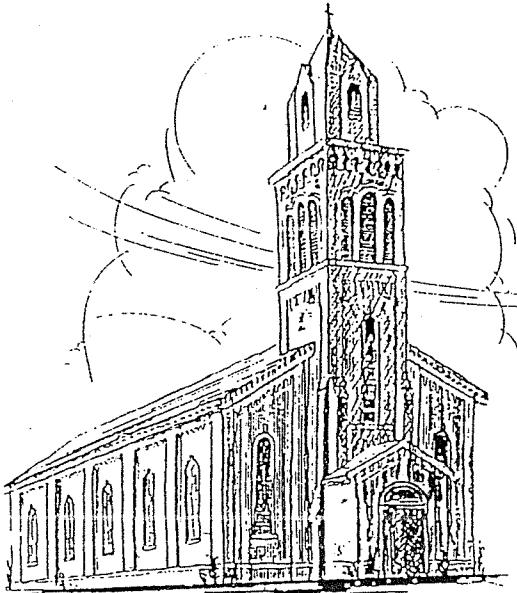


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## WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

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:**

Pastor: Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino\*

Pastoral Associate: Deacon John J. Falge\*  
Deacon Jeff Dixe\*

Faith Formation Director: Laura Carver\*  
[lcarver@syrdio.org](mailto:lcarver@syrdio.org)

Parish Secretary:

Katherine Boos [kboos@syrdio.org](mailto:kboos@syrdio.org)

Social Service Coordinators:

Rosalie Durand, Patty White

Music Director: Chrissy Camuglia\*

Buildings and Grounds: Ron Schneider

Housekeeper: Kathy Welsh

Parish Historian: John P. Curtin

Confirmation Coordinators:

Laurie LeFever, Laura Carver  
[sfxconfirmation1@gmail.com](mailto:sfxconfirmation1@gmail.com)

### **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	

### **PARISH TRUSTEES:**

Diane Foster\*

James P. Curtin\*

\* Also on Parish Council

# Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

## Saturday May 17

VIGIL FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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

## Sunday May 18

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:30 AM- Greg Griffin- The Corbett Family

10:45 AM- Anne Roth- Mary McGreal

## Monday May 19

6:45 AM- Bob & Kay Wilson- St. Francis Family

## Tuesday May 20

SAINT BERNARDINE OF SIENA

6:00 PM- Barbara Barry- St. Francis Family

## Wednesday May 21

SAINT CHRISTOPHER MAGALLANES

No Mass

## Thursday May 22

SAINT RITA OF CASCIA

6:45AM- Frank Satalin- Family

## Friday May 23

6:45AM- Keith David Zerwas- Family

## Saturday May 24

VIGIL SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

4:30 PM- Pam Falge- Annette & Brian Barry

## Sunday May 25

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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

10:45 AM- Robert Clark- Family

### Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, May 24	Sunday, May 25
4:30	8:30
<u>Lector</u>	<u>Lector</u>
Cheryl Hunt	Angi Daiuto
<u>E. Ministers</u>	<u>E. Ministers</u>
Pat Dailey	Christine Reilly
<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>
Blake LaPlant	Peter Daiuto
Jesse LaPlant	Daniel Reilly
	10:45
	<u>Lector</u>
	Marilyn Duffy
	<u>E. Ministers</u>
	Tim Manahan
	<u>Altar Servers</u>
	Max Stokking
	Charlotte Jinks

### Holy Father's Prayer Intentions:

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfilment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.



### Marcellus Ecumenical Food Pantry

The 4th Sunday of every month, May 24 & 25, is our St. Francis food pantry collection. If you are able to make a donation, please leave the items in the baskets at the back entrance ramp door. Wish List: Cereal, kids snacks, coffee, pet food, personal care items

### What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

#### Saturday, May 17

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

#### Monday, May 19

Lectio- Ch Hall- 6:30pm

#### Wednesday, May 21

Parish Council Meeting- Ch Hall- 7:00pm

#### Thursday, May 22

Rosary- Church- 7:00pm

### Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal: \$7,900    Last Week: \$7,686



#### Please Pray for...

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

#### Please Pray for our Homebound...

Mike Berish, Gene Koloski

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

### Safe Environment Training- The diocese is requiring

**ALL ADULT LITURGICAL MINISTERS** to undergo Safe Env. Training. Please visit our website to read Bishop Lucia's letter explaining his rationale and the schedule of when this training is to be completed for each category of adult liturgical

ministers. [sfxmarcellus.com](http://sfxmarcellus.com)

To view the diocese schedule: [syracusediocese.org/safe-environment](http://syracusediocese.org/safe-environment)



### Mark Your Calendar!

The Annual Parish Picnic is Sunday,

August 10, 2025

Noon - 4:00 pm

*For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have everlasting life. John 3:16*



### *Who is Pope Leo XIV?*

Pope Leo XIV, born Robert Francis Prevost, became the 267<sup>th</sup> Pope of the Roman Catholic Church following his election on May 8, 2025. He is the first Augustinian and the second Pope from the Americas, after Pope Francis.

Prior to his election, he served as Prefect of the Dicastery for Bishops and President of the Pontifical Commission for Latin America.

#### Early Life & Formation

Born in Chicago, Illinois on September 14, 1955 to Louis Marius Prevost and Mildred Martinez

Earned a degree in Mathematics and studied Philosophy at Villanova University (1977).

Entered the Order of Saint Augustine in 1977; made solemn vows in 1981.

Ordained a priest on June 19, 1982 in Rome.

Earned a Doctorate in Canon Law from the Pontifical University of Saint Thomas Aquinas (Angelicum).

#### Missionary & Pastoral Work

Served over a decade in Trujillo, Peru

Elected Provincial Prior (1999) and then Prior General of the Augustinians for two terms (2001-2013).

#### *Episcopal Ministry*

Appointed Apostolic Administrator of Chiclayo, Peru in 2014.

Bishop of Chiclayo, Peru (2015 - 2023).

Served in the Peruvian Episcopal Conference in leadership and advisory roles.

#### *Service in the Universal Church*

Appointed Prefect of the Dicastery for Bishops in 2023.

Created Cardinal in September 2024 by Pope Francis; assigned the Diaconate of Saint Monica.

Promoted to the Order of the Bishops with the title of Sububicarian Church of Albano in February 2025.

*"In the One Christ, we are one." - St. Augustine*

God Bless,

Fr. Dan

## GRADUATING SENIORS

### *Save the Date!!*

Congratulations to you all! We look forward to celebrating with you at your special Graduation Mass on Sunday, June 22 @ 10:45am. Emails have been sent out with more detailed information. Please let me know ASAP if you did not receive one. If you are newer to the parish, graduating from another school (CBA, Bishop Ludden, Jordan-Elbridge, etc.,) or did not receive the email and would like to attend, please contact Laura Carver at [lcarver@syrdio.org](mailto:lcarver@syrdio.org).



**May 18, 2025**

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

#### Scripture Readings

Acts 14:21-27

Psalm 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13

Revelation 21:1-5a

John 13:31-33a, 34-35

#### **A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar:**

In today's gospel Jesus tells us: "Love one another." Love holds a family together. It is not what a family does which makes it outstanding, rather it is what it has, love for one another.



We would like to welcome the newest member of our parish family:  
**Ruby Lynn Hunt**,  
the daughter of Noah and Tackenzie,  
Baptized on May 10, 2025.

## **From the Sisters of St. Francis Get Ready to Eat Drink Pray with the Sisters of St. Francis!**

Join the Sisters of St. Francis on Wednesday, May 21st (6 – 8 pm) at Daniella's Fresh Seafood & Pasta House (within the NYS State Fairgrounds) for a fun-filled evening at our annual Eat Drink Pray Food & Wine Celebration! In true Franciscan spirit, this year's theme is **A Night in Assisi**. You'll enjoy delicious foods, wines and music inspired by the "green heart of Italy" — plus a great auction and warm sister hospitality. All proceeds benefit the retirement care of the Sisters of St. Francis of the Neumann Communities. Tickets: \$75.00 per person. To order yours, visit [www.sosf.org](http://www.sosf.org) or call 315.380.0150

*"Learning How to Fight Fair in Marriage: It Can Be Done."* Come learn how! Sponsored by THE THIRD OPTION, a program to build better marriages. The hybrid meeting is Sunday, May 18 from 6:30 - 8:30pm. Attend in-person at the Parish Center of St. Michael & St. Peter Church. For more information: [sstewart@syrdio.org](mailto:sstewart@syrdio.org) or (315) 472-6754 ext. 5. A Hope Appeal funded program.



#### **Could this be you? RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)**

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is for non-baptized persons or those who have been baptized in another Christian denomination or who have been baptized Catholic but who have not yet celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. Through this RCIA process, you have the opportunity of becoming a fully initiated Catholic. *Find out how!* Please call the office: (315) 673-2531

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