



St. Francis de Sales Church

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Rev. Saverio T. Vitturino, Pastor



In The Service Of The Lord

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Sweepers Week of June 20

June 20, 2010

George & Marty Quinn

Steve & Kara Harrer

Schedule for Saturday June 26

Eucharistic Minister

Bryce Forringer

Lector

Jackie Smith

No Altar Servers for the time being

Schedule for Sunday June 27

Eucharistic Minister

Sam Oliver

Lector

Mary Douglas

MASS INTENTIONS: - Week of June 20 to June 26

Sunday: 9:00am:

11:00am:

Monday: 8:00am:

Tuesday: 8:00am:

Wednesday: No Mass

Thursday: No Mass

Friday: 8:00am: For A.Ima A. Garner By Jack Garner

Saturday: 8:00am:

5:30pm:

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5:30pm

Sunday: 9:00am and 11 AM (Latin)

Weekday Masses: - 8:00am except no mass on Wed. & Thurs.

Holy Days Masses: 8:00am and 7:00pm

Confessions: - Saturdays from 4:30 to 5:15pm

Baptisms: Sundays by appointment

Marriages: By appointment

Bulletin Deadline: The 2nd Thursday prior to the date of publication.

Website: www.stfrancisdesalescc.org

New Parishioners: Welcome. Please complete a Registration Form, available in the back of the Church, and bring or mail it to the Rectory.

Safety Issue

The Church is now being restored by the construction company. Please do not go into the Church construction area or try to see or get into the Church at this time. This is for everyone's safety.

St. Francis de Sales Church Fire Photos

For pictures of the damage of the church please check our parish website, <http://www.stfrancisdesalescc.org/> once in website click on "Church" and then "Pictures."

The projected date of reopening the Church will be July 1, 2010.

Stewardship for Last Weekend, Thanks For Your Support

Poor Box \$62.26 Envelope \$2540.00 Loose \$369.00 Total \$2909.00

St. Francis De Sales Will Be Getting a New Pastor -

Father Vitturino Retiring

On July 1, 2010, Father Kevin Cusick will be coming to St. Francis De Sales as the new pastor. He is presently parochial vicar at St. Mary's in Upper Marlboro. Father Vitturino's last day will be June 30th.

Retirement Reception

Saturday, June 19th - 6:30 PM

Sunday, June 27th - 12:00 PM

In the Church Hall

Hopefully you can attend either one or both dates to bid Father farewell.

Desserts and beverages will be served. If you are able to donate home-baked dessert items on Sunday, June 27th please contact Karen Hefter at 301-752-6657.

Catherine Foundation Fundraiser

The Catherine Foundation Pregnancy Care Center offers help to women and babies in crisis. The Baby Bottle Boomerang is an excellent opportunity for families to honor the sanctity of human life. This fundraiser is a practical way for families to support a local Christian mission that helps save the unborn at the same time offers Christians support for young women in need. Everyone can participate by taking home a bottle and filling it with check, cash or change and turn it back in by Father's Day weekend. (June 20, 2010) At the same time remembering the unborn and this ministry in prayer. More information about the Catherine Foundation can be found at www.catherinefoundation.org.

Angel's Watch Shelter in Hughesville

Angel's Watch Shelter for Women and Children in Hughesville is In need of a little help with our lawn care. If you need community service hours for school this might be the job for you. We have a few areas that would need to be weed wacked around our playground and building. We also are looking for someone who is a license daycare provider to donate a few hours a month to help our residents with childcare for meeting/trainings at the shelter. If you are able to assist us, please contact Kathy Clark at 301-274-0680 or email her at Kathy.Clark@catholiccharitiesdc.org,

First Communion

First Communion for the remainder of the children from the Religious Ed Program will be Sunday June 27th at the 9:00am Mass. Congratulations to Matthew Hefter, Rynanne Saluter, Nicholas Crain, and Charles Bell.

Happy Fathers Day

A Special Prayer for Fathers

God, bless all the fathers in the world. Guide them to be good role models and loving to all their children. Help them to be a father like You are. Give them grace and patience to handle situations in a loving way. Amen

Email Registration

Proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ amid the challenges of our society requires the use of new communication technology. In light of Our Lord's commission to "go and make disciples," we must communicate with the faithful in a manner that is both timely and efficient. This new system will enable timely communications with parishioners to inform them of the Church's perspective on current events and media coverage. In order to implement this new initiative, parishioner email addresses must be collected so that messages can be sent to them. There will be an in-pew registration during the weekend of June 12 -13, email registration cards will be available. As we move forward together, this new method of communication will enable us to be more effective witnesses to the Gospel in a world searching for truth.