

THE SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS

“COMMUNION OF SAINTS”

refers also to the communion of “holy persons” (sancti) in Christ who “died for all,” so that what each one does or suffers in and for Christ bears fruit for all. Catechism of the Catholic Church, 961

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH

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Mass of Remembrance

The annual Mass of Remembrance will be held Monday, November 2 at 7:00 pm. Please join us as we remember in a special way all the parishioners from our parish who passed away this year. You will also be welcome to light a candle in memory of any loved one who has passed to eternal life. Please contact Tom Eggleston, pastoral associate, with any questions.

Misa de Conmemoración

Nuestra Misa Anual de Conmemoración será el Lunes, 2 de Noviembre a las 7:00 pm. Únase a nosotros cuando recordamos de una manera muy especial a todos los feligreses de nuestra parroquia que fallecieron este año. También puede usted encender una veladora durante la Misa en memoria de algún ser querido que ha pasado ya a la vida eternal. Si tiene alguna pregunta, llame por favor a la oficina parroquial y pregunte por Tom Eggleston.

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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)
Thursday 12:10 p.m.

Office Hours

Monday - Thursdays
8:30 am to 6:00 pm
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What's happening @ SFDS and our neighborhood

**Are you ready
to experience
the love of God
in a special way?**

Come to
New Life Retreat
Nov. 20 to 22
St. Francis de Sales Parish
Holland, MI

"I have loved you
with an everlasting
love"
Jeremiah 31:3

Registration available at <http://www.stfrancisholland.org/node/844>

More information: <http://www.stfrancisholland.org/node/907>
or (616) 403-3462

A WORKSHOP FOR DISCERNING CHARISMS

Our Lady of the Lake Parish, Saturday, Nov. 7, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Can you answer **YES** to any of the following statements?

- ◆ I sense that God wants to use me in a meaningful way but I am not sure how.
- ◆ I desire to be more fruitful and fulfilled, making a difference in the world.
- ◆ I wish I knew God's will for my life.
- ◆ I am often asked to do things that I have no interest in doing.

This workshop about discerning spiritual gifts is for you!
At the workshop you will learn about the **spiritual gifts** (also known as **CHARISMS**) that each of us receives from the Holy Spirit at Baptism/Confirmation.

The workshop includes:

- Church teaching on the role of the laity in the church
- The nature of spiritual gifts
- How to begin discerning your charisms.

Mass Intentions/ Intenciones de Misa

Saturday/Sábado, Oct. 31, 2015

5:00 pm For the People

Sunday/Domingo, Nov. 1, 2015

8:30 am † All Souls—*Le family*

10:30 am † Jean Stassen—*family*

12:30 pm † Greg Calanchi Sr.—*familia Calanchi*

Monday/Lunes, Nov. 2, 2015

12:10 pm **NO MASS TODAY**

7:00 pm Bilingual Mass of Remembrance

Tuesday/Martes, Nov. 3, 2015

9:00 am † Henry & Barbara Thias—*Thias Family*

Wednesday/Miércoles, Nov. 4, 2015

6:00 pm † Lauriano Q Antunez—*familia*

Thursday/Jueves, Nov. 5, 2015

12:10 pm † Mario Sgroia —*daughter*

Saturday/Sábado, Nov. 7, 2015

5:00 pm † Morrie Scherrens—*Marion Scherrens*

Sunday/Domingo, Nov. 8, 2015

8:30 am † All Souls—*Tran-Le family*

10:30 am For the People

12:30 pm † Ana Galeno—*familia*

Leaf Rakers Needed!

Saturday, Nov. 7

9:00 a.m.

Meet in the church parking lot
Bring your rake.



Necesitamos Voluntarios

Que puedan ayudar a rejuntrar las hojas de los arboles.

Sábado, 07 de noviembre

9:00 am.

En el estacionamiento de la iglesia.
Traiga su rastrillo.

There will be **NO** daily Mass on
Monday (Nov. 2) due to the
Bilingual Mass of Remembrance
at 7:00 pm

PHOTOS NEEDED!

The Directory Committee is looking for photos of First Communion or Baptisms. They can be of your own child or others. We may use them in our directory and then return them to the owners.

¡NECESITAMOS FOTOGRAFÍAS!

El comité del directorio parroquial esta pidiendo fotos de la Primera Comunion o Bautismo. Pueden ser de sus hijos o de alguien mas. Quizás las usemos en nuestro directorio y luego las devolveremos.

Scripture Readings for the Week

11/02 Wis 3:1-9; Rom 5:5-11; Jn 6:37-40
11/03 Rom 12:5-16b; Lk 14:15-24
11/04 Rom 13:8-10; Lk 14:25-33
11/05 Rom 14:7-12; Lk 15:1-10
11/06 Rom 15:14-21; Lk 16:1-8
11/07 Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Lk 16:9-15
11/08 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44

Lecturas Bíblicas de la Semana

11/02 Sab 3:1-9; Rom 5:5-11; Jn 6:37-40
11/03 Rom 12:5-16b; Lc 14:15-24
11/04 Rom 13:8-10; Lc 14:25-33
11/05 Rom 14:7-12; Lc 15:1-10
11/06 Rom 15:14-21; Lc 16:1-8
11/07 Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Lc 16:9-15
11/08 1 Re 17:10-16; Heb 9:24-28; Mc 12:38-44

Outreach / Fe y Justicia



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CENTER:

At Thanksgiving and Christmas the parish provides food for about 100 families. Your donations in the St. Vincent mobile grey tub will help us in this ministry. This week we suggest donations of pasta and macaroni & cheese.
Hours: Mon. & Wed., 3 to 8 pm and Sat. 12 to 4 pm.


CENTRO SAN VICENTE DE PAÚL:

Durante el Día de Acción de Gracias y la Navidad la parroquia suministra comida para unas 100 familias. Necesitamos pastas y macarrón con queso.

Nuestro horario es: Lunes y Miércoles, 3 a 8 pm y los Sábados de 12 a 4 pm.


Understanding the Affordable Care Act: Marketplace and Healthy Michigan Plan:

On Thursday, November 12 at 7:00 pm representatives/"navigators" from West Michigan Asian American Association will give a presentation in both English and Vietnamese. Appointments can then be made if you want their assistance in filing for health insurance. This will be in St. Francis de Sales Church in the lower level.



Simply Give:

We did great on this drive that ended just a month ago; together parishioners from both parishes donated enough that got doubled and tripled so that Meijer's is giving us gift cards worth \$12,640! I guess since we did so well Meijer's is partnering with our St. Vincent de Paul Center food pantry again for the holidays. Nov. 1 – Jan. 2. So again your \$10 donation, by picking up a Simply Give card at church or at the southside Meijer's, will turn into \$20. **The Double Match Days are Nov. 13-14;** your \$10 turns into \$30 or your \$50 turns into \$150, etc. on these two special days. This is a great way to increase the value of your donation to our shared St. Vincent ministry to the hungry.



“An American Jewish Perspective on Peace in Israel/Palestine”

On Monday, Nov. 9 at 7:00 pm Mark Braverman will speak at Christ Memorial Church, 595 Graafschap. He is the Executive Director of Kairos USA, an organization mobilizing the U.S. church in response to the Palestinian Christian call for justice and human rights. As a Jewish American he will present a unique perspective on the conflict. This is sponsored by Kairos West Michigan and is a follow-up to the September presentation by Israeli Archbishop Elias Chacour, 3-time nominee for the Nobel Peace Prize.

Corpus Christi News

Moms of Young Children!

Looking for time to connect with other moms while the kids play?

PLAYGROUP

At Corpus Christi School

First Wednesdays of the month—10:00 a.m.
 11/4, 12/2, 1/6, 2/3, 3/2, 4/13*, 5/4, 6/1
 *Date moved due to spring break

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LAP-TIME

Participate with your little one in song, story and crafts led by CCCS preschool teachers

Third Wednesdays of the month—10:00 a.m.
 11/11*, 12/16, 1/20, 2/17, 3/16, 4/20, 5/18
 *Date moved due to Day of Sharing Evening

If CCCS classes are cancelled due to weather, there will be no playgroup or lap-time.

Corpus Christi School—12100 Quincy Street—Holland

¡Mamás de Niños Pequeños!

¿Anda buscando un tiempo para conectar con otras mamás mientras que los niños juegan?

GRUPO DE JUEGOS

En la Escuela Corpus Christi

Cada primer miércoles del mes—10:00 a.m.
 11/4, 12/2, 1/6, 2/3, 3/2, 4/13*, 5/4, 6/1
 *Esta fecha es diferente debido a las vacaciones de primavera &

TIEMPO DE CUENTOS

Participe junto con sus pequeños cantando, contando cuentos y haciendo trabajos manuales encabezados por las maestras de pre kínder de CCCS

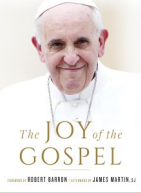
Cada tercer miércoles del mes—10:00 a.m.
 11/11*, 12/16, 1/20, 2/17, 3/16, 4/20, 5/18
 *Esta fecha es diferente porque hay otro evento ese día

Si se cancelan las clases en CCCS debido al mal tiempo, no habrá grupo de juegos o tiempo de cuentos.

Escuela Corpus Christi—12100 Quincy Street—Holland

Family and Faith Formation & more

Evangelii Gaudium
POPE FRANCIS



Joy of the Gospel

In the Joy of the Gospel (Evangelii Gaudium), Pope Francis calls upon the Church and the world with encouragement to begin a new chapter in evangelization. This dynamic document is written in the plain, everyday language for which the pope has become famous.

St. Francis is offering this series to explore some of the themes found in the pope's document. The event is open to adults who are encouraged to read the document, though it is not needed in order to attend the event. You are invited to join us as together we reflect on Christ working in our lives. Each event will include a speaker and witness talk, beer & wine, snacks, and fellowship. We will also open in prayer. Feel free to bring your friends and family.

Our next event will Friday, November 6, 2015 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm in our parish's lower level. Learn more about this event and register in the gathering space or online—www.stfrancisholland.org/node/1308.

La Alegría del Evangelio

En la Alegría del Evangelio, el Papa Francisco anima a la Iglesia y al mundo a comenzar un nuevo capítulo en evangelización. Este documento tan dinámico está escrito en un lenguaje sencillo por el cual el papa se ha hecho famoso.

Nuestra parroquia de San Francisco de Sales está ofreciendo una serie de sesiones para explorar algunos de los temas en este documento. El evento está abierto a los adultos y se les anima a que lean este documento, aunque no es necesario hacerlo para asistir a las sesiones. Esta usted invitado/a a unirse a nosotros para reflexionar como Cristo trabaja en nuestras vidas. Cada sesión incluirá un presentador y testimonios, cerveza y vino, bocadillos, y camaradería. También abriremos la sesión con oración. Puede traer a sus amigos y su familia.

Nuestra próxima sesión será el viernes 6 de noviembre, 2015 de 7 a 9 pm en la planta baja de la iglesia. Aprenda más acerca de este evento y puede registrarse en el atrio del templo o en línea—www.stfrancisholland.org/node/1308.

Sacrament Preparation Update

RCIA News

Thank you all for your continued prayers for our new Catechumen and candidates who celebrated the combined Rites of Acceptance and Welcome last weekend. Please continue to keep them in prayer as they continue their journey. We also have several adults inquiring about becoming Catholic. Our sessions will start up again in November to help them discern their faith journey. Please keep them in prayer.

Noticias de RICA y Preparación Sacramental

Gracias a todos por su continuo apoyo con la oración por nuestros nuevos catecúmenos y candidatos que celebraron los Ritos de Aceptación y de Bienvenida el fin de semana pasado. Continúen por favor orando por ellos al seguir en su jornada de fe. También tenemos a varios adultos preguntando como pueden hacerse católicos. Nuestras sesiones empezaran de nuevo en noviembre. Por favor oremos por ellos.

Sacrament of Confirmation

We have youth and adults who will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation next month. Please keep them in prayer as they continue in their faith journey. May they be strengthening by the gifts of the Holy Spirit to live the Gospel as God is calling them to do.

Sacramento de la Confirmación

Tenemos a jóvenes y adultos que celebrarán el Sacramento de la Confirmación el próximo mes. Manténgalos en sus oraciones por favor al continuar en su jornada de fe. Que el Espíritu Santo les fortalezca con sus dones para que vivan el Evangelio de la manera en que Dios les llama a vivirlo.

Prison Jail Ministry Christmas Drive



We are collecting NEW PACKAGED plain white tube socks and NEW reading glasses +125-+250. These donated items will be used in various jails, shelters and juvenile detention centers within the Diocese. Deadline is Dec. 13. A box will be in the gathering space for the items.



Campaña Navideña del Ministerio de los Presos

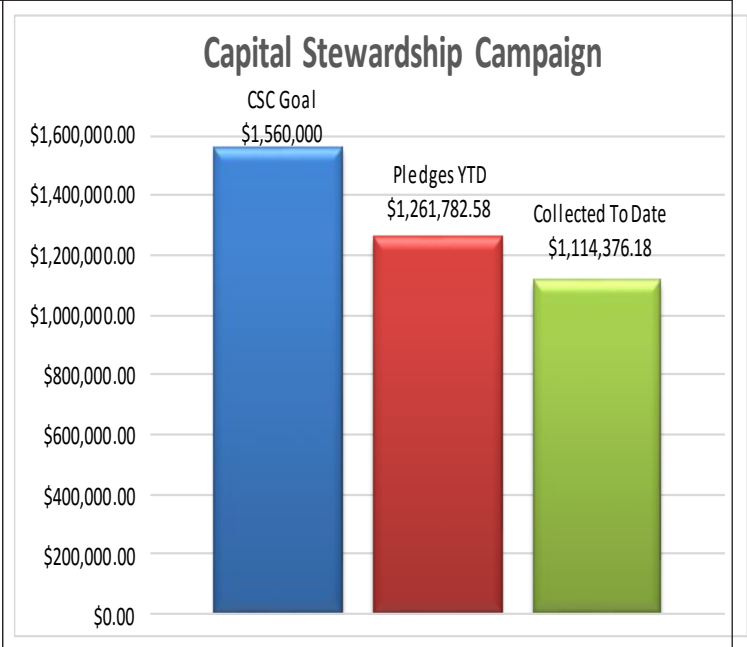
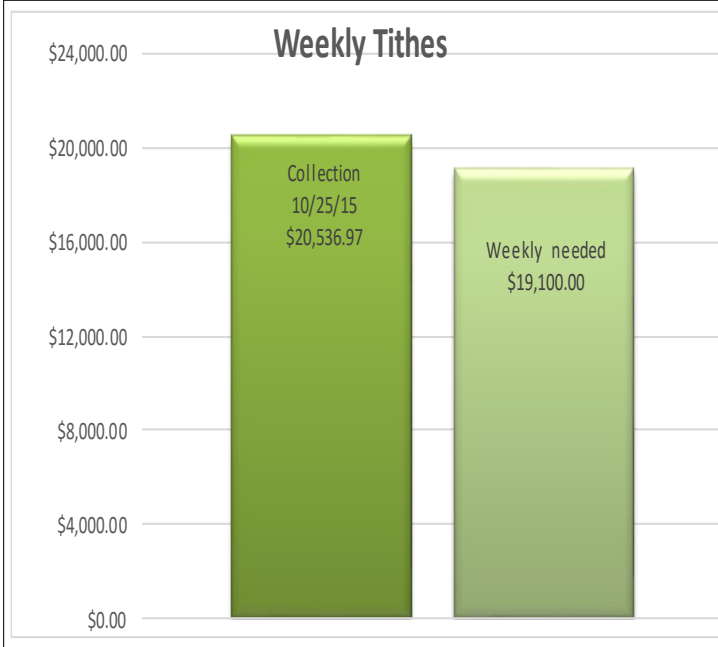
Estamos colectando calcetines blancos que estén NUEVOS Y EN SUS PAQUETES y lentes para leer de aumento del +125 al +250 que sean NUEVOS. Estos artículos serán donados en varias cárceles, albergues y centros de detención para jóvenes de la Diócesis. La fecha límite para estas donaciones es el 13 de diciembre. Tendremos una caja en el atrio para que ponga ahí sus donaciones.



The winner of the Grand Prize in this year's Parish Raffle was Josefina Adame. Our first prize winner was Elizabeth Colburn. Congratulations to both of these members of our parish. A special thank you to everyone who participated in the raffle by buying tickets.

La ganadora del gran premio en la rifa de la parroquia de este año fue Josefina Adame. Nuestra ganadora del primer premio fue Elizabeth Colburn. Felicidades a las dos miembros de nuestra parroquia. Un agradecimiento especial a todos los que participaron en la rifa comprando boletos.

GIFTS OF TREASURE



Weekly Tithe — \$175.00: DEGAGE MINISTRIES