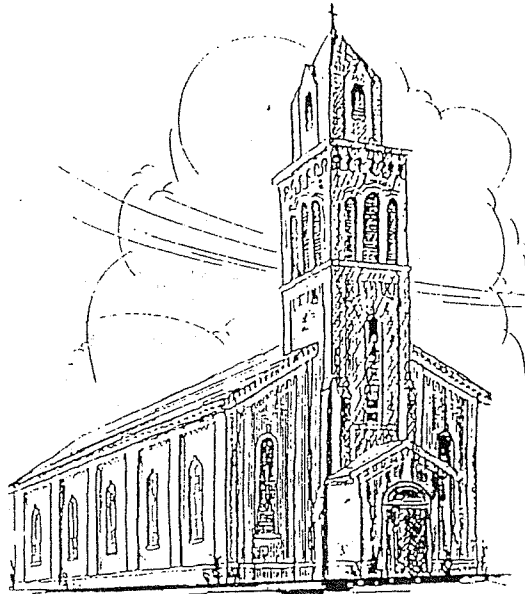


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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil - 4:30 PM
Sunday Masses - 8:30 & 10:45 AM
Sacrament of Penance - Tuesday 5:30pm
Saturday 3:30pm

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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	St. Mary's of the Lake	St. Patrick's Jordan
Sat. Evening: 5:30 pm	Sat. Evening: 4:30 pm	Sat. Evening: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9:30 & 11:00 am	Sunday: 8:00 & 10:15 am	Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 am

PASTORAL STAFF:

Pastor: Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino*
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PARISH TRUSTEES:

Diane Foster*
James P. Curtin

* Also on Parish Council

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
Pen Anderson	Marty McClusky
Terry Kotlarz	Carter Austin
Beth Cusick	John Ketterer
Patty Gooden	Ed Dunn

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

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

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday August 10

VIGIL NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
4:30PM- James and Mary Quinn- Jim and Mary Ann

Sunday August 11

NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
8:30AM- Claude and Eileen Smith- Family
10:45AM- People of St. Francis Xavier Church

Monday August 12

SAINT JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL
6:45AM- John Maestri- Janet French

Tuesday August 13

SAINTS PONTIAN AND HIPPOLYTUS
6:00PM- Keith David Zerwas- Family

Wednesday August 14

VIGIL THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
6:00PM- Gerard Curtin- Fr. Dan

Thursday August 15 – Holy Day

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
6:45AM- Paulie Muldoon- Fr. Dan
6:00PM- Mary Buettgens- Beverly and Al

Friday August 16

SAINT STEPHEN
6:45AM- Helen McLaughlin- Janet French

Saturday August 17

VIGIL TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
4:30PM- People of St. Francis Xavier Church

Sunday August 18

TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
8:30AM- Charlie Card- The Palmer Family
10:45AM- James and Mary Quinn- Jim and MaryAnn

Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, Aug. 17	Sunday, Aug. 18	
4:30	8:30	10:45
Lector	Lector	Lector
Tom Brown	Pat Canny	Mike McAuliff
E. Ministers	E. Ministers	E. Ministers
Chris Hunt	Christine Reilly	Tim Manahan
Altar Servers	Altar Servers	Altar Servers
Blake LaPlant	Peter Daituo	Kailyn Corfield
Jesse LaPlant		Jaxon Corfield



Holy Father's Prayer Intentions: FOR POLITICAL LEADERS - Let us pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and the common good, taking care of those who have lost their jobs and giving priority to the poor.

Check out Fr. Mike Schmitz's new animated "Bible in 10 Minutes" video!
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jm3b4Q98Vx8>

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Sunday August 11

Parish Picnic- Marcellus Park- Noon

Monday, August 12

Lectio- Ch Hall- 6:30pm

Wednesday, August 14

Vigil Holy Day Mass- 6:00pm

Thursday, August 15

Holy Day Mass- 6:45am and 6:00pm

Saturday, August 17

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

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal \$7,900 Last Week: \$5,848

Thank you for your generous support last weekend for the free will offering towards those people impacted by the July storm damage in Rome, NY. Our collection was a total of \$1,000! Thank you!

NEXT WEEKEND THERE IS A 2ND COLLECTION FOR THE RELIGIOUS RETIREMENT FUND.



Please Pray for...

Mike Lollis, Ann Konieczny, 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.

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To better understand the Eucharist, contd.

Dear Parish Family,

The Eucharist: listen and respond

The Liturgy of the Word

First reading: we listen to God speaking to us of His love and the promise of Salvation

Responsorial Psalm: we respond to God's Word in song

Second reading: calls us to embrace the salvation won for us in Christ

Gospel Acclamation: we welcome and greet the Lord about to speak to us in the Gospel (Good News)

Gospel: Christ is present among us, speaking to us, revealing God's love and calling us to conversion.

Homily: How does God's Word relate to our lives and what is God calling us to do

The Universal prayer: We pray for the needs of our Church, community, nation, world and any specific needs, and for those who have died.

The profession of Faith: we honor and profess the great mysteries of our faith.

How do I listen and respond?

Do I listen as the Word of God is proclaimed, or do I just read along? Do I occupy myself with other things while God's Word is proclaimed? (eg. reading the bulletin, or devotional, or planning my day)

Do I sing the responsorial psalm response and the Alleluia?

Am I really praying when I respond (if I respond) when I say Lord, hear our prayer?

Do I say the words of the Creed with conviction?

My listening and responding is to prepare myself to receive the Lord Jesus in the Eucharist.

Again, thanks to Rev. Christopher R. Seibt for this information. God Bless, Fr. Dan



We would like to welcome the newest members of our parish family:

Josephine and Ezra Killian;

Baptized on August 8, 2024.



Congratulations to Lieutenant Colonel Angi J. Daiuto, the new commander of the 174th Operations Support Squadron.

“You are rewarded not according to your work or your time but according to the measure of your love”

...St. Catherine of Siena



August 11, 2024
19th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Scripture Readings

1 Kgs 19:4-8

Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Eph 4:30—5:2

Jn 6:41-51

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar:

“Stop murmuring” Jesus told the disciples in today’s gospel. Complaining is a dead-end and constant complaining is nagging. We might feel better but others feel bitter. Silence or grumbling will not resolve the problem. Address differences honestly and respectfully. Do not make them personal attacks.

Question of the Week - *Life for the World*

For Adults: When has the bread of life given you the strength you needed to face a difficult situation in your life?

For Children: What will you ask Jesus to help you with when you receive Holy Communion this week?



Sunday, August, 11th!! Noon-4:00pm

St. Francis Xavier Parish Picnic

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.

Hope to see you there!!

Attention: Men of St. Francis Parish!

Do you have a personal relationship with God? Are you embarrassed to pray? Are you uncomfortable to share your spirituality with others? Did you know that it is OK for a man to have his own spirituality and share it with others? All of us men have been there and that is OK. If you want to stay where you are in your faith that is up to you. However, if you wish to grow in your faith, develop your own personal relationship with God and share your journey with other men of our parish and gain support in doing so please consider checking out St. Francis Men's Prayer Group. We meet on the first and third Saturdays of the month in the Church Hall basement from 7:30AM to 9:00AM. Stop in and check us out! For further information please call Bill at 315-673-4482.

Attention: High School 2024 Graduates!

The Catholic Faith essay for the Fr. Mike Scholarship is due by noon on Sunday, August 25th. See previous bulletin for details: sfxmarcellus.com/weekly-bulletins

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