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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:

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:

Holy Day Masses: See schedule inside.

Saturday Evening Vigil: 4:30 pm

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

Daily Mass: 6:45 am Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri

Weekend Mass Schedule in our area

St. Michael-St. Peter

St. Mary's of the Lake

St. Patrick's Jordan

Sat. Evening: 5:00 pm

Sat. Evening: 4:30 pm

Sat. Evening: 5:00 pm Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 am

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:15 am Sunday: 8:00 & 10:15 am

PASTORAL STAFF:

Pastor: Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino*

Pastoral Associate: Deacon John J. Falge* Religious Ed. Director: Renee O'Connor*

Parish Secretaries: Mary Jo Osterman

Katherine Boos

Social Service Coordinators:

Rosalie Durand

Patty White

Music Director: Robin Schott, Jr.

Buildings and Grounds: Ron Schneider

Confirmation Coordinator:

Lori Tucker

Housekeeper: Kathy Welsh

Parish Historian: John P. Curtin

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

Roxanne Taylor Kim Flood

Terry Hall

Marty McClusky

Pen Anderson

Cheryl Hunt

Terry Kotlarz

Beth Cusick

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Rick Reagan Jay Austin

Chris Hunt

Diane Foster

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino

Dc. John J. Falge

John P. Curtin

Joseph E. Durand



Saturday January 18

VIGIL SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 4:30 PM- People of St. Francis

Sunday January 19

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM- Bill Skvarch Jr.- Sarah & Peter Skvarch 10:45 AM- Shirley Angelo- Lou Angelo

Monday January 20

SAINT FABIAN & SAINT SEBASTIAN 6:45 AM- Bob Wilson

Tuesday January 21

SAINT AGNES

6:00 PM- Michael Repp- Family

Wednesday January 22

SAINT VINCENT

6:45 AM- Respect for the Dignity of Human Life

Thursday January 23

SAINT MARIANNE COPE & SAINT VINCENT 6:45 AM- In honor of St. Marianne Cope- Brother Christian

Friday January 24

SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES 6:45 AM- Carol A. McGrath- Family

Saturday January 25

VIGIL THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 4:30 PM- Fr. Saba (Healing)- Deacon Community

Sunday January 26

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30 AM- Virginia Albanese 10:45 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier

| Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier | | |
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| Saturday, Jan 25 4:30pm | Sunday, Jan 26 8:30am | 10:45am |
| Lector | Lector | Lector |
| Marge Delaney | Carolyn Withiam | Rosalie Durand |
| E. Ministers | E. Ministers | E. Ministers |
| Martha Lollis | Kim Flood | Jeff Dixe |
| Mary Jo Palmowski | Terry Kotlarz | Marilyn Duffy |
| Beth Cusick | John Ketterer | Tim Manahan |
| Kristin Schoeneck | Beth Feeney | Peggy Perl |
| Angela Barbaro | · | |
| Altar Servers | Altar Servers | Altar Servers |
| Amanda Barbaro | Mac Ciras | Nolan Manahan |
| Matthew Barbaro | | Madeline Carver |
| | | Anna Carver |

St. Francis Website

The weekly bulletin is available on our website: www.sfxmarcellus.com

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Saturday January 18

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

Sunday January 19

No CLOW

Prayer Ministry- Church- after 8:30 & 10:45 Mass Coffee Hour- Ch Hall- after 8:30 & 10:45 Mass Sandwich Sunday- Ch Hall- after 10:45 Mass

Monday January 20

Lectio Divina- Ch Hall- 6:30 pm

Thursday January 23

Rosary- Church- 7:00 pm

Sunday January 26

CLOW

Prayer Ministry- Church- after 8:30 & 10:45 Mass Respect Life Holy Hour- Church- 1:00 pm

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal: \$7,900 Last Week: \$8,952

Please Pray For...

John Bednarski, Dennis McEnery, Ed Dillon,
Riley Christine Perkins, Nick Olenych,
Roger Schott, Danielle Painter, Nate Wagner,
Nicole DeMore, Lisa Pikarski, J.E.L.,
Michelle Fleegel, Jo-Ann Foertch, Ellie Hauver,
Justin MacLachlan, Jack Bragger, Florence M.
Linda, Peggy Paradise, Missy Fitz, Austin Marlowe,
Brian Stonelake, Brett Kresco, Lucienne Henneberry,
Jo'Ann F., Allan Stonecipher, Genie Barnes,
Donna Martin, Kelly Cunningham Suberts,
Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson

Please Pray for Our Homebound...

Isabell LaClair, Theresa Holmes, Kay Wilson, Jim Reagan, Helen Volcko, Mike Berish, Ethel Cole, Peggy Crysler, Marie Patterson, Mary Martin, Barbara Vautrot, Patricia Welch

Please call the Church Office to add anyone to our Prayer List.

The **Elizabeth Ministry** is here at St. Francis Xavier. This ministry is extremely important for it affirms that every member of the church has gifts and talents to build up the entire community.

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions - January

Evangelization – Promotion of World Peace We pray that Christians, followers of other religions and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

Faith Formation / Religious Ed

"What do you want to change? Your hair, your face, your body? Why? For God is in love with all those things and he might weep when they are gone."

—St. Catherine of Siena

RITE OF ENROLLMENT At the 10:45 Mass this weekend 15 children were enrolled in the 1st Penance and 1st Communion Program. For the next several months, these children with the help of their families will be preparing to receive the sacraments, please remember to pray for them. The children and their families will also participate in Sandwich Sunday.

NO CLOW this weekend, see you next Sunday!

1ST PENANCE WORKSHIP is next Sunday, January 26, 1 pm at Center for both parent and student.

NO RELIGION CLASSES on Monday, Jan. 20, MLK Day.



Respect Life Holy Hour

Sunday, January 26th
Holy Hour 1:00 pm
Please join us for a *Respect Life*Holy Hour with respect for the dignity of all life.

SFX Men's Shelter Dinner

Save the Date: Monday, February 24th
It's almost time for us, the SFX family, to prepare a dinner for about 125 homeless men at the Men's Shelter. We prepare the dinner at the Emmaus Center from 2-4:30. Then, around 4:30, we take the food to the Men's Shelter and serve the dinner. We need 6 volunteers for meal prep and 4 volunteers to deliver and serve the men.

(If you can spread sauce, you can make pizza!) Anyone interested please call the rectory at 673-2531.



A note from Francis House:

Thank you for your generous gift of \$350. Each gift of support means that we can continue to become

home and extended family to so many people in their final days. Your generosity is especially meaningful as you are the tangible example of God working through others to bring comfort and peace. God bless you.



January 19, 2020 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. He is the one of whom I said, 'A man is coming after me who ranks

ahead of me because he existed before me.' I did not know him, but the reason why I came baptizing with water was that he might be made known to Israel."

-John 1:29-31

Scripture Readings

Isaiah 49:3, 5-6 Psalm 40 1 Corinthians 1:1-3 John 1:29-34

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar – Can you say "I have testified Jesus is the Son of God?" If you aren't talking about Jesus in your family, you aren't testifying. If you are not walking your talk, your children will see your words as meaningless.

Question of the Week-Jesus, the Son of God

For Adults: We witness to Christ as John did, by living lives full of generosity, forgiveness, and mercy toward others. When do you find it most difficult to do this? For Children: Who has surprised you by doing something kind for you when you did not expect it?

Sandwich Sunday

Sunday, January 19th after the 10:45 Mass This month we welcome and thank our 2nd graders and their families as they lead our ministry of service to those in need. As always, your loving hands and hearts are needed! We'll see you then! God bless!

Day of Hope and Healing

God has a unique and beautiful plan of healing for all who have suffered from a past abortion. Our dedicated team will assist you and offer you a safe place to begin the healing process at our Day of Hope and Healing on Saturday February 1st. Call or email to register confidentially: 1-855-364-0076 or hopeandhealing@syrdio.org

Your generosity speaks for itself!

Donations to the *SAMARITAN CENTER* included: 80 sets of silverware and 65 kitchen utensils.

THANK YOU

for reflecting the light of our Savior.