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Liturgical Celebrations

Saturday Vigil5:00 pm
 Sunday Mass 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am
 Daily Mass Monday - Friday 8:00 am
 Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 3:30 - 4:15pm
 (or by appointment anytime)

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every
 Friday in the church.
 8:30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Rosary
 3:00pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy
 6:00pm Benediction and Reposition

Sacrament of Baptism

Prospective parents are encouraged to prepare for the
 Sacrament of Baptism prior to the birth of the child. The parish
 offers a required one-session parent preparation program. The
 sacrament is celebrated following the completion of this program.

Sacrament of Holy Orders

Please call the Office of Vocations at 401-831-8011 or e-mail at
www.catholicpriest.com for more information.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples are encouraged to make arrangements with the
 priest at least one year prior to the date of marriage.

Sacrament of the Sick

Please call anytime. If you know that you will be admitted to the
 hospital please call the office to make arrangements to
 receive the Sacrament of the Sick at a daily Mass. Please
 advise the parish when a parishioner is hospitalized.



Saturday, June 26

5:00pm +**Bartholomew & Lena Zanfagna**
by their children, grandchildren & family
and +**Richard Manocchia**
by the Ferro family

Sunday, June 27

7:30am **For Our Parishioners**
9:30am +**2Lt Matthew Coutu** (Ann.)
by his family
and +**Sherwood Rowland** (B'Day)
by the Crawford family
11:30am +**Mary C. Lynch** (74th Ann.)
by her family
and +**Peg Forman** (1st Ann.)
by her family

Monday, June 28

8:00am +**Donna August**
by Lorraine Johnson

Tuesday, June 29

8:00am +**Joseph Marzullo** (Ann.)
by his wife & family

Wednesday, June 30

8:00am +**Angelo & Sally Menna**
by their family

Thursday, July 1

8:00am +**Ritchie Allon Morse** (12th Ann.)
by his family

Friday, July 2

8:00am **Special Intentions for**
Louis Tremblay
by his mother Lorraine

Saturday, July 3

5:00pm +**Ritchie Allon Morse** (12th Ann.)
by his family
and +**Helena Soprano** (17th Ann.)
by her daughters Judy, Joanne & Jane

Sunday, July 4

7:30am +**Norma Loehr**
by her family
and +**Donna August**
by John & Mary Kay Salomone
9:30am **For Our Parishioners**
11:30am +**Matthew Davenport** (11th Ann.)
by his family
and **Special Intentions for**
Joseph White
by his family

FROM THE PASTOR

No Vacation from Those Bills

Many of you will probably be enjoying some well-deserved vacation time or simply spending some of the summer weekends away from North Kingstown. Could I gently ask that you try to remember either to mail in your budget envelopes or kindly "make it up" when you return to St. Francis de Sales Church?

The summer always brings a noticeable decrease in Mass attendance, but our parish bills refuse to take a vacation. Your understanding and cooperation in this important matter is greatly appreciated. (Please remember that we have implemented Online Giving and this is a great way to avoid any interruptions in your weekly parish support).



Confirmation I Grade 8

Any families unable to attend the Parent/Student Confirmation Service Meeting should be in touch with Kristen Soucie to reschedule at 401-885-3639, ext. 3 or kristen.sfds@gmail.com. Thank you!

Also, all current 8th grade students and their parents are asked to schedule a time to come in for their Confirmation II interview with Kristen Soucie. Times will be offered through the month of July.

Please check your email for more details or call Kristen in the office at 885-3639 or email her at kristen.sfds@gmail.com. Thank you.

Attention Parents of Kindergarten Children

First grade is considered a pre-sacramental year and is a requirement for entrance into the First Reconciliation/First Holy Communion Program in 2nd grade. If you have not yet registered your child for religious education, please call the religious education office at (401) 885-3639 to ensure you do not miss out on any important information regarding the 2021-22 year. Thank you!



RIGHT TO LIFE
THANK YOU
BABY BOTTLE
BOOMERANG

A heartfelt thank you to St. Francis de Sales parish and all the generous parishioners who raised \$3,877.53 in our recent Baby Bottle Boomerang.

Your generosity helps us continue providing pregnancy tests and ultrasounds throughout Rhode Island in our Ancora Women's Mobile Care Center. It also helps us to stock the shelves of our Maternity Hope Chest with diapers and wipes, clothing and blankets, bassinets and strollers and many other must have items to help mothers who have courageously chosen LIFE but need a helping hand caring for their precious little ones.

May the Good Lord bless you many times over for your generosity. If you have not yet been able to return your baby bottle, you may still send a contribution in the mail and save the bottle for next year.

WEEKEND COLLECTIONS

| <u>June 19, 2021</u> | <u>Y-T-D</u> | |
|-------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Weekly collection | \$5,231 | \$353,325 |
| Other Income* | \$2,155 | \$ 97,134 |
| Online Giving | \$3,835 | \$187,194 |
| Finishing the Journey\$ | | \$176,776 |

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|---------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Weekly Expenses* | \$13,373 | \$682,023 |
| Principal Paid on Loan \$ | | \$ 60,000 |

Deficit/Surplus \$(2,152) \$ 72,406

Property Maintenance Collection: \$1,241

Average Number of budget users: 458
Online Giving users: 183

Forecast of estimated operating expenses for the year divided by 52. Thank you for your continued support.

The fiscal year began July 1, 2020.

SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week in memory of **Donna August**, offered by Lorraine Johnson and for **Raymond & Ella McWeeney**, offered by their family. May they rest in peace.

JUNE 27, 2021



**ST. FRANCIS DE SALES
GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Our annual golf tournament is set for Saturday, September 18, 2021 at the Exeter Country Club with an 8:30am shotgun start. We hope you can join us by playing in our tournament or by being a sponsor to make it a successful fundraising event and community builder for our parish.



GOLFERS WANTED

Golfers' Registration Forms, which include sponsor information, are available in the foyer of the church or at the parish office. Please pick one up and register for a wonderful day of golf with your friends and parishioners. **The fee is \$125.00 to register for 18 holes and a steak fry.** The steak fry, which will begin at 1:00pm, is open to non-golfers for \$35.00. Advance registration is required. New and returning golfers are welcome. Bring a friend, a student, a parishioner. You may also register to golf, be a sponsor or to attend the steak fry by contacting the parish office at 884-2105 or parishoffice@saintfds.org.



**INDIVIDUAL AND/OR BUSINESS
SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

- Hole Sponsor (Tee Sign) -\$125
- Contest Sponsor-\$250
- Tournament Gift Sponsor - \$500
- Post-Round Lunch Sponsor- \$500
- Silver Club Sponsor -\$1,000
- Gold Club Sponsor - \$1,500

Each sponsor will have a sign at the golf tournament. Please be sure to include how you would like your name printed on the sign. You can also choose to be an anonymous donor or sponsor in memory of a loved one. If a sponsorship is not possible, a donation in any amount would be welcome. **Please make checks payable to St. Francis de Sales Church.** If you have any questions, please call Carole in the parish office at 884-2105 during the week.



**500 CLUB
MEMBERSHIP**

Do you want to participate in a Fundraiser that helps the parish and may even win you some money?

Why should you join the 500 Club at St Francis de Sales? Why should you participate in a great monthly raffle with a \$500 prize?

We give away \$6,000 each year and you could be one of the 12 lucky winners. Your participation will also be a big help to our wonderful parish ministries, who benefit from the 500 Club. **You may become part of the Club at any time.** *Buy a membership for yourself. Get additional memberships for family or friends. A membership makes a great gift!*

The cost is \$60 per year (or \$5 per month). The drawings are held in the parish center in the last week of each month. We are hoping to get back to live drawings after the 9:30am Mass soon.

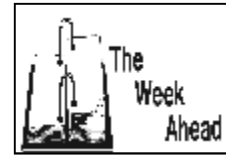
To join or for any questions, please contact Kathy Siok at kathys5@cox.net or call her at 885-1608. You can also call Carole in the parish office during the week at 884-2105. **Do not let another drawing go by without your participation.**

**DAVE'S AND
STOP & SHOP**

**GIFT CARDS FOR SALE
IN THE PARISH OFFICE**

Although we are not yet selling Dave's and Stop & Shop gift cards after the weekend Masses, we do have gift cards available for purchase in the parish office Monday through Friday from 8:30pm-3:30pm.

We ask you please to call ahead so that we will have the cards ready when you arrive.



Monday, June 28
6:30pm Legion of Mary (Chapel)

Tuesday, June 29
6:30pm Women's Faith-Sharing Group (PC)

Wednesday, June 30
8:00pm AA Meeting (PC)

Friday, July 2
8:45am Opening of Adoration (Chapel)
3:00pm Divine Mercy (Chapel)
6:00pm Benediction (Chapel)

Saturday, July 3
8:00am Men of St. Joseph Meeting (PC)

**WOMEN'S FAITH-SHARING
GROUP AT SFDS**

You are invited to join the Women's Faith-Sharing Group on Tuesday evenings from 6:30pm-7:30pm in the parish center. This new group will meet on a weekly basis, although a weekly commitment is not necessary.

We will read the Sunday Gospel and share a reflection question. The second part of the meeting will be our intercessory prayer. "Intercessory prayer is the prayer we offer for one another on earth and for those in purgatory. The prayer we ask from Mary and the saints on our behalf before the throne of God."

No books or special preparation is needed to attend the group. A reflection book for daily scripture will be provided. This will be a time for us to reflect, share and deepen our understanding and commitment to our Lord and His Church.

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OF THE EUCHARIST NEEDED
AT KENT HOSPITAL**

The Pastoral Care Department of Kent County Hospital is extending an invitation for volunteers to serve as Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist. The volunteers only distribute the Eucharist to patients without communicable diseases.

If you are interested please call Rev. David Ricard at 737-7000, ext. 31454 or email him at dricard@kentri.org. Thank you.

2021 Quo Vadis Days Camp

Attention all high school age Catholic boys! Do you know where your life is going? Our Lord Jesus has a great plan for you! You are invited to attend the *Quo Vadis Days* Camp to spend time with other young men your age discovering your purpose in life while having fun. *QVD* camp is led by priests and seminarians of the Diocese of Providence and is supported by the Office of Vocations. The camp will include reflections from priests and seminarians from around the diocese, daily Mass, challenge course, sports and games and a number of other activities.

QVD will be held from **Sunday, July 25–Wednesday, July 28** at the **Seminary of Our Lady of Providence**. The cost of the camp is **\$25.00**.

If you would like more information, please contact **Fr Brian Morris at (401) 640-2282** or email [To register online, please go to CatholicPriest.com](mailto:).

**FR. ROBERT RANDALL'S
70TH ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION**

Fr. Robert Randall will celebrate his 70th anniversary of ordination to the priesthood on Saturday, July 31 at the 4:30pm Mass at St. Francis of Assisi Church, Wakefield. The Mass will be followed by a wine and cheese reception. All are welcome.

JUNE 27, 2021

**Month of Prayer
and Thanksgiving
for Essential Workers**

The Diocesan Office of Pastoral Care for Healthcare Facilities is celebrating the month of June as a month of Prayer and Thanksgiving for essential workers. All essential workers in all aspects of healthcare, as well as emergency responders, teachers and those who keep us going and well during this very difficult time, are included in this recognition. Messages of thanks for essential workers will be posted on the diocesan website at dioceseofprovidence.org.

Prayer for Essential Workers

*Dear Mary, Our Lady of Providence,
we turn to you in prayer.*

*Fill our hearts with a grateful spirit for all
essential workers, for all they have done and
continue to do during this pandemic.*

*We offer thanks for these workers who put the
welfare of others before themselves, their
families and loved ones.*

*Inspired by your own example of service, we ask
that you give them the skill, resilience and
compassion they need to continue their work.
Protect them from harm and be their comfort.*

*We pray for the agencies, organizations, and
businesses for whom they work. May those in
leadership provide these workers with the
proper support and necessary protection.*

*And through your intercession may we be
moved to remember in prayer and gratitude
their example of sacrificial love.*

Our Lady of Providence, Pray for us.

Amen



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