

ST. FRANCIS de SALES CATHOLIC CHURCH

320 NORTH CHURCH STREET • ROBESONIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19551

NEW PARISHIONERS,
Welcome to St. Francis de Sales!
Please visit the office to register
or simply complete and return
the registration form, which
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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 &
6:15pm - 7:15 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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610-693-5851

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Pastor's E-mail
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Website
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Office Hours
Monday - Thursday:
8:30 am - 12 noon
& CLOSED Fridays

**Diocesan Victim
Assistance Coordinator**

Ms. Wendy S. Krisak,
M.A., NCC, LPC
Direct Phone: 800-791-9209

**Diocesan Safe
Environment Coordinator**

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CATHOLIC BISHOP ABUSE REPORTING SERVICE: If you have an
allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic
Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or
phone 800-276-1562.

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.



November 23, 2025 ✠ Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Mass Schedule for the Week:

Saturday, November 22, 2025

5:00 PM Mickey & Pearl McCarthy

Sunday, November 23, 2025

8:00 AM Intentions for Diane Parenti

10:30 AM Mark Chasse

Monday, November 24, 2025

9:00 AM Jackson Myers

Tuesday, November 25, 2025

9:00 AM Holy Souls Memorial

Wednesday, November 26, 2025

9:00 AM Brianne Cason

Thursday, November 24, 2025

9:00 AM Allesandra Robezzoli

Friday, November 28, 2025

9:00 AM Holy Souls Memorials

Saturday, November 29, 2025

5:00 PM Kira Young Bradford

Sunday, November 30, 2025

8:00 AM Our Parishioners

10:30 AM Intentions for Natalie Pouss

Parish Schedule/Announcements

2nd Collection - Diocesan Poverty Relief Fund

✠ The Diocesan Poverty Relief Fund is a special annual second collection to support a wide range of local projects and services that alleviate and address poverty in Berks, Carbon, Lehigh, Northampton, and Schuylkill counties. This year's Poverty Relief Fund collection will take place during the weekend of Nov. 22-23, 2025.

The Saint Monica Ministry will NOT meet this Wednesday.

Lector & Server Schedule

Saturday, November 29

5:00 PM ~ Servers: Bross Lector: Stine

Sunday, November 30

8:00 AM ~ Servers: Palm-Rittle Lector: Eckenroth

10:30 AM ~ Servers: Hook Lector: Balthaser



~ Living Flame ~

Will burn the week of November 23, 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, Alice Bernardo-Gold, 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, Mary Ann Savitsky, Pat Snyder, Barbara Lucas Stencel, Andrew Strangarity, Logan Weaver, Eleana Wilson



Readings for the Week

Sunday

2 Sm 5:1-3; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

Monday

Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday

Dn 2:31-45; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday

Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday

Dn 6:12-28; Lk 21:20-28

Friday

Dn 7:2-14; Lk 21:29-33

Saturday

Dn 7:15-27; Lk 21:34-36

First Sunday of Advent

Is 2:1-5; Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

Our Return to the Lord
Week of November 16, 2025 ~ \$ 10,491.00

Give thanks

to the Lord, for
He is good; His love
endures forever.

Psalm 107:1

Join us in this Eucharistic celebration as we give thanks for all the bountiful blessings we've received throughout the year.

Thursday, November 27, 2025 at 9 AM.

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, there will be NO Eucharistic Adoration this Thursday.

Ecumenical
Thanksgiving
Service

Please come and celebrate the
Thanksgiving Service with
the Wernersville
Ministerium this

Wednesday, November 26th @ 7 PM. We will
gather at Trinity Lutheran Church in Robesonia.

SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES

LUNCH WITH SANTA!

December 13th 11am-1pm

Join us for lunch, holiday crafts and a visit from a very special guest!

Family Name	# of Kids attending	# of adults attending	Phone/Email

Be sure to sign your family up so we know how many to prepare for!!

Women of the Parish

Our Parish Nurse Ministry cordially invites you to their Annual Christmas Dinner
Wednesday, December 3, 2025
6 PM @ Stouch Tavern,
138 W. High Street, Womelsdorf

ALL women of our parish are invited to attend this festive evening of fun, food and fellowship. Please RSVP no later than Sunday, November 29th to Tina Sayers: 610-914-4297.

LIFELINE OF BERKS COUNTY

2025 Giving Tree

Every year at Advent, Lifeline of Berks County sponsors the Giving Tree at your church to ask for new material donations to distribute to our mothers. Initially, this Advent was no different, and we sent the Giving Tree information to your parish coordinators. However, we have since learned that renovations in our new location will be completed in time to move in January 2026. In light of this exciting news, it will be too difficult to receive the items, process the donations, and pack and move the items to our new location.

For this reason, Lifeline is cancelling the Giving Tree project this year.

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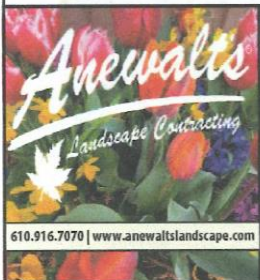
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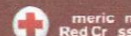
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