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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:**

Rectory: 673-2531 1 West Main St., P.O. Box 177

Rel. Ed. Center: 673-4107 53 North Street

#### **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\* Faith Formation Director: Laura Carver\* <u>lcarver@syrdio.org</u> Parish Secretary: Katherine Boos <u>kboos@syrdio.org</u>

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

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PARISH TRUSTEES: Diane Foster\* James P. Curtin \* Also on Parish Council

## SACRAMENTS: Baptism:

Class required. Call rectory for arrangements. <u>Penance</u> <u>Marriage:</u> 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 Ed Dunn

FINANCE COMMITTEE: Rick Reagan Jon Roberts Chris Hunt Diane Foster Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino Joseph E. Durand Jay Austin



#### Saturday July 20

VIGIL SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 4:30PM- Terry & Mike Hall (50th Wedding Anniversary)

## Sunday July 21

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 8:30AM- People of St. Francis Xavier Church 10:45AM- John Patrick Staunton- John and Maureen Curtin

#### Monday July 22

SAINT MARY MAGDALENE 6:45AM- Diana Slowinski (healing)- John Muscalino

Tuesday July 23 SAINT BRIDGET 6:00PM- Carol Anne McGrath- Family

## Wednesday July 24

SAINT SHARBEL MAKHLUF No Mass

### Thursday July 25

SAINT JAMES 6:45AM- Neil McGonigal- Mike and Annette Hammond and family

### Friday July 26

SAINTS JOACHIM AND ANNE 6:45AM- Kathy Bonney- Friends

### Saturday July 27

VIGIL SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 4:30PM- Edward and Virginia Herron- Marilyn Duffy

### Sunday July 28

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 8:30AM- People of St. Francis Xavier Church 10:45AM- John Luhr- Jacqueline Alivero

## **Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier**

Saturday, July 27	Sunday, July 28	
4:30	8:30	10:45
Lector	Lector	Lector
Cheryl Hunt	Patty Gooden	Marilyn Duffy
E. Ministers	E. Ministers	E. Ministers
Terry Hall	Fred Gooden	Marty McClusky
Altar Servers	Altar Servers	Altar Servers
Blake LaPlant	Daniel Reilly	Cecilia Carver
Jesse LaPlant	·	Charlotte Jinks



Marcellus Ecumenical Food Pantry The 4th Sunday of every month, July 27&28, is our St. Francis Food Pantry Collection. If you are able to make a donation, please leave the items in/by the baskets at the back entrance ramp door. Thank you! Wish List: Cereal, Kids Snacks, Coffee, Pet Food, Personal Care Items

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

Saturday, July 20 Men's Group- Ch Hall- 7:30am Monday, July 22 Lectio- Ch Hall- 6:30pm Thursday, July 25 Rosary- Church- 7:00pm

> **Our Weekly Collection** Weekly Goal \$7,900 Last Week: \$6,369



# Please Pray for...

Casey Smith, Fr. Jim Fritzen, Isabelle Callahan, Genie Barnes, Noah Bilsback, Jack Bragger, Laura Brown, Robert Darling, Mary Dorsch,

Nicole DeMore, Steven Goldberg, Michelle Fleegel, Baby Gavin, Sandra Wallak, Robert Hammond, Lucienne Henneberry, Ryan Huff, Katie Kelly, John Kianka, Eugene Koloski, Brett Kresco, J.E.L., Martin Long, Austin Marlowe, Gerry Muldoon, Andy Nagen, Viking Nyberg, Danielle Painter, Tom Palmer, Gretta Petterson, Lyla Perkins, Peyton James Perkins, Lisa Pikarski, Barb Stapleton, Allan Stonecipher, Carl Thorpe, Kelly Cunningham Suberts, Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson, Msgr. Bob Yeazel

Please Pray for our Homebound... Mike Berish, Mary Martin Please call the Parish Office to add anyone to our Prayer List.



## **Banns of Marriage**

Jason David Palmowski & Michelle Danielle Capeling



The Charismatic Renewal Office is hosting a day of RENEWAL featuring Dr. Mary Healy, on August 24th at 1:00 - 4:00 pm at Bishop Grimes High School, 6653 Kirkville Road, East Syracuse. The theme for the event is "Encountering the Divine Physician: Hope and

Healing in a Broken World". Dr. Healy is a Professor of Scripture at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit, and a bestselling author and international speaker. She is a general editor of the Catholic Commentary on Sacred

Scripture and author of two of its volumes, "The Gospel of Mark" and "Hebrews". Also, Dc. Ken Money will share his witness entitled "My Unexpected Life" and music will be provided by Jeremy Bobak. The cost is \$10 per person and to register and if you have any questions, please call 315-741-5225 or email kmoney@syrdio.org.



# Christian Love

Dear Parish Family, The three Theological virtues are Faith, Hope and Love; according to

St. Paul, Love is the greatest and the foundation upon which the Christian Life is based. In Corinthians, Paul writes: "Love is patient, love is kind, it is not jealous, it is not pompous, it is not inflated, it is not rude, it does not seek its own interests, it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury, it does not rejoice over wrongdoing but rejoices in the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails." (1 Corinthians 13: 1-13)

This virtue is the very essence of God, as God is described as Love. This is not the love of the world: it is something very different. The love of God is freeing and sets free; it is forgiving and creative. However, it is not the same as liking. Liking is an emotion, based on attraction, or similar interests and goals. The Love of God is a decision based on 'grace'; to look beyond any external, or changing reality, or deed that a person has done to find a unique child of God, created in the Divine Image and redeemed by the Blood of Christ. This Love reminds us that we are to love as we have been loved by God: freely, honestly, without any condition or reservation. God Bless, Fr. Dan



# St. Francis Xavier Parish Picnic

August, 11<sup>th</sup> Noon to 4:00pm 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.

Adoration is the First Friday of each month. If you are interested in sitting for an hour with our Lord, please email ppeterbish@twcnv.rr.com (Patty Bishop) to have your name added to the Adoration email list for sign-ups.

# Ecumenical Vacation Bible School

Date: Friday August 16th Time: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm Location: Orenda Springs, 4939 Lawless Rd., Marcellus Fee: \$15.00 per child for the first 40 to register To register: https://forms.gle/f8nZE5Zt69XyCx4F7 Please note that VBS operates independently of the Diocese of Syracuse and is therefore not subject to its Diocesan Child and Youth Protection Policy or Code of Conduct.

"I used to believe that prayer changes things, but now I know that prayer changes us and we change things." -Mother Teresa



# July 21, 2024 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday of 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?

A Funeral Mass will be said on Tuesday, July 23rd at 12:00pm (noon) for former long-time Marcellus resident, MARLENE WYNNE, who died in Houston, Texas. Marlene is survived by her son, Michael, his wife Ingrid and grandchildren, Alex and Paulina.

# Father Mike Donovan Scholarship

This **\$500 Scholarship** is open to any Senior from St. Francis Xavier Parish who will be graduating from High School this spring and will be attending a four or two year college or a trade school in the 2024/2025Academic year. To apply, simply submit a printed copy to Fr. Dan by noon on Sunday August 25, 2024 of an essay describing what your Catholic Faith means to you and what St. Francis Xavier Parish means to you. Please include your full name, address and phone number along with the school from which you are graduating this year, the date of your graduation and the school you will be attending in the fall.

The Third Option -a program to build better marriages Sunday, August 11- Listening Beyond the Words: The Miracle Skill - Hope Appeal funded program

Come and learn how to build a more respectful, loving marriage! Meetings are hybrid, with an option to attend in-person or from the comfort of your home. In-person location is the Parish Center of St. Michael & St. Peter Church, 4782 W. Seneca Turnpike Syracuse, NY 13215. For more information or the zoom link, email: sstewart@syrdio.org or (315) 472-6754 ext. 5.

