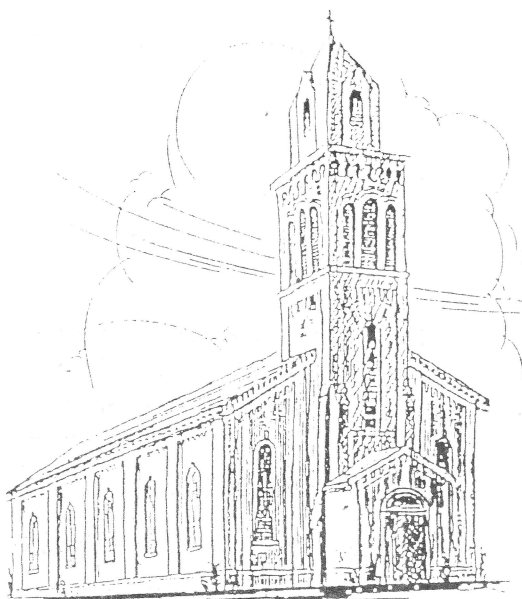


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WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil - 4:30 PM

Sunday Masses - 8:30 & 10:45 AM

Sacrament of Penance - Saturday 3:30pm

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*

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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

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Terry Hall

Pen Anderson

Terry Kotlarz

Beth Cusick

Patty Gooden

Roxanne Taylor

Kim Flood

Marty McClusky

Carter Austin

John Ketterer

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Rick Reagan

Chris Hunt

Diane Foster

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino

Joseph E. Durand

Jay Austin

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday September 17

VIGIL TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:30 PM- People of St. Francis Xavier

Sunday September 18

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 AM- Bill Jr. & Nadine Skvarch- Peter & Sarah Skvarch

10:45 AM- Mary Bostick- John, Paul & Peter Szymanski

Monday September 19

SAINT JANUARIUS

6:45 AM- The LaTart Family- Denise LaTart

Tuesday September 20

SAINTS ANDREW KIM TAE-GON and PAUL CHONG HANG

6:00 PM- Bob- Marilyn

Wednesday September 21

SAINT MATTHEW

No Mass

Thursday September 22

6:45 AM- Don Mann- Bob and Amy Mann

Friday September 23

SAINT PIUS OF PIETRELICINA

6:45 AM- Carol Anne McGrath- The McGrath Family

Saturday September 24

VIGIL TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:30 PM- Roy Myers- Joe & Rosie

Sunday September 25

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 AM- Mary Cook- Mary Kelly

10:45 AM- People of St. Francis Xavier

Ministry Schedule for St. Francis Xavier

Saturday, September 24 Sunday, September 25

4:30	8:30	10:45
Lector	Lector	Lector
Tom Brown	Pat Canny	Mike McAuliff
Altar Server	Altar Server	Altar Server
Mary Curtin	Mac Ciras	Anna Carver Cecilia Carver



Marcellus Ecumenical Food Pantry

The 4th Sunday (*September 24/25*) of every month is our St. Francis Food Pantry Collection. If you are able to

make a donation, please leave the items in the baskets by the back entrance ramp door. Thank you!

Wish List: kid's snack food, coffee, crackers, pet food

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Saturday, September 17

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

Monday, September 19

Lectio Divina- Ch Hall- 6:30pm

Wednesday, September 21

Parish Council Meeting- Ch Hall- 7:00pm

Thursday, September 22

Rosary- Church- 7:00pm

Our Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal \$7,900 Last Week: \$7,243

Please Pray for...

Marilyn Warnock, Marianne Julia, Tom Palmer, Andy Nagen, Martin Long, J.E.L., Robert Darling, J. Michael Kelly, Barb Stapleton, Peyton James Perkins, Mary Dorsch, Msgr. Bob Yeazel, Gretta Petterson, Donna Martin, Robert Hammond, Richard Hammond, Isabelle Callahan, Riley Christine Perkins, Roger Schott, Danielle Painter, Genie Barnes, Nicole DeMore, Lisa Pikarski, Michelle Fleegel, Justin MacLachlan, Jack Bragger, Missy Fitz, Austin Marlowe, Brett Kresco, Lucienne Henneberry, Allan Stonecipher, Kelly Cunningham Suberts, Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson

Please Pray for our Homebound...

Frieda Stopyro, Isabelle LaClair, Helen Volcko, Mike Berish, Marie Patterson, Mary Martin, Ethel Cole

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

Office of Family/Respect Life:

Increase Our Faith - Hope and Healing Retreat for those Separated or Divorced

September 30 - October 2, 2022

Christ the King Retreat Center, 500 Brookford Road, Syracuse

Uplifting talks, prayer, Mass, sharing with experienced team members, and opportunities to talk with clergy are all part of the weekend experience. Join us to experience God's love, healing, strength, support, and peace! All are welcome!

To register go to: healingretreat2022.eventbrite.com.

Tuition reimbursement is available for those with financial needs. For more information contact Deacon Dean Brainard at 314-472-6754 opt 4, or email dbrainard@syradio.org.

Making Time for God

It is already the middle of September, the State Fair has come and gone, school has started, vacations are over and many families have returned to their schedule and routine. Routines are good, as they help us orientate and schedule the various parts of our daily lives. This would be an excellent time to prayerfully consider where God and my relationship with God fit into my life and the life of my family. Have we set a specific time that we will attend Mass each Sunday (or Saturday night); do we as a family pray together; before meals and before the children and our retiring for the night? I could develop the habit of monthly Confession, daily reading of Scripture, using our parish Formed subscription. Perhaps I could begin praying the Rosary every day and/or saying the Rosary as a family. If I have time during my day, I could sign up for an hour of Adoration First Friday and come to Benediction at 7 PM on First Friday. These are just a few suggestions, but however it happens, this is an excellent time to reorientate my time and relationship to God.

God Bless,
Fr. Dan

"This is my body given for you" Luke 22:19

Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. This year, the Church will celebrate Catechetical Sunday on September 18, 2022



1st Annual St. Francis Xavier Church Father Mike Donovan Scholarship Golf Tournament

Sunday, October 9, 2022

For information and registration, please visit our website: www.sfxmarcellus.com under events

2022 HOPE Appeal

The appeal raises funds to cultivate Catholic leadership, advance social justice and empower parish communities. We look forward to sharing this year's message "You are the Light." Your gifts of time, talent and treasure are Christ's light in our parish.



Senior Luncheon

If it's possible to bring back the *Senior Luncheon*, we need to have an idea of how many people would be interested. It will be a delicious warm lunch and a dessert! If you're interested, please call the parish office at (315) 673-2531.



September 18, 2022
Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture Readings

Am 8:4-7

Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8

1 Tm 2:1-8

Lk 16:1-13

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

Despite all our time saving gadgets, we still have less leisure and family time. To solve this we created the Myth of Quality Time. Don't be fooled: Quality Time is Quantity Time. Jesus counsels us today, we "cannot serve two masters" and expect to be happy. Dedicate time to your family. No one in their final hours regretted not spending more time at work.

Question of the Week - *The Value of Honesty*

For Adults: Can cheating and deception ever be justified?

For Children: If someone treats you unfairly, do you have the right to do the same to them?



Banns of Marriage

Veronica Raymond
&
Evan Bilsback



Annulment Information Session - October 4th

Confused or have questions about the Annulment process? The Separated/Divorced Ministry will be hosting a session on Tuesday, October 4th, 6:30-8:00pm at Christ the King Retreat House. Staff from the Syracuse Diocese Marriage Tribunal will present an informative overview of the annulment process. To register go to annulment.in.2022.eventbrite.com. For more information contact Deacon Dean Brainard at 315-472-6754 opt. 4 or email dbrainard@syrdio.org
All are welcome to attend.

Special Mass for Healing, Hope and Recovery

Holy Family Parish in Syracuse, NY, will be hosting a Special Mass for Healing, Hope and Recovery for Our Sisters and Brothers suffering from addictions and their loved ones on Wednesday, September 21 at 6:30 pm, followed by healing prayers and anointing of the sick. Statistics tell us that for every person suffering from an addiction, many other people are affected. All are welcome for this evening as we pray for the Lord's healing, hope and recovery.

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