

SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH

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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

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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, 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*

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

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

Terry Hall

Pen Anderson

Cheryl Hunt

Beth Cusick

Roxanne Taylor

Kim Flood

Marty McClusky

Terry Kotlarz

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Rick Reagan Jay Austin

Chris Hunt

Diane Foster

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino

Dc. John J. Falge

John P. Curtin

Joseph E. Durand

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



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

Monday January 27

SAINT ANGELA MERICI

6:45 AM- Bob Wilson

Tuesday January 28

SAINT THOMAS AQUINAS

6:00 PM- Florence Latendresse- Margaret

Abrahamson

Wednesday January 29

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

Thursday January 30

6:45 AM- Daniel T. Drew- Family

Friday January 31

SAINT JOHN BOSCO

6:45 AM- Virginia Albanese

Saturday February 1 – First Saturday

9:00 AM- Thank God for the Blessings of St. Francis Xavier

VIGIL PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

4:30 PM- Bishop Tom Costello- People of St. Francis

Sunday February 2

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

8:30 AM- Bill Kelly- Joe & Marge Delaney

10:45 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier

Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, Feb 1	Sunday, Feb 2	
4:30pm	8:30am	10:45am
Lector	Lector	Lector
Tom Brown	Mary Dailey	Joanne Hess
E. Ministers	E. Ministers	E. Ministers
Helen Thorpe	Veronica Hughes	Mary Ellen Koloski
Maureen Curtin	Pat Dailey	Marty McClusky
Linda Phillips	Vince Esposito	Terry McClusky
Hugh White	Diane Foster	Carter Austin
	Fred Gooden	
Altar Servers	Altar Servers	Altar Servers
Claire Curtin	Marcus Darminio	N. Hammerschmidt
Mary Curtin	Kyle Darminio	Daniel Cross

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.

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Sunday January 26

CLOW

Prayer Ministry- Church- after 8:30 & 10:45 Mass

Respect Life Holy Hour- Church- 1:00 pm

Monday January 27

Lectio Divina- Ch Hall- 6:30 pm

Wednesday January 29

Adult Choir Rehearsal- Church- 7:30 pm

Thursday January 30

Rosary- Church- 7:00 pm

Saturday February 1

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

First Saturday Mass- Church- 9:00 am

Sunday January 26

CLOW

Prayer Ministry- Church- after 8:30 & 10:45 Mass

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal: \$7,900 Last Week: \$5,743

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.

St. Francis Website

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

Faith Formation / Religious Ed

“Knowing that we can be loved exactly as we are, gives us all the best opportunity for growing into the healthiest of people.”

...Fred Rogers

CLOW – at the 10:45 Mass this weekend. Children K-3 are invited to hear the Word in age appropriate language. And mom or dad, feel free to accompany your child, if not, take advantage of some uninterrupted quiet time.

1ST PENANCE WORKSHOP this weekend, Sunday, January 26, for both **parent and child**. 1-2 at the Center.

REMINDER:

WEDNESDAY MORNING CLASSES (Grs 4-5-6)

If Marcellus schools delay one or two hours in the morning due to inclement weather or for any reason, our classes are cancelled!



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.

Project Rachel's 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@syradio.org

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.



January 26, 2020

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

When Jesus got word that John had been arrested, he returned to Galilee. He moved from his hometown, Nazareth, to the lakeside village Capernaum, nestled at the base of the Zebulun and Naphtali hills. This move completed Isaiah's sermon: Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali, road to the sea, over Jordan, Galilee, crossroads for the nations. People sitting out their lives in the dark saw a huge light; Sitting in that dark, dark country of death, they watched the sun come up. —*Matthew 4:12-16*

Scripture Readings

Isaiah 8:23-9:3

Psalms 27

1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17

Matthew 4:12-23

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar – When Jesus called his disciples, they came “immediately.” Parents wish their children would respond as quickly, but they don't. Children grow slowly into responsibility. It is a process like walking, not done “immediately,” but in small steps. Parenting demands patient encouragement.

Question of the Week- Following Jesus

For Adults: To whom could you preach the gospel of Jesus Christ this week with actions rather than words?

For Children: What could you do for someone this week that would tell them something about Jesus?

Sandwich Sunday - Another HUGE THANK

YOU! Thanks goes out to our 2nd graders and their families for another successful Sandwich Sunday! Great job! We'll see you again on Sunday, February 9 when our 3rd graders and their families lead our ministry to those in need. Thanks again and God bless!

Pre-Lenten Mission

St. Patrick's Church in Jordan is sponsoring a pre-Lenten mission on February 24-26, 2020. It will be preached by Rev. Kevin O'Neil, C.Ss.R. from the Redemptorist Retreat House in Long Branch, New Jersey. The theme is “Change our Hearts: Our Lenten Prayer.”

He will preach at weekend Masses on **Feb. 22** and **23** and the mission talks will be given on:

Monday, Feb 24 at 7pm, with evening prayer service and reflection

Tuesday, Feb 25 at 7pm, with a Penitential Service with individual confessions

Ash Wednesday, Feb 26 at 6pm with Eucharistic Celebration