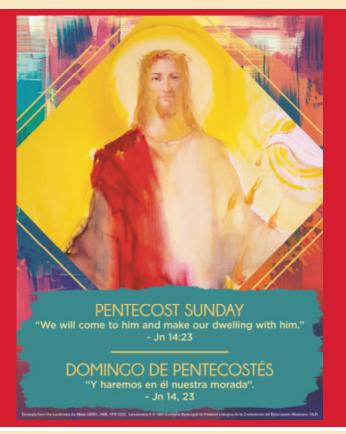
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Sacramental Life of Our Community

To receive the sacrament of anointing of the sick, please make arrangements through the parish office. Persons interested in celebrating the sacrament of baptism, confirmation, marriage or holy orders are invited to contact the parish office for information on preparation programs. The sacrament of reconciliation is available at St. Francis de Sales Church Saturday's at 9:00 a.m., at Holy Redeemer Church at 3:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Weekday Mass Schedule

All weekday Masses will be in the chapel while the roof is being replaced.

Monday 7:00 a.m. in Church Wednesday 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. in Church Friday 7:00 a.m. Church in Church *Tuesday* 7:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. in Church *Thursday* 7:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. in Church *Saturday* 8:30 a.m. in Church

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Wednesday 9:15 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. - chapel

Weekend Mass Schedule

St. Francis de Sales Church: *Saturday* 5:30 p.m., *Sunday* 7:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 noon (Spanish), 4:00 p.m. (Creole) Holy Redeemer: *Saturday* 4:00 p.m., *Sunday* 9:00 a.m. Korean Mass 2nd & 4th Saturday at 7:00 p.m.

The information and activities listed in this parish bulletin are provided to enable you to become more actively involved in our community's worship, education, outreach and social events.

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A people of prayer...



Father's Day Blessing

As we celebrate Father's Day on June 19th, we will honor all fathers with a special blessing at the end of each Mass.



Retired Priest Fund

Can you name these retired priests? The parishioner who can name the most will receive a small gift! Email names, in the order in which they appear, to

mharris@visitstfrancis.org

Disclaimer: clergy, employees and family of employees are not eligible to play



Baby Bottle Return

Support the Pregnancy Care Clinic of the Eastern Shore by returning the baby bottles on Father's Day that were picked up on Mother's Day and are now filled with loose change (cash and checks are also welcome!). Call the Clinic at 410-546-5433 if you would like more information.

Be Prepared

Take time to reflect on God's Word in preparation for The Most Holy Trinity:

First Reading: Proverbs 8:22-31 Second Reading: Romans 5:1-5

Gospel: John 16:12-15

Daily scriptures may be read or listened to at www.usccb.org.

Livestreamed Mass

We livestream two weekend Masses: Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 12:00 noon (Spanish). You can access the link to our YouTube channel on our website homepage www.visitstfrancis.org.

Altar Flowers

Flowers on the altar of our St. Francis de Sales Church this weekend are in celebration of our Parish School eighth grade graduates. Flowers on the altars of one of our churches may be donated in memory of a loved one or for a special occasion. Please call the parish office for details.



There are a number of ways to donate to the Catholic Appeal this year: filling out a pledge envelope found in the vestibules and receive payment reminders, using online bill pay for single or ongoing payments, using your credit card or simply writing a check! Please go to our parish website for more information about how the Appeal helps the social justice and educational ministries in our diocese and our parish.



May They Rest in Peace

Please pray for those who have died and those who have lost a loved one. Last week in our prayer intentions we prayed for Jean Moaney, sister of Doris Butler.

Using IRA Distributions for Charity

An increasingly popular way to transfer IRA assets to charity is via a tax provision which allows IRA owners who are 70½ or older to direct up to \$100,000 per year of their IRA distributions to charity. These distributions are known as qualified charitable distributions, or QCDs. The money given to charity counts toward the donor's required minimum distribution (RMD), but doesn't increase the donor's adjusted gross income or generate a tax bill.

Keeping the donation out of the donor's AGI (annual gross income) is important because doing so can (1) help the donor qualify for other tax breaks (for example, having a lower AGI can reduce the threshold for deducting medical expenses, which are only deductible when they exceed 10% of AGI); (2) reduce taxes on the donor's Social Security benefits; and/or (3) help the donor avoid a high-income surcharge for Medicare Part B and Part D premiums (which kick in if AGI is over certain levels).

Further, because charitable contributions will not yield a tax benefit for those taxpayers who no longer itemize their deductions (thanks to the larger standard deduction for 2018 and thereafter), those who are age 70½ or older and are receiving RMDs from IRAs, may gain a tax advantage by making annual charitable contributions by way of a QCD from an IRA. This charitable contribution will reduce RMDs by a commensurate amount, and the amount of the reduction will be tax-free.

As always, be sure to consult with your tax advisor on how you may benefit.

St. Francis de Sales, one parish with two churches, is a Roman Catholic community in the greater Salisbury, Maryland area.



Partnering with Jesus in the Power of his Spirit

John 20:19-23 is one of two possible Gospel readings for Pentecost Sunday. In it, Jesus says "peace be with you" twice. First, he gives his disciples the gift of peace so that they can take their focus off of their worries to look at him and recognize him standing in their midst. Then he says it again while giving them the vocation of continuing the mission that he had started. This time, "peace be with you" is to be the fruit of a life lived in the Holy Spirit while serving God for the sake of the world. It's one thing to feel peaceful because we know that Jesus is with us. It's quite a challenge, though, to feel peaceful when telling others about Jesus, for we feel inadequate and overwhelmed, and we're afraid of being persecuted and rejected. That's why he gave us his Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit gives us whatever we need for doing the work that the Father asks of us, and thus we are not really inadequate nor does God fail to comfort us when people reject us. One of the fruits of partnering with Jesus in the power of his Spirit is an inner peace that does not depend on what happens, nor on what others do or don't do to us, nor on how they respond to the Good News that we share with them. Peace is the result of being alive in the Spirit. Peace is the Spirit's activity within us. At the end of this Gospel passage, Jesus gives the Apostles (the first Catholic priests) the authority to forgive sins as surrogates of his divine presence. He is instituting the Sacrament of Reconciliation, which provides to us Jesus himself in the form of the human priest. The same forgiving power of the Spirit enables all of us to experience peace in a sinful, tumultuous world. Even when forgiving is most difficult, in the Spirit of Christ we can do it. We can forgive those who hurt us, even if they never repent. And this is what restores our peace. © 2018 Terry Modica, Catholic Digital Resources, www.catholicdr.com. Printed by permission. To view or subscribe to daily Good News Reflections, visit <u>www.gnm.org</u>.

Asociándonos a Jesús en el poder de su Espíritu

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Juan 20, 19--23 es una de las dos posibles lecturas del Evangelio para el Domingo de Pentecostés. En ella, Jesús dice "la paz esté con ustedes" dos veces. Primero, le da a sus discípulos el don de la paz para que puedan sacar su atención de sus problemas, mirarlo a Él y reconocerlo parado en medio de ellos. Luego lo repite, mientras les da la vocación de continuar con la misión que Él había comenzado. Esta vez, "la paz esté con ustedes" deberá ser el fruto de una vida vivida en el Espíritu Santo mientras sirven a Dios por el bien del mundo. Una cosa es sentirnos en paz porque sabemos que Jesús está dentro de nosotros. Pero, es todo un desafío sentirnos en paz cuando hablamos a los demás acerca de Jesús, porque nos sentimos incapaces y abrumados y tenemos temor de ser perseguidos y rechazados. Por ello es que nos dio su Espíritu Santo. El Espíritu Santo nos da todo lo que necesitamos para hacer la obra que el Padre nos pide que hagamos y, así, no somos verdaderamente incapaces y Dios puede consolarnos cuando las personas nos rechazan. Uno de los frutos de asociarnos con Jesús en el poder de su Espíritu es una paz interior que no depende de lo que sucede, ni de lo que otros nos hacen o dejan de hacernos, o de cómo responden a las Buenas Nuevas que compartimos con ellos. La paz es el resultado de estar vivos en el Espíritu. La paz es la actividad del Espíritu dentro de nosotros. Al final de este pasaje del Evangelio, Jesús le da a los Apóstoles (los primeros sacerdotes católicos) la autoridad de perdonar los pecados en representación de su divina presencia. Está instituyendo el Sacramento de la Reconciliación que nos da a Jesús mismo en la forma de un sacerdote humano. El mismo poder de perdón del Espíritu nos capacita a todos para experimentar la paz en un mundo pecador y tumultuoso. Aun cuando perdonar sea más que difícil, podemos hacerlo en el Espíritu de Cristo. Podemos perdonar a los que nos dañan incluso si nunca se arrepienten. Y esto es lo que restaura nuestra paz. ©2018 Terry Modica, Catholic Digital Resources, www.catholicdr.com. Impreso con derechos. Para ver o suscribirse a Las Reflexiones de Las Buenas Nuevas, visite www.gnm.org/ **ReflexionesDiarias**



Our 2022-23 Parish Council

Pictured from left to right: Bernie Pagliaro, Lois Mitchell, Diane Lockwood, Debbie Meyers, Teresa Pusey, Kim Keosian, Helen Darmetka, Andrew Illuminati (executive officer), Vince Luca, Hank Engster, Fr. Chris LaBarge, Ronnie Dorr, Gus Lebois.

Caring for One Another...



<u>Contact Liza, lalvarado@visitstfrancis.org</u> YOUTH MINISTRIES Grades 7-12

Youth Updates – Contact Liza <u>lalvarado@visitstfrancis.org</u> Social Media Updates: <u>SFdS CYM Facebook</u> Appalachia Service Project Updates: <u>SFdS ASP Facebook</u>

"Fearless" Catholic Youth Rally from July $8^{th} - 10^{th}$ High school students are invited to this fantastic 'weekend only' event in Ohio. *A non-refundable deposit of \$50 is due*. A balance of \$195 will be due, which includes registration, food, and accommodations.

Mission 2023 Trip to St. Croix or Puerto Rico. High school students invited. Email Liza your interest.

High School Students – Would you like to receive the sacraments and reconnect with God? Contact Liza for more information.

YOUNG ADULTS

Young Adults 21 + Join our Facebook SFdS Young Adults.

Young Families – Connect with other young adults starting families. <u>Facebook SFdS Young Families</u>.

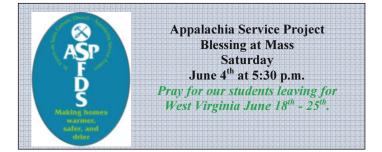
Young Adult Ladies (20's – 30's) For fellowship opportunities, email <u>emilygutierrez2315@gmail.com</u>.

Theology on Tap – TBD For more information contact jameysturgill@gmail.com.

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Facebook: Salisbury University Catholic Campus Ministry

For more information about campus ministry check out our website at ccmsalisbury.org. If you are planning on attending another college, find a Catholic Campus Ministry anywhere at https://www.newmanministry.com/campuses.



Children and Family Ministry

Joyfully Living the Gospel

Janet Hastings, jhastings@visitstfrancis.org

Do you pray together as a family? This summer try to incorporate a new prayer into a routine. Your family may like to start reading scripture together or praying a decade of the rosary together to start the day. This allows the family a few moments of calm and helps center family life in Christ.





2022-23 Religious Education Registration

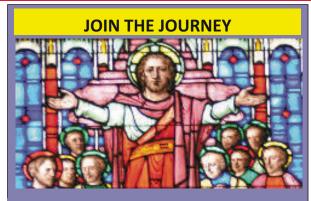
Our registrations for the 2022-2023 faith formation classes are in the vestibules of the church! Be sure to pick one up! If you are interested in becoming a catechist or would like more information about Children's Faith Formation, please email Janet Hastings, jhastings@visitstfrancis.org.

First Reconciliation and Eucharist

Our next gathering will be the practice for the First Communion Mass on Thursday, June 16th at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Francis de Sales Church. If you have not yet received your First Reconciliation, please email me to schedule a time. Thank you! Please be working on your blue First Eucharist book at home.

If you are interested in participating in the sacramental preparation process for the 2022-2023 year, please email Janet Hastings, <u>jhastings@visitstfrancis.org</u>, for more information. Thank you!

Serving in Love...



Join the journey, step onto the path, travel together as we take up the cross of faith and follow Jesus. Your faith challenge for this week:

Support the Appalachian Service Team with prayer: that they grow in faith as they serve others in need, that they remain safe as they travel and that they share compassion with all they meet.



11:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon

The entrance is at the top of the concrete steps off the Camden Avenue parking lot. You will need to ring the bell to gain access and then take the elevator to the second floor.



Movie Matinee

You are invited to a viewing of the movie, *Risen*, about a Roman soldier appointed to investigate the rumors of the Risen Jewish Messiah. The movie will be shown on Tuesday, June 21st at 1:00 p.m. in the Holy Redeemer Church Hall on the big screen. It is rated PG-13. One review states: "This movie is a must-watch. It is so very well done and has the elements to really speak to your heart. This movie really brings to light the mind-disturbingly, difficult, and un-reconcilable situations the early disciples (and others) had to grapple with." Snacks will be provided, RSVP not needed for this free event.



Thoughts from the Principal Debbie Traum <u>dtraum@sfdscs.org</u>

Today at a special Mass we celebrate the St. Francis de Sales Eighth Grade Graduating Class of 2022

> Jacob Henry Graves Bella Marie Johnson Finely Claire Johnson Gracie Mae Johnson Camille Regina McLaughlin Morgan Lynn Neall Michelle Madoh Nyasa Ethan Louis Ortiz Rogan Hart Perunko Leah Guadalupe Garcia-Rodriguez Cypress Kishen Schnatterly Hudson Knox Shelton Trinity Peyton Singleton Rachel Cecilia Wilson



Growing in Faith...

Please Pray for Our Priests

This week we will celebrate the anniversaries of the deaths of three priests: Francis Lynch (1980), Vincent Freiberg (1993) and James O'Reilly (1968). None of these priests were assigned to Saint Francis de Sales.

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It's time to throw those caps in the air! Congratulate your graduates with scrip gift cards to some of the nation's top retailers. From gas to groceries, dorm essentials, and textbooks, send them off with everything they need for their next chapter in life!

Celebrate the end of the school year with scrip! Get your kids' teachers a gift card guaranteed to please while earning rebates for our organization!!!!!

Don't let **June 16th** sneak up on you! Start thinking about your Father's Day shopping today and browse scrip brands for home improvement, electronics, and other top retailers for a great gift for Dad.

Let's remember our local retailers as this summer as well. Below is a list of local businesses that support our scrip program so let's support them.

Adams Ribs	\$25.00	20%
Irish Penny Pub	\$25.00	12%
Rise Up Coffee	\$15.00	20%
Vernon Powell Shoes	\$25/\$100	15%
EVO/Sobo's/Red Roast	\$25.00	20%



KNIGHTWATCH!

For as long as most parishioners here can recall, our Knights of Columbus Council #3489

held its business meetings and social events in its own premises, generally referred to as "the Council home" or more recently as "the Columbus Club" on Emerson Avenue, quite a distance removed from the parish church campus on Riverside Drive. Managing and maintaining the premises had, in recent years, become difficult and increasingly expensive. Faced with that reality, and the prospect of having to commission various repair and costly maintenance projects, it was decided to consider disposing of the property, and seeking an alternative venue for Council meetings. A membership poll favored this, so we are now conducting our meetings in the St. Francis de Sales Church Hall, which in a way is a highly appropriate venue, "in the heart of the parish"! Indeed it was in the basement of his church that Fr. Michael McGivney and his fellow charter Knights conducted the business of the first-ever Knights of Columbus council. We will be remembering that!

The Knights of Columbus, St. Francis de Sales Council #3489. We meet at 7:30 p.m. on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month in the St. Francis de Sales Church Hall. To attend virtually, via ZOOM, contact Financial Secretary Ernie Matthews at <u>ernie29@comcast.net</u> for authorization and access instructions. General information on joining the Knights may be found on the Internet at <u>www.kofc.org</u> where you may conveniently complete a membership application form at "Join Us". Thank you!

Our Parish Celebrations

Mark your calendar and save the date for these celebrations in our community:

June 18 - 24	ASP Mission Trip to West Virginia
July 8 - 10	Youth Rally in Ohio
August 17	Summer Penance Service
September 18	Blessing of Backpacks, Teachers and Students
September 25	Priesthood Sunday
October 2	Respect Life Sunday
October 4	Blessing of Animals
October 23	Youth Ministry Bonfire
December 4	Christmas Tea
December 11	Our Lady of Guadalupe Fiesta
December 14	Advent Penance Service

Thank you to our sponsors

Our sponsor of the week is **Whitehead Real Estate Executives**.

We are a worshipping community committed to religious formation and social concern for all.



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- 4. Ingrese su nombre y dirección de correo electrónico y haga clic en "sign up"
- 5. ¡Ahora puede disfrutar de todo el contenido inspirador que le ofrece FORMED!



Special Prayer Intentions

These are the people for whom we will be praying at our Masses this week beginning June 6^{th} :

	Sanctuary Sanctuary	Candle SFdS Candle HR	
Monday	June 6	7:00 a.m.	Henry Michael Perrotta Tailby
Tuesday	June 7	7:00 a.m.	Gertrude Hutcherson
		11:00 a.m.	For an Increase in Vocations
Wednesday	June 8	8:30 a.m.	Special Intention
		5:30 p.m.	Osorio Madamba
Thursday	June 9	7:00 a.m.	Eric Green
		11:00 a.m.	For an Increase in Vocations
Friday	June 10	7:00 a.m.	Ludwig Hoge, Jr. & Roy Woolard
Saturday	June 11	8:30 a.m.	Bettie Rider
		4:00 p.m.	Gertrude Hutcherson
		5:30 p.m.	Huong Ngo
Sunday	June 12	7:30 a.m.	Virginia Meyers
		9:00 a.m.	For the People of our Parish and Our Sister Parish
		10:30 a.m.	Huong Ngo
		12:00 p.m.	Olga Lucia Sarmiento
		4:00 p.m.	For an Increase in Vocations

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