DRY MILK      | CANNED SOUP                                   | TUNA                            |            |
| BOXED MILK    | INSTANT MASHED POTATOES                       | CANNED CHICKEN                  |            |
| BREAD         | CANNED BEANS                                  | LUNCHEON LOAF                   |            |
| EGGS          | DRY LEGUMES (BEANS, PEAS, CHICKPEAS, LENTILS) | RAMEN                           |            |