



WHERE THE UPPER EAST SIDE AND EAST HARLEM MEET
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MARCH 15, 2020
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

OFFICE HOURS

MON - WED
 9am - 8pm

THURS & FRI
 9am - 5pm

MASS TIMES

SATURDAYS
 5pm Vigil / 4:30 Confession

SUNDAYS
 9am / 11am / 12:30 Spanish

MON, TUES, THURS, FRI
 8:30am Mass

WEDNESDAYS
 Prayer Service with Eucharist 12pm

CHURCH HOURS

WEEKDAYS
 8am - 4pm

WEEKENDS
 8:30am - 4pm

OUR MISSION

Taking Jesus' message of loving service to heart, all are welcome in our vibrant, hopeful, diverse, Eucharistic Community where we break the bread and open the Word and discover God in our Midst.

NUESTRA MISIÓN

Tomando el mensaje de Jesús de servicio amoroso a corazón, todos son bienvenidos en nuestra Comunidad Eucarística vibrante, llena de esperanza, y diversa, donde partimos el Pan y abrimos la Palabra y descubrimos a Dios en medio de nosotros.

Jesus needed followers, too.

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THOSE IN OUR PRAYERS

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 2020

5:00pm - Julio & Luis Rosales (D)

SUNDAY, MARCH 15, 2020

9am - Vincent McDonnell (L)

11am - Michael Annunziata (D)

12:30am - Sofia Espinosa (D)

MONDAY, MARCH 16, 2020

8:30am - Mikaila Rivas (L) B'day

TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 2020

8:30am - Peter Gaines (D)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 2020

12:00PM-NO MASS INTENTION

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2020

8:30am - John Keane (D)

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 2020

8:30am - Zenaida Almodiente (L)

SICK & DEPARTED

SICK

Pat Dietz, Jovina Ascencios, Pedro Carrero ,
Sr. Paul Theresa Henneese , George Gerardi, Helene Gallagher,
Roberto Colon, Julia Cairo, John Kenny, Mila Ortiz

DECEASED ✕

Margaret Whalen, Pablo Rosado Jr, Sofia Espinosa.

HAVE A SPECIAL PRAYER REQUEST?

Send us who or what needs a special prayer by using the Prayer Request feature on our new SFDS app—available in the Google Play or Apple App Store. Our parish prayer group will pray upon all submissions.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-51b, 6, 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20;

Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29;

Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11ab, 14, 17; Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21ab; Lk 18:9-14

Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-6;

Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41[1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]

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UPCOMING!

YOU COUNT AT SFDS!
¡TU CUENTAS EN SFDS!

SUN, MARCH 22ND
 after each mass

Join us downstairs in Frank's Cafe



Voter Registration Drive



Census 2020 Drive



Parishioner Registration

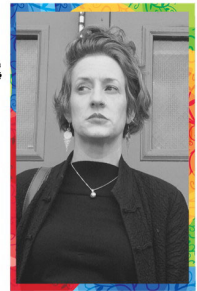


Do you have plans for Good Friday? St. Francis de Sales is participating in the public Way of the Cross sponsored by Pax Christi Metro NY which moves across 42nd Street. It is on Good Friday, April 10, and begins at 8:30 AM at Dag Hammarskjold Plaza (47th between 1st and 2nd Ave). Plan on this for this very solemn day in our Holy Week Calendar.

POP-UP THEOLOGY

A Faith That Does Justice:
 Love, Hope, & Solidarity
 in Times of Trouble

A Conversation with Eileen Markey



PRESENTED BY: **ST. FRANCIS DE SALES** **the weal**

TUE, MARCH 24

7:00pm—Happy Half-Hour in Frank's Cafe
 7:30pm—Conversation & Q+A with Eileen

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON FRIDAYS | VIA CRUCIS LOS VIERNES

Bilingual Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent. March 6, 13, 20, 27, and April 3 @ 7pm
 Estaciones de la Cruz bilingües todos los viernes durante la Cuaresma. Marzo 6, 13, 20, 27, y abril 3 @ 7pm.



COLLECTION FOR WEEK OF: March 8, 2020

\$2,413.95—Collection Basket
 \$3,824.35—Online Debit Giving
 \$573.31—DipJar
 \$131.00—Candles

Total \$6,942.61

"Each of you must bring a gift in proportion to the way the Lord your God has blessed you."
 —Deuteronomy 16:17

Sign up for regular online giving at
www.sfdsnyc.org/give

EASTER COLLECTION FOR LITTLE SISTERS OF THE ASSUMPTION FAMILY HEALTH SERVICES

LSA has reached out to us once again to ask for our support as they prepare to celebrate Easter with their little ones. They are looking for our donations of all kinds of goodies for Easter baskets for their children. Please bring your gifts of candy (fair trade is terrific, all candy is appreciated!) and small toys and treats (and baskets to be filled too!) for 30 of their excited youngsters. The deadline for your generous donations is Tuesday, March 24th. As always, thank you for your support of all the good work done at LSAFHS.



LATEST NEWS

STAY UP-TO-DATE ON EVERYTHING GOING ON AT SFDSNYC.ORG



“SHEPHERDS SPEAK ON IMMIGRATION REFORM & RACISM”

Since the public proclamation of the 2018 USCCB Pastoral Letter on Racism, titled "Open Wide Our Hearts: The Enduring Call To Love--A Pastoral Letter Against Racism," there have been at least 13 "listening sessions" around the United States sponsored by the US Catholic Bishops. These listening sessions have afforded the Bishops an opportunity to get their message against Racism out and also have given them a chance to hear the experiences of Racism from laity and clergy, as well as the hope in the Pews that Racism might be rooted out of Church and society. Bishop Shelton Fabre of Houma-Thibodeaux, was chairperson of the Bishop's Committee that authored the Racism Pastoral. He also has led these "listening sessions" in Louisiana, Ohio, Maryland, Florida and now New York (See the advertisement below).

The Archdiocese of New York will host one of these "listening sessions" on Sunday, April 19, 2020, at St. Joseph Seminary. The registration for the session opens online Monday, March 9th, in the Afternoon. Please register at <https://dunwoodie.edu/shepherdsspeak>. I strongly encourage Pastors, Deacons and Lay Leaders to pass this invitation among members of their congregation, especially among those willing to publicly voice their lived experience and hope regarding Racism.



WE WANT TO SUPPORT THRIVE FOR LIFE

We were very happy to welcome the folks from Thrive for Life Project last week here at St Francis. We would love to build community with them at their new home at Ignacio House. If you would like to know more about the work that's being done at Ignacio House, if you're interested in getting to know the gentlemen better, perhaps share a supper together, please speak with one of us on staff here at SFDS so we can make plans for how we will best partner with Thrive for Life.



LET'S STAY HEALTHY

We all recognize that to ensure all our parishioners are safe and healthy we are taking several precautions to prevent the spread of the flu and other viruses.

Here are this week's reminders:

-Let's all remember to frequently wash and sanitize our hands, and all those doorknobs that our hands touch.

-Try not to touch your face...

-We are encouraging one another to keep "social distance" from one another

-We ask you to receive communion in the hand

-We recommend alternatives to hand shaking during the Sign of Peace, such as a reverent bow, a big smile, friendly waves and so forth

-We ask you to double up on your welcoming smile at those times at church when we normally would be in physical contact with one another

-If you are elderly or in poor health, it is recommended that you stay home to in order to limit your exposure to others who may not yet know they are ill or contagious.

Finally, let's continue to watch out for one another, if you do have an elderly neighbor or relative it would be kind to check on them and see if they need groceries or anything picked up from a store.

Oh and one last final thing....now would be a perfect time to consider signing up for Tithely, our online giving platform, for two reasons: your support for our parish would be here, even if you were away from Mass due to illness, and it would save you from having to touch money/bills- which are generally a serious source of germs!

SING YOUR HEART OUT

MUSIC SELECTION • MARCH 15, 2020

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

PROCESSIONAL: CHANGE OUR HEARTS

REFRAIN: Change our hearts this time.

Your Word says it can be.

Change our minds this time.

Your life could make us free.

We are the people

Your call set apart.

LORD, this time change our hearts.

VERSE: Show us the way that leads to Your side,

Over the mountains and sands of the soul.

Be for us manna, water from stone,

Light which says we never walk alone.

And...(to refrain)

PENTITENTIAL RITE: KYRIE

[CANTOR] Kyrie eléison.

[ALL] Kyrie eléison.

[CANTOR] Christé eléison

[ALL] Christé eléison.

[CANTOR] Kyrie eléison.

[ALL] Kyrie eléison.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: PSALM 95

ANTIPHON: If today you hear His voice,

Harden not your hearts,

Harden not your hearts.

LENTEN GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

REFRAIN: Praise to You, LORD Jesus Christ,

King of endless glory!

OFFERTORY: ORDER MY STEPS

REFRAIN: Order my steps in Your Word, dear LORD.

Lead me, guide me every day.

Send Your anointing, Father, I pray.

Order my steps in Your Word.

Please, order my steps in Your Word.

(repeat as needed)

BRIDGE: I want to walk worthy,

My calling to fulfill.

Please order my steps, LORD,

And I'll do Your blessed will.

The world is ever changing,

But You are still the same.

If You order my steps,

I'll praise Your Name.

(repeat as needed)

FINAL REFRAIN: Order my steps in Your Word.

Order my tongue in Your Word.

Guide my feet in Your Word.

Wash my heart in Your Word.

Show me how to walk in Your Word.

Show me how to talk in Your Word.

When I need a brand-new song to sing,

Show me how to let Your praises ring

In Your Word, in Your Word.

Please, order my steps in Your Word.

Please, order my steps in Your Word.

(repeat as needed)

SANCTUS

Holy, Holy, Holy

LORD God of hosts.

Heav'n and earth are full of

Your glory.

Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed, O blessed is He who comes

In the name of the LORD.

Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

COMMUNION: FILL MY CUP, LORD

REFRAIN: Fill my cup, LORD,

I lift it up, LORD!

Come and quench this thirsting of my soul;

Bread of heaven,

Feed me till I want no more –

Fill my cup, fill it up and make me whole!

RECESSIONAL: POUR DOWN ON ME

REFRAIN: I feel those gracious drops of mercy

Pour down on me. *(2 times)*

Heav'nly riches, flood my soul;

Drown me 'til I rise up whole.

I feel those gracious drops of mercy

Pour down on me.

ÚLTIMAS NOTICIAS & PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

ENTÉRATE DE TODO LO QUE ESTÁ PASANDO EN SFDSNYC.ORG



MANTENGAMOS SALUDABLES

Todos reconocemos que para garantizar que todos nuestros feligreses estén seguros y saludables, tomamos varias precauciones para evitar la propagación de la gripe y otros virus.

Aquí están los recordatorios de esta semana:

-Recuerden lavar y desinfectar frecuentemente nuestras manos y todos los pomos de las puertas que tocan nuestras manos.

-Trata de no tocarte su cara ...

-Nos alentamos unos a otros para mantener la "distancia social" unos de otros. Te pedimos que recibas comunión en la mano.

-Recomendamos alternativas al apretón de manos durante el Signo de la Paz, una gran sonrisa y un saludo amistosas, etc.

-Te pedimos que dupliques tu sonrisa de bienvenida en esos momentos en la iglesia cuando normalmente estaríamos en contacto físico entre nosotros.

-Si eres anciano o tienes mala salud, se recomienda que te quedes en casa para limitar tu exposición a otras personas que aún no saben que están enfermas o contagiosas.

Finalmente, sigamos vigilándonos unos a otros, si tienes un vecino o pariente anciano, sería amable revisarlos y ver si necesitan alimentos o algo recogido de una tienda.

Ah, y una última cosa final ... ahora sería un momento perfecto para considerar inscribirse en Tithely, nuestra plataforma de donaciones en línea, por dos razones: su apoyo a nuestra parroquia estaría aquí, incluso si estuviera fuera de misa debido a enfermedad, y le evitaría tener que tocar dinero / facturas, que generalmente son una fuente seria de gérmenes.



TALLER DE FINANZAS FAMILIARES

Domingo, 29 marzo a las 2pm

Este taller, presentado por La Coalición Cabrini y Qualitas for Life, es gratuito y se realizará totalmente en español. Registrarse es obligatorio. Puede inscribirse en línea a bit.ly/tallercabrini o hablar con un miembro del equipo pastoral.

Orario del Taller:

2-3pm—taller, primera parte

3-3:30—pausa para cafe y descanso

3:30-5—taller, segunda parte

5pm—LA MESA cena comunitaria



COLECCIÓN DE PASCUA PARA PEQUEÑAS HERMANAS DE LA ASUNCIÓN SERVICIOS DE SALUD FAMILIAR

LSA nos contactó una vez más para pedir nuestro apoyo mientras se preparan para celebrar la Pascua con sus pequeños. Están buscando nuestras donaciones de todo tipo de golosinas para canastas de Pascua para sus hijos. Por favor traiga sus regalos de dulces (¡el comercio justo es excelente, todos los dulces son apreciados!) Y pequeños juguetes y golosinas (¡y canastas para llenar también!) Para 30 de nuestros jóvenes entusiasmados. La fecha límite para sus generosas donaciones es el martes 24 de marzo. Como siempre, gracias por su apoyo a todo el buen trabajo realizado en LSAFHS.

CANTA CON ESPÍRITU

CANTOS DE LA MISA • 15 MARZO 2020

TERCER DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

ENTRADA: ALCEN LA CRUZ

ESTRIBILLO: Alcen la cruz, emblema de Su amor;
Que el mundo al fin conozca al Salvador.

1. Vamos, cristianos, tras nuestro SEÑOR;
El rey victorioso, Cristo, Hijo de Dios.
(al estribillo)
2. Bajo este signo de Su gran poder
El pueblo de Dios avanza sin temer.
(al estribillo)

ACTO PENITENCIAL: KYRIE

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SALMO RESPONSORIAL: SALMO 95

ANTÍFONA: Si hoy escucháis su voz,
No endurezcáis el corazón.

ACLAMACIÓN ANTES DEL EVANGELIO PARA CUARESMA

ESTRIBILLO: ¡Alabanza a Ti, O Cristo,
Rey de eterna gloria!

OFERTORIO: ESPERO EN TI, SEÑOR

ESTRIBILLO: Espero en Ti, SEÑOR.

Mi alma confía en Tu Palabra.

Como el centinela a la aurora,

Mi alma Te espera, SEÑOR.

1. Desde el abismo aclamo a Ti, SEÑOR:
Escucha mi clamor.
Estén atentos Tus oídos, mi Dios,
A la súplica de mi voz.
(al estribillo)
2. Desde el abismo aclamo a Ti, SEÑOR:
Escucha mi clamor.
Ten misericordia de mí, SEÑOR;
Libérame con Tu perdón.
(al estribillo)

COMUNIÓN : LÍMPIAME, SEÑOR

ESTRIBILLO: Límpiame, SEÑOR,
De todo lo que es de Ti;
Lléname con Tu amor. (2 veces)

1. Límpiame de toda culpa;
Lávame de mis pecados.
SEÑOR, purifica mi alma;
Abre mi corazón.
(al estribillo)
2. Guíame en senderos justos;
Muéstrame Tu verdad.
Ayúdame en mi trabajo
Construyendo la comunidad.
(al estribillo)
3. Sáname de mis heridas
Y mi ser reposará en Ti.
Nada más una palabra Tuya
Bastará para sanar mi alma.
(al estribillo)

SALIDA: CAIGAN SOBRE MÍ

ESTRIBILLO: Gotitas de misericordia,
¡Caigan sobre mí! (2 veces)
Las riquezas del SEÑOR
Me inunden con Su amor.
Gotitas de misericordia,
¡Caigan sobre mí!

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puts on ADVERTISED clothes
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of ADVERTISED coffee
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WHY IS IT?



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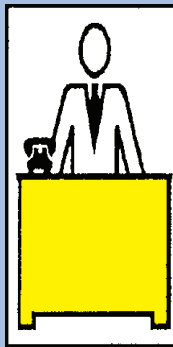
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