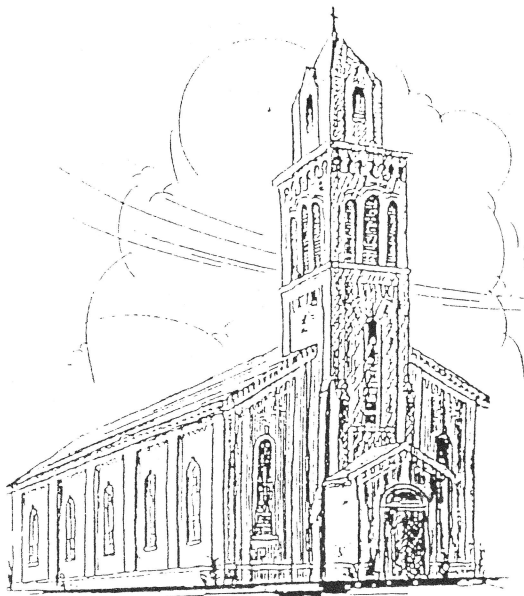


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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

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, 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:

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

Jay Austin

Terry Hall

Pen Anderson

Terry Kotlarz

Beth Cusick

Patty Gooden

Roxanne Taylor

Kim Flood

Marty McClusky

Carter Austin

John Ketterer

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Rick Reagan

Chris Hunt

Diane Foster

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino

Joseph E. Durand

Jay Austin

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday May 13

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER VIGIL

4:30 PM- In Thanksgiving- Fr. Dan

Sunday May 14

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:30 AM- Henry Smith- Family

10:45 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier

Monday May 15

SAINT ISIDORE

6:45 AM- Marianne Jula- Janet French

Tuesday May 16

6:00 PM Barbara Brenneman- The Roche Family

Wednesday May 17

No 6:45am Mass

VIGIL OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

6:00pm- Cara Lindgren- Friends

Thursday May 18 – Holy Day

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

6:45am- People of St. Francis Xavier

6:00pm- Marianne Jula- Friends

Friday May 19

6:45am- Joe Fenlon (25th anniversary)- Terry

Saturday May 20

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER VIGIL

4:30 PM- Terry and Frances Condon- Family

Sunday May 21

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:30 AM- Joseph Falge- Duchessi Family

10:45 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier

Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, May 20	Sunday, May 21	
4:30	8:30	10:45
Lectors	Lectors	Lectors
Tom Brown	Pat Canny	Mike McAuliff
Altar Servers	Altar Servers	Altar Servers
Ava MacDonald	Mac Ciras	Anna Carver Kailyn Corfield



Holy Father's Prayer Intentions

For church movements and groups
We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

Per the Syracuse Diocese, any Mass requested to be celebrated after July 1, 2023 has a suggested offering of \$15.

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Monday, May 15

Lectio Divina- Ch Hall- 6:30pm

Wednesday, May 17

Vigil Mass- 6:00pm

Parish Council Meeting- Ch Hall- 7:00pm

Thursday, May 18 – Holy Day

6:45am and 6:00pm Mass

Rosary- Church- 7:00pm

Saturday, May 20

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

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal \$7,900 Last Week: \$7,228

Please Pray for...

Steven Goldberg, Viking Nyberg, Gerry Muldoon,
John Kianka, Baby Gavin, Marilyn Warnock,
Tom Palmer, J.E.L., Andy Nagen, Martin Long,
Robert Darling, J. Michael Kelly, Barb Stapleton,
Peyton James Perkins, Mary Dorsch,
Msgr. Bob Yeazel, Gretta Petterson,
Robert Hammond, Richard Hammond,
Isabelle Callahan, Lyla Perkins,
Danielle Painter, Genie Barnes, Nicole DeMore,
Lisa Pikarski, Michelle Fleegel,
Jack Bragger, Austin Marlowe,
Brett Kresco, Lucienne Henneberry,
Allan Stonecipher, Kelly Cunningham Suberts,
Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson

Please Pray for our Homebound...

Frieda Stopyro, Isabelle LaClair, Helen Volcko,
Mike Berish, Mary Martin, Ethel Cole

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

St. Francis Xavier Young Family MeetUp

Attention: Young families

Sunday, June 11th @ 4:00pm

St. Francis has many young families which is wonderful! Would you like to meet other young families and the children can run and play in the Church Hall gym.

Please call the parish office to let us know who will be coming. (315) 673-2531

(A parent must be with their child.)

Thank you to Kristen Corfield for making this happen!

“Our example of compassion for the elderly will go a long way in teaching children how to respect, love and care for their elders”.– *The Compass*



CHILD-LIKE FAITH

This past Sunday our parish celebrated First Holy Communion; this is always an occasion for great joy for me as a priest and pastor; and of great blessing for the parish and the children's families. The faith of a child is truly wonderful. I am reminded of Jesus saying: "I tell you solemnly, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the Kingdom of Heaven." Mt. 18:3). Seeing the children, with their hands folded in prayer, their innocence and purity, and their unbounded excitement to receive the Lord in the Eucharist; reminds us all what Jesus meant when He said we must become like little children in our faith and in our trust in God. Even their energy (and there was a great deal of energy among the children) was a gift and promise of the wonder and love that God has for each of us. I know that for most life and the world erodes our childlike innocence, purity a, faith, hope and trust; but I pray that all of us; taking inspiration for our First Communion children, and being, with God's grace; to truly become again like little children in our relationship with our loving God, and His family, the Church.

God Bless and thank you children. *Fr. Dan*

Let the Children Come...

Thank you to all you parents who bring your children to celebrate the Eucharist with us; they are a delight and joy and remind us of how wonderful a gift children really are. Please know that ALL children, no matter their age, are welcome here at St. Francis Xavier and by our Lord. To quote one of my favorite Scripture passages: "And the people were bringing children to him that he might touch them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this he became indignant and said to them, "Let the children come to me; do not prevent them, for the Kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the Kingdom of God like a child will not enter it."

Then he embraced them, blessed them, placing his hands on them." *Mark 10: 13-15*

God bless, Fr. Dan



Annual Parish Picnic

Sunday, August 13th Noon - 4:00 pm

Come and enjoy a delicious lunch at Marcellus Park (in the pavilion across the parking lot from the playground) and mingle with other members of your parish family!

Bring the whole family and of course an appetite.



May 14, 2023
6th Sunday of Easter

Scripture Readings

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17

Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20

1 Pt 3:15-18

Jn 14:15-21

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar – In today's gospel Jesus prepared his disciples for his departure. Family life is a series of departures. As we mature and grow older we constantly transition from the familiar to the new unknown. Today Jesus assures us we are not alone in these transitions. "I will not leave you orphans. I will come to you."

Question of the Week – The Strength of Faith

For Adults: The Spirit gives us inner wisdom and strength. When have you experienced this?

For Children: The Holy Spirit makes you strong inside. When do you need to be strong?



2nd Annual St. Francis Xavier Church
Father Mike Donovan Scholarship Golf
Tournament

Where: Sunset Ridge Golf Club

Date: Sunday, July 23

Golf Application online or at church entrances
12:00 PM Registration! Golf will follow with a 1:00 p.m. shotgun. The day will include 18 holes of golf with cart, contests, lunch and drinks at the turn as well as on the course and dinner back at the church hall. All proceeds to benefit the Father Mike Donovan Scholarship. The cost of the day will be \$90 per golfer/\$360 per team. Not a golfer? Join us for dinner back at the Church Hall @ 5:00 p.m. for \$25
Hole sponsorships are available for \$100 per hole.

All Aboard for the Sisters of St. Francis' popular Eat Drink Pray Food & Wine Celebration!

Join the Sisters of St. Francis on Wednesday, May 24th (6 – 8 pm) at Daniella's Fresh Seafood & Pasta House (within the NYS State Fairgrounds) for a fun-filled evening featuring delicious foods and wines celebrating great cruise destinations – plus live entertainment, silent auction and warm sister appreciation. All proceeds benefit the retirement needs and care of Sisters of St. Francis of the Neumann Communities.

Tickets: \$75.00 per person. To order yours, visit www.sosf.org, call 315.380.0150, or purchase at the door.

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