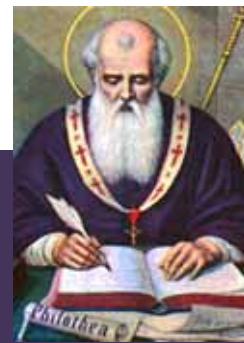


Welcome to the faith community of

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

LAKE GENEVA, WISCONSIN



February 21, 2010
1st Sunday of Lent

We, the community of St. Francis de Sales Parish, seek to **LIVE JESUS** through the empowerment of the Holy Spirit by ministering to the needs of our brothers and sisters through Word, Worship, Education and Service.



Temptation on the Mount, by Duccio di Buoninsegna, 1308-11

PRAYER & WORSHIP

Mass of Anticipation: Saturday, 5:15 p.m.

Sunday Mass: 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m.;
5:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Daily Mass: Monday—Friday, 7:00 a.m.; Saturday, 8:00 a.m.

School Mass: Thursday, 9:00 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Thursday, 10:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m.,
followed by Spanish Prayer Group at 6:00 p.m.
and English Rosary Group at 7:00 p.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday, 4:00 p.m.;
Sunday, 4:30 p.m. (Spanish)

PARISH OFFICE

Hours: Mondays, 10:00 a.m.—3:30 p.m.;
Tuesdays—Thursdays, 7:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.;
Fridays, 7:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

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PARISH SCHOOL

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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, February 20, 2010

- 8:00 a.m. † Linda Perenchio (Fr. Angel)
5:15 p.m. † Glen Barlow & Arthur D. Herlach (Fr. Terry)

SUNDAY, February 21, 2010

- 7:30 a.m. † Henry Rogers & Jeanne Kosterman (Fr. Terry)
9:00 a.m. All Parishioners (Fr. Tom)
10:30 a.m. Health Intentions of Nympha Centeno (Fr. Tom)
5:00 p.m. † Richard Barrientez (*Spanish Mass*) (Fr. Jim)

MONDAY, February 22, 2010

- 7:00 a.m. † Thomas Farrell

TUESDAY, February 23, 2010

- 7:00 a.m. † Helen Ralston

WEDNESDAY, February 24, 2010

- 7:00 a.m. † Jane Monahan

THURSDAY, February 25, 2010

- 7:00 a.m. † William H. Curran
9:00 a.m. All Students

FRIDAY, February 26, 2010

- 7:00 a.m. † Domingo C. Paz

SATURDAY, February 27, 2010

- 8:00 a.m. † Angie Kolnik (Fr. Angel)
5:15 p.m. † Patrick Gutkowski & Chris King (Fr. Terry)

SUNDAY, February 28, 2010

- 7:30 a.m. † Bernadean Trotta (Fr. Terry)
9:00 a.m. † Salvatore Argento (Fr. Terry)
10:30 a.m. All Parishioners (Fr. Terry)
5:00 p.m. † Joseph Cycenas (*Spanish Mass*) (Fr. Angel)

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Immediately after the engagement and before any date is set for the wedding, the couple is asked to make an appointment with the priest. Six months is the normal time required for preparation.

Scripture for the week of February 21, 2010

21	SUN	Dt 26:4-10/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13
22	Mon	1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19
23	Tue	Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15
24	Wed	Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32
25	Thu	Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12
26	Fri	Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26
27	Sat	Dt 26:16-19/Mt 5:43-48
28	SUN	Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/ Lk 9:28b-36

MINISTERS' SCHEDULE, FEB. 27/28

GREETERS

- 5:15 Helene Churchill
7:30 Lois Lambrilaz, Jim Lambrilaz, Becky Monahan, Pat Reynders
9:00 Maureen Allenstein, Amy Amann
10:30 Lisa Parker

USHERS

- 5:15 Wilbur Metz, John Wozniak, Brad Wozniak, Rose Wozniak
7:30 Irene Humphrey, Budd Humphrey, John Maas, Ron White
9:00 Brent Amann, Ray Lucivansky, Dennis Lyon
10:30 Patrick Frank, Harry Quinn, Terry Quinn, Lily Quinn

LECTORS

- 5:15 Ian Weber
7:30 Maureen Redmer
9:00 Diane Read
10:30 Cindy Kogol, Paul Kogol

SERVERS

- 5:15 Tyler Hall, Ellie Weber
7:30 Kaitlyn Cook, Chris Ponsonby
9:00 Carly Sinclair, Jack Sinclair
10:30 Mackenzie Dvorak, Madelyn Pacholczak

(Schedules are located in racks at both entrances of the church and on the parish website, www.stfrancislg.com.)

COUNTING CONTRIBUTIONS

- 2/22—Rosemary Schlitz, Dolleen Brenton, Meg Joyce
3/1—Helen and Ken Jacobson, June Borst

CARING FOR THE ALTAR

- 2/22-2/27—Mary Jo Krause
3/1-3/6—Ann Michuda

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the parish office for Baptismal preparation/registration.

SPANISH BAPTISMS

For information about baptisms in Spanish, please call Esmeralda Perez Sanchez at (262) 279-0668.

Para información sobre bautismos en español, por favor llamar a Esmeralda Perez Sanchez a (262) 279-0668.

CELL PHONE COLLECTION

The Knights of Columbus have placed a cell phone recycling box in the parish library to raise funds for Wisconsin Special Olympics. Thank you for thinking of this fundraiser whenever you are ready to toss out your cell phone.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

All articles for the bulletin must be submitted in writing to the parish office or emailed to rep@stfrancislg.com. The deadline is at noon on Monday.

EXPERIENCE THE SACRAMENTS!

Fr. Terry will be offering a series of talks and reflections on the Sacraments. We will begin with an overview of what a sacrament is and follow up with a deeper look into **Sacraments of Initiation** (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist), **Sacraments of Healing** (Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick) and **Sacraments of Commitment** (Matrimony and Holy Orders).

Come and deepen your knowledge of these pillars of our Catholic Faith. (6:30—8:00 p.m.)

Monday, Feb. 22

Monday, March 1

Monday, March 8

Thursday, March 18

Monday, March 22

HILLTOPPERS

The Hilltoppers meeting will be held Tuesday, Feb. 23. Please join us for our monthly Pot Luck Lunch at 12:30 p.m. You won't want to miss — a surprise guest will join us.

PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us. Protect those who are stationed overseas, especially: Jack Berg, Rich Borkowski, Mike Mustell, Christopher Bulla, Nick Mantych and the 4th Brigade, Second Infantry.

TAX TIME

If you would like a tax receipt for your 2009 contributions to St. Francis de Sales and have not yet received one, please contact Judie in the parish office at 248-8524.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

February 14, 2010

Parish Envelopes	\$17,713.00
Offertory	\$2,046.89
Capital Campaign	\$55.00
Angel Fund	\$122.00
Children's Offering	\$0.00
Human Concerns	\$35.00

(The Angel Fund benefits families of our day school program who need tuition assistance.)

Offertory Week Ending February 14

	Actual	Goal*	Surplus /(Shortfall)
Weekly	17,713	9,918	7,795
Weekly	2,046	2,259	(213)
	19,759	12,177	7,582
Year-to-Date	341,535	363,032	(21,497)
Year-to-Date	87,487	79,916	7,571
	429,022	442,948	(13,926)

*Goal figures are budget that results in \$95,000 deficit.

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

The following parishioners are ill and would like to be remembered in your prayers:



Jerome Kehl	Bernie Hackbarth
Jackie Heinrich	Jeannine Norman
Jo Anne Fesenmaier	Judy Eckert
Pete Petrouski	Kathleen Wilson
Bob Nordhaus	Don Kutz
Tim Harbeck	Donald Robert Comstock
Kit Harley	George Leedle
Karen Hess	Robert May
Glenn Hess	Michael Markham
Matthew Lichtenauer	Gloria Crowley
Leroy Vogt	Jim Crowley
Lily	Nancy Corboy
Eleanor Gorski	Ben Lambert
Tim Harbeck	

THE WEEK AHEAD: FEB. 21-28

Sun —	6:30 Youth Ministry
Mon —	6:30 Sacraments w/ Fr. Terry
	7:00 Prayer Group
	7:00 RCIA
Tues —	12:30 Hilltoppers
	1:00-3:00 Parish Nurse Hours
	3:00-9:30 Picture Directory Photos
	6:00 Small Faith Group
	7:00 Chorale
Wed —	9:00 MOMS
	10:30 Shepherds of Christ
	3:00-9:30 Picture Directory Photos
	6:00 Rel. Ed. (Grades 6-8)
	7:00 Steubenville Youth Meeting
	7:00 Contemporary Choir
Thurs —	10:00-6:00 Adoration
	6:00 Rosary/prayers (Spanish)
	6:30 Parish Council
	7:00 Rosary/prayers (English)
	7:00 MOMS
Fri —	3:00-9:30 Picture Directory Photos
	6:00 Stations of the Cross/Soup Supper
	6:00 Emmaus Women
	6:00 Spanish RCIA
Sat —	9:00 Spanish Couples Encounter
	9:30 AA
	10:00 Spanish Baptismal Preparation
	10:00-5:00 Picture Directory Photos
	6:30 Spanish Formation
	7:00 Emmaus Men
Sun —	9:00 Rel. Ed. (Grades 4K-5)
	10:00 Confirmation Blessing Rite and Sponsor Session
	3:30 Spanish Rel. Ed. (Grades 1-5)

LITURGY CORNER

We have been marked with Ashes and our Lenten Journey has once again begun. As we journey during this Holy Season, my challenge to each and everyone is to embrace what our communal prayer demands of us. Since the Second Vatican Council, our Church has encouraged and insisted upon the participation of all the faithful who gather for Mass. We come to offer our very best, and that means being more than spectators or an audience. The liturgy itself is quite simply “the work of the people.” Each one of us is called to offer ourselves to God, to pray from the depths of our soul, and to lift our voices together in prayer, profession, and song. So let us journey with Christ during this Lenten Season, and strive to offer our hearts to the Lord openly, confidently, and sincerely.

“Mother Church earnestly desires that all the faithful should be led to that full, conscious, and active participation in liturgical celebrations which is demanded by the very nature of the liturgy. Such participation by the Christian people is their right and duty by reason of their baptism” (Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy).

SHEPHERDS OF CHRIST

The Shepherds of Christ Associates pray for the needs of all priests. We also pray for the Church and the world as well as for our own families and their needs. We meet in church most Wednesdays for about one hour. All are welcome.

Next dates: Wednesdays, Feb. 24 and March 17, at 10:30 a.m.

YOUNG ADULT OPPORTUNITIES

The Nazareth Project of the John Paul II Center is excited to announce some upcoming Young Adult Opportunities.

40 Days in the Desert – A Lenten Speaker Series for Young Adults, Married and Single, in their 20s and 30s.

Milwaukee 2 Madrid - World Youth Day 2011- Young Adults (ages 18 to 39) are invited to learn more about our Pilgrimage to Madrid, Spain for World Youth Day 2011.

Loving the Sinner, Hating the Sin: Sorting Out Truth, Tolerance and Morality presented by Bishop Morlino of the Diocese of Madison – sponsored by Water’s Edge Catholic Young Adult Group.

Mass +Pistol Pete’s – Pray and hang out at a bar – it’s that simple. – sponsored by St. Agnes, St. Dominic and St. James Parishes.

Please visit our website www.johnpaul2center.org/NazarethProject/YoungAdult.htm for information on the above and for many more young adult events, activities, and groups.

MORNING OF REFLECTION FOR WOMEN WITH BISHOP SKLBA

Faith-filled Women and Mission, Saturday, March 6, 8:30-11:30 a.m., at St. Francis Seminary, 3257 S. Lake Drive, St. Francis. Cost: \$10 per person. Pre-register by Monday, March 1.

A morning of reflecting and rejoicing for all women. Bishop Sklba will be leading this morning which will continue the conversation concerning women’s life and work in the contemporary church. The morning includes a continental breakfast, prayer, presentation by Bishop Sklba, and time for reflection. This program is being sponsored by the John Paul II Center of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. To register or for more information contact Bonnie Bresnahan at 414-758-2240 or bresnahanb@archmil.org.

IT IS TIME TO START THE MOMS GROUP AGAIN!

Ministry of Mothers Sharing (MOMS)—a program for all women that promotes personal and spiritual development is starting up again this spring. Through sharing, mutual support and prayer, women have the opportunity to clarify their values, identify their strengths and bring this new awareness to their everyday lives. This is not a Bible study group, counseling group or parenting class. It is designed for your spiritual growth.

We hope to have **two sessions** of this eight-week spirituality series, depending on the interest. One session is on Wednesday mornings, from 9 to 11 a.m., running from Feb. 24 through April 14. The other session is on Thursday evenings, from 7 to 9 p.m., running from Feb. 25 through April 15. We will have a celebration dinner for the final session. There will be babysitting available for the morning sessions.

Space is limited and there is a journal entry to fill out BEFORE your first session... so be sure to sign up early!! Please pick up a flyer in the parish office that has all the program details to answer questions you may have. The flyer has the registration form on the back. Fill out the registration form and return it to Judie in the parish office. There is a minimal fee to cover the cost of books and other supplies. Contact Wendy Smith at 249-0064 or wendysmith28@yahoo.com with any questions or to register.

PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY



We are glad to have Olan Mills working with us to complete our new pictorial directory. They have offered to help us with contacting our families to schedule an

appointment to have your photograph taken. You will receive an 8" by 10" Olan Mills Signature Portrait and a copy of our new directory for coming in and having your photograph taken for our directory. We really want **everyone** to participate.

Because of the tremendous response, our February dates are at capacity. We are now able to schedule appointments for our next dates, which are April 22, 23, 24, and June 3, 4, 5. You can sign up today by calling Olan Mills at 1-800-866-2263, or sign up online through our parish website at www.stfrancislg.com and click on the link that says "Parish Directory Signup." It is best if you contact Olan Mills directly, however we recognize many are busy so they are also planning on calling you to schedule an appointment. If you are on a do not call list, you must contact Olan Mills.

This is an exciting time for St. Francis de Sales and we are sure your family will enjoy an opportunity for a new professional portrait. Make your reservation now to get the best time and date for you. Memories are forever!

RECONCILIATION SERVICE WITH ARCHBISHOP LISTECKI

Thursday, March 4, at 7 p.m.

St. Thomas Aquinas Parish, 305 First St., Waterford

The Archdiocese of Milwaukee is observing a "Season of Mercy" this Lent by placing a special emphasis on the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the need for forgiveness and mercy in our communities and everyday lives. As part of the Season of Mercy, Archbishop Jerome ListECKI is leading 15 reconciliation services throughout the archdiocese. Our parish is participating in this reconciliation service. You are invited to this evening which will be a wonderful opportunity to reflect on God's love and forgiveness in our lives. You can find out more about the Season of Mercy at www.johnpaul2center.org.

LENTEN STATIONS AND SOUP

Once again this year, St. Francis de Sales will host Stations of the Cross, followed by a Simple Soup Supper on Fridays during Lent. Stations will begin at 6 p.m. each Friday.

Different parish groups will provide soup each week, but we are looking for a few individuals to work in the kitchen for the supper every week.

If you would consider doing this as a little something extra during Lent, please call Greg Buchberger at 248-1680. Thank you!

Stations will be held on all of the Fridays of Lent at the following times:

Friday, Feb. 26 – 6 p.m. Stations and Simple Supper

Friday, March 5 – 6 p.m. Stations and Simple Supper

Friday, March 12 – 6 p.m. Stations and Simple Supper

Friday, March 26 – 6 p.m. Stations and Simple Supper

Friday, March 19 – 7:30 p.m. LIVING STATIONS,

hospitality to follow

Friday, April 2—7 p.m. Good Friday Stations of the Cross with Reading of the Passion

PRIVATE/INDIVIDUAL CONFESSIONS

The opportunity to receive Christ's healing through the Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered at the following times, or you may call the Parish Office to set up an appointment with Fr. Terry or Fr. Angel.

Every Saturday at 4:00 p.m. (before 5:15 p.m. Mass)

Saturday, March 6, 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

Monday, March 29 at 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, March 30 at 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, March 30 at 6:00 p.m.

LENTEN RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Sunday, March 21 at 1:00 p.m.

St. Francis de Sales Parish

A service of community forgiveness and reconciliation will be offered on Sunday, March 21, at 1:00 p.m. The opportunity to celebrate the individual Sacrament of Reconciliation will take place during this Lenten Service. Please join us in offering up our sins and failings before the Lord.

PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL, SPAIN AND FRANCE

Please join Fr. Rafael Rodriguez during our Pilgrimage to Portugal, Spain and France May 7-18, 2010.

Mass each day during our visit to Lisbon, Fatima, Salamanca, Avila, Madrid, Segovia, Burgos, Zaragoza, Lourdes and Paris.

For a brochure, contact Donna at (262) 473-3143 or monahand@archmil.org.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES SCHOOL NEWS

For the fifth year in a row, Time Warner Cable is proud to announce that St. Francis de Sales School is a finalist in the 2009 - 2010 **“Time Warner Cable Hang Tough Video Contest.”** Over 2,000 students from 70 public, private and parochial schools submitted more than 600 entries. Schools throughout Time Warner Cable’s 201 communities in Eastern Wisconsin were extremely well represented. This year 20 scripts were chosen as finalists. St. Francis de Sales School Eighth Graders **Jacque Fiorillo, Lauren Harris, Sophia Lazzaroni** and **Autumn Mikrut** script, entitled *“Stay on Track and Get Your Life Back”* was selected as one of the finalists.

Celebrating its 17th season, the Time Warner Cable Hang Tough Video Contest has enabled thousands of students to fight back against drug abuse and violence. Students encourage their peers to Hang Tough and be drug and violence free. Positive decision making abilities are also encouraged with this project.

Each school’s 30-second Public Service Announcement (PSA) will be produced with the guidance of a Time Warner Cable Producer/Director and will be cablecast 20 times a day over 20 cable networks such as: *USA, CNN, MTV, Lifetime, Headline News, TNN, The Discovery Channel, A&E, ESPN, BET, TNT* and *Nickelodeon* for one week.

All finalists and their classmates will be invited to attend the Time Warner Cable Hang Tough Video Contest Awards Premiere at the Milwaukee Area Technical College’s Cooley Auditorium to announce the winners of this year’s contest. Thousands are expected to attend the awards program, including students, celebrities, politicians, educators, principals and superintendents from school districts all over Wisconsin. At the awards premiere, a distinguished panel of judges will select the first, second and third place winners of this year’s entries. The top three winners will all receive exciting prizes and all student finalists will receive a trophy and a commemorative tee shirt.

Congratulations to Jacque, Lauren, Sophia and Autumn! Congratulations also go out to **Mrs. June Wozny**, who had the students create and write the script as part of a Health class assignment.

St. Francis de Sales School students will be praying the “Living Rosary” this Monday, February 22nd at 12:30 pm in the Church. Instead of sitting in pews, participants stand and form the rosary with their bodies. Each participant represents one bead of the rosary and leads the prayer for that bead. Parents and parishioners are invited to join us.

David Wieters
Principal

EUCCHARISTIC/YEAR OF THE PRIEST REFLECTION

As we go through Lent, continue to pray in a special way for all priests. Think how much we want and need holy priests. Remember how much priests want and need our prayers. The Milwaukee Archdiocese is observing a “Season of Mercy” during this Lent. This is a special time to take part in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, as well as reflect on the need for forgiveness and mercy in our communities and everyday lives. Lent could be a good time to pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy more often. There are Chaplet of Divine Mercy prayer cards and other prayer cards for Lent available at our church entrances.

PARISH LIBRARY NEWS

Are you trying to grow closer in your relationship with God? Do you want to improve your prayer life and make Lent more meaningful so you can rejoice in the true meaning of Easter? If so, then take advantage of the many Lenten books your parish library has to offer:

Day by Day Through Lent

The Seven Last Words of Jesus

Choosing Joy for Lent

Lent Begins at Home—Family Prayers and Activities

Believe the Good News—Daily Meditations on the Lenten Masses

A Time to Be (Re) Born—A Biblical Journey Through Lent

Words From The Cross

Backpack Meditations for Lent

Surrender—A Guide for Prayer

Lenten Messages from the Old Testament

A Mother’s Way of the Cross

Biblical Meditations for Lent

A Guide to the Passion—100 Questions About *The Passion of The Christ* Movie

The following is a list of books for children:

Simon Was Safe—A Passover Story

The Bread And The Wine—The Story of the Last Supper

Jesus Rides into Jerusalem

The Most Wonderful King

The Man Who Carried the Cross for Jesus

The Easter Women

The Donkey Who Served The King

Kiri and the First Easter

The Parish Library is located in the church entryway nearest to the Parish Center. Come and check it out!

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