



WHERE THE UPPER EAST SIDE AND EAST HARLEM MEET
135 East 96th Street, New York, NY 10128
212-289-0425

September 17, 2023

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary time

OFFICE HOURS

MON - FRI
9am - 5pm

MASS TIMES

SUNDAYS
9am/11am / 12:30pm Spanish
MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY
FRIDAY
8:30am Mass

CHURCH HOURS

WEEKDAYS
9am - 4pm
WEEKENDS
10:30am - 2pm

OUR MISSION

Taking Jesus' message of loving service to heart, all are welcome in our vibrant, hopeful, diverse, Eucharistic Community where we break the bread and open the Word and discover God in our Midst.

NUESTRA MISIÓN

Tomando el mensaje de Jesús de servicio amoroso a corazón, todos son bienvenidos en nuestra Comunidad Eucarística vibrante, llena de esperanza, y diversa, donde partimos el Pan y abrimos la Palabra y descubrimos a Dios en medio de nosotros.

Jesus needed followers, too.

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THOSE IN OUR PRAYERS

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2023

9am– Stefan Cavallo (D)

11am - Ada Calderon (D)

12:30am – Ricardo Rosario (D)

En honor al la Santisma Virgen Maria

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2023

8:30am– Pavel Maloshenkov (D)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2023

8:30am– Roselgail Rivas (L) B'day

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2023

8:30am – Ronald Robles (D)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2023

8:30am– Evelyn Lloyd (L)

SICK & DEPARTED

SICK : Evelyn Lloyd, Lois Siegal, Elena Millerman, Dean Crone, Alessandra Greenstein, Edward Siegal

DECEASED ☒

Pura Baez, Ada Calderon, Vincent Dorgan, Joyce Reidy, Ellen Margarf, Marty Dineen, Sixta Gonzalez, Msgr. Thomas Shelley, Sr. Elinor Shea, Stefan Cavallo, Jeffrey Parker, Charmaine Innis, Jean Stonier, Fr. Rodolfo Casals, Casey Tolar, Mary Greene, Icema Williams, Clemente Cuadrado, Jose Guzman, Josephine Porcelli, Gerard Reidy

HAVE A SPECIAL PRAYER REQUEST?

Send us who or what needs a special prayer by using the Prayer Request feature on our new SFDS app—available in the Google Play or Apple App Store. Our parish prayer group will pray upon all submissions.



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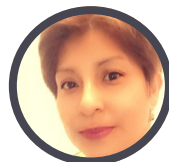
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Feeling the heat? Feel the hope

as we march as people of faith on **Sunday, September 17, in NYC.**



Why now? The global temperature broke records in July and August. We keep burning fossil fuels, which will only increase the warming and make matters worse. Alarmed, UN Sec. General Antonio Guterres has called for a UN Climate Ambition Summit on Sept. 20th to press global leaders to increase their ambition to reduce their emissions. We march to tell them to increase their ambition by ending the use of fossil fuels.

We call on President Biden to step up... to stop fossil fuel expansion and extraction by halting the Willow Project in the Artic, the leases in the Gulf, and the Mountain Valley Pipeline.

Logistics: Metro NY Catholic Climate Movement and Pax Christi Metro NY invite you to gather with us as a **Catholic Contingent from 11:00 to 11:30 am** in front of the **Church of St. Paul the Apostle at 59th & 9th Avenue**. Young Catholics participating in the march will hold a press onference to express their concern. We will have visuals available for people to carry. St. Paul's welcomes us to their 10:00 am Mass. At 11:30 we will then join the GreenFaith Hub on 53rd St. betw. 7th Ave. & Broadway prior to getting in the lineup on Broadway for the 1:00 pm march which will end at 4:30 pm at First Ave and 49th St. Join us and bring your friends as we give witness to our commitment to a sustainable environment for all and a thriving future for the generations to come. Email Metro NY Catholic Climate Movement, MNYCCM@gmail.com to get updates.

This march is endorsed by the following faith organizations: World Council of Churches; NY State Council of Churches; Interfaith Power and Light; Kentucky IPL; Pennsylvania IPL; GreenFaith; Franciscan Response to Fossil Fuels; Pax Christi USA; Pax Christi NYState; Pax Christi Metro NY; Laudato Si' Movement, Metro NY Catholic Climate Movement; Laudato Si' Movement – Nigeria; Green Muslims of New Jersey; Lutherans Restoring Creation; Sisters of Mercy of the Americas Justice Team; American Jewish World Service; Interfaith Earthkeepers; Central Bergen Circle of GreenFaith; The First Presbyterian Church of NY; Community Church of NY; Riverside Church, NY; The Unitarian Society of East Brunswick, NJ; Unitarian Society of Ridgewood, Church of the Covenant, Boston and others. For a complete list, go to www.endfossilfuels.org/partner-orgs

Weekly Collection September 5th-Sept 11th

\$4,201.60—Online Debit Giving

\$2,407.00— Collection 9:00am,11:00am&12:30pm Masses

Mailed in Checks

Total-\$ 6,608.60



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FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

We're getting ready to begin our Faith Formation sessions and we invite you to register. Registration can also be done online visit: stfrancis96.org and under "Get involved drop down", click Faith Formation for Children. You can also use the new form by scrolling down on the home page of the website and fill out the fillable PDF form and register (or re-register) now. For more information, please contact Joe Long at joelong@sfdsnyc.org or leave a message at the Parish Office

We are looking forward to learning, loving and living Jesus in the coming year.



ADULT FAITH FORMATION (RCIA)

The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a process of initiation into the Catholic Community of Faith for persons who are experiencing a conversion in their lives and seeking either Christian baptism in the Catholic Church or full Communion with the Catholic tradition of Eucharist and Confirmation. It is a process which enables the study of the Gospels, Catholic Christian teaching, the acceptance of Christian values and morality, the development and deepening of a life of prayer and action with the support and involvement of the local Christian community. It is a process of conversion, designed to meet the unique and individual needs of the participants. If you would like more information about the RCIA process, please contact Fr. Kelly @ fatherkelly@sfdsnyc.org or call the church rectory at 212-289-0425.



BIRDWATCHING "IN CELEBRATION OF THE SEASON OF CREATION"

Our parish 'birders' are invited to join our very own Mary Braza and Br Tim for the first of our Birdwatching Trips to Central Park. Dates are: September 24th - October 1 at 1:00pm We'll Meet at E 106th and Fifth Ave. All are welcome, no experience necessary. Feel free to email Mary Braza at brazamary@gmail.com for more information. We can provide binoculars if you don't have them.



HOPE WALK

"Please join the Social Justice committee for the Hope Walk. On the second Saturday of each month, we meet at 11am in Frank's Cafe (lower church) to make sandwich bags and then walk through the neighborhood, distributing them to those who would like something to eat. Upcoming dates are Saturday, October 14th, Saturday, November 14th, and Saturday, December 9th. We hope you can join us!"

ÚLTIMAS NOTICIAS & PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

ENTÉRATE DE TODO LO QUE ESTÁ PASANDO EN SFDSNYC.ORG



REGISTRARSE PARA CLASES DE FORMACIÓN DE FE

Nos estamos preparando para comenzar nuestras sesiones de Formación de Fe y te invitamos a registrarte. La inscripción también se puede realizar en línea visitando: stfrancis96.org y en el menú desplegable "Participe", haga clic en Faith Formation for Children. También puede utilizar el nuevo formulario desplazándose hacia abajo en la página de inicio del sitio web y completando el formulario PDF que se puede completar y registrarse (o volver a registrarse) ahora. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Joe Long en joelong@sfdsnyc.org o deje un mensaje en la oficina parroquial.



FORMACIÓN DE FE PARA ADULTOS (RICA)

El RICA (Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos) es un proceso de iniciación en la Comunidad de Fe Católica para personas que están pasando por una conversión en sus vidas y buscan el bautismo cristiano en la Iglesia Católica o la plena comunión con la tradición católica de la Eucaristía y la Confirmación. Es un proceso que posibilita el estudio de los Evangelios, la enseñanza cristiana católica, la aceptación de los valores y la moral cristiana, el desarrollo y profundización de una vida de oración y acción con el apoyo y la participación de la comunidad cristiana local. proceso de conversión, diseñado para satisfacer las necesidades únicas e individuales de los participantes.

Si desea obtener más información sobre el proceso de RICA, comuníquese con el Padre. Kelly en fatherkelly@sfdsnyc.org o llame a la rectoría de la iglesia al 212-289-0425.



Congreso Eucarístico del Estado de Nueva York

20-22 de octubre del 2023
Santuario de Nuestra Señora de los Mártires, Auriesville, NY

Únase a 10,000 católicos para adorar en el lugar sagrado donde los Mártires norteamericanos dieron su vida por Cristo y donde nació Santa Kateri Tekakwitha.

LOS EVENTOS INCLUYEN:

- Misa con los Obispos del Estado de Nueva York
- Confesiones
- ¡Grandiosos Oradores!
- Adoración Eucarística y Procesión

Para registrarse y obtener más información, visite nyseucharisticcongress.org

PROCESSIONAL: BLESSED ASSURANCE

1 Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.

Refrain:

This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long.
This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long.

2 Perfect communion, perfect delight,
visions of rapture now burst on my sight.
Angels descending bring from above
echoes of mercy, whispers of love. [Refrain]

3 Perfect submission, all is at rest.
I in my Savior am happy and bless'd,
watching and waiting, looking above,
filled with his goodness, lost in his love. [Refrain]

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 103

The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger, and rich in
compassion.

OFFERTORY: YOUR GRACE AND MERCY

Your grace and mercy brought me through
I'm living this moment because of You
I want to thank You and praise You too
Your grace and mercy brought me through
Mercy, your grace and mercy brought me through

COMMUNION: THERE IS A BALM IN GILEAD

Refrain

There is a balm in Gilead
to make the wounded whole,
there is a balm in Gilead
to heal the sin-sick soul.

1. Sometimes I feel discouraged,
And think my work's in vain,
But then the Holy Spirit
Revives my soul again.

2. If you cannot preach like Peter,
If you cannot pray like Paul,
You can tell the love of Jesus,
And say, "He died for all."

3. Don't ever feel discouraged,
For Jesus is your friend;
And if you lack for knowledge,
He'll ne'er refuse to lend.

RECESSIONAL: LORD, MAKE ME MORE HOLY

1 Lord, make me more holy;
Lord, make me more holy;
Lord, make me more holy,
until we meet again:
holy, holy, holy,
until we meet again.

2. Lord, make me more faithful;
Lord, make me more faithful;
Lord, make me more faithful,
until we meet again:
faithful, faithful, faithful,
until we meet again.

3 Lord, make me more humble;
Lord, make me more humble;
Lord, make me more humble,
until we meet again:
humble, humble, humble,
until we meet again.

2 Lord, make me more righteous;
Lord, make me more righteous;
Lord, make me more righteous,
until we meet again:
righteous, righteous, righteous,
until we meet again.

17 DE SEPTIEMBRE 2023 VIGESIMO CUARTO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

ENTRADA: CANTO DE ALEGRÍA

1. Venimos al banquete del amor y recordamos a aquel que dio su vida con valor para salvarnos. Y cuando compartimos este pan y este vino, formamos una santa unidad con Jesucristo.

Estríbillo

Escucha nuestro canto de alegría.
Unimos nuestras voces en tu altar.
Escucha nuestro canto de alegría.
Y haznos instrumentos de tu amor y armonía.

2. A ti te ofrecemos nuestro ser completamente; el éxito así como el dolor de cada gente. Sabemos que a veces de tu amor no somos dignos, mas siempre estás dispuesto a olvidar y a recibirnos.

3. Rogamos que tu espíritu de paz llene la tierra; que una a nuestras razas y dé fin a nuestras guerras. Adorna nuestra vida de hermandad con tu belleza y siempre dale gran inspiración a tu Iglesia.
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SALMO: 102

El Señor es compasivo y misericordioso, lento a la ira y rico en clemencia.

OFERTORIO: AMÉMONOS DE CORAZON

1, 4. Amémonos de corazón, no de labios solamente. (bis)

Para cuando Cristo venga,
para cuando Cristo venga
nos encuentre bien unidos. (bis)

2. ¿Cómo puedes tú orar
enojado con tu hermano? (bis)

Dios escucha la oración,
escucha la oración
cuando estás reconciliado. (bis)

3. ¿Cuántas veces debo yo
perdonar al que me ofende? (bis)

Setenta veces siete,
setenta veces siete,
perdonar al que me ofende. (bis)

Letra y música: Tradicional.

COMUNIÓN: ESPERO EN TI SEÑOR

Estríbillo

Espero en ti, Señor,
mi alma confía en tu palabra.
Como el centinela a la aurora,
mi alma te espera, Señor.

1. Desde el abismo clamo a ti, Señor,
escucha mi clamor.
Estén atentos tus oídos, mi Dios,
a la súplica de mi voz.

2. Desde el abismo clamo a ti, Señor,
escucha mi clamor.
Ten misericordia de mí, Señor,
libérame con tu perdón.

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SALIDA: VAYAN POR EL MUNDO ENTERO

Respuesta

Vayan por el mundo entero
y prediquen el Evangelio.
Vayan por el mundo entero.
Aleluya.

1. Alaben a Dios todas las naciones,
aclámenlo todos los pueblos.

2. Misericordioso es con nosotros,
su fidelidad perdura.

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