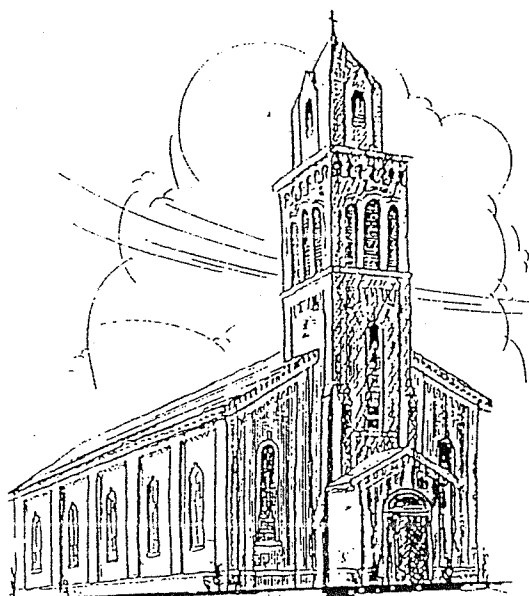


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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

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

TELEPHONES:

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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:

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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
Ed Dunn	Marty McClusky
Terry Kotlarz	Patty Gooden
Beth Cusick	John Ketterer
Jason Palmowski	

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

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

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday February 8

VIGIL FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

Sunday February 9

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30AM- Thomas Reilly- The Szczech Family

10:45AM- Hugh J. White Sr.- Hugh & Patty White

Monday February 10

SAINT SCHOLASTICA

6:45 AM- Kathy Bonney- Class of 1970

Tuesday February 11

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

6:00 PM- Jean Harrington- Eileen & Casey Smith

Wednesday February 12

No Mass

Thursday February 13

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

Friday February 14

SAINT CYRIL

6:45AM- Rev. Msgr. Eugene M. Yennock

Saturday February 15

VIGIL SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:30PM- Pamela Falge- The Michael Hess Family

Sunday February 16

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

10:45AM- Mary Kay Gillis- Mary McGreal

Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, Feb. 15	Sunday, Feb. 16	
4:30	8:30	10:45
Lector	Lector	Lector
Cheryl Hunt	Patty Gooden	Tricia Austin
E. Ministers	E. Ministers	E. Ministers
Terry Hall	Fred Gooden	Marty McClusky
Altar Servers	Altar Servers	Altar Servers
Ava MacDonald	Peter Daiuto	Lucas Vaga
Tye MacDonald	Daniel Reilly	Nicholas Vaga

The Church of St. Michael and St. Peter brings you their annual Chicken & Biscuit dinner on Saturday, March 1st from 4-7 pm. \$15 for chicken, gravy, biscuit, green beans, coleslaw, cranberry sauce, and a cookie dessert. Eat In and Take Out available. Haiti Benefit.



The next senior lunch will be held on February 13th at Noon in the hall at St Francis Xavier. If not registered for this lunch, please call St Francis at 315-673-2531 by Monday February 10th.

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Monday, February 10

Lectio- Ch Hall- 6:30pm

Wednesday, February 12

Stewardship Meeting- Ch Hall- 7:00pm

Thursday, February 13

PEACE Luncheon- Ch Hall- Noon

Rosary- Church- 7:00pm

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal \$7,900 Last Week: \$5,955

The 2nd collection this weekend is for WILDFIRE RELIEF. Please make the check out to the **Diocese of Syracuse** with **wildfire relief** in the memo and it will go through our Catholic Charities. Thank you!



Please Pray for...

Pam and Doug Myles and Family,
Penny Anderson, Greg Gibbons,
Ann Konieczny, Casey Smith,
Isabelle Callahan, Genie Barnes, Jack Bragger,
Laura Brown, Robert Darling, Mary Dorsch,
Nicole DeMore, Steven Goldberg, Michelle Fleegel,
Sandra Wallak, Robert Hammond,
Lucienne Henneberry, Ryan Huff,
Katie Kelly, John Kianka, Brett Kresco,
J.E.L., Martin Long, Austin Marlowe,
Andy Nagen, Viking Nyberg, Danielle Painter,
Tom Palmer, Gretta Petterson,
Lyla Perkins, Peyton James Perkins, Lisa Pikarski,
Barb Stapleton, Allan Stonecipher,
Carl Thorpe, Kelly Cunningham Suberts,
Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson, Msgr. Bob Yeazel

Please Pray for our Homebound...

Mike Berish, Mary Martin, Gene Koloski

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

A Note from Fr. Dan:

Amidst all the clamour and noise surrounding the current situation of immigration, migrants and national borders; the Church has a teaching about the right to migrate and the fact that "a country has a right to regulate its borders and to control immigration."

Please go to our website:

sfxmarcellus.com under announcements to read both Bishop Lucia's Letters and there are additional links on further resources from the Catholic Bishops. God Bless, Fr. Dan

Thank You to Ryan Funeral Home and Plis Funeral Home for the 2025 calendars!



Spiritual Checkup

Dear Parish Family,

Most of us take time to get our annual physical; dental checkups and cleanings, and eye exams; I thought that this would be an appropriate time to focus on our Spiritual Life, with a Spiritual Check up.

Lent and Advent are the 'usual' times that we focus specifically on our Spiritual Lives, but when these are over, the passing of time and the business of life can get in the way of our prayer resolutions and time for our spiritual life.

Some questions for individual consideration:

Do I pray daily: not just when I need or want something, or in a time of crisis, but do I take the time every day to praise God and thank Him for the many gifts and blessings He has given to me?

Do I regularly celebrate the Sacraments: Mass every Sunday and Holy and regular Confession (If I can't recall the last time I went to Confession, then it has been too long)

Do I use my gifts and talents to help the Parish Family and those less fortunate than I?

Some questions for families:

Do we, as a family, pray together? Say grace before meals? Do my children see me pray, or know that I do pray?

Do we make it a priority to go to Mass together, go to Confession together, pray together before the children, and when we go to bed for the night?

Come to Adoration and/or Benediction as a family?

Have we considered praying the Rosary together as a family?

Maybe read a passage of Scripture daily and discuss it as a family?

Talked together about Mass and the homily?

Some questions about our environment:

Would someone entering my house know that it is a Catholic household?

Do we have a Crucifix prominently displayed?

Pictures of the Sacred Heart and Immaculate Heart?

Statue of our and our children's patron saint?

Do we own and use a Catholic Bible?

These are just a few suggestions that I offer to help us, our families and our parish stay truly connected to our Catholic faith in the midst of so much turmoil, secularism and anti-religious bias.

God Bless, Fr. Dan

Mark Your Calendar!

The Annual Parish Picnic is Sunday, August 10, 2025

Noon - 4:00 pm



February 9, 2025

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture Readings

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8

Psalms 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Luke 5:1-11

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar:

In today's gospel Jesus asked Simon to start by "going a short distance." Later he asked Simon to "go into deeper water." The first step toward reconciliation is usually a "short distance" which gives us the courage to go further "into deeper water." Reconciliation starts with the first short step!

Question of the Week - *Stretching Our Limits*

For Adults: When have you felt inadequate to a task or role you were given? How did you respond?

For Children: When have you been asked to do something you felt might be too hard for you? What did you do?



FAITH FORMATION

GRADES 1-8

Sunday 2/16-Gr. 1-8: NO CLASSES

Monday 2/17-Gr. 1-8: NO CLASS

Sunday 2/23-Gr. 1-8: (9:45am-10:30am)

Monday 2/24-Gr. 1-8: (6:15AM-7:00PM)

FIRST PENANCE/FIRST COMMUNION:

Sunday 2/23-First Penance Workshop for students @ Religious Ed Center 1pm-3pm

CLOW:

We are still in need of a few parishioners that can help out with CLOW during the 10:45am masses. Let me know if you can help!

2024 Donation Letters for Tax Purposes

Please contact Katherine at the parish office to have your donation letter sent to you. Thank you!

Thank You! Thank You!

The last Sandwich Sunday turned out to be another success in many ways. Sandwiches were carefully crafted by our 1st, 2nd, 3rd graders and their parents along with confirmation students and parishioners. It's always a beautiful sight to see people of different ages come together contributing their time toward making sandwiches for the Men's Shelter. Thanks to all the bakers who made delicious goodies for the shelter. Also thanks to the parishioner who donated a bunch of men's socks. The Men's Shelter continues to be thankful for all the contributions made on Sandwich Sundays! We have two more left in the year - March 16 & April 6. Mark your calendars and come join us!

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