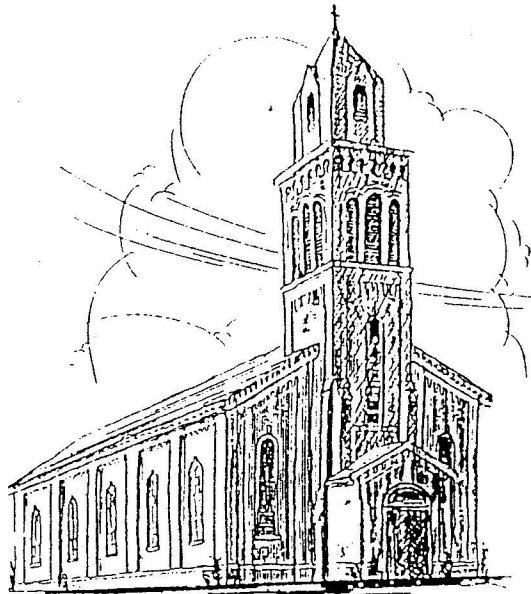


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## WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil - 4:30 PM  
Sunday Masses - 8:30 & 10:45 AM  
Sacrament of Penance - Tuesday 5:30pm  
Saturday 3:30pm

## TELEPHONES:

Rectory: 673-2531  
1 West Main St., P.O. Box 177

Rel. Ed. Center: 673-4107  
53 North Street

## 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\*  
Pastoral Associate: Deacon John J. Falge\*  
Faith Formation Director: Laura Carver\*  
[lcarver@syrdio.org](mailto:lcarver@syrdio.org)

#### Parish Secretary:

Dawn O'Hara [dawnohara@syrdio.org](mailto:dawnohara@syrdio.org)

#### Social Service Coordinators:

Rosalie Durand, Patty White

Music Director: Chrissy Camuglia\*

Buildings and Grounds: Ron Schneider

Housekeeper: Kathy Welsh

Parish Historian: John P. Curtin

#### Confirmation Coordinators:

Laurie LeFever, Laura Carver  
[sfxconfirmation1@gmail.com](mailto:sfxconfirmation1@gmail.com)

## PARISH TRUSTEES:

Diane Foster\*  
James P. Curtin

\* Also on Parish Council

## SACRAMENTS:

### Baptism:

Class required.

Call rectory for arrangements.

### Penance

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	Roxanne Taylor
Terry Hall	Kim Flood
Pen Anderson	Marty McClusky
Terry Kotlarz	Carter Austin
Beth Cusick	John Ketterer
Patty Gooden	Ed Dunn

## FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Rick Reagan	Jon Roberts
Chris Hunt	
Diane Foster	
Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino	
Joseph E. Durand	
Jay Austin	

# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



## Saturday November 11

VIGIL THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
4:30 PM – Edward Purcell – Mike and Terry Hall

## Sunday November 12

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
8:30 AM – Joseph Grzasko – Bob and Amy Mann  
10:45 AM – People of St. Francis Xavier Church

## Monday November 13

ST. FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI  
6:45AM – Mary Vizine – Rita and Colleen Condon

## Tuesday November 14

6:00PM – Margaret and Charles Losky – Family

## Wednesday November 15

No Mass

## Thursday November 16

6:45AM – Rev. Daniel J. Mulhauser, S. J.

## Friday November 17

ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY  
6:45AM – For the Holy Souls in Purgatory

## Saturday November 18

VIGIL THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
4:30 PM – Robert James O'Mara –  
Nancy Murray and Family

## Sunday November 19

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
8:30 AM – People of St. Francis Xavier Church  
10:45 AM – Bernard and Elizabeth Delaney – Family

## Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, Nov. 18	Sunday, Nov. 19	
4:30	8:30	10:45
<b>Lector</b>	<b>Lector</b>	<b>Lector</b>
Patty Bishop	Angi Daiuto	Trish Austin
<b>E. Ministers</b>	<b>E. Ministers</b>	<b>E. Ministers</b>
Pat Dailey	Terry Kotlarz	Tim Manahan
<b>Altar Servers</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>
Blake LaPlant	Peter Daiuto	Daniel Cross
Jesse LaPlant	Daniel Reilly	Matt Stokking



## Holy Father's Prayer Intentions

November 2023

For the Pope

We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

## Safe Environment Training Session

St. Francis Xavier Parish is hosting a Safe Environment Recertification Training Session at the Religious Ed Center, 53 North Street on **Wednesday, November 29 at 6pm**. Pre-registration is required.

<https://www.syracusediocese.org/safe-environment/>

## What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

### Saturday, November 11

Men's Group – Selling Raffle Tickets after 4:30pm Mass

### Sunday, November 12

Coffee Hour – Ch Hall–after 8:30am & 10:45am Masses  
Men's Group – Selling Raffle Tickets after both Masses  
Safe Environment Initial Training – RE Center – 1pm

### Monday, November 13

Lectio Divina – Church Hall – 6:30pm

### Wednesday, November 15

Parish Council Meeting – Church Hall – 7:00pm

### Thursday, November 16

Rosary – Church – 7:00pm

### Saturday, November 18

Men's Group – Church Hall – 7:30am

## Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal \$7,900

11/5/23 \$7,741



## Please Pray for...

Genie Barnes, Noah Bilsback,  
Jack Bragger, Laura Brown,  
Isabelle Callahan, Robert Darling,  
Nicole DeMore, Mary Dorsch,  
Michelle Fleegel, Baby Gavin,

Steven Goldberg, Richard Hammond, Robert Hammond,  
Lucienne Henneberry, Ryan Huff, J. Michael Kelly,  
Katie Kelly, John Kianka, Eugene Koloski, Brett Kresco,  
J.E.L., Martin Long, Austin Marlowe, Gerry Muldoon,  
Andy Nagen, Viking Nyberg, Danielle Painter, Tom Palmer,  
Gretta Petterson, Lyla Perkins, Peyton James Perkins,  
Lisa Pikarski, Anthony Rodolico, Barb Stapleton, John Steele,  
Allan Stonecipher, Kelly Cunningham Suberts, Carl Thorpe,  
Sandra Wallak, Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson, Msgr. Bob Yeazel

## Please Pray for our Homebound...

Mike Berish, Ethel Cole, Mary Martin

*Please call the Parish Office to add anyone to our Prayer List.*



## Coffee & Donuts This Sunday

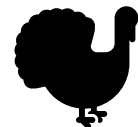
Sunday, Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> after both Masses!

Please join us!

## Annual Turkey Raffle

Our St. Francis Men's Group will be selling tickets for our Turkey Raffle after all of the Masses *this weekend*,

**November 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>.**



## Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service & Dinner

Next Sunday, **November 19<sup>th</sup> at 5pm**  
at the Methodist Church



There will be a short service followed by a potluck dinner. Please bring a dish to pass and your own table service. **Please join us!**



Dear Parish Family,

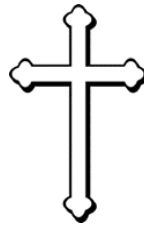
On November 2, the priests and deacons of our Diocese had the opportunity to gather with our Bishop for a presentation given by Msgr. Stephen J. Rossetti. Msgr. Rossetti is a priest of our Diocese (and a native of Marcellus) who is currently exercising his ministry as an exorcist in the Archdiocese of Washington, and is the author of the book: Diary of an American Exorcist: Demons, Possession, and the Modern-Day Battle against an Ancient Evil. This is not about Halloween, horror, or scary movies; or some superstition for a bygone time when people were supposedly 'less' sophisticated or 'less' educated than today. It is about the reality that there is a spiritual warfare going on today between the demonic (Satan) and the forces of good (God, the angels, saints, and the Church). The final outcome is not in doubt: God is God; Satan and the demons are but creatures who are as dust before God's power. The victory is won, the Kingdom of God is at hand and assured. Jesus Christ has conquered sin and death and overcome the powers of darkness once and for all. Yet in his pride, Satan and the demonic are still waging war against the Kingdom of God and His Church, and will do so until the victorious return of Christ. How is this struggle evident? Look at the rise of hatred, discord and violence; the number of people who have turned from the faith, the attacks against the Church, the continuing disregard for the sacred gift of human life. So, what should we do? Avoid all types of occult practices: Ouija boards, tarot cards, fortune tellers, astrology, mediums and the like: all forms of Divination are called in the Bible, an abomination before God. Positively, stay close to the Church and regular practice of the Sacraments; especially Confession and Eucharist. Pray together as a family, especially the Rosary (the Blessed Mother, Mary, is particularly hated by Satan and the demonic), have a blessed Crucifix in your home, use sacramentals: Holy Water, Scapulars, Blessed medals and Blessed images of the Saints. Most importantly, never fear or despair: Jesus Christ is Our Savior and Our Hope and the ultimate victory belongs to Him, and we, because of our Baptism, belong to God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in Heaven.

*I would also like to say "Thank You" and "God Bless" to our Veterans: Living and Deceased.*

God Bless,  
~Fr. Dan

**Second Collection Next Weekend – Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>**

There will be a second collection at all Masses next weekend for **Human Development**.



November 12, 2023

**Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Scripture Readings**

Wisdom 6:12-16

Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8

1 Thessalonians 4:13-14

Matthew 25:1-13

**Question of the Week: Actions and Consequences**

“Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive.” (Luke 20:37–38)

**Adults:** We meet Christ sometimes when we least expect it. How can you be ready to see him in all the ways he is present?

**Kids:** What are some surprising ways in which you meet Christ in your daily life?

**A Prayer for our Nation**

Gracious and loving God, we come to you in humble prayer for the United States of America.

Bless our President. Give him wisdom and strength to serve the American people and lead our country in ways that are pleasing to you.

Bless our Congress. Instill in them knowledge and understanding to enact laws that protect the sanctity of life - from the unborn to the elderly; and promote the good of all people.

Bless the people of the United States. Make us aware of our responsibility as citizens to uphold the principles of life, liberty, justice and equality.

Send your Holy Spirit upon our beloved country. Make us people of faith in time of uncertainty. Make us people of hope in times of trouble. Make us people of compassion with those who are less fortunate. Make us people of peace in our homes, our communities, our country, and our world.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, Our Lord and Savior.  
Amen.

*Our Sunday Visitor  
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**2023 HOPE Appeal Update:**

Our goal: \$40,850

Total pledges/gifts to date: \$22,143

***Thank you for your generosity.***

***\*\* Faith Formation News \*\****

Laura Carver, Director [lcarter@syrдио.org](mailto:lcarter@syrдио.org)

**Grades 1-8:**

Sunday, November 12 9:45am-10:30am

Monday, November 13 6:00pm-7:15pm



**Confirmation Year 1 and Year 2**

***\*Next Weekend\* 11/19 – Year 1 and Year 2: Class #2***

**Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)**

**\*PLEASE HELP!! Volunteers are still needed!!!\***

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