St. Francis Xavier Parish
7th and JEFFERSON STREETS, MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA. 26041
Rev. That Son Ngoc Nguyen

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS):
Sat. 3:30 p.m., or any other time upon request.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:
By appointment. Contact the Parish House at least six months before the date of the marriage. Pre-Cana is required.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:
By appointment. The Diocese requires instructions beforehand for the parents. Contact the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (C.C.D.):
Sundays during the school term at 9:00 a.m. to 9:50 a.m. for Grades 1-12.

REGISTRATION AND CHURCH SUPPORT:
Parishioners should be properly registered at the Parish Office.
Third Sunday of Easter
April 30, 2017

You have made known to me
the paths of life;
you will fill me with joy
in your presence.

— Acts 2:28

WEEKLY SCHEDULES

Extraordinary Ministers of Eucharist/Lectors:
5/6 - 4:00 p.m. Alice Wise & Libby Magnone
5/7 - 8:00 a.m. Rose & John Hess
5/7 - 10:00 a.m. Chris King & Jonna Kuskey

Altar Servers:
5/6 - 4:00 p.m. Chaz Frizzell
5/7 - 8:00 a.m. Matt & CJ Fouty
5/7 - 10:00 a.m. Morgan Miller & Conner Blatt

Gift Bearers:
5/6 - 4:00 p.m. Kay Bosworth & Daunel Gump
5/7 - 8:00 a.m. Pete Mysliwiec
5/7 - 10:00 a.m. Tony & Dee Novel

Sacristy Cleaners - Week of May 1, 2017
Ruth Harrigan and Lori Laberdeee

Greeters:
5/6 – 4:00 p.m. Pete & Judy Mysliwiec
5/7 - 8:00 a.m. Bridget Scarbin & Lottie Durbin
5/7 -10:00 a.m. Bobbi Zuk & Larry Freeland

BINGO: May 5, 2017
Raffle - Bob & Patty Kleinedler
Kitchen - Jenny Ingram & Rhonda Kaufman

COLLECTION:

Envelopes - $3,749.00
Repair & Parish Improvement - $1249.00
Xavier Hall - $80.00
Loose Offering - $679.00
Pennies for God - $41.30
Attendance - 377

Thank You And May God Bless You For Your
Continued Support And Generosity.

OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL
NOVENA EVERY TUESDAY BEFORE MASS

APRIL 29  SATURDAY
4:00 P.M.    Harold Ray †
(M/M Don Gray)
Lea Alvarez †
(Family & Friends)

APRIL 30  SUNDAY
8:00 A.M.    Geraldine Bracken †
(Wayne & Joan Lemasters)
10:00 A.M.   Sophie Skrzypek †
(Cork & Joanne Potts)

MAY 1  MONDAY
8:00 A.M.    Sophie Skrzypek †
(Barbara Campanizzi)

MAY 2 - 4  NO MORNING MASS
PRIEST’S CONVOCATION

MAY 5  FRIDAY
8:30 A.M.    Tuttle Family †
(Kathryn Helfer)

MAY 6  SATURDAY
4:00 P.M.    Harold Ray †
(Cindy Gunto)

MAY 7  SUNDAY
8:00 A.M.    For The People Of Our Parish
10:00 A.M.   Jenny Novel †
(Cindy Gunto)

All the priests in the Diocese will be in Charleston from May 2 - 4 for Convocation.

Pope Francis
Are You angry with someone? Pray for that person. That is what Christian love is.
PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS, FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS: Ellianna George, Anna Mae Veronis Holliday, Patty Kleinedler, Kay McMasters, Barbara Campanizzi, Louise Berry, Joe Church, Semon & Phyllis Prado, Susan Wilson, Al Furline, Josh Mathias, Doris Murphy, Agnes Gardill, Thelma Gitlin, Gladys Holmes, Karen Gorby, Andrew Wasko III, Ray Dague, Sheila Morgan, Mary Tennant, Barbara Myer.

Mother’s Day - May 14, 2017

SPIRITUAL BOUQUET CARDS FOR MOTHER’S DAY
As a spiritual gift to your mother, you will find cards in the vestibule of the church. She will be remembered in the Holy Sacrament of the Mass offered at St. Francis Xavier in observance of Mother’s Day
Please return your offering by Thursday, May 11, 2017.

Relay For Life of Marshall County will be held on June 9, 2017 at Monarch Football Field. Would you like to join our St. Francis Xavier Relay Team and help us raise money for the research and programs for the American Cancer Society? To be a part of SFX Team you must register (no registration fee). Please contact Lottie @ 304-845-4011 to register and for more information.

Our young adults are looking for a friendly, welcoming Church—a church that they can relate to and know each other by name. When we deny them this experience they will find another Christian Church to worship. Another reason why young families come to church is the uplifting music. Please offer your musical talent to God and help out our parish! We are in need of musicians. If you know anybody who can play piano, guitar, or organ, we will provide a stipend for their service.

MASS INTENTIONS ~ ST. MARTIN’S SUNDAY ~ April 30, 2017
12:00 Noon - Frances White
In Remembrance of Mom on her 100th Birthday
Requested by Dave & Celeste Evans

First Communion will be celebrated on May 7, 2017 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Please pray for: Jesse and Jace Riding, Sadi Willis, Emma King, Kaylee Alvendia, during this important time of preparation for First Holy Communion.

A special thank you to Carolyn Gordon for donating the new Easter Candle in memory of her Mother Sophie Skrzypek.

St. Joseph Retreats
Grief is a universal experience and a natural response to many types of loss, particularly the death of a loved one. Grief can change our lives forever. When we find ourselves encompassed in grief, it is vital to creatively live with and through this experience. During these days of reflection, we will discuss the nature of grief and explore the use of journaling, dialogue, art, poetry, and dreams as we tend our grief work and move toward greater acceptance and transformed lives.
Sr. Helen Skormisley, CSJ, and Stephanie Savitch, facilitators
Date: Friday May 5 – Saturday, May 6
Time: Begins at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and ends at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday
Location: St. Joseph Retreat Center
Cost: $75.00.

Reminder: First Holy Communicants’ practice Saturday, May 6th from 10 a.m. to 12:00 Noon. Parents please bring your children to be there on time.


Bishop Donahue Graduation ~ Sunday, May 14th ~ 7:00 p.m. at St. James Church in McMechen.

Baccalaureate Service ~ May 21 ~ 7 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church ~ 3rd Street for any graduating Senior from John Marshall High School.

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact WV Child Protective Services at 800.352.6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact the Diocese at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880.