

If you wish, . . . you can be wise;

if you apply yourself, you can be shrewd.

If you are willing to listen. you will learn;

if you pay attention, you can be instructed.

Sirach 6:32-33



**Register today for our faith formation** classes, youth and family programs.

Inscríbase hoy para clases de catecismo, programas para jóvenes y familia.

Call the office for more information. Llame a la oficina para mas información

**CLASSES BEGIN IN SEPTEMBER** LAS CLASES COMIENZAN EN SEPTIEMBRE

# SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH 195 West 13th Street . Holland, MI 49423

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### Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 p.m. (Bi-lingual) Sunday 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Sunday 12:30 p.m. (Spanish)

### Daily Masses

Monday 12:10 p.m. Tuesday 9:00 a.m. Wednesday 6:00 p.m.(Spanish) Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday 12:10 p.m.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confessions Saturday 4:00p.m. First Fridays Noon to 1:00p.m.

### **Office Hours**

Monday - Thurs 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

### **Phone Numbers**

Office: 616-392-6700 St. Vincent: 616-394-0676 Rectory: 616-392-3985 Fax: 616-392-2474

# What's Happening @ St. Francis



2015 Quinceañera dates are now available. Please call the office for more information. Misas de Quinceañeras para el 2015 ya están disponibles. Favor de llamar a la oficina para más información.







Congratulations to our 2nd Early Bird Winner of \$250 dollars. Grand Prize of \$3,000 will be drawn on Sunday, September 7th. Turn in your tickets today!!

### Jesus Martinez

Felicidades a nuestro segundo ganador del premio madrugador de \$ 250 dólares!!! El Gran Premio de \$3,000 se rifará el domingo, 7 de septiembre!! Compre sus boletos Hoy!!!

### Mass Intentions Peticiones de Misa

### Sunday/Domingo, Aug. 24, 2014

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8:30 am	<b>†</b> Mau Nguyen— Nguyen family
10:30 am	t Luc Huynh— Huynh family
12:30 pm	† For The People
Monday/Lunes, Aug. 25, 2014	
12:10 am	† Patricia Green— Leo Green
Tuesday/Martes, Aug. 26, 2014	
	<b>†</b> For the People
Wednesday/Miércoles, Aug. 27, 2014	
	<b>†</b> Jesse Diaz, Jr.— <i>Romero/Diaz familia</i>
Thursday/Jueves, Aug. 28, 2014	
12:10 pm	† Prof. John Thomas Quinn— Margaret Quinn
Saturday/Sábado, Aug. 30, 2014	
5:00 pm	† Jose & Guadalupe Gracia— Lupita & family
Sunday/Domingo, Aug. 31, 2014	
8:30 am	Jose Rodriguez— Montez family
10:30 am	† Judith Jarzembowski— Damien Jarzembowski
12:30 pm	† For The People
Scripture Readings for the Week	

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 2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18; Mt 23:27-32

 08/28
 1 Cor 1:1-9; Mt 24:42-51

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 1 Cor 1:17-25; Mk 6:17-29

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 1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 25:14-30

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 Jer 20:7-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27



Just Faith will be happening again. Firmly rooted in the Catholic Church's social teaching and tradition, this program engages everyday Catholics in prayer, reflection, and in action that reflects the love of Jesus Christ. It will run from Sept. 11 – April 30 on Thursday nights 7-9pm at St. Francis de Sales. Both Our Lady of the Lake and St. Francis have run this program in past years; participants have said that it has greatly influenced their lives.

Contact Sr. Noella at 392-6700 ext. 114, or npoinsette@stfrancisholland.org to sign up.

### Lecturas Bíblicas de la Semana

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# **Outreach / Fe y Justicia**



St. Vincent Center Centro San Vicente 13th & Maple, Holland

Center hours: 3 to 8 p.m. Monday and Wednesdays 12 to 4 p.m. on Saturdays.

<u>Horario:</u> Lunes y Miércoles de 3 a 8 p.m. Sábados de 12 a 4 p.m.

This week we are especially in need of **tuna fish** Our **donation container** has moved around the corner to the coat racks. Thank you for your generosity in helping us serve our sisters and brothers who are presently in need.

Esta semana le agradecemos sus donaciones de **atún enlatado** ¡Gracias por su apoyo y por ser tan generosos! **El contenedor del Centro San Vicente** lo encontrará cerca de donde están los ganchos para los abrigos. Les agradecemos su generosidad al ayudarnos a servir a nuestros hermanos y hermanas necesitados.



#### Meijer's Fall SIMPLY GIVE Program

There are many hungry people in our area; many of them are our elderly and children. Help us through our shared St. Vincent de Paul Center in feeding those who come to

us for assistance. At our Meijer's partner store at 746 E. 16<sup>th</sup> Street purchase a \$10 Simply Give card. Some are posted on the Outreach/Fe y Justicia board in the gathering space; pick up one as a reminder for your next shopping trip to Meijer's; there you'll pay for it and it will turn into \$20 for the Center. You can also simply ask the cashier to put \$10 from your credit card onto the St. Francis de Sales Food Pantry. The program runs from today thru Sept. 27. **DOUBLE MATCH DAYS** on SEPT. 4-6; your \$10 turns into \$30!



# Family and Adult Faith Formation/Formación de Fe Familiar

### World Youth Day- Kraków, Poland and Vatican City- Summer 2016

Youth Ministry at St. Francis de Sales is excited to announce we are organizing a pilgrimage to Kraków, Poland to participate in World Youth Day 2016 from July 26-August 1, 2016. During our time in Poland, we will be in communion with an estimated 1 million other young Catholics from around the world gathering in Kraków, along with our Holy Father, Pope Francis. In addition to participating in the full week of World Youth Day activities, it is our intention to also travel to Vatican City and spend time in and round Rome and the Vatican exploring the many treasures of our Catholic Faith.

World Youth Day is a pilgrimage, a physical and spiritual journey for young Catholics. It is an international gathering of young people held every 2-3 years in a different location throughout the world. World Youth Day was initiated by Saint John Paul the Great in 1984 and Kraków will be the 13<sup>th</sup> international pilgrimage celebrated by the Catholic Church.

This event is a powerful evangelizing event, filled with the Holy Spirit,

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the sacraments, prayer, music, worship, catechesis, solidarity, and a witness of the great love and vitality of the young church throughout the world. The weeklong events culminates with a final vigil of prayer and worship with Pope Francis and a million other young Catholics, followed by a closing Mass on the last morning of the work. This event has snowned numerous your

other young Catholics, followed by a closing Mass on the last morning of the week. This event has spawned numerous vocations, and countless numbers of young leaders to empower our church and to more faithfully serve God and His people.

Any young person who is currently at least 16 years old is eligible to participate in this pilgrimage. Further details, testimony, and specifics in regards to this pilgrimage will be forthcoming. In the meantime, if you have questions or any interest in this pilgrimage, please contact the parish office to speak with Kevin Hilgert, our Director of Youth Ministry. 616-392-6700.



Infant Baptism - Bautismos de Infantes Baptismal Preparation Class: September 2, 2014 from 5:45 p.m. — 8:30 p.m. Próxima sesión de preparación bautismal: 2 de septiembre 2014 de 5:45 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.

# **Community / Comunidad**

### SAVE THE DATE:

### The Beal Memorial Celebration: Following Jesus' Footsteps in the Neighborhood

will be held September 28, 2014, 3-6 PM, Midtown Center, 96 W. 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Holland. This free event will feature stories of the presence of Jesus Christ in Holland's core city neighborhood. Stories will be conveyed through spoken word, music, photography, art, dance, video, and sculpture. Join with fellow

Christians and learn about the workings of Jesus in the neighborhood our parish calls home. For more information or to submit your own story, see www:bealmemorial.org



Catholic Services Appeal Campaña de Servicios Católicos

So far, we have received \$114,838 in gifts and pledges to the 2014 Catholic Services Appeal, leaving just \$1,504 to go to meet this year's goal. Let's join the other 48 parishes of the diocese of Grand Rapids who have reached their CSA goals!

Hasta ahora hemos recibido \$114,838 en donaciones y en promesas de donación para la Campaña de Servicios Católicos 2014, dejándonos con un déficit de solamente \$1,504 para llegar a nuestra meta. ¡Unámonos a las otras 48 parroquias de la diócesis de Grand Rapids que ya alcanzaron sus metas de CSA!



To Your Health

Martha Kuyten, Parish Nurse

**Improving self-esteem.** Regular activity is an investment in your mind, body, and soul. When it becomes habit, it can foster your sense of self-worth and make you feel strong and powerful.

# A Su Salud

Martha Kuyten, Enfermera de la Parroquia

**Mejorando nuestro autoestima.** El hacer ejercicio o actividad física regularmente es una inversión en su mente, cuerpo y alma. Cuando esto se hace un habito o costumbre, puede fomentar nuestro sentido de autoestima y hacernos sentir fuertes y poderosos.

> Sponsor of the week..**Piper Restaurant** Be sure to visit our fine sponsors!

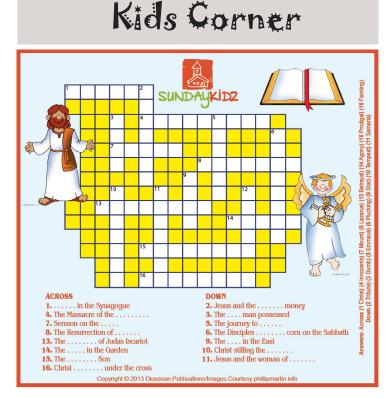
## Welcome to our Parish!

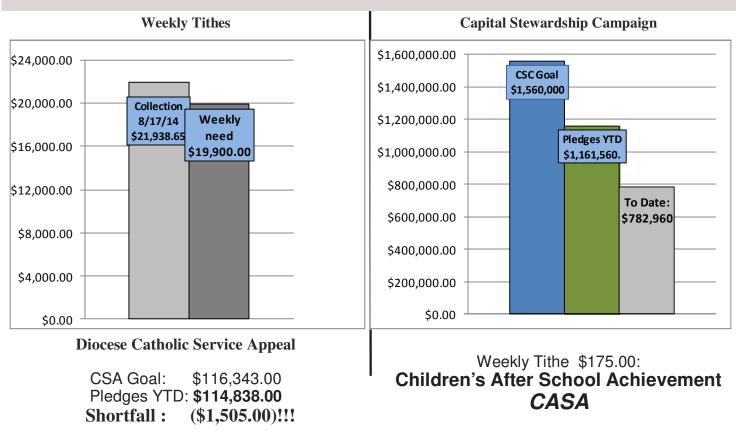
Please join us in welcoming some of our newly registered parishioners.

¡Por favor, únase a nosotros en dar la bienvenida a los nuevos miembros de nuestra parroquia!

Carlos Garcia & Family Benjamin Currie & Family Dan Michael Walker & Family Lidia Estrada & Family Elizabeth LaDuca Ricardo Valdez & Family Richard Jacek & Family Henry Fedewa Deborah M Uhrina Phillys Korte Allison Scalzitti Ervey Gonzales & Family Michael & Kristi Noguera

# ;Bienvenidos!





**GIFTS OF TREASURE**