

SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH

MARCELLUS, NEW YORK 13108

FOUNDED 1873

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."



Weekend Masses

Saturday Evening Vigil 4:30 pm
 Sunday Masses 8:30 am & 10:45 am

Holy Day Masses... See schedule inside.

Daily Mass

Monday, Thursday, Friday 6:45 am
 Tuesday 6:00pm

Baptism

Class required. Call rectory for arrangements.

Penance

Tuesday 5:30 pm
 Saturday 3:30 pm

Website..... www.sfxmarcellus.com

Marriage

Arrangements at least 6 months in advance.

Parish Office: (315) 673-2531
 Monday-Thursday 9:30-1:30
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 53 North Street

Acts 6,1-7 Psalm 33:1-2,4-5 Peter 2:4-9 John 14:6,1-12

SUNDAY MAY 3, 2026 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mass Intentions

Saturday May 2 FIRST SATURDAY

ST ATHANASIUS

VIGIL FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

9:00 AM Alice Lailer-Vin and Kayleigh

4:30 PM Carol Carney-Family

Sunday May 3

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:30 AM The People of St Francis Xavier Church

10:45 AM Robert and Julia Rodger-Tricia and Family

Monday May 4

St. MARIE LEONIE PARADIS

6:45AM Theresa Schoeneck-Janet French

Tuesday May 5

6:00 PM Jonathan E. Clark-The People of St Francis Xavier church

Wednesday May 6

No Mass

Thursday May 7

ST FRANCOIS LAVAL

6:45 AM Nicoletta Young-The Cioci Family

Friday May 8-FIRST FRIDAY

ST CATHERINE OF AUGUSTINE

6:45 AM Lynn McCormick-Katie Kavanaugh

Saturday May 9

4:30 PM Joan Bruzdinski-Family

Sunday May 10 Mother's day

8:30 AM The people of St Francis Xavier Church

10:45 AM Mary Alice Gilchrist-Sister Rita Boskovski

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, May 9

4:30pm

Lector

Jennifer Zinn

E. Ministers

Beth Feeney

Altar Servers

Ava MacDonald

Tye MacDonald

Sunday, May 10

8:30 am

Lector

Jeanie Cupoli

E. Ministers

Skip Dorsch

Altar Servers

Peter Daiuto

Daniel Reilly

Lincoln Griffin

Sunday, May 10

10:45 am

Lector

Marty McClusky

E. Ministers

Marty McClusky

Altar Servers

Charlotte Jinks

Paige Jinks

We are in need of volunteers to help with our Parish Funeral lunches.

This is a service that is offered to families who are burying a loved one so that after the Funeral Mass they can be together. There is no cooking involved, we simply need a list of people with their contact information who can help set up and serve these families. If you can help, please call the rectory (315-673-2531) and leave your name and contact information.

Thank you and God Bless. Fr. Dan

A Note from Fr. Dan

Blessings and Joy!

In Matthew 19:14, Jesus says "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the Kingdom belongs to such as these"

This Verse highlights the significance of the children in the Kingdom of God

We celebrate our parish children making their First Holy Communion.

What a blessing and joy for St Francis Xavier parish as these young souls receive Jesus in the Eucharist.

How happy they make God and the Blessed Mother and how many Graces they will receive for themselves and their families!

God Bless, Fr. Dan

2026 First Communion recipients:

Shannon Bishop

Benjamin Britton

Kelbe Buckman

Joseph Cioci

Vincent Cioci

Declan Cohen

Eli Daiuto

Mila Doshna

Emilia Garm

Connor Krenzer

Conor Kubiak

Samuel Leggett

Jacob Lockwood

Colton McCadden

Jack Milliken

Jameson Orr

Addison Scanlon

Marcas Vaga

Reid VanBrocklin

Nora VanBrocklin

"Holy Communion is the shortest and safest way to Heaven" Saint Therese of Lisieux

"If Angels could be jealous of men, they would be for one reason: Holy Communion" Saint Maximilian Kolbe

What's Happening This Week at St. Francis

Congratulations to our first Holy Communicants!

Sunday 5/3- Sacrament of First Communion and May Crowning
10:45am mass @ Church (Reception at Church Hall to follow)

Monday May 4

6:30PM Lectio Divina Church

Thursday, May 7

7:00PM Rosary-Church

Congratulations to the 10 new Permanent deacons ordained by Bishop Lucia on 4/25/26!

Safe Environment training is required for all liturgical Ministers Training due dates listed below:

Extraordinary ministers Music Ministry: Cantors, Choir members and instrumental members :March 31,2026
Sacristans, adult Altar servers, Liturgical ministry leaders, Lectors, readers 6/30/2026
Commentators, Greeters, Ushers, Homebound Ministry 9/30,2026

The Respect Life Committee

Is sponsoring a baby shower for pregnant mothers in need of help. If you would like to participate, there will be collection boxes for your donations the weekends of May 2-3 and May 9-10. Items needed: Diapers -all sizes, wipes, ointment (Desitin, A&D), baby body wash, baby shampoo. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please write the check to St Francis Xavier Church and write "Baby Shower" in the memo line. Your donations will go to New Hope Family Services, Birthright of Onondaga County, and Joseph's House. Thank you!

Prayer in Preparation for the 140th Anniversary of the Diocese of Syracuse

The prayer is posted on our website under announcements
www.sfxmarcellus.com

Pre-Paid gift cards

Please consider purchasing (\$15 max)pre-paid gift cards to Subway, McDonalds, Burger King and Arby's for Deacon Jeff to give to those in need of a hot meal. These can be put in collection basket throughout the year.

Please Pray For:

Sondra Bromka, Peter Destefano, Mike Mahoney, Fr. Jim Fritzen, Margaret Abrahamson, Marlene Robinson, Tom Finn, Thomas and Bernice Wagner, Dan Cupoli, Theresa McClusky, Genie Barnes, Jack Bragger, Lauren Carnes, Kelly Cunningham, Robert Darling, Nicole DeMore, Rev. J. Michael Donovan, Michelle Fleegel, Greg Gibbons, Steven Goldberg, Larry Hammond, Robert Hammond, Lucienne Henneberry, Ryan Huff, J.E.L., Ann Konieczny, Brett Kresco, Martin Long, Austin Marlowe, The Myles Family, Andy Nagen, Casey Smith, Viking Nyberg, Danielle Painter, Tom Palmer, Lyla Perkins, Peyton James Perkins, Gretta Peterson, Lisa Pikarski, Allan Stonecipher, Sandra Wallak, Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson

Please Pray for our Homebound: Mike Berish, Gene Koloski

Please call the Parish Office to add anyone to our Prayer List.

Pastoral Staff

Pastor

Rev. Daniel C. Muscalino*

Deacons

Deacon John J. Falge*

Deacon Jeff Dixe*

Pastoral Associate

Deacon John J. Falge*

Faith Formation Director

Laura Carver*

lcarver@syrдио.org

Parish Secretaries

Kathy Cioci (Mon-Wed)

kcioci@syrдио.org

Katherine Boos (Thurs)

Social Service Coordinators

Rosalie Durand Patty White

Music Director

Chrissy Camuglia*

Buildings and Grounds

Ron Schneider Mike Welsh

Sacristan—Kathy Welsh

Housekeeper—Kathy Welsh

Parish Historian

John P. Curtin

Confirmation Coordinators

Laurie LeFever Laura Carver

sfxconfirmation1@gmail.com

Parish Trustees

Diane Foster* James P. Curtin*

Finance Committee

Rick Reagan Jon Roberts Pat

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* Also on Parish Council

Our Weekly Collection

Last Week.....\$6,056

Weekly Goal.....\$7,900

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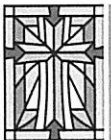
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