

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH



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AUGUST 7, 2022

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekends: Saturday - 4 p.m.

Sunday - 8 a.m., 10 a.m.

Weekdays: Monday - Friday 8 a.m.

Holy Days: 8 a.m., 7 p.m.

Confessions: Saturdays at 3:30 p.m. or upon request.

Marriage: By appointment. Contact the office at least six months before the date of the marriage. Pre-Cana instruction is required.

Baptism: By appointment. The diocese requires instructions for parents or guardians.

Religious Education (PSR): Sundays during school term 9 - 9:50 a.m. Grades 1-12.



The Sheep Fold, Moonlight
Jean-François Millet (1814 - 1875)

MEDITATION: ALERT, COMMITTED, READY

St. Thomas Aquinas reminds us that, “Three things are necessary for the salvation of man: to know what he ought to believe, to know what he ought to desire, and to know what he ought to do.”

Whenever we really want something, we put our entire selves into achieving it. Being fully invested in our labor, we willingly work extra hours, devote an abundance of energy and effort, and

remain vigilant for opportunities that may come our way. Conscientiousness and diligence are the only means to success. For the one who eagerly awaits the day when they can be fully with God, life becomes a joyous adventure indeed! Alert, ready, focused, committed, and willing to be a servant they constantly watch and prepare themselves for meeting the Lord. Loving the journey and being in love with their Creator, their lives become joyful witnesses of

love and service. They are secure in their hope, confident in their faith, and perfect in their love. Never looking for recognition or gratitude, they stand as inspirations of what the Holy Spirit can do in the hearts of those who believe.

Because we do not know what tomorrow will bring, we stand ready to be used as God wills and run eagerly toward Him when He comes.



SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

4:00 p.m. Semon Prado†
Toni Springfield

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7

8:00 a.m. For the people
10:00 a.m. Edward Lawther†
Tom & Cindy Lawther

MONDAY, AUGUST 8

8:00 a.m. Mike Gunto†
Cindy Gunto

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9

8:00 a.m. William Kendrach Sr.†
Mike Benko

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10

8:00 a.m. Don Gordon†
Carolyn Gordon

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11

8:00 a.m. Robert Shutler†
Roger & Cathy Frame

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12

8:00 a.m. Jo Estep
Jane Klug

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

4:00 p.m. David Nieratko†
The Harouse Family

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14

8:00 a.m. For the people
10:00 a.m. John D. Curia†
Curia Family

USUAL MASS STIPENDS
Weekdays - \$10 per Mass
Weekends - \$20 per Mass
Sanctuary Candle - \$10 a week



*Our heartfelt
condolences to
Lorayne Fisher on
the passing of her son,
Bryan Palmer*

**SFX YOUTH
DAY at
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Prayer
REQUESTS

Recently Sick: Anna Mae Veronis Holliday, Kathryn Ferrera, Mary Stees, Judith Harbert, Annalyn Liette, Sandina Leonard, Deanne Ferraro, Georgia Pettit, Lida Schellhase, Carmina Oakland, Joe Church, Joseph Grampa, Megan Freeland Roskovensky,

Bobby Kleinedler, Suzy Lunau, Jim Barker, Kathryn Helfer, Loretta Saporito, Phil Remke, Catherine Pellerin.

Homebound: Rachel Kerekes, Doris Murphy, Phyllis Prado.

Nursing Homes: Hazel Markey, Katie Renshaw, Joan Weekly, Alma VanSyoc, Ron Flading, Barb Meyer, Mary Yanen, Raymond Pennybacker.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

MONDAY, AUGUST 22
FINGERS: UNTYING THE KNOTS IN OUR LIVES. 20/20 VISION SERIES.
 7 p.m. via Zoom. St. Joseph Retreat Center | atroiani@csjoseph.org to register.

PARISH COUNCIL
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24
 6:30 p.m. | CHURCH HALL

FALL BIBLE STUDY - CONVERSION
First three weeks in September starting Aug. 31 & Sept. 1 - first three weeks in November. Wednesdays at 9 a.m. OR Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. Church Hall | Forms are in the office, front of church, and the website. **REGISTER BY AUG. 8.** Call Mary at 304-810-4380 for info.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27
LAYMEN'S RETREAT LEAGUE - DAY OF REFLECTION WITH BISHOP BRENNAN
 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. | St. Vincent Marist Hall, Elm Grove. \$30 a seat. Call Don Klamut at 304-280-4626 to sign up.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28 - PARISH PICNIC
PLEASE SIGN UP IN BACK OF CHURCH
 Mass @ noon | St. Jude Park. Lunch after Mass. Father hopes to use our vegetables to make Stone Soup!

ONGOING EVENTS
FOURTH MONDAY EACH MONTH
 6 p.m. | Bereavement Group. St. John's Church Benwood. Fellowship Hall. Next meeting Aug. 22.

WEDNESDAYS
 11:30 a.m. — 1:30 p.m. | Line Dancing With Lottie at the Moundsville VFW.

COMING SEPTEMBER 26 & 27
SPEAKER JASON EVERT
Chastity/Gender, Theology of Your Body.
 \$20 per person | St. Michael's Parish. Contact Diane at 304-242-1560 for more information and tickets.

REMINDER: PARISHIONERS ONLY
MAY ENTER THE OFFICE VIA THE
RECTORY MONDAYS AND TUESDAYS
DURING RAMP WORK.

SCHEDULES
AUG 13 & 14

4:00 p.m. Saturday
Lector: Alice Wise
Eucharistic: Mary Taskalines
Servers: Please Volunteer

8:00 a.m. Sunday
Lector: Rose Hess
Eucharistic: John Hess
Servers: Please Volunteer

10:00 a.m. Sunday
Lector: Rosemary Patrone
Eucharistic: Chris McDonald
Servers: Please Volunteer

Sacristy
 Linda Miller
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Monday, Aug. 15, the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, is not a Holy Day of Obligation. Faithful who wish to celebrate this day are encouraged to attend our regular daily Mass at 8 a.m.



THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL COLLECTION for the weekend of Aug. 13th in all parishes and missions throughout the diocese to support

recovery efforts in areas of southern West Virginia and eastern Kentucky. These areas were pummeled by recent severe weather, resulting in loss of life, homes, and destruction of entire communities.

Checks should be made out to the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston with "Disaster Relief" on the memo line. Donations can also be made through the diocesan website at dwc.org/disaster-relief Giving will support humanitarian and recovery efforts of Catholic Charities and their partner agencies in both states.

As we prepare for this collection, remember in prayer all those who have lost their lives, as well as those who have been injured, lost their homes, cars, employment, and access to food and water.



WATCH YOUR STEP!
 The work is almost finished.
 Thank you for your patience.

WE CANNOT WAIT TO SEE OUR children at Parish School of Religion beginning Sept. 18. Contact the office or grab a form from our website to register. We would appreciate hearing from everyone by Aug. 19.

OFFERING
JULY 24, 2022

Envelopes	\$2,670.00
Loose Offering	\$501.00
Church Repair	\$10.00
Diocesan	\$10.00
Memorial	\$150.00
Candles	\$20.00
Pennies for God	\$1.88
Online Giving	\$20.15
Attendance	224

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THANK YOU

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