



# INTO THE DESERT.

— LUKE 4:1 —

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

## *Saint Francis De Sales Parish*

129-16 Rockaway Beach Blvd.  
Belle Harbor, NY 11694

MARCH 9, 2025  
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday: 9:00am

Saturday: 9:00 am and 4:30pm (Vigil)

### SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

8:00 am; 10:00 am and 12:00 Noon

### HOLY DAY SCHEDULE

Holy Day at 9:00am

### CONFESSION/SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturdays at 3:30PM

Seasonal Penance Services during Advent and Lent

### RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00am to 5:00pm

Saturday & Sunday by appointment only

### Pastoral Staff

The Very Rev. William F. Sweeney, Pastor

Rev. James K. Cunningham, Associate

Monsignor John J. Bracken (Retired) Sunday Assistant

Deacon Vincent LaGamba (Retired)

Deacon Armand D'Accordo

### Parish Staff

Mrs. Dorothy Brenna, Parish Secretary

Mrs. Susan Gavigan, Parish Receptionist

Mrs. Anne Marie Greene, Director of Religious Education

Ms. Suzanne Blum, Religious Education Assistant

Mr. Michael Fontana, Music Director

### Parish Contact Information:

Parish Office/Rectory Phone:

718-634-6464

Religious Education Office Phone:

718-945-6911

## ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Francis de Sales, a parish steeped in tradition, rich in natural beauty and bountifully blessed with a community devoted in love to serve God and our neighbor. We seek to live actively the Word of God through the example of our patron saint, a life devoted to energetic, generous and constant fidelity to the will of God. Empowered by the Holy Spirit we will grow in our faith through continuous education, formation, communication, and out-reach, while passing these values on to our future generations. We endeavor to be a most vibrant community of faith which will effectively utilize the talents, resources, and treasures of our parish for the good of all God's people.

### **CARE OF THE SICK**

If there is an elderly, sick or infirm parishioner who wishes to receive Holy Communion or the Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish Office.

### **ANOIDTING OF THE SICK**

Communal Celebrations of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will take place the first Saturday of each Month at the 9:00 AM Mass.

### **BAPTISM**

Parents are asked to contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment with a priest or deacon to complete the Baptismal Registration Form. Parents are required to attend a Baptismal Instruction at 7:00pm on the First Thursday of the month. Baptisms are celebrated on the Second Sunday of the month at 2:00pm.

### **MARRIAGE**

Preparations for the Sacrament of Marriage are very important and take time. Couples planning to be married at Saint Francis De Sales are asked to contact the Parish Office no less than eight months prior to the wedding date. Please do not schedule the catering hall prior to making arrangements at the parish. Couples are required to attend the Pre-Cana Program of the Parish at least six months prior to the wedding.

### **PARISH OFFERINGS**

Available in the Parish Rectory during office hours.

Mass Stipend	\$15 per Mass
Bread & Wine for the week	\$50
Candles for the week	\$50
Flowers for the week	\$150

Parish Website: <https://sfdsparish.org/>

Parish Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/sfdschurch>

*"Never miss an opportunity to do good." - St. Francis de Sales*

### **Parish Trustees**

Mrs. Kristin Franchock  
Mr. Michael Lee

### **Parish Finance Council**

Mr. Thomas Allison  
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### **Parish Council**

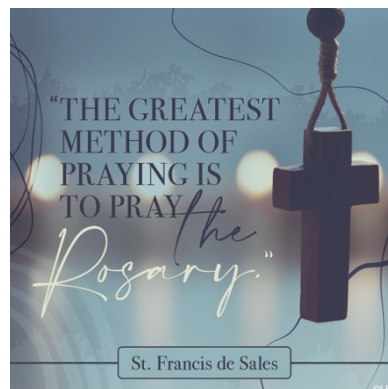
Mrs. Meghan Flanagan, Co-Chair  
Mr. Timothy Henning, Co-Chair  
Mr. Jamie Agoglia  
Mrs. Janice Ameruso  
Mrs. Noelle Hutton Burns  
Mrs. Claire Conti  
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Mr. Joseph Courtney  
Mrs. Sarah Dwyer  
Mr. Joseph Featherston  
Mrs. Kristin Franchock  
Mr. Sean Fitzgerald  
Mrs. Chrystie Rasmussen

### **St. Francis de Sales Catholic Academy**

219 Beach 129 Street  
Belle Harbor, NY 11694  
(718) 634-2775  
[www.stfrancisacademybh.org](http://www.stfrancisacademybh.org)



Dr. Christopher Scharbach, Principal  
Mrs. Maureen Hayes, Assistant Principal  
Mrs. Cathy Kenny, School Secretary  
Ms. Helen Endall, School Secretary



**JOIN US  
TO PRAY THE ROSARY**  
The rosary is prayed every morning at 8:40AM before the 9:00AM Mass and every Monday at 7:00PM in the church.

Join us!



## SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH

*Masses for the week of March 9 – 16, 2025*

### Sunday

8:00 AM Richard Roberts  
10:00 AM Angelo Silecchia  
Anthony Borrello  
Maura and Michael Foley (63rd  
Wedding Anniversary in Heaven)  
12:00 PM Eileen McManus  
Emily Hutton (Birthday)  
John Ledwith

### Monday

9:00 AM Emily Hutton (Birthday)  
Joe and Mary Quinn

### Tuesday

9:00 AM Maureen Gallagher (A)  
Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Murphy

### Wednesday

9:00 AM Andrew T. Hickey (B)  
Fred Mastromarino (12<sup>th</sup> A)  
Hugh Cavanaugh

### Thursday

9:00 AM Billy Flaherty (17th A)  
William Barry

### Friday

9:00 AM Beatrice Cullinane  
Lucy M. McDonough (AB)

### Saturday

9:00 AM Drury J. Gallagher Jr. (Birthday in  
Heaven)  
4:30 PM Anna Rocca  
George Greenwood (B)  
George H. Grunig (A)  
Marie, Jim, and Larry McCrory and  
Helen and William Gruner and Alice  
and Jack Lynch

### Sunday

8:00 AM Jim Sullivan  
10:00 AM James McCann 14th A  
John Knox 8th A  
Mary and Fred Rouge  
Maureen Pastina  
Michele Hanna  
Rosemarie Negron  
Cecilia Punsal  
12:00 PM Barbara and Matthew Fasone  
James P. Moriarty (Birthday)  
Theresa Eberle

### WEEKLY REMEMBRANCES:

The Bread and Wine to be offered this week is in  
loving memory of: **Andrew T. Hickey**

### SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Kindly remember in your prayers:

Eileen McCool	Megan Boyle
Suzanne Corrigan	Joan Coogan
Jesse Bifulco	Arthur Kuffner
Bonnie Long	Jean Murtagh
Arlene Chambers	Antoinette Bifulco



### REST IN PEACE

Please remember our parishioners who have  
recently gone to eternal rest. May their souls and  
the souls of all the faithful departed through the  
mercy of Christ rest in peace.

### PARISH 500 CLUB WINNERS:

Congratulations to our winners this week:

\$100	#134	Joseph W. McGee
50	#184	Mary Armstrong
25	#025	Maureen Sullivan

### OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF 3/9/25

Sunday: 1st Sunday of Lent;  
Daylight Saving Time begins

Monday:

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

Thursday:

Friday:

Saturday:

Next Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Lent

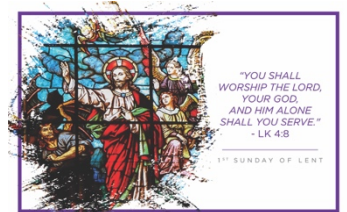
### THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS – 3/2/2025

First Reading: 'We cried to the LORD, the God of our  
fathers, and he heard our cry.' (Dt 26:7)

Psalms: Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble. (Ps  
91)

Second Reading: For, if you confess with your mouth  
that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God  
raised him from the dead, you will be saved. (Rom  
10:9)

Gospel: Filled with the  
Holy Spirit, Jesus  
returned from the Jordan  
and was led by the Spirit  
into the desert for forty  
days, to be tempted by  
the devil. (Lk 4:1-2)





**LIVE THE LITURGY  
WEEKLY INSPIRATION:**

*Jesus is desperately hungry when the devil tells him to turn stone into bread. But his divine will is stronger than the weakness of his human body, and he resists the devil. In this season of fasting and self-denial, let's remember Jesus' strength.*

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**SFDS GRIEF SHARE  
SUPPORT GROUP**

For anyone over the age of 18 grieving the loss of a

loved one, the St. Francis de Sales Grief Share Support Group will meet every Tuesday evening beginning this TUESDAY, JAN 14, 2025 – through MARCH 25, 2025 (11 SESSIONS) from 7PM – 8:30 PM at the S.F.D.S. Parish House (216 Beach 130th Street – 2nd Floor). For more information, please call the SFDS Rector at 718-634-6464. Thank You!

**THE 2025 PARISH MASS BOOK IS OPEN**

Masses are \$15.00 per Mass and Bread and Wine is \$50.00, Candles are \$50.00 and Flowers are \$150.00. Please write separate checks for Masses and a separate for Bread and Wine, Flowers and Candles. We appreciate if you make out your list of Masses and any other request like Bread and Wine, etc., and drop it off at the rectory. Our Masses are as follows: 9:00 AM Mass Monday through Saturday: Masses for weekend are 4:30 PM on Saturday evening, Sunday, 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM and 12:00 Noon. Thank you!

**NURSE NEEDED:** The Sisters of St. Joseph are looking for an experienced LPN/RN for the evening/night shift in the Rockaway Park area. Please contact 718-634-1886 or email:womack@csjbrentwood.org.

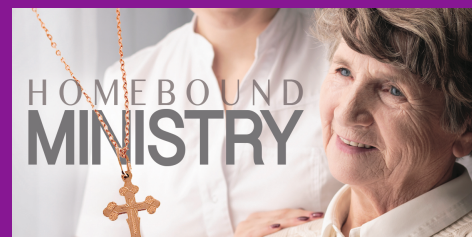
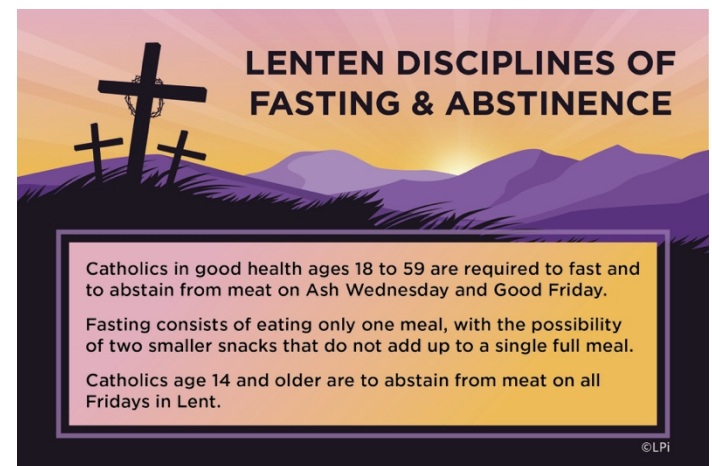
**Parking Reminder:**

When parking in the school yard, please try to park as reasonably close to the next vehicle, so that we can accommodate as many cars in the lot as possible. Additionally, please use your best efforts to keep the parking lines straight and please do not park in a spot that will block access to additional spots behind you. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS AT SFDS**

Every Wednesday in Lent at 7:00PM.  
Every Monday after the Novena following the 9:00AM Mass.



**HOME BOUND?**

If anyone would like to receive the sacraments (Confession, Anointing or Holy Communion) please call the rectory at 718-634-6464 to make an appointment. Thank You



#### **LENTEN REMINDERS FROM THE DIOCESE:**

*The penitential and grace-filled Lenten Season begins with Ash Wednesday on March 5, 2025. It is a time of hope-filled renewal as the Church journeys towards Easter. In order to assist the faithful of the Diocese of Brooklyn, our Bishop, the Most Reverend Robert Brennan wishes to draw attention to the following:*

**Abstinence:** All the faithful who have reached 14 years of age are required to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent.

**Fasting:** All the faithful between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive are bound to fast on Ash Wednesday and on Good Friday. Fasting means limiting oneself to one full meal and avoiding food between meals. Light sustenance may be taken on two other occasions during the day. Coffee, tea and juice are permitted at any time.

**Easter Duty:** After they have been fully initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, all the faithful are bound to receive Holy Communion at least once a year. This precept must be fulfilled in the Easter Season unless, for a good reason, it is fulfilled at another time.

*The faithful are urged to celebrate the sacraments of the Eucharist and Penance frequently during Lent as well as reading the Word of God, praying the Stations of the Cross, praying before the Blessed Sacrament and performing acts of charity especially to the poor.*

*In prayerful communion with the candidates and catechumens, let us accompany the Lord on His way to the cross and the empty tomb. May this time of Lent unite us all more closely to the Lord in His death and His Resurrection!*

## **ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CATHOLIC ACADEMY UPDATE**



Dear St. Francis de Sales Parishioners,

This past Wednesday, we began the sacred season of Lent, a time of prayer, reflection, and renewal. We prepared our hearts for the joy of Easter with a school wide prayer service in which we all received ashes and as a school community began to embrace the season of Lent as an opportunity to grow closer to Christ through prayer, sacrifice, and acts of kindness.

One of the most meaningful traditions during Lent is praying the Stations of the Cross, reflecting on Jesus' journey to Calvary. Over the coming weeks, each of our classes will have the opportunity to visit the church to participate in this powerful devotion. We look forward to this time of prayer as our students deepen their faith and understanding of Christ's love and sacrifice.

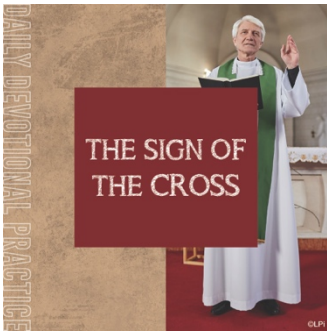
This week's Second Reading reminds us of the power of faith: "For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." During this Lenten season, may we be encouraged to call upon the Lord in both our joys and struggles, trusting in His mercy and love. As a school, we encourage our students to pray more, give more, and love more, knowing that our faith in Christ is our greatest strength.

As we hear each morning in our Lenten prayer song "Hosea", "Come back to me with all your heart. Don't let fear keep us apart." May this season of Lent be a time of returning to the Lord with open hearts, embracing His love, and strengthening our faith as a school family.

Wishing you a blessed and prayerful Lenten season.

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Principal  
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## WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC DEVOTIONS EXPLAINED: THE SIGN OF THE CROSS

"I claim you for Christ by the sign of his cross."

These words from the Rite of Baptism, spoken as the priest traces a cross on the infant's forehead, perfectly communicate the significance of that simple, familiar action. In signing the cross, we claim ourselves again and again for Christ, unite ourselves with His sacrifice on Calvary, and confess his victory over death.

Christians have been making the sign of the cross since ancient times, as evidenced by writings from Tertullian, Hippolytus and St. Cyprian. The ritual action is not only an important component of formal liturgies and sacramental rites, but also a daily devotional practice whereby the faithful invoke the blessing and protection of God.

In the Latin rite, it is made either with a movement of the full hand from one's forehead, breast and shoulders (going right to left) or with the thumb tracing the cross on the forehead, lips and breast. ©LPi

### PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

For our married couples, strengthen their covenant.  
For our religious sisters, surround them with Your love.  
For our priests, support them as they guide.  
For our parents, sustain them in Your grace.  
For our religious brothers, draw them nearer to You.  
For our consecrated singles, be everything they need.  
For those discerning, be with them as they journey.

### *All are welcome at SFDS!*

*We extend an extra warm welcome to those parishioners with special needs. St. Francis de Sales Parish is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for people who attend mass and participate in parish activities, including those who use assistance animals.*

*As part of the church restoration, we have designated areas to accommodate wheelchairs by the center break of the church, on the Beach 129th Street Side. Thank You!*

### UPCOMING FAMILY MASSES

Please join us at the 10:00AM Mass on the First Sunday of each Month for our monthly Family Mass. All are invited to attend. We extend an extra warm welcome to student in one particular grade each month, who will help us with our liturgy.

- Sunday, April 6th (5th Grade)

- Sunday, May, 4th (6th Grade)

- Sunday, June 1st (7th Grade)

Reception with food & drinks for all ages to follow.

*Coffee, Tea, Muffins, Fruit, Donuts, Juice Boxes etc.*



### To the parents of our young children:

- Relax! God put the wiggle in children. Don't feel like you have to suppress it in God's house.
- Sit towards the front where it's easier for your little ones to see and hear what's going on. They tire of seeing the backs of heads.
- Quietly explain the parts of the service.
- Sing, pray, and voice responses. Children learn by copying your involvement!
- If you have to leave the service with your child, feel free to do so, but come back! As Jesus said, "let the little children come to me."
- Remember that the way we welcome children in church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God, and to one another. Let them know that they are at home here.

### To the members of our parish:

The presence of children is a gift to the Church and a reminder that our congregation is growing. Please welcome our children and give a smile of encouragement to their parents!





# SFDS PARISH MINISTRIES

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**Altar Servers:** Training for new altar servers occurs each year for young girls and boys in the parish, grade 4 and older.

**Youth Faith Formation:** Designed for children aged 16 and younger that are baptized but did not make First Penance or First Holy Communion. Please speak with Mrs. Greene if interested.

**Lectors/Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** If interested in serving, please speak with Father Jim.

**Adult and Children's Choir:** If interested please speak with Mr. Michael Fontana

**Right of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):** Designed for adults aged 16 in older interested in the Catholic Faith. Please speak with Father Jim if interested.

**Parish Council:** If interested in serving on the Parish Council, please speak with Father Bill.

**Sea Breeze Golden Age Club:** Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday from September to June in the SFDS Gymnasium from 12:00 – 3:00PM. For more information call Ellen Mendonca at 631-923-7866

**Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) Sports:** For more information on the SFDS CYO Organization please visit:  
<https://sfdsparish.org/ministries/cyo>

**Live Streamers:** This is the group that helps live stream our masses as well as certain funerals and weddings. You will be trained and the job is easy.

**Hospitality Ministry:** This committee will assist with planning fellowship opportunities around parish spiritual events and religious celebrations. If interested in joining please speak with Father Jim

**Bereavement:** Grief Share Support group for anyone over 18 grieving the loss of a loved one. For more information please contact the rectory.

**PLEASE CONSIDER GETTING INVOLVED!**  
**THANK YOU!**

**PLEASE KEEP OUR BRAVE MEN AND WOMEN  
IN YOUR PRAYERS, ESPECIALLY:**

### United States Army

- ✝ Major Thomas Boggiano
- ✝ Major Casey Fay
- ✝ Capt. Alek Kauffman
- ✝ 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Molly Murtaugh, USMA, West Point
- ✝ Sergeant First Class Patrick O'Leary
- ✝ 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Aidan Smith
- ✝ CW4 Rafael Solis

### United States Marine Corps

- ✝ Second Lieutenant Jack Bambury
- ✝ Lt. 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade, Connor Bradwisch
- ✝ Colonel J.P. Kearns
- ✝ PFC Randy Scott Koenig Jr.
- ✝ Corporal Frankie McVeigh
- ✝ LNCPL Joseph Milone
- ✝ PFC Jake Morales
- ✝ Colonel Brian Mulvihill
- ✝ Captain Terence J. Stackpole
- ✝ Pvt. Matthew Sweeny
- ✝ CPL Charles Watson

### United States Navy

- ✝ Midshipman Grace Bradwisch, *Univ. of Tampa*
- ✝ Lieutenant Commander Sean Casey
- ✝ Midshipman Lauren Endall, *Virginia Tech*
- ✝ Chief Petty Officer Evan Felvey
- ✝ Lieutenant Briana R. Gorman
- ✝ Petty Officer Thomas Pulkowski
- ✝ Lieutenant Junior Grade John Scaccia
- ✝ Midshipman Michael Strehle, *USNA Annapolis*
- ✝ LT. JG Kevin Strehle

### United States Air Force

- ✝ Cadet Catherine Dean, *USFA, Colorado Springs*
- ✝ Staff Sergeant John Glynn
- ✝ Captain Thomas Glynn
- ✝ Sergeant Stephen Pulkowski

### United States Coast Guard

- ✝ Seaman Pat Ayrovainen
- ✝ 3<sup>rd</sup> Class Boatswain, Billy McDonnell
- ✝ Seaman Recruit Ryan Wodzanowski

*"Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen."*

**If you have a child, relative or friend in the military, whose name and service you would like included in our bulletin, please contact the rectory at 718-634-6464. Also, if your loved one's military service status or rank changes, please let us know. Thank You!**



## THE POWER OF PRAYER

Prayer has the incredible power to transform our lives in profound and meaningful ways with just one quick prayer. This simple act of reaching out to the divine can open doors to new possibilities, provide comfort in times of distress, and offer guidance when we feel lost. Each week, we'll delve into a new prayer together, uncovering the layers of beauty and wisdom that lie within it.

Through this exploration, we aim to deepen our understanding and appreciation of the spiritual connection that prayer fosters. By incorporating these moments of prayer into our daily routine, we can bring a sense of peace and reflection into our lives, one prayer at a time. Join us on this journey, as we invite God into our lives every week, allowing His presence to inspire and uplift us in ways we never imagined possible.

**THIS WEEK'S PRAYER:** The "Come Holy Spirit" prayer is important because it calls upon the Holy Spirit for guidance, wisdom, and strength in living a faithful Christian life. It invites the Spirit to renew hearts, inspire actions, and deepen one's relationship with God. This prayer emphasizes reliance on the Holy Spirit's presence for comfort, clarity, and the ability to align one's life with God's will. As we begin Lent, let's ask the Holy Spirit to be with us as we follow Christ into the desert.

*Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful  
and kindle in them the fire of your love.*

*Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created,  
and you shall renew the face of the earth.*

*Let us pray. O God, who have taught the hearts of  
the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit,  
grant that in the same Spirit we may be truly wise  
and ever rejoice in his consolation.  
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*



Discover the enriching journey of the Marriage Encounter Retreat, a unique opportunity for married couples to pause, reflect, and reconnect in a deeper, more meaningful way. Designed to foster intimate dialogue between you and your spouse—and between both of you and God—this retreat focuses on the real experiences of married life, exploring everything from personality styles to communication techniques and the handling of challenging topics.

Open to couples of any denomination, including mixed-faith or those without religious affiliation, the retreat respects the diverse backgrounds of all participants while adhering to the Roman Catholic Church's understanding of marriage. Whether you opt for a traditional weekend retreat, prefer non-residential options, or choose the flexibility of virtual sessions, the Marriage Encounter Retreat offers a variety of formats to fit your busy schedule.

If you're looking to deepen your connection and enrich your marriage, the Marriage Encounter Retreat provides an environment free from the distractions of daily life, encouraging focus on one another and your relationship. Presented by experienced couples and a Roman Catholic priest, this retreat is your pathway to becoming the best version of yourselves together.

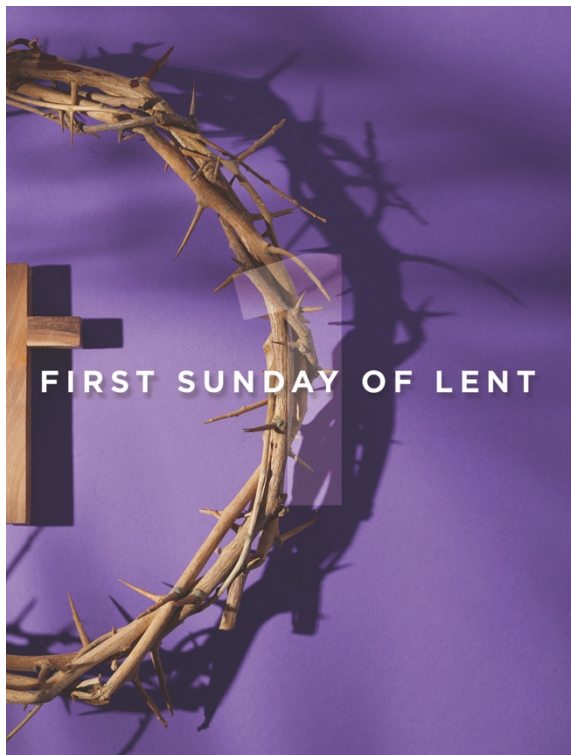
The next Marriage Encounter will be held June 27-29, in Huntington, New York, For more information or to sign up, please call (516) 554-3835 or visit: <https://wwmenyli.org/applyWeekend.php>

Embrace this chance to grow closer and strengthen your bond.

1st SUNDAY OF LENT







**Lenten Question:** I want to make this Lent worthwhile. What can I do to keep the spirit and practice of Lent?

**Answer:** It is important for us to "tune up" our faith, taking some time to renew ourselves through prayer, meditation and education. By deepening our knowledge and understanding of faith, we are often better attuned to its richness and meaning for our life.

Lent is an intense retreat, a forty-day period of reflection and penance that prepares us to celebrate the passion, death and resurrection of Christ. Our communication with God and our awareness of him is the purpose of prayer. Setting aside extra time each day helps intensify the season. Prayer includes daily Mass, Stations of the Cross, communal penance services and private confession. Making restitution for sin as well as disciplining our hearts and minds to focus on God is the purpose of penance. It helps us restore a sense of balance to our souls, thrown off kilter by sin. Penance includes personal sacrifice, self-denial, fasting, almsgiving and charitable works.

Finally, spiritual practices help us sharpen our understanding and insight into the meaning and understanding of our faith. When you take your faith seriously, you do what is necessary to follow Jesus more closely, to integrate your life and your faith more carefully.

## St. Francis de Sales Catholic Academy Card Party 2025


# TUITION RAFFLE



**GRAND PRIZE: ONE YEAR 2025-2026 TUITION\***

\*Amount to be awarded will be based on the 2025/2026 Catholic-affiliated tuition rate that will be charged for one child in nursery - Grade 8. Estimated value is \$6,200. Payment of that prize will be made directly to St. Francis de Sales Catholic Academy for a child registered to attend for the 2025/2026 school year. (No Cash Substitutions.)

**CHANCES: \$10 EACH, TWO FOR \$20 OR THREE FOR \$25**

**PLEASE COMPLETE REQUIRED INFORMATION BELOW AND RETURN CHANCES ALONG WITH CASH OR CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO: ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CATHOLIC ACADEMY**



2025 SFDSCA CARD PARTY - Tuition Raffle  
One Ticket for \$10, Two for \$20, Three for \$25

Purchaser Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please choose one:

\_\_\_\_\_ Prize should be applied to:  
\_\_\_\_\_ Family

\_\_\_\_\_ Prize should be applied to a family in need at the discretion of the SFDSCA Tuition Committee

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## PUZZLE

Help Jesus to avoid the devil by staying on the path that leads to God!



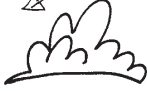
## MISSION

God has given you special talents to share with others. If you enjoy drawing, make a picture for someone else. If you enjoy singing, sing songs that make God smile.



## PUZZLE

Draw a line to the matching shadow.



## MISSION

Every morning I will pray that my family and I say, "No" to evil.



BECAUSE VIBRANT  
CHURCHES MATTER

# GROWING WITH THE *Gospel* CYCLE C

## COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent • Luke 4:1-13