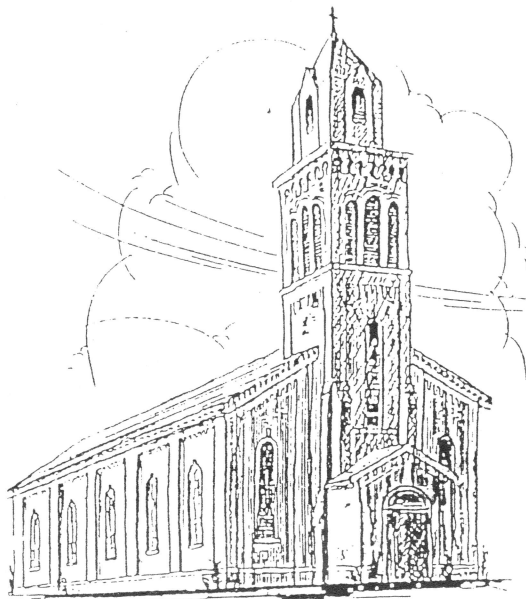


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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil - 4:30 PM

Sunday Masses - 8:30 & 10:45 AM

Sacrament of Penance - Saturday 3:30pm

TELEPHONES:

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

"Saint Francis Xavier Parish is a Christian Family dedicated to the mission of Jesus and the teachings of the Catholic Church. We are committed to fostering spiritual growth and to responding to the human needs of both our faith community and the larger community by sharing our gifts and resources."

Liturgy Schedule

Weekend Masses:

Saturday Evening Vigil: 4:30 pm

Sunday Masses: 8:30 am & 10:45 am

Holy Day Masses: See schedule inside.

Daily Mass: 6:45 am Mon, Thur, Fri
Tuesday 6:00pm

Weekend Mass Schedule in our area

St. Michael-St. Peter

Sat. Evening: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 9:30 & 11:00 am

St. Mary's of the Lake

Sat. Evening: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:15 am

St. Patrick's Jordan

Sat. Evening: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 am

PASTORAL STAFF:

Pastor: Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino*

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Parish Historian: John P. Curtin

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Laurie LeFever, Laura Carver

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PARISH TRUSTEES:

Diane Foster*

Joseph E. Durand*

* Also on Parish Council

SACRAMENTS:

Baptism:

Class required.

Call rectory for arrangements.

Reconciliation: Sat. 3:30 - 4:00

Marriage: Arrangements at
least 6 months in advance.

NEW PARISHIONERS are most welcome.

See Fr. Muscalino after Mass or call
the Rectory.

PARISH COUNCIL

Jay Austin

Terry Hall

Pen Anderson

Terry Kotlarz

Beth Cusick

Roxanne Taylor

Kim Flood

Marty McClusky

Carter Austin

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Rick Reagan

Chris Hunt

Diane Foster

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino

Joseph E. Durand

Jay Austin

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday October 30

VIGIL THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:30 PM- Dorothy & James McMahon- John & Maureen Curtin

Sunday October 31

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier Parish

10:45 AM- Bruce Jones- Family

Monday November 1 – Holy Day

ALL SAINTS (not a Holy Day of Obligation this year)

6:45 AM- Phil Epp- Catherine Grace

6:00 PM- Peggy Johnson Smith- Annie Gleason & Family

Tuesday November 2

ALL SOUL'S DAY

6:00 PM- Claude Incaudo- Family

Wednesday November 3

SAINT MARTIN DE PORRES

No Mass

Thursday November 4

SAINT CHARLES BORROMEIO

6:45 AM- Betty Tross- Family

Friday November 5 – First Friday

6:45 AM- Jonathan E. Clark- Family

Saturday November 6 – First Saturday

VIGIL THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 AM- Larry & Sara Holden- Family

4:30 PM- People of St. Francis Xavier Parish

Sunday November 7

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 AM- Kay Wilson- Dolores Maroney

10:45 AM- Kathleen Vulcano- Prayer Group Friends

Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

| Saturday, Nov 6 | Sunday, Nov 7 | |
|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 4:30 | 8:30 | 10:45 |
| Lector | Lector | Lector |
| Jamie Curtin | Terry Kotlarz | Mike McAuliff |
| Altar Server | Altar Server | Altar Server |
| Mary Curtin | Mac Ciras | Dan Cross |

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.

Morning Mass Attendees

Reminder: Starting November 1 - April 1, there is **NO** on-street parking from 2am until 7am. Please use the parking lots around the church. You will be ticketed if parked on the street.

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Monday, November 1

Holy Day Mass- Church- 6:45am and 6:00pm

Wednesday, November 3

Memorial Mass- Church- 7:00pm

Thursday, November 4

Rosary- Church- 7:00pm

Friday November 5 – First Friday

Exposition- Church- after 6:45am Mass

Benediction- Church- 7:00pm

Saturday November 6 – First Saturday

Men's Group- Ch Hall- 7:30am

First Saturday Mass- Church- 9:00am

Sunday November 7

Coffee Hour- Ch Hall- after 8:30 and 10:45 Mass

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal: \$7,900 Last Week: \$4,686

Please Pray for...

Gerri Cole, Martin Long, Betty Bush,
Robert Darling, J. Michael Kelly, Barb Stapleton,
Peyton James Perkins, Mary Dorsch, Eileen Smith,
Msgr. Bob Yeazel, Gretta Petterson, Donna Martin,
Robert Hammond, Richard Hammond,
Isabelle Callahan, Riley Christine Perkins,
Roger Schott, Danielle Painter, Genie Barnes,
Nicole DeMore, Lisa Pikarski, Michelle Fleegel,
Justin MacLachlan, Jack Bragger, Missy Fitz,
Austin Marlowe, Brett Kresco, Lucienne Henneberry,
Allan Stonecipher, Kelly Cunningham Suberts,
J.E.L., Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson

Please Pray for our Homebound...

Frieda Stopyro, Isabelle LaClair, Helen Volcko,
Mike Berish, Marie Patterson,
Mary Martin, Ethel Cole
Please call the Church Office to add anyone to our
Prayer List. (315) 673-2531



The Marcellus Ecumenical Food

Pantry is offering *Thanksgiving and Christmas Food Baskets*. All eligible people are welcome to sign up. For more information, visit our website. www.sfxmarcellus.com

BIRTHRIGHT OF SYRACUSE

St. Francis Xavier is collecting items for Birthright. Wishlist: Baby Wash, Baby Towels, Receiving Blankets, Bottles & Pacifiers
On the weekend Masses throughout October, there will be a basket by each entrance for donations.



Faith Formation

"A soul cannot live without loving. It must have something to love, for it was created to love."St. Catherine of Siena

NO REL ED CLASSES FOR

MONDAY, NOV. 1 (GRS 1-8). MCS P/T CONF.

VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED:

Our parishioners are so generous with their time and talents, please contact me for more information in ways you can serve our faith community.

"I want to ask a favor. I want to ask you to walk together and to take care of one another." -Pope Francis

We have our date for **Confirmation** for this spring: The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated for our second year students on Thursday, April 21 at 7:00 PM with Bishop Lucia as our celebrant.

The Seven Sacraments (Anointing of the Sick)

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is a Sacrament of healing in the Epistle of James we read: "Is anyone among you sick? He should summon the presbyters of the Church, and they should pray over them in the name of the Lord and anoint them in the name of the Lord, and the prayer of faith will save the sick person, and the Lord will raise him up. If he has committed any sins, he will be forgiven." James 5: 14-15 (NAB). Anyone who is ill, about to undergo surgery and/or advanced in years can receive this Sacrament. We believe in God's ability to heal physically, emotionally and spiritually. The ritual includes a reading from Scripture, the blessing of oil (or thanksgiving for the blessed oil) and the prayer of anointing; "Through this holy anointing may the Lord in His love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit" The person is then anointed on the hands with the sign of the cross saying, "May the Lord who frees you from sin save you and raise you up."

The oil we use in this sacrament is one of three Holy Oils that the Church uses in Sacramental celebrations. The oils are blessed for the entire diocese by the Bishop at a special Mass during Holy Week; the Chrism Mass. The Oils are: Holy Oil (Oil of Catechumen) used at Baptism. Sacred Chrism, used at Baptism Confirmation and Holy Orders, and Oil of the Sick, used in the Anointing of the Sick. If you notice the lighted box to the left of the Altar (the ambury) is where the oils are kept throughout the year, the ambury is emptied before Holy Week in preparation to receive the new oils.

God Bless, Fr. Dan



October 31, 2021

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture Readings

Dt 6:2-6

Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51

Heb 7:23-28

Mk 12:28b-34

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar – In a family children are taught to be respectful if they want to be respected, to share, if they want their fair share and to listen if they want to be heard. Family life rescues us from arrogance by teaching us to love others as we love ourselves

Question of the Week – *The Greatest Commandment*

Adults: Why is love of neighbor as important as love of God?

Children: When do you show that you love God and your neighbor with your whole heart?

St. Francis Xavier Memorial Mass

It is a tradition at St. Francis Xavier to invite families and friends who have lost a loved one during the past fourteen months (from September 2020 to date) to a special liturgy that will honor their loved ones. Our liturgy will be on Wednesday, November 3 at 7pm. Please join us in remembering and honoring those we love. Please call the rectory at 673-2531 and provide us with your loved one's name and date of death.

Mark your Calendars - *COFFEE & DONUTS*

On **Sunday Nov. 7** after 8:30 & 10:45 Masses, we will be having coffee and donuts again. Also, our Men's prayer group will be sponsoring a **TURKEY RAFFLE** at Coffee hours.

The Novena of Grace in Honor of St. Francis Xavier
November 25th – December 3rd

The Novena link can be found on our website:
sfxmarcellus.com under Our Parish/Helpful Links.

Adult Education Class with Fr. Dan

Information Night-Tuesday, Nov 9 at 7pm at Church
Are you interested in learning more about Scripture, Comparative Religion, "Social Justice", Morality, etc.?
This information night will be used to prioritize topics of interest.

Vocation Corner

Each week we will print one name of our Seminarians so that we can remember them specifically, by name in prayer throughout the week. This week we remember in prayer: **Pawel Zmija**.

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