

ST FRANCISXAVIER & ST JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCHES
23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 6, 2026

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*"A life
not lived
for others
is a life
not lived."*

-St Teresa of Calcutta

Feast Day
September 5



**The St Francis Xavier Altar
and Rosary Guild**

will meet on Tuesday,
September 15 at 7pm
to begin planning the
coming year. All women of
the parish are welcome to
join in the planning.

**Interested in joining the St Francis
Xavier choir?**

If so, please come to the choir loft on 9/13 at
9am! We practice every Sunday
before Mass and sing from Sept to May.

Any questions contact:

**Brooke Max: 765-585-2636 or
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WEEKEND SCHEDULE

St Francis Xavier

Saturday
Confession 3 p.m.
Vigil Mass 4 p.m.
Sunday
Mass 10 a.m.

St Joseph

Confession 7:30 a.m.
Mass 8 a.m.

Fall Adult Ed begins this Wednesday evening after 6:30 Mass at both parishes!

the
**third
OPTION™**

Building Heathy Marriages since 1988

Through 14 sessions held on Monday evenings from Sept 14 to Dec 14 from 7 to 9pm
at Blessed Sacrament Church in West Lafayette couples will develop skills aimed
towards constructive interaction, fostering love and trust.

For more information contact:

Dcn Ed Boes: 765-421-5641 or ttOlaffayette@gmail
A copy of the Fall Session Calendar is on the bulletin board or at
www.blessedsacramentwl.org/the-third-option-1

Please submit any items for the bulletin to Eileen Hays by email at least one week in advance Thank you!

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

You are just, O Lord, and your judgement is right;
treat your servant in accord with your merciful love.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Like a deer that yearns for running streams, so my soul is yearning for
you, my God; my soul is thirsting for God, the living God.

or

I am the light of the world, says the Lord. whoever follows me will not
walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ST FRANCIS XAVIER

Last week's income will be posted next week. Infant Jesus of Prague with gratitude for Your blessings we commend our needs to Your loving care as we pray for the needy and unemployed.

This week the sanctuary lamp burns in honor of the Most Blessed Sacrament and in memory of Bertha Rogiers.

BOTH PARISHES

CCD classes start next week. Adults are welcome to join the OCIA class with Dr Chad Penn or Fr Rasner's high school class at St Francis Xavier, or OCIA with Jenny Goepner at St Joseph. Classes are held after Sunday Mass.

Contact Eileen Hays if you would like to join our pilgrimage to Marytown on October 10. 765-426-4425

THIS WEEK'S MASSES AND INTENTIONS

ST FRANCIS XAVIER

Monday, Sept 7		Weekday Ordinary	No Mass here today
Tuesday, Sept 8	8:00am	The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	+Tom and Della Norush
Wednesday, Sept 9	6:30pm	St. Peter Claver, Priest	+Bob Silver
Thursday, Sept 10	6:30pm	Weekday Ordinary	+Dec of Edwards AFB
Friday, Sept 11	8:00am	Weekday Ordinary	+Janet Booth
Saturday, Sept 12	4:00pm	Vigil	+Dec of Francis Weller Family
Sunday, Sept 13	10:00am	24th Sunday in Ordinary Time	+ Frances McCauley

ST JOSEPH

Wednesday, Sept 9	6:30pm	St Peter Claver, Priest	+Larry Brockway
Sunday, Sept 13	8:00am	24th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Pro Populo

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR SEPTEMBER 12 & 13

ST FRANCIS XAVIER

ST JOSEPH

	4:00pm	10:00am	8:00am
Lector	Sally Weller	Eileen Hays	Jenny Goepner
Servers	Jeff Windnagle	Finn Nern Evelyn Mattern	Jake Martinek Maria Beckett
EMHC		Bart North Cheri North	Kevin Goepner Katherine Powell

Please Help!

Martalucia Riley (from St Joseph) is appealing to us to help her family and close friends in Colombia who have suffered a devastating earthquake. Every dollar which is donated will help someone in need. Please donate, share the link, and pray! To donate or share, please use the QR code provided.

Thank you very much!

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Scan to donate to Marthalucia Riley's fundraiser
"Help Rebuild Homes in Cali and Pereira"

or go to:
GoFundMe and enter
Martalucucia Riley.

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Happy Birthday
to our
Blessed Mother
September 8th



Make her smile!
Pray the rosary!



Victim Assistance Ministry: Dr Melanie Stone, Victim Assistant Coordinator: 765-464-4988

This number is to be used to report concerns regarding abuse, sexual or otherwise, by Church personnel.

This number provides pastoral outreach to victims/survivors of child sexual abuse.