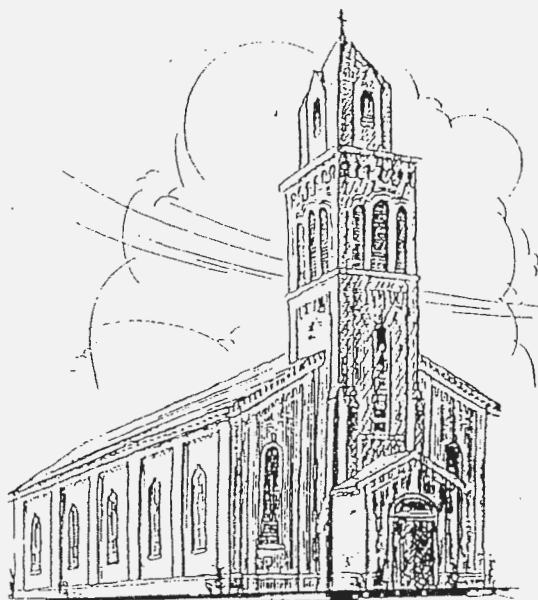


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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil - 4:30 PM

Sunday Masses - 8:30 & 10:45 AM

Sacrament of Penance - Saturday 3:30pm

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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, Wed, Thur, Fri

Weekend Mass Schedule in our area

St. Michael-St. Peter

Sat. Evening: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:15 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*

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Confirmation Coordinators:

Laurie LeFever

Laura Carver

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

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Pen Anderson

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Beth Cusick

Roxanne Taylor

Kim Flood

Marty McClusky

Terry Kotlarz

Carter Austin

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Rick Reagan

Chris Hunt

Diane Foster

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino

Joseph E. Durand

Jay Austin

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday January 9

VIGIL BAPTISM OF THE LORD

4:30 PM- Martha Lollis- Peg & Jim McNally

Sunday January 10

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

8:30 AM- Geraldine Kwetcian- Maureen & Gary Germain

10:45 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier Parish

Monday January 11

6:45 AM- Jonathan E. Clark- Family

Tuesday January 12

6:00 PM- The Deceased Members of Richie and Keen Families- Family

Wednesday January 13

SAINT HILARY

No Mass

Thursday January 14

6:45 AM- Martha Lollis- Frances Hradil and David Farrell

Friday January 15

6:45 AM- Terry Quigley- Bishop Ludden Community

Saturday January 16

VIGIL SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:30 PM- Addie Fagan- Bishop Ludden Community

Sunday January 17

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 AM- Aileen Ecker- Mary McGreal

10:45 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier Parish

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

St. Francis is open for public Mass for *50 people*.

In addition to weekend Mass, this week we will also have Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday Mass.

REMINDER: Please SIGN UP online if you plan on attending Mass & review safety measures.

www.sfxmarcellus.com/events

(Please sign up by Friday morning for weekend Mass)

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal: \$7,900 Last Week: \$7,935

Please Pray For...

Gretta Petterson, Robert Hammond,
Richard Hammond, Isabelle Callahan,
Dennis McEnery, Riley Christine Perkins,
Nick Olenych, Roger Schott, Danielle Painter,
Genie Barnes, Nicole DeMore, Lisa Pikarski,
Michelle Fleegel, Jo-Ann Foertch,
Ellie Hauver, Justin MacLachlan, Jack Bragger,
Peggy Paradise, Missy Fitz, Austin Marlowe,
Brian Stonelake, Brett Kresco, Lucienne Henneberry,
Allan Stonecipher, Donna Martin, J.E.L.,
Kelly Cunningham Suberts, Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson

Please Pray for Our Homebound...

Isabelle LaClair, Theresa Holmes, Kay Wilson,
Helen Volcko, Mike Berish,
Marie Patterson, Mary Martin, Ethel Cole
Please call the Church Office to add anyone to our Prayer List.

Information Regarding Mass and Confession

Mass: We are dispensed from the obligation to attend Mass until further notice. If you are uncomfortable with attending any group gathering or have a preexisting medical condition that would make you more susceptible; or are ill or have any symptoms of covid19 or your family member is ill; please stay home & take care of yourself. You may view the weekend Mass on our Facebook page or through the link on our website.

Confession: We have confessions each Saturday in the Church from 3:30-4:00 PM. Fr. Dan will hear confessions in the Sacristy. Please wear a mask and maintain social distancing while waiting in the pews. Please do NOT line up outside of the Sacristy, when the door nearest St. Francis Xavier's statue is closed you will know that Fr. Dan is not free, when it is open, you are welcome to come in for confession. Thank you.



Holy Father's Prayer Intentions

Human Fraternity – May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

A Thank You from Fr. Dan:

I really want to say thank you to everyone who was so kind and thoughtful when I was ill; thank you for all of your prayers, well wishes and food. I have gotten my appetite back, but still get very tired; but this will pass. Thank you also for all of the cards, gifts, food and kindness given to me as we celebrated Christmas: it would be impossible for me to adequately express my gratitude for such a kind, loving and caring parish family. I know that if I tried to remember each one and thank each one individually, I would inevitably leave someone out and I would never want to do that. So, thank you all and may God continue to bless you and your families. God Bless, Fr. Dan

2021 Calendars, courtesy of **Ryan Funeral Home & Plis Funeral Home**, are available at the church entrance. If you would like a calendar sent to you, please contact the church office.

A Note from Fr. Dan:

As 2020 finally has come to an end, and we begin a New Year, I thought that it might be good to reflect on what was and look forward to what might be. Yes, 2020 was very difficult and we are all happy to see it behind us; but hopefully, we did learn some things from the experience: the value of time spent with loved ones, to refocus on those things that are truly important, how to appreciate our health and value the gifts God has given to us. As we look forward to 2021, Pope Francis offers to St. Joseph for the new year. We have no recorded words that St. Joseph said, Matthew's Gospel describes him as a righteous man, one who was obedient to the will of God. God the Father entrusted to St. Joseph's care His most precious gift, His only begotten Son, Jesus and His mother, the Virgin Mary. St. Joseph cared for them, protected them and provided for them. St. Joseph is the patron of the Universal Church and a model for all who quietly strive to know and do the will of God.

St. Joseph, pray for us.
God Bless, Fr. Dan

Prayer to St Joseph

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage,
and defend us from every evil. Amen.

-from Pope Francis' apostolic letter

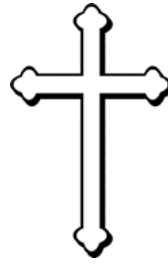
Vocation Corner – Epiphany of the Lord

In the moment of our Baptism, we were claimed by God as his own and set aside for a very unique purpose. Ever since then, God has been giving you graces to help you figure out what that purpose is! Has the Lord been preparing you to live out your calling as a priest or consecrated religious? Call Father Jason Hage (315) 470-1468, or email: vocations@syrdio.org.

Each week we will print one name of our Diocesan Seminarians so that we can remember them specifically, by name, in prayer throughout the week.

This week we remember in prayer:

Gianni Verginio.



January 10, 2021 The Baptism of the Lord

Scripture Readings

Is 42:1-4, 6-7

Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10

Acts 10:34-38

Mk 1:7-11

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar – The gospel today points to Jesus' humanity; like us He needed RECOGNITION ("You are my Son"), AFFECTION ("My Beloved Son") and AFFIRMATION ("With you I am well pleased,"). In our families it is easy to focus on irritating behaviors and take for granted all the positives. This New Year take a lesson from God the Father, be an AFFIRMER and not a BLAMER.

Faith Formation

"The object of a New Year is not that we have a new year. It is that we should have a new soul."

...GK Chesterton

GRADES 1-8: Unit 3 of the Gospel Weeklies will be available next week. I will be contacting you shortly.

Announcement of Easter & the Moveable Feasts

Know, dear brethren (brothers and sisters), that, as we have rejoiced at the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ, so by leave of God's mercy we announce to you also the joy of his Resurrection, who is our Savior.

On the seventeenth day of February will fall Ash Wednesday, and the beginning of the fast of the most sacred Lenten season.

On the fourth day of April you will celebrate with joy Easter Day, the Paschal feast of our Lord Jesus Christ.

[In those places where the Ascension is observed on Thursday: On the thirteenth day of May will be the Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ.]

[In those places where the Ascension is transferred to the Seventh Sunday of Easter: On the sixteenth day of May will be the Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ.]

On the twenty-third day of May, the feast of Pentecost.

On the sixth day of June, the feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ.

On the twenty-eighth day of November, the First Sunday of the Advent of our Lord Jesus Christ, to whom is honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

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