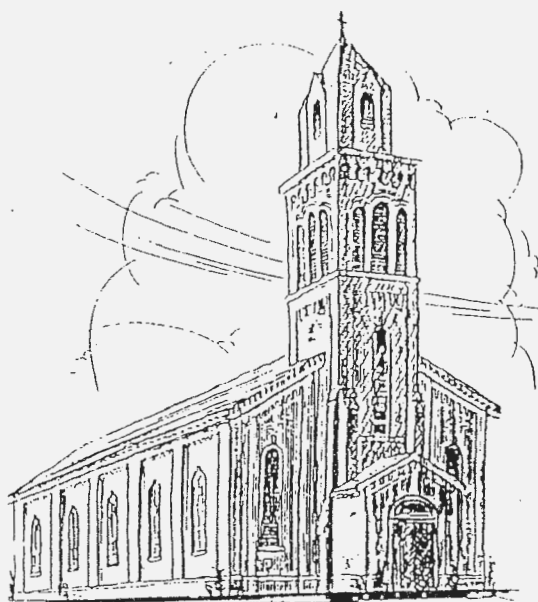


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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

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, 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*

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Katherine Boos

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Rosalie Durand

Patty White

Music Director: Robin Schott, Jr.

Buildings and Grounds: Ron Schneider

Housekeeper: Kathy Welsh

Parish Historian: John P. Curtin

Confirmation Coordinators:

Laurie LeFever

Laura Carver

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

Carter Austin

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Rick Reagan

Chris Hunt

Diane Foster

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino

Joseph E. Durand

Jay Austin

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday May 22

VIGIL PENTECOST SUNDAY

4:30 PM- Clint Tallman- John & Maureen Curtin

Sunday May 23

PENTECOST SUNDAY

8:30 AM- Joseph Delaney- Gloria Weeks and Family

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

Monday May 24

THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

6:45 AM- Vocations

Tuesday May 25

SAINT BEDE THE VENERABLE, SAINT GREGORY VII, SAINT MARY MAGDALENE de'PAZZI

6:00 PM- Peter Julia –Family

Wednesday May 26

SAINT PHILIP NERI

No Mass

Thursday May 27

SAINT AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY

6:45 AM- William Hess- Friends

Friday May 28

6:45 AM- JoAnne Wojcik- Barb & Mike McCabe

Saturday May 29

VIGIL THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

4:30 PM- Clint Tallman- Gloria Weeks

Sunday May 30

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

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

10:45 AM- Judith Brown- Loving Sister Louise Ann



Holy Father's Prayer Intentions
Universal – The world of finance
Let us pray that those in charge of
finance will work with governments to
regulate the financial sphere and protect
citizens from its dangers.

Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, May 22	Sunday, May 23	
4:30	8:30	10:45
Lector	Lector	Lector
John White	Terry Kotlarz	Marty McClusky

If you would like to return to the Lector Ministry, contact Katherine at the church office to be placed back on this list. Thank you! (kboos1914@gmail.com)

Newman House at Binghamton University is sponsoring a **Golf Fundraiser (6/20/21)**. Help support us either by gathering a team or by sponsoring a hole for \$200.00 or a team (4) cost is 320.00. Please contact Sr. Rose. (srrose@binghamton.edu)

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

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

Note: We print the weekend Mass schedule Friday at noon. If you sign up online after sign-up sheets are printed or if you do not sign-up online, we will simply write down your information when you arrive for Mass. Please do NOT let this prevent you from coming to Mass. www.sfxmarcellus.com/events

Sunday, May 23

Altar Server Training- Church- 1:00pm

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal: \$7,900 Last Week: \$6,208

Please Pray For...

Eileen Smith, 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,
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, Helen Volcko, Mike Berish,
Marie Patterson, Mary Martin, Ethel Cole

We welcome Patty Gooden and Jeanie Cupoli to the Lector Ministry. Thank you!

Welcome New Parishioners!

Are you a new parishioner or visiting for the 1st time? *Welcome!* Please introduce yourself to Fr. Dan & De. John. We invite you to become an active participant of our parish community.

St. Francis Xavier New Parishioner Registration

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Fill out and drop in collection basket. We will mail you a registration form.

Altar Server Ministry Training

Dear Children:

I would like to invite you to consider becoming an Altar Server at St. Francis Xavier Parish. The ministry of Altar Server is an important ministry and part of our celebration of the Eucharist every Sunday at Mass.

Like all calls to serve God's people, it is God who really invites you to be a server. The server is the priest and deacon's right hand helper.

Thank you for thinking about being an Altar Server.

If you would like to join us please come to Altar server training on **Sunday, May 23rd at 1:00pm.**

God Bless,

Fr. Dan



May 23, 2021
Pentecost Sunday

Scripture Readings

Gn 11:1-9

Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30

Rom 8:22-27

Jn 7:37-39

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar – Today, on Pentecost, we remember Christ has given us the Holy Spirit to assist us in raising our family and he expects us to use this personal gift. Let us turn-off the noise, apps and distractions in our lives and let the Holy Spirit “guide us to the truth.”

Question of the Week – *Gifts for Service*

What gift of service have you received from the Holy Spirit and how well are you using it right now?

Information Regarding Mass & Confession

Mass: The dispensation from the obligation of attending Mass on Sundays and Holy days of Obligation is still in effect, but only for those who need it because of health or age. You may view the weekend Mass on our Facebook page or through the link on our website.

Confession: We have confessions each Saturday in the Church from 3:30-4:00 PM. 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.

St. Francis Website The weekly bulletin is available on our website: sfxmarcellus.com. Look under *Our Parish-Weekly Bulletins*. The new bulletin is available on Wednesday for the upcoming weekend.

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation If you're thinking about becoming a Catholic or maybe you still need Confirmation or First Communion Sacraments, please call the church office. (315) 673-2531

Vocation Corner

“Lord send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the Earth.” The Holy Spirit came down upon the Apostles and gave them the strength to go out and fulfill Christ's call in their lives. Do you feel the Holy Spirit is directing you towards a certain path?

Each week we will print one name of our Seminarians so that we can remember them specifically, by name, in prayer throughout the week. This week we remember in prayer: James Buttner.

Bishop Lucia has decided to declare a Year of Vocations in the Diocese of Syracuse under the patronage of St. Joseph. St. Francis Xavier is hosting the **Icon of St. Joseph** from **Saturday, June 5th - June 12th**. The Icon is traveling around the diocese promoting Vocations. We are encouraged to intercede to St. Joseph for all discerning their vocations.

A Bit Of Knowledge Goes A Long Way!
Did you know the “Pill” is 98% effective in preventing pregnancy, if used properly? **Natural Family Planning** methods including Billings, Couple to Couple League and the Creighton Model are 99.5% effective, if used properly. For example, out of 200 women using the pill, there will be 4 unplanned pregnancies. With the same number of women (200) using the Billings, Couple to Couple League or Creighton Model, there will be 1 unplanned pregnancy. Consider investigating Natural Family Planning. For more info:

<https://sfxmarcellus.com/our-parish/links/>

The Way of Peace - A Day of Renewal for those going through separation or divorce

If you or someone you know is looking to find peace in the midst of separation and divorce, this experience will help guide the way. The day will be held at Christ The King Retreat Center on Saturday, June 19th, 2021 from 8:30AM-3:30PM. Practical and spiritual help will be offered by Father John Rose as well as small group discussions around the topics of "Helping Our Children", "Navigating New Relationships" and "Finding the Path of Peace". COVID-19 guidelines will be in effect and seating is limited. To register go to <https://thewayofpeaceeventbrite.com>. For more information contact: Deacon Dean Brainard 315-472-6754 or email dbrainard@syrdio.org.

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