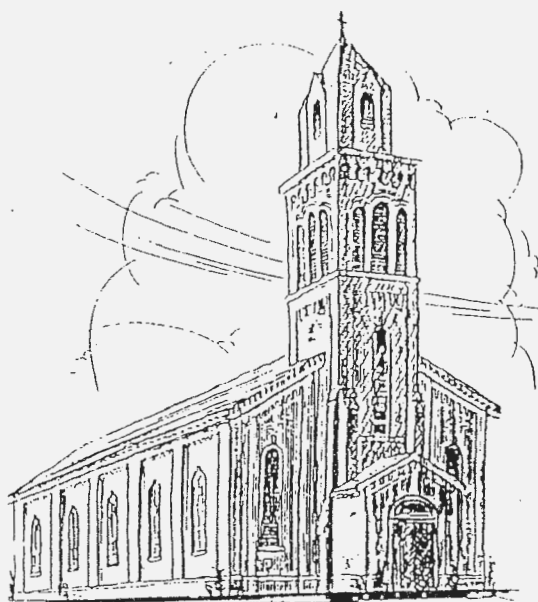


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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

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*

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Katherine Boos

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Patty White

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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 July 17

VIGIL SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
4:30 PM- Joan Bruzdinski- Family

Sunday July 18

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8:30 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier Parish
10:45 AM- Jordan and Rob Schott (1st wedding anniversary)

Monday July 19

6:45 AM- Alton Perciful- John & Karen Lipartito

Tuesday July 20

SAINT APOLLINARIS
6:00 PM- James F. Brenneman- Judy Roche

Wednesday July 21

SAINT LAWRENCE OF BRINDISI
No Mass

Thursday July 22

SAINT MARY MAGDALENE
6:45 AM- Daniel T. Drew- Family

Friday July 23

SAINT BRIDGET
6:45 AM- Hilda Muscalino- Family

Saturday July 24

VIGIL SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
4:30 PM- Wendy Marks-Jim McNally

Sunday July 25

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8:30 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier Parish
10:45 AM- Jeanie F. Lynet- Judy Roche

Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, July 24	Sunday, July 25	
4:30	8:30	10:45
<u>Lector</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Lector</u>
Tom Brown	Pat Canny	Marilyn Duffy
<u>Altar Server</u>	<u>Altar Server</u>	<u>Altar Server</u>
Nolan Manahan		Anna Carver
Jack Lindgren		Cecilia Carver



Holy Father's Prayer Intentions

We pray that, in social, economic and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.

Reminders...

Please enter through the **RAMP ENTRANCE** off the parking lot if that is easier for you.

If you are running a **LITTLE LATE** to Sunday Mass for one reason or another, please just come.

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Saturday, July 17

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

Monday, July 19

Lectio Divina- Ch Hall- 6:30pm

Thursday, July 22

Rosary- Church- 7:00pm

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal: \$7,900 Last Week: \$7,782

Please Pray for...

Robert Darling, J. Michael Kelly, Barb Stapleton,
Paul Palen, Peyton James Perkins,
Mary Dorsch, 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

Please call the Church Office to add anyone to our
Prayer List. (315) 673-2531

Information Regarding Mass

Fully vaccinated parishioners are not required to wear a face mask. To read more information, please go to our website under announcements.

Visiting Our Homebound Members

Keeping in touch with our homebound members remains a priority for us at Saint Francis. When someone can no longer come and join us for prayer, whether for a short period or long term, we have Ministers of the Eucharist that are happy to make a friendly visit, sharing the Eucharist and offer prayer. If you are aware of anyone who is homebound (in their private home or a long-term care facility) and would like to receive the Eucharist, please contact the church office so that we can arrange for a visit and bring the Eucharist to the homebound. Also, if you are aware of anyone who is homebound that would like a visit from Fr. Dan, please call the church office with their name and number.

Thank you

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



July 18, 2021

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture Readings

Jer 23:1-6

Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6

Eph 2:13-18

Mk 6:30-34

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar – In today's gospel, "the apostles gathered around and told Jesus all they had done." Listening allows the other person to express, understand and appreciate their experiences. Whether it is the excited chatter of a young child or the repetitious stories of an aging grandparent, listening is important. It is not just time well spent, it is sacred time.

Question of the Week – *Come Away and Rest*

For Adults: What do you do to rest so that you can return to work refreshed?

For Children: When will you take time to stop and pray this week?



Save the Date!

Annual Parish Picnic Sunday, August 15

Noon - 4:00 pm

Marcellus Park



Marcellus Ecumenical Food Pantry

The 4th Sunday of every month is our **St. Francis Food Pantry Collection.**

The Food Pantry relies on the generosity of the community for donations of dry-good and personal-hygiene items, as well as monetary contributions.

Food Pantry Wishlist: lunch snacks for kids

Please leave the items in the basket by the back entrance - ramp door. Your continued support is appreciated by many in our community. Thank you!

Eucharistic Adoration – First Friday

Friday, September 3rd

We would like to have someone present at all times; if you are available to sign up to cover a 1 hour time slot, please call Beth at (315) 956-5403 or email

bcsusick@twcny.rr.com.

We need a few more people to sign up. Thank you!

The Third Option -

A program to build better marriages

"RECOGNIZING CHILDHOOD BAGGAGE SAVES MISUNDERSTANDINGS"

Meeting is online Sunday, August 15, 2021, from 7:15 to 9:00pm. All are welcome. Contact Stephanie Stewart for more information or to join the meeting at sstewart@syrddio.org or (315) 472-6728.

A Hope Appeal funded program.

"Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire". ...St. Catherine of Siena

Branch Out & Grow - For Separated and Divorced

Join us this summer from the comfort of your home for online Zoom meetings:

July 21st - Fears & Anxiety

August 4th - Family & Friends

August 18th - Financial and Legal Issues

September 1st - Conflict

Meetings are 1 hour long and start at 7pm. All are welcome. For more information or to participate contact Deacon Dean Brainard at dbrainard@syrddio.org or 315-472-6754 ext.4

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation

If you are thinking about becoming a Catholic or maybe you still need Confirmation or First Communion Sacraments, please contact the church office at (315) 673-2531.

Vocation Corner – "For they were like sheep without a shepherd." Our peace comes only from the Lord, who promised to send shepherds to guard His people, maybe you are being called to bring everyone to that peace. Contact Fr. Jason Hage - (315) 470-1468 or vocations@syrddio.org.

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: **Cornelius Deep.**

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