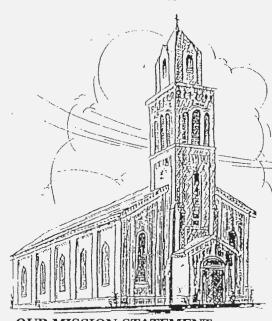
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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

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:

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

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PASTORAL STAFF:

Pastor: Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino*

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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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Marty McClusky

Cheryl Hunt Beth Cusick

Terry Kotlarz Carter Austin

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Diane Foster

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino

Joseph E. Durand

Jay Austin



Saturday March 27

VIGIL PALM SUNDAY

4:30 PM- Betty & James Plunkett- Marty & Matt

Sunday March 28

PALM SUNDAY

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

10:45 AM- Patricia Welch- Mary McGreal

12:15 PM- Vocations

Monday March 29

6:45 AM- Caryl Cooper- Friends

Tuesday March 30

No Mass

Wednesday March 31

6:45 AM- Respect for the dignity of all human life

Thursday April 1 – Holy Thursday

6:45 AM- No morning Mass

7:00 PM- Bud McGreal- Anne Roth

Friday April 2 - Good Friday

6:45 AM- No morning Mass

Noon- Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

3:00 PM- Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

7:00 PM- Stations of the Cross

Saturday April 3 - Holy Saturday

4:30 PM- No Mass

VIGIL EASTER SUNDAY RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

8:00 PM- Martha Lollis- Barbara Amidon

Sunday April 4 - Easter Sunday

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

8:30 AM- Henry Smith- Family

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

12:15 PM- Vocations

Information Regarding Mass

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 your 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.

St. Francis will LIVE STREAM Easter Mass on Sunday, April 4th at 10:45!

From the diocese: The following liturgies will be live streamed from the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception at the following times: Holy Thursday: 5:10 PM Good Friday: 2:00 PM Holy Saturday: 8:00 PM Easter Sunday: Pre recorded for Broadcast Channels www.syrdio.org

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

St. Francis is open for public Mass for *50 people*. This week is HOLY WEEK so please look at the schedule carefully as this is a special week.

Please **SIGN UP** online if you plan on attending *Mass* or *Stations* & review safety measures.

www.sfxmarcellus.com/events

IF YOU SIGN UP ONLINE BY NOON ON FRIDAY FOR THE WEEKEND MASS, IT HELPS US TO HAVE A MORE COMPLETE PRINTOUT TO CHECK PEOPLE IN.

Monday, March 29

Morning Mass- Church- 6:45 am

The Light Is On (Confession)- Church- 4-7pm

Tuesday, March 30

No evening Mass

Wednesday, March 31

Morning Mass- Church- 6:45 am

Thursday, April 1

No morning Mass

Mass of the Lord's Supper- Church- 7:00pm

Friday, April 2

No morning Mass

Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion- Church- Noon

Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion- Church- 3:00 PM

Stations of the Cross- Church- 7:00pm

Ecumenical Good Friday Service- online

Saturday, April 3

No Confession and No 4:30pm Mass

Easter Vigil Mass- Church- 8:00pm

Sunday, April 4

Easter Sunday Mass- Church- 8:30am, 10:45am & 12:15pm

Live Streaming 10:45am Mass- online

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal: \$7,900 Last Week: \$4,425

Please Pray For...

Msgr. Bob Yeazel, 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, 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, Kay Wilson, Helen Volcko, Mike Berish, Marie Patterson, Mary Martin, Ethel Cole

Resurrexit Sicut Dixit: He is Risen as He said He would

Dear Parish Family,

The Sacred Triduum (Holy, Thursday and Easter) is the most sacred and holy point of our Church year. They are really three continuous celebrations that begin with the sign of the Cross at the beginning of Mass on Holy Thursday and end with the final Alleluia on Easter. On Holy Thursday we commemorate the Institution of the Holy Eucharist, through which Jesus continues to be truly present to us until the end of time and the institution of the Sacramental Priesthood. On Good Friday, we solemnly remember Jesus' Passion and death and on Easter we proclaim loudly and clearly that Jesus is Risen. Easter is the vindication of all that Jesus said and did and our assurance that truly He is the Son of God and that if we truly believe in Him and accept the truth of His Gospel we too shall inherit Eternal Life in His (and our) Father's Kingdom. What great love our God has for us, giving up His only Son in atonement for our sins. What an honor He has given to us that we may be restored to original grace and justice. Jesus Christ is truly Risen and we are offered forgiveness, salvation and Eternal Life. God Bless and Happy Easter. Fr. Dan

The Light is ON for You Monday, March 29th from 4:00pm-7:00pm

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. (Note: We will *not* have confessions on Holy Saturday.)

Divine Mercy Devotion

The message of Divine Mercy is that God the Father loves us so much and desires for all of us, for all of humanity, to encounter his mercy, his Son, and extend his mercy to others so that all might be saved. This is what the devotion to the Divine Mercy is all about: the Feast, the Image, the Novena, the Chaplet, and the Hour. All of this is to help us live the message of Divine Mercy, which is as easy as ABC: Asking for

God's Mercy, Being merciful to others, and Completely trusting in Jesus. Divine Mercy Sunday is always the Second Sunday of Easter (11 April 2021). The Novena in preparation for the feast always begins on Good Friday (2 April 2021). For more information on this powerful devotion visit The Divine Mercy. For more liturgical resources visit the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.



March 28, 2021 Palm Sunday

Scripture Readings

Is 50:4-7 Ps 22 Phil 2:6-11 Mk 14:1-15:47

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar – The Passion of Jesus makes it clear, no one escapes suffering. Suffering is inevitable but no one should suffer alone. That is one of the primary roles of families, to stand with and support each other in suffering.

Question of the Week – Love and Betrayal

For Adults: When have you felt that you betrayed the confidence of another, as Peter did when he denied Iesus?

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK The Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse, New York

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT on June 19, 2020, The Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse, New York, ("Diocese") filed for protection under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code").

The Bankruptcy Court has established April 15, 2021 at 11:59p.m. (prevailing Eastern time) as the deadline to file proofs of claim against the Diocese (the "Bar Date"). If you have a claim against the Diocese including, without limitation, a claim related to sexual abuse committed by any person connected with the Diocese, you must file a claim on or before the Bar Date with Stretto, the appointed Claims Agent.

Please visit https://case.stretto.com/dioceseofsyracuse or call (855) 329-4244 for more information on how to file your proof of claim.

IF YOU DO NOT TIMELY FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM, YOU MAY FORFEIT YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE ON ANY PLAN OF REORGANIZATION AND TO SHARE IN ANY FUTURE DISTRIBUTIONS TO CREDITORS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DIOCESE'S CHAPTER 11 CASE.

Scheduling Note: 4:30 Mass on April 17 is the Confirmation Mass and seating is restricted to the students being Confirmed, the sponsor and/or immediate family (the number is limited to four) who live in the same household.

To accommodate our parishioners for that weekend, we will add a 12:15 PM Mass-Sunday, April 18.

Marcellus Ecumenical Good Friday Tenebrae Service
Join us during Holy Week to take time to reflect on
the Passion of Jesus as we prepare our hearts and
minds for the celebration of His glorious resurrection
on Easter Sunday. The link will be available on our
Facebook and website page on Palm Sunday.

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