

Saint Francis de Sales Catholic Church

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY JUNE 4, 2023

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Welcome!

Please register and become part of our parish community. You may fill out a registration form in the parish office during business hours.

Office Hours - M-F 8:30am-4pm
(Office closed between 12noon and 1:15pm daily)

Moving? If you are leaving the parish, please let us know by calling or dropping a note.

Sunday Mass

Saturday Vigil - 5pm
Sunday - 7am, 8:30am, 10:30am, 12:15pm,
5:30pm (Mass with contemporary music)

Daily Mass

Monday through Thursday - 6:30am and 8:30am
Friday - 6:30am and 12noon
Saturday - 9am

Benediction/Adoration

Friday - Adoration is held every Friday following the 12noon Mass through the evening and overnight until Saturday morning before the 9am Mass
Wednesday Holy Hour at 7pm



Sacraments

Confessions:

Friday 11am
Saturday 8am and 3:30pm; Wednesday 8pm;
One-half hour before Mass on Sunday.
Anytime by appointment. Confessions are held in the Church.

Matrimony: Parish couples planning to be married must make arrangements with the Office at least six months prior to the intended date of marriage.

Baptism: Baptisms are held on Sundays at 1:30pm. Baptism class is the Friday before the 3rd Sunday of the month 7pm. Call the office for details.

Anointing of the Sick: We are privileged to bring Holy Communion and administer the Holy Anointing to the sick and homebound upon request. Please call the office to let us know your needs.

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June 4, 2023

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. - Jn 3:16



REGISTRATION ENDS THURSDAY!!

Go to saintfrancisparish.org/vacation-bible-school to download registration form

Adult Leader for 4th Grade Tribe Needed!

We have a great need for people to help build the sets in the gym. The sets are already created, we just need the manpower to put them together. If you have simple building skills, please consider lending us a hand in the days before the start of VBS

Are you a tech person?!?

We someone to be on-hand 8:30am-noon to help with the audio-visual aspect of the Drama Station.

This Week

Sun., June 4	<u>Men's Basketball</u> 8:30pm OLVH
Mon., June 5	<u>Women's Council</u> Sip Dip n' Paint 6:30pm
Tue., June 6	<u>Women's Council</u> Sip Dip n' Paint 10am
	<u>Men's Basketball</u> 8:30pm OLVH
Wed., June 7	<u>SoulStitch</u> 9:30am Knights Hall
	<u>Holy Hour for Miraculous Medal</u> 7pm, Church
Fri., June 9	<u>Women's Prayer Group</u> 7am, Chapel

Masses for the Week

+ deceased

Sat., June 3

9:00 am

Sat., June 3

5:00 pm

Sun., June 4

7:00 am

8:30 am

10:30 am

12:15 pm

5:30 pm

Mon., June 5

6:30 am

8:30 am

Tue., June 6

6:30 am

8:30 am

Wed., June 7

6:30 am

8:30 am

Thu., June 8

6:30 am

8:30 am

Fri., June 9

6:30 am

12:00 noon

Sat., June 10

9:00 am

Sat., June 10

5:00 pm

Sun., June 11

7:00 am

8:30 am

10:30 am

12:15 pm

5:30 pm

Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions

In thanksgiving for prayers answered

Vigil: The Most Holy Trinity

Lois Gallagher

The Most Holy Trinity

+ John Burrell Otis

+ Deceased members of the Stanek famiy

+ Carl and Lindsay Heck

+ Edward Konchan

People of the Parish

Saint Boniface

Jack+ and Jean Burden

+ Jerry and Jean Tuman

Weekday

Clare Holman

+ Jack Burden

Weekday

Stephen Hertz

+ Logan Alexander Files

Weekday

Jack+ and Jean Burden

+ Salustiana Lingad Lim

Weekday

Rev. Nicholas Schierer

Bill O'Neil

Weekday

Caden Wright

Vigil: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Jack+ and Jean Burden

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

People of the Parish

Stefanie Livelsberger

+ Elaine and Dick Smith

Luke Magin

+ Emilie Lenhart

Readings for the Week

Sun:	Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 (52b)/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18
Mon:	Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8/Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-4, 5-6/Mk 12:1-12
Tue:	Tb 2:9-14/Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9/Mk 12:13-17
Wed:	Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/Mk 12:18-27
Thu:	Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mk 12:28-34
Fri:	Tb 11:5-17/Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Mk 12:35-37
Sat:	Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Tb 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8/Mk 12:38-44

Dear Folks,

Today is Holy Trinity Sunday. Let us savor the creative, redemptive, and salvific facets of our religion that define our Faith, Devotions, and Morals. The origin of the Feast day goes back to the ninth century. Unlike many feasts that start closer to Rome this one started in Northern Europe... in what was considered a quiet time in the "Dark Ages." It is located at this time of year, following Pentecost, as a sort of close to the facets of God's movements, mentioned above, in time and space. We have one further celebration next week and that involves a Corpus Christie Procession to the Crux Gloria. That procession traditionally follows the 12:15 PM Mass. Please join us.



As the month of May comes to an end it does not mean a closure on our Marian devotions. I have noticed someone has placed a sign up list for the Legion of Mary in the Front Foyer I encourage folks to join the wonderful group that serves as a wellspring to so many blessings in the parish. In addition, I believe the Legion is setting plans for the restoration of the statue of the Blessed Mother to pass along through the families of the parish. That should be starting up soon.

God bless our recent graduates. I see a number of their pictures have been placed on the wall of the education center. Well done and our prayers go with them as their great adventure in life begins. Let us pray for one another.

Vacation Bible School registration ends this week. Please be sure to get the kids registered for this fun week. The VBS team has all the volunteers they need for the week but they need manpower to build the drama sets. Contact j.rees@saintfrancisparrish.org if you can help the ladies.

In closing, I pray one and all enjoy and happy, healthy, and holy Summer vacation. Please bring home a bulletin for the foolish pastor. It is always good to seek out the wisdom offered through the parishes in distant places. Please be careful in your travels.

Collegiate Answer: In honor of our members of the Air Force Community. US Air Force Blue (1957) www.youtube.com/watch?v=pos1BzW_t2A played by the Mitch Miller orchestra. The poem each morning in the start up of the TV networks when I was a child. Poem: High Flight, BY JOHN GILLESPIE MAGEE JR.

Collegiate Question: Tomorrow is the feast of a medieval king in Scotland. St. Margaret was his mother. Who was the king and why is he also considered a saint of the Church?

St. Francis de Sales 2023 Talent Show

Walt Shearrow	Master of Ceremonies
Jonny Curtis	"Star- Spangled Banner"
Dan McKenna	"Devil Wears a Suit and Tie," "Shenandoah," & "Life is Beautiful"
Chris Grande	"Not Smart Enough for a Smart Phone"
Michelle Marie Curtis	"Someone Like You"
Michelle Marie Curtis	"Simple Man"
& Jonny Curtis	
Doug Gilbert.....	"I Am a Pencil," "Mercy" & "You Don't Answer When I Call"
Stephen Gould.....	"Somewhere Over the Rainbow" & "Edelweiss"
INTERMISSION	
Tripp Curtis.....	"I Feel Good"
Vince Perri	"The Tenpenny Bit," "The Lifting Banshee," "The Kesh" & "Love Theme from "The Godfather"
Kathy McKenna	"O' Danny Boy"
Kathy McKenna.....	"The Rose"
& Dan McKenna	
Christina Summers.....	"A Whole New World," & Marianne Tagge "Quando M'en Vo," & "Love Never Dies"
All Performers.....	"God Bless America"
A special Thank You to all the ministries and parishioners who helped put this show together.	
✠ Joy of Life	✠ CHRSM
✠ Knights of Columbus	✠ Women's Council

Our thoughts and prayers are with ...



Our Military Members: SGT Peter Audi, PFC Stephen G. Beard, 2nd LT Aleksandr Bissell, MAJ Andrew Cahan, USAF Mary Elizabeth Castaneda, SGT Ernesto G. Castro, LCpl Paul Cotter, LT Scott Cypher, CPT Ryan Patrick Godfrey, 2LT Alexandra Goodnow, Captain Ryan Patrick Grady, 2LT Patrick Gutierrez, PO2 Robin Hunt, Christopher Largent, CPT Jamie (Jovene) Liddle, SSG Joshua Jovene, PFC Joseph Jovene, CPT Vincent Jovene, USAF Mary Catherine Kuegler, CPT Rachel (Jovene) Malletts, MAJ Chuck Marshall, SSG Tim Marshall, Blaise Mason, Sam A. Mason, PV2 Brian McWilliams, 1st LT Caleb Magowan, Kenneth Kyle McWilliams, CPT Ross Mentzer, Kyle Minogue, Marine Nate Nelms, Kristin Ober, Marine Anthony Oliverio, LCpl John Owen Patterson, PFC Jorge Pedroza, Gy Sgt Jose O. Ruiz Pedroza, John Pileulsley, Joe Pultro, CWO Jason Runner, 1LT Matthew Ryan, LT Michael Tappe, LCpl Frankie Thyson, Shahin Uddin, SSgt Marnie Wickman, A1C Joshua Wilk, 1LT Jared Willard, Col. Theodore White

The Sick: Dominic Corcoran, Mike O'Brien, Sarah Nolan, Liz Keller; Joanne Harrington, Charles Williams, Patricia Naomi Alvarenga, Joe Graber, Christina Huth, Candace Daly, Melissa Jewel, Peggy Johnson, Frederick Campos, Grace Costello, Daniel Ramirez, Cynthia Ramirez, Silvia Vizcarra, Olga Howard, Diane Shirley, Brooke Cheney. Richard King, Patrick Whipp

The Deceased: Jean Pelkey, Jeanne Sweet, Michael Craig, Edward Konchan, Patrick Gaine, Judith Miller, Jean Young, Colette Baine, Ellen Sullivan, Nicholas Misi, Timotha Rainey, Mary Kay Madigan Ledue, Joan Jasinski, Heather Miles, Salome Torrijos, Jack Burden, James Lippert, Jack Spisak, Rose Lippert. Rodney Huth, Elaine Marshall

Diane Taylor, DRE
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St. Francis de Sales Religious Education

Summer Office Hours - M-TH 11am-3:30pm

Parents,

We have several religious education books on our lost and found table for pick up. If your child didn't bring home their book, please stop by the RE office to get it. Thank you!

Registration forms have been emailed to all currently registered families. Please visit our website saintfrancisparish.org/youth-religious-education/ if you need to download a form.

Registration for Religious Education SY '23-'24

Registration for next school year is open!
The following is the schedule of classes.

Sunday, 9 to 10:15 am

(Mass begins at 10:30, for families who would like to attend)
Preschool through 8th grade

Sunday, 11am to 12:15pm
RCIT

Sunday, 4 to 5pm
High school classes (Details TBA)

Monday, 5 to 6:15pm
Kindergarten through 8th, RCIC
Adult class (details, TBA)

Wednesday, 3:30 to 4:45pm
Preschool through 5th grade

Wednesday, 5 to 6:15pm
Grades 6-8 (pending enrollment)

Saturday, 10am to 12pm
SPRED (ages 6-12) - 12 sessions

Remember that *every year* of religious education is important! Please make sure to register early. All children are expected to successfully complete their current grade-level curriculum before registering for the upcoming school year.

Sacrament preparation is a two-year process. All children preparing for sacraments: Communion 1 & 2 (1st and 2nd grade), Confirmation 1 & 2 (7th and 8th grade), RCIC and RCIT are asked to attend classes in person. The homeschooling option is only available under extreme circumstances, with the approval of the Director of Religious Education and Father Gould.

We need YOU! Catechists, Classroom Assistants, Hall Monitors, and Substitutes, for the upcoming school year.



Lindsay Glass
Director of Youth Ministry
540-338-6381 or
l.glass@saintfrancisparish.org

High School

SUNDAY YOUTH NIGHT

ALL high schoolers are invited to Youth Nights most Sundays after 5:30pm Mass in room 213. Deepen your relationship with God, learn more about Jesus, and grow your desire for life-long discipleship with Him. Newcomers and friends are always welcome! Due to the Memorial Day holiday and WorkCamp related events, our next meeting is **Sunday, June 25th.**



- Arrive 10 minutes early!
- Follow signs and park near the Education building
- Pay (cash/check/cc)
- Pick-up after Mass!
- Sign up TODAY!

LAST REQUEST – ITEMS NEEDED!

We are in need of SEVERAL items to BORROW and/or DONATE for WorkCamp- water, pizza, drop cloths, fans, tools, even drivers and vans. Scan this QR code to **SEE THE FULL LIST** and reach out to Shahin or Maggie at familyuddin@gmail.com with questions. Thank you for your generosity and prayerful support!

REMIND

High schoolers and parents, go to <https://remind.com/join/a4d636> or text @a4d636 to 81010 to receive text reminders and event updates.



July 19th-21st

Discover Christ in others.
Discover Christ in you.

ADULTS OF ALL AGES --
our teens need you!

Let me know if you can be a team leader at a local worksite, assist with games, spiritual reflections, discussions, or meals.

Registration coming soon!

Middle School



REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

Go to www.saintfrancisparish.org
Click on Youth Ministry and follow the links.

St. Francis Council 11136 News



COUNCIL MEETING: Our next Council meeting is Monday 12 June at 7:30 in the Knights Hall. We will begin the transition of the council officer team, please join us to discuss events for the 2023-2024 fraternal year.

BLUE BAG HAND OUT: We will be handing out blue grocery bags after masses this weekend and be collecting them with food donations on 10-11 June.

BUILDING THE DOMESTIC CHURCH: The Knights of Columbus seeks to strengthen family life through its Building the Domestic Church While Strengthening Our Parish initiative. Through this initiative, the Order endeavors to support Christian family life and encourages councils and families to more fully integrate with the sacramental and social life of their parish. We thereby hope to not only help each family participate in the Church's mission of evangelization, but to also strengthen our members and revitalize our parishes. Please see the Building the Domestic Church Kiosk in the Narthex.

JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: It is easier than ever to process an application for membership, go to kofc.org/join and with just a few entries you will be a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Jay Hallam, Grand Knight
St. Francis Council #11136. Knights11136@gmail.com;
www.facebook.com/knights11136/

Knights Install New Gabriel Project Sign

A big thank you to our Knights of Columbus Council #11136 for purchasing and installing a new "Sign for Life" for our parish Gabriel Project pregnancy assistance ministry. The Gabriel Project serves any expectant or new mother in need of material, emotional, or spiritual support. Trained volunteer Angels are matched with mothers-in-need to accompany them on their journey. For pregnancy assistance, call the Gabriel Project confidential helpline 703-841-3810

Looking for a way to help support Women who Choose Life?

Birthright of Loudoun, a crisis pregnancy center in Leesburg, maintains an Amazon Gift Registry with a wish list of reasonably priced items most wanted by new moms in need. Access the registry at www.amazon.com/registries/custom/JIJ2X48CEMTI/guest-view or by going to Amazon.com, "Find a Gift", "Custom Gift List" and entering "Birthright of Loudoun".

If you prefer, cash donations can be sent to:
Birthright of Loudoun, 16 Royal St, SE, Leesburg, VA 20175

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Day of Prayer and Healing After Abortion Care for Women

After Abortion Retreats: A Day of Prayer & Healing for women who have experienced abortion will be on Saturday, July 29 and Saturday, September 30. These group healing events are held in a private and peaceful setting, in English and Spanish, based on the Entering Canaan model. There will be an opportunity to hear from a past participant and others who have found healing. You are not alone. Take the first step. For confidential inquiries, please contact Project Rachel Ministry: (703) 841-2504 or info@helpafterabortion.org

Pastoral Resources for Those Suffering After Miscarriage, Infertility & Infant Loss

For those who are suffering the cross of infertility and miscarriage, you are not alone. Visit the diocesan website for a list of resources to support you and your family during your most difficult days. www.arlingtondiocese.org/find-support/miscarriage-and-infant-loss/

Project Rachel Post Abortion
Healing Ministry:
888-456-HOPE or visit: www.helpafterabortion.org.

Gabriel Project Pregnancy Assistance Ministry:
866-444-3553 or
info@helpforpregnantwomen.org

Homeless Ministry

Brothers and sisters, today let us implore this grace: to love Jesus in his abandonment and to love Jesus in the abandoned all around us. Let us ask for the grace to see and acknowledge the Lord who continues to cry out in them. May we not allow his voice to go unheard amid the deafening silence of indifference. God has not left us alone; let us care, then, for those who feel alone and abandoned. Then, and only then, will we be of one mind and heart with the one who, for our sake, "emptied himself" (Phil 2:7). He emptied himself completely for us. – Pope Francis, Palm Sunday Homily, 2023



Thank you to all those who participated by donating diaper bags to the Missionary Sisters of Charity in May. Our St. Francis Community was able to donate 16 diaper bags, blessings bags, and special gifts to homeless mothers along with our regularly scheduled meal.

- **Missionary Sisters of Charity in Anacostia – Serve between 60 and 100 meals.**
 - o We prepare and serve meals every 2nd Saturday of the month. All donated items are due to Knights Hall the preceding Thursday by 2pm.
 - Items due June 8th; meal delivered and served June 10th.
- **Loudoun Homeless Shelter – Serve between 40 and 80 meals.**
 - o We prepare and serve meals every 4th Thursday of the month. All items are due to the Knights Hall the preceding Wednesday by 5pm.
 - Items due May 24th; meal delivered and served May 25th.

"Keep the joy of loving God in your heart and share this joy with all you meet especially your family." – Mother Teresa

Join us in works of charity by signing up to purchase items, prepare the main dish, bake cookies and cakes, or to transport meals and supplies.

Contact one of us, and we will direct you to the Signup Genius lists:

- Fran Beebe franbeebe7@gmail.com
- Carie Losinski: skigators@me.com
- Suzanne Robinson suzannedrobinson@gmail.com

Holy Father Prayer Intentions for June

For the abolition of torture

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

Women's Council Corner

"No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." John 15:13



Funeral Reception Coordinator Wanted

We have a tremendous team to handle this very special task on short notice, but we need a team leader. If you could help we would be very appreciative! If interested, please email womenscouncil.sfds@gmail.com so we can add you to our team!

Next Social Event - Sip, Dip N' Paint -

Mon., June 5th, 6:30pm or Tue, June 6th, 10am
Our Lady of Victory Hall

Join us for a painting class with our own talented Diane Waller! The Monday class is full, but spots are still available for Tuesday; signup information is available on the website.



Next Planning Meeting - Monday, June 26th

6:30pm Rosary in the Chapel | 7pm Meeting in the Library.

All women are invited to our business meeting where we plan our spectacular socials & special events and discuss current news. We welcome your ideas.

Please check our website for more details on each event. saintfrancisparish.org/womens-council

New to the parish or not getting our emails? Email us at womenscouncil.sfds@gmail.com to be added to our directory.



Did you notice something at St. Francis de Sales that needs cleaning, repair or maintenance? Our staff is hard at work maintaining our beautiful property. If you would like to make a suggestion, please direct all repairs and maintenance requests to our Facilities Manager, Tim McGinn at t.mcginns@saintfrancisparish.org or give him a call at the parish office (540) 338-6381, x133.



SoulStitch is a ministry that knits and crochets for those in need. Our members make whatever they would like and we find a place to donate what is made. Soul Stitch meets on the first and third Wednesday of the month from 9:30 to 11:30am; **and the second Wednesday of the month 12noon to 2pm (new date and time)**. Anyone who knits, crochets or would like to learn is welcome to join us. We provide the yarn. We have patterns or you can use your own. If you are unable to meet with us but are interested in making things to donate please contact us. For more information contact Karen Gaylord at windingwoodsfarm@gmail.com

Catholic Distance University

How Are We Saved? The Catholic View of Salvation

Offered June 12–July 3, 2023, this three-week online seminar will present ways to credibly, convincingly, and compellingly explain and share how we know that heaven and the afterlife are real. Taught by Steven Hemler, President of the Catholic Apologetics Institute of North America, this seminar will also present Catholic teaching on why it was necessary for Jesus Christ to suffer and die for us, and how we can accept this most precious gift of salvation. Tuition is just \$65 for those in the Diocese of Arlington, and study can be completed when you have time available during the offering dates. Enroll at www.pathlms.com/cdu/courses/38065. Be sure to use the access code CDU15ARLINGTON when setting up your account to receive the reduced tuition.

Special Religious Development (SPRED)

A program designed to support and serve children with developmental disabilities and will be offered this fall at St. Francis de Sales Parish for the '23-'24 RE year.

The SPRED program invites those with disabilities to come together in a small faith community to discover God's presence in their lives and to receive the Sacraments of Initiation, based on individual levels of readiness. Children with Down Syndrome, Autism, and Learning Disabilities are welcome to join this group!

The program meets for 12 sessions on Saturday mornings (10 AM- 12 PM) throughout the year from September – April. During each session, the children, along with adult volunteers, participate in catechesis and joyful activities that include crafts, music, and spiritual lessons with connections to the Mass, scripture, and daily life. The ability to read is not a requirement as all projects and activities are designed to meet the needs of children at various levels of achievement.

The Religious Education Department is currently seeking volunteers to be Catechists (lead catechist, music catechist, arts and crafts catechist, meal/snack catechist), for SPRED. If you are over 18 years of age and interested in working with people with disabilities, please consider volunteering with the SPRED Program. You will receive far more than you can ever give! VIRTUS training is available this summer for anyone not yet trained.

Enrollment begins in May for elementary and middle school children, ages 6-12. For more information, please contact Diane Taylor, DRE, at (540)338-6381 or email at d.taylor@saintfrancisparish.org.

Made for More: A Workshop for Women on the Journey of the Beloved

All women are invited to this workshop on Tuesday, June 6th from 6:15-9pm in the St. Theresa Parish Center in Ashburn. Do you long for greater peace and joy? Do you ever feel like the promises of God just aren't for you? Join workshop leader & author Elizabeth Leon for an evening of prayer, hope, & restoration. Drawing from scripture and Catholic teaching, we will discover how our brokenness can lead to healing, claim God's promises, and identify barriers to letting ourselves receive Christ's love. \$25 cost includes workshop materials and refreshments. Register at www.JourneyoftheBeloved.com. Questions? Contact Elizabeth Leon 703.283.4053 or onegratefulgirl@verizon.net

Below are the names of people along with the date of death in the month of June from our parish since the time St. Francis de Sales became a parish in 1967.

Scripture tells us to pray for the living and the dead. May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Bob Zurschmeide, June 19, 2022

Susan Keelor, June 5, 2022

Baraka Ullrich James, June 6, 2021

Margaret Maykrantz, June 9, 2019

Philippe Laffitte-Smith, June 1, 2018

Shannon Stotlar, June 22, 2018

Francis Rathjen, June 18, 2016

Sonya Deese Hall, June 3, 2016

Maureen Colville, June 28, 2014

Helen Driscoll - June 29, 2013

Maria Crawford - June 14, 2013

Beatrice Humphries - June 11, 2013

Tomas Santos - June 10, 2013

James Gutierrez - June 7, 2012

Marie Urda - June 23, 2010

Mary Agatha Spates - June 8, 2010

Patricia Howard - June 18, 2010

Anthony Guggenheimer - June 25, 2009

Violet D. Brown - June 26, 2007

Nicholas Bamburak - June 22, 2007

Mary A. Prior - June 17, 2007

Peter N. Gabby - June 10, 2007

Geraldine O. Clark - June 26, 2004

George Laudendack, Sr. - June 3, 2002

Ernest J. Kulik - June 22, 2000

Beverly P. Schwable - June 7, 2000

Frieda Ehmann - June 25, 1999

Edwin H. Ford - June 4, 1998

Penny E. Hill - June 8, 1998

Ruth E. McGinley - June 19, 1997

Joseph N. Stoutenburgh - June 1, 1996

Kathryn S. Luhrs - June 16, 1995

Ellen T. Bragg - June 3, 1994

Helen E. Muir - June 3, 1989

Carolyn W. Danek - June 26, 1985

Dorothy C. Payette - June 23, 1983

Caroline M. Jackson - June 20, 1981

Amy L. Sloyon - June 2, 1978

THE MINISTRY OF PRAISE

St. Francis de Sales' group of dedicated people of prayer, is on its third decade of service. The Ministry of Praise is a Spiritual Ministry in which prayer, joys and suffering are offered to God for the salvation of souls. Membership includes the sick, the handicapped, the homebound and senior citizens. We are currently inviting anyone interested in joining our team of pray-ers to contact Leslie Sheldon at the parish office lsheldon@saintfrancisparish.org (please designate Ministry of Praise on e-mail). Those who wish to have concerns prayed for may write their prayers and slip them into the Ministry of Praise box attached to the wall in the Narthex. You can also send the request on-line. Visit our webpage at www.saintfrancisparish.org/prayer-requests/ to fill out the form

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