

# 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."



*Lord, may my life*  
**be a temple for**  
*your Holy Spirit*

#### 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](http://www.sfxmarcellus.com)

#### Marriage

Arrangements at least 6 months in advance.

Parish Office: (315) 673-2531

Monday-Thursday 9:30-1:30

1 West Main St. PO Box 177

Rel. Ed. Center: (315) 673-4107  
53 North Street

Scripture: **Wisdom Ezekiel 47:1-2,8-9,12** **Psalm 46:2-3,5-6,8-9** **Corinthians 3:9c-11,16-17**

**Sunday, November 9, 2025 • Feast of the Lateran Basilica**

# Mass Intentions

## Saturday, November 8

Vigil Feast of the Lateran Basilica  
4:30 PM—Pam Falge-Robert and Mary Rose Schnur

## Sunday November 9

Feast of the Lateran Basilica  
8:30 Claire Cummings—The Cummings Family  
10:45 The People of St Francis Xavier

## Monday, November 10

SAINT LEO THE GREAT  
6:45 AM—Joseph Grazsko-Bob and Amy Mann

## Tuesday, November 11

SAINT MARTIN OF TOURS  
6:00 PM—Faith Mary Grace Patterson—SFX Family

## Wednesday, November 12

SAINT JOSAPHAT  
No Mass

## Thursday, November 13

SAINT FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI  
6:45 AM—Barb Stapleton—Family

## Friday, November 14

6:45 AM—Marianne Jula—SFX Family

## Saturday November 15

Vigil Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
4:30 AM—The People of St. Francis Xavier Church

## Sunday November 16

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
8:30 AM—James Siddall—Peter and Sarah Skvarch  
10:45 Bernard & Elizabeth Delaney—Family

## Holy Father Prayer Intentions:

For the prevention of suicide-Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

*“Pray, Hope and don’t worry”....St. Padre Pio*

## Ministries

### Saturday, Nov. 15

#### 4:30pm

#### Lector

Jennifer Zinn

#### E. Ministers

Beth Feeney

#### Altar Servers

Jack Lindgren

Calum Mosure

### Sunday, Nov. 16

#### 8:30 am

#### Lector

Jeannie Cupoli

#### E. Ministers

Diane Foster

#### Altar Servers

Peter Daiuto

Daniel Reilly

Lincoln Griffin

### Sunday, Nov. 16

#### 10:45 am

#### Lector

Marty McClusky

#### E. Ministers

Eliot Austin

#### Altar Servers

Nathan Corfield

Jaxon Corfield

## A Note from Fr. Dan

### Indulgences

Dear Parish Family,

In my homily for All Souls Day, I mentioned the indulgences one can receive for their deceased loved ones and friends. Many Catholics may not know that there is such a reality as Indulgences; and those who do may not fully understand what they are. This weekend, using the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) I'll explain the Church's teaching concerning indulgences. "An indulgence is a remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven, which the faithful Christian, duly disposed gains under certain prescribed conditions through the action of the Church which, as the minister of redemption, dispenses and applies with the authority the treasury of the satisfactions of Christ and the saints. An indulgence is partial or plenary as it removes part of all of the temporal punishment due to sin. The faithful can gain indulgences for themselves or apply them to the dead (CCC1471). The forgiveness of sin and restoration of communion with God entail the remission of eternal punishment of sin, but temporal punishment of sin remains (CCC 1473). These two punishments (spiritual and temporal) must not be conceived as a kind of vengeance inflicted by God from without, but following from the very nature of sin (CCC1472). An indulgence is obtained through the Church who, by virtue of the power of binding and loosing granted to her by Jesus Christ, intervenes in favor of the individual Christians and opens for them the treasury of the merits of Christ and the saints to obtain from the Father of mercies the remission of the temporal punishment due to their sins. The Church does not simply want to come to the aid of these Christians, but also to spur them to works of devotion, penance, and charity. (CCC1478)" The usual conditions for obtaining an indulgence include: Sacramental confession, worthy reception of the Eucharist, and a firm desire and desire to abstain for all sin.

God Bless, Fr. Dan

### Morning Mass Attendees

Reminder: Starting November 1 - April 1, there is NO on-street parking from 2am until 7am. Please use the parking lots around the church. You will be ticketed if parked on the street.

## Please Pray For...

Dan Cupoli, Tom Finn, Theresa McClusky, Eamon Powell, Genie Barnes, Jack Bragger, Isabelle Callahan, Lauren Carnes, Kelly Cunningham, Robert Darling, Nicole DeMore, Rev. J. Michael Donovan, Michelle Fleegel, Greg Gibbons, Steven Goldberg, Larry Hammond, Robert Hammond, Lucienne Henneberry, Gabe Hood, Ryan Huff, J.E.L., Katie Kelly, Ann Konieczny, Brett Kresco, Martin Long, Austin Marlowe, John Muscalino, The Myles Family, Andy Nagen, Viking Nyberg, Danielle Painter, Tom Palmer, Lyla Perkins, Peyton James Perkins, Greta Petterson, Lisa Pikarski, Casey Smith, Allan Stonecipher, Carl Thorpe, Sandra Wallak, Sr. Mary Brendan Wilson, Marlene Robinson, Fr. Jim Fritzen, Bernice Wagner

## Please Pray for our Homebound

Mike Berish, Gene Koloski

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

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

### Monday, November 10

Lectio – Church Hall – 6:30pm

### Wednesday, November 12

Stewardship Meeting – Ch Hall- 7:00pm

### Thursday, November 13

PEACE Luncheon– Ch Hall– Noon

Rosary-Church-7:00pm

### Saturday, November 15

Men's Group– Ch Hall– 7:30am

Men's Group Raffle– after Mass

### Sunday, November 16

Men's Group Raffle– after Mass

## Faith Formation

### GRADES 1-8:

Sunday 11/9-Gr. 1-8: 9:45am-10:30am

Monday 11/10-Gr. 1-8: 6:15pm-7:00pm

Sunday 11/16-Gr. 1-8: 9:45am-10:30am

Monday 11/17-Gr. 1-8: 6:15pm-7:00pm

### CONFIRMATION:

Sunday 11/16 Year 1 and Year 2: Class 1: Mass @ 10:45am, then class from 12:00-2:30pm at Religious Ed Center (North Street)

Conf. Candidates will be collecting the following items to donate to the Jail Ministry Christmas Party. We will be collecting items after all Masses on the weekends of 11/22 & 11/23 and 11/29 & 11/30. Each year over 500 gift bags are distributed to inmates at the Justice Center during their Christmas celebration. We are looking to collect: 1.

Individually wrapped packages of cookies, each package should have 2 - 4 cookies (no larger please) 2. Small (halloween size) chocolate/candy bars 3. Mini chocolates (Hershey kisses, Dove mini's, etc)

## Turkey Raffle!

Our St. Francis Men's Group will be selling tickets for our ANNUAL TURKEY RAFFLE at all of the weekend Masses of November 15 & 16.

## SFX Winter Coat/Hat/Gloves/Wool Socks Drive

Please consider donating any gently used winter coats, hats, gloves, and wool socks to help provide comfort to our sisters and brothers in need in and around the downtown area. If you would, please wash any donated items so they are fresh and clean. Please place your items in the box by the back entrance of the church. We will be collecting items through mid November.

Thank you for your support!

## Life-Giving Wounds: Catholic Ministry for Adult Children of

### Divorce or Separation

Are you an adult child of divorce or separation? Do you feel alone or that you have wounds from your parents' divorce or separation from which you haven't healed? Take Life-Giving Wounds' free, research-based quiz to help you discover which areas of your heart might still need healing and what you can do to begin that journey: <https://www.lifegivingwounds.org/quiz>. Also, keep an eye out for information on our 2026 retreat that will be coming out soon!

For more information about the Syracuse/Ogdensburg chapter of Life-Giving Wounds, please reach out to Erin Miller at [emiller@syrdio.org](mailto:emiller@syrdio.org).



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John P. Curtin

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### Parish Trustees

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## Our Weekly Collection

Last Week ..... \$7,005

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

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND: MILITARY SERVICES

## ONLINE GIVING

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