THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

“Behold, one is coming after me; I am not worthy to unfasten the sandals of his feet.”
Acts 13:25

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.
WEEKLY SCHEDULES

Lectors/ Eucharistic Ministers:
6/30 4:00 p.m. Julie Fecat/Chris McDonald
7/1 8:00 a.m. C. Frame/S. Kent
7/1 10:00 a.m. Mark Hitt/P. Remke

Altar Servers:
6/30 4:00 p.m. Volunteers needed
7/1 8:00 a.m. Kent Family
7/1 10:00 a.m. Swift/Kuskey

Gift Bearers:
6/30 4:00 p.m. John & Loretta Niemiec
7/1 8:00 a.m. John & Ruth Harrigan
7/1 10:00 a.m. Georgia Pettit

Sacrists Cleaners: Week of June 25, 2018
Julie Anderson & Ruth Anderson

Greeters:
6/30 4:00 p.m. Danny Prado/Joan Lemasters
7/1 8:00 a.m. Bridget Scarbin / Lottie Durbin
7/1 10:00 a.m. Butch & Linda Miller

Bingo June 29, 2018
Raffle - John and Sheree Leonard
Kitchen - Sue Church and Rhonda Colvin

COLLECTION: June 10, 2018
Envelopes - $2306.00
Xavier Hall - $150.00
Loose Offering - $1121.00
Pennies For God - $5.50
Attendance - 303

Our bulletins are posted weekly on our website: sfxmoundsville.org
Check us out on Facebook for photos and happenings in the parish.

There are openings in the Mass Intentions Book this year for weekday masses starting July 5

Rosary weekdays after 8 am mass
MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**Jun 23** - Sistersville Ferry Cruise 6 to 9 p.m.
**Jul 1** - World Refugee Awareness 10:00 mass
**Jul 4** - Fourth of July Holiday - Church office closed
**Jul 8** - Appreciation Dinner and Celebration of our Baptisms 12:00 pm
**Aug 12** - Parish picnic

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Did you know:

Today, more than 65 million people around the world have been forcibly displaced from their homes, over 22 million of these individuals are refugees.

The U.S. refugee protection and resettlement program has enjoyed bipartisan support for over 30 years, and is a life-saving program that protects vulnerable refugees and helps to unite families fractured by forced migration

Don’t know any Refugees? Here are some you may know: Albert Einstein, Gloria Estefan, Henry Kissinger, Madeline Albright, Father That Son.

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PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS, FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS:

**Prayer Request:** Richard Timko, Don McCormick, Joe Church, Gary Rine, Georgia Pettit, Maggie Yeater, Calvin Crow, Rhonda Colvin, Rae Baker;

**Homebound:** Semon & Phyllis Prado, Al Furline, Doris Murphy, Bob Tetrck; **Nursing Home:** Patricia Schmidt, Helen Remke, Gladys Holmes, Thelma Gitlin, Barbara Meyer, Elizabeth Potts.

Our Parish offers prayers and condolences to the family Ralph Allen Holmes
May he rest in peace.

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