

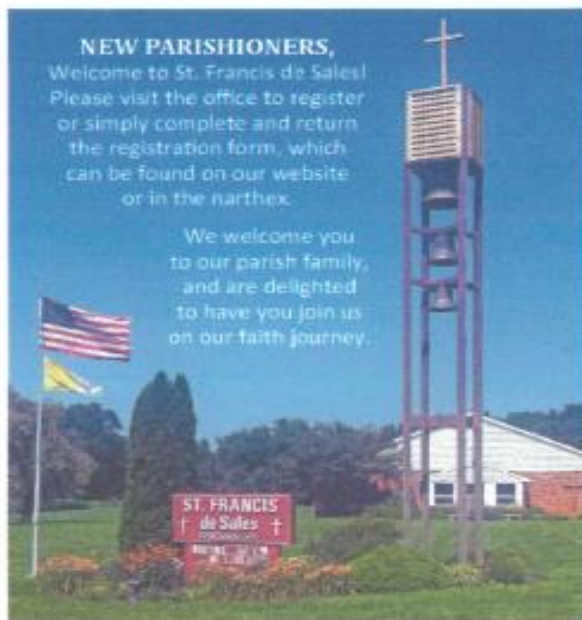
ST. FRANCIS de SALES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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NEW PARISHIONERS,

Welcome to St. Francis de Sales! Please visit the office to register or simply complete and return the registration form, which can be found on our website or in the narthex.

We welcome you to our parish family, and are delighted to have you join us on our faith journey.



PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. John A. Frink, M.Div. ————— Pastor
Alison Snyder ————— Director of Religious Education
Christina Kopinski ————— Administrative Assistant

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil ————— 5:00 pm
Sunday ————— 8:00 am & 10:30 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday ————— 9:00 am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Thursday 9:30 am - 7:00 pm
and Benediction at 7:00 pm

RECONCILIATION: Thursday 9:30 am - 10:30 am &
5:30pm - 6:15 pm and Saturday 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

SPIRITUAL CARE OF THE SICK: Please contact the office when a parish member has been admitted to the hospital or has become home bound. Upon request, the Sacrament of Anointing will be celebrated and Holy Communion will be brought monthly.

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Office Hours
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THE MISSION OF ST. FRANCIS de SALES PARISH

Guided by the gentle spirit and practical teachings of St. Francis de Sales, we strive to "Live Jesus" in our daily lives. We proclaim the Gospel, celebrate the Holy Eucharist, and are nourished through prayer, worship, love, and service to others. Together we are building a community that brings joy to our faith and light to the world, which one day will become the City of God.

BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated during Mass or on Sundays after the 10:30 Mass. Parents are asked to contact the parish office to arrange a time for preparation and to schedule the baptism.

CONFIRMATION AND EUCHARIST: Each child must have received a full year of religious education at St. Francis prior to beginning the sacramental preparation classes.

MARRIAGE: In order that the requirements for marriage preparation may be fulfilled, couples are to contact the parish office at least six months before the desired wedding date.

WILLS AND DONATIONS: Please consider designating St. Francis de Sales Parish in your last will and testament so that the blessings the Lord has given you can continue to build His Kingdom here on earth.



October 26, 2025 ✠ The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule for the Week:

Saturday, October 25, 2025

5:00 PM Joanne Ney

Sunday, October 26, 2025

8:00 AM Mary Hopko

10:30 AM Mark Chasse

Monday, October 27, 2025

9:00 AM Kevin Ransom

Saturday, November 1, 2025

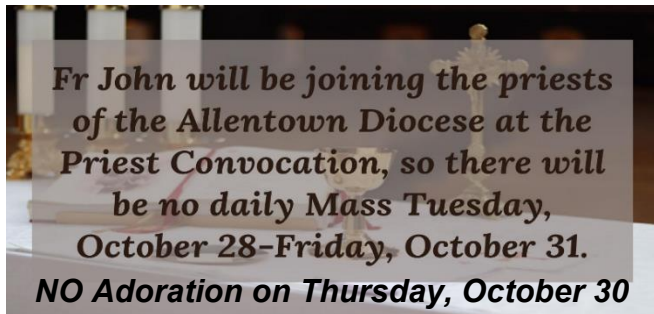
5:00 PM Earnest Wagaman

Sunday, November 2, 2025

8:00 AM John Milia

10:30 AM George & Patricia Schdowski

Parish Schedule/Announcements



Wednesday, October 29: 6:30pm - ALPHA Course

Saturday & Sunday, November 1 & 2: Ministry Fair

Sunday, November 2: 9:00am - PREP Parents & Students

Lector & Server Schedule

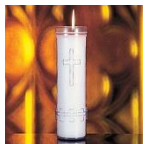
Saturday, November 1

5:00 PM ~ Servers: Bross Lector: Echeverri

Sunday, November 2

8:00 AM ~ Servers: Kalinofski Lector: Huck
Kalinofski

10:30 AM ~ Servers: Hook Lector: Hampson



- Living Flame -

Will burn the week of October 26, 2025
For Special Intentions

If you are a homebound parishioner or know of a homebound parishioner unable to attend Mass due to an illness, please notify the office so we can reach out to you (them).

Pray For Our Sick

Delphine Altland, Alicia Balkjy, Camille Bernardo, Lucia (Lucy) Bernardo, Lisa Boess, Jim Bross, Sr., Betty & Harold Brown, Rosemary C., Joseph Disabella, Savannah Ferrell, Pat Fleagle, Judith Goeltz, Michael B. Hasenauer, Nicholas M. Headley, Karen Houck, John Hopko, Rose Howard, John Jones, Leslie & Janet Livinghouse, Florence Kapuscinski, Richard L. Mark, Kathleen Miller, Tom Mirabella, Dave Mitchell, Connor Mocey, Drea Moyer, Joe Noll, Pat Snyder, Barbara Lucas Stencel, Andrew Strangarity, Logan Weaver, Eleana Wilson



Readings for the Week

Sunday

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

Monday

Rom 8:12-17; Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday

Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16

Wednesday

Rom 8:26-30; Lk 13:22-30

Thursday

Rom 8:31b-39; Lk 13:31-35

Friday

Rom 9:1-5; Lk 14:1-6

First Saturday

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

Sunday ~ All Souls' Day

Any readings from #668 or from the Masses for the Dead (1011-1016)

Our Return to the Lord

Week of October 19, 2025 ~ \$ 4,900.00

My Dear Parishioners:

Once again, we will be hosting a Parish Ministry Fair next weekend, November 1 & 2. Over the past few weekends, you heard from representatives from a select few of the various parish ministries which we have here at St. Francis de Sales. There are many different ministries you can participate in to honor and glorify God as well as nurture your faith and spirituality and engage in service projects/outreach programs that address social issues and meet the needs of the community. Every ministry will have a representative you can speak with to learn more about and sign up. I ask you to pray and think about which ministry the Lord is inviting you to be part of in an amazing way. See you at the Fair!

The St. Vincent de Paul Society would like to thank our parishioners for their generous support with our 5th Sunday Collections. We are asking for your continued support in 2 ways. First, we ask for donations of nonperishable food items throughout the weekend of the Ministry Fair for Kennedy House and Opportunity House. Secondly, we are asking our parish family to assist in our efforts by preparing either a pot of Henry Miller's 100-person chili or a 9x13 tray of corn bread to feed those less fortunate in the community for our December meal. Chili recipe can be found in the vestibule or can be picked up during our Ministry Fair next weekend. It can be made ahead and frozen; and you can drop it off at the church. This past year, the SVDP volunteers served roughly 300+ folks during our April and July Soup Kitchen at Kennedy House. Since there is an increase in food insecurity in our community, our ministry has agreed to prepare and serve an additional meal at Kennedy House on Saturday, December 13. Please let me know if you are willing to make a portion of our meal for Kennedy House. You can email eschmoyer@aol.com or call/text 610-334-7417.

Thank you for your willingness to offer your time and gifts to those folks lacking a regular meal.



As you are aware, in 2025, All Saints Day falls on a Saturday and All Souls' Day falls on a Sunday. Therefore, following the guidance from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, All Saints' Day 2025 is NOT a Holy Day of Obligation. The Vigil Mass on Saturday, November 1 and Sunday Masses on November 2 will be in observation of All Souls' Day in the Diocese of Allentown. Fr. John will celebrate Mass for All Saints' Day on Saturday, November 1 @ 9:00am.



Dear friends,

I humbly ask for your prayers for Jody, a parishioner at Our Mother of Perpetual Help parish in Ephrata who is suffering from a genetic condition which is causing both her kidneys to slowly fail. As a result, she is in need of a living donor kidney transplant. She is reaching out to ask not only for your prayers but for the help of a truly selfless individual willing to give the gift of life. If you would like to learn more about the disease or the donation process, please contact her at: kidneyforjody@gmail.com.





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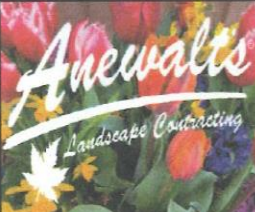
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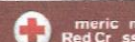


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