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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM
Sunday Masses: 7:30 AM (Latin Extraordinary Form)
9:00 AM
11:00 AM (Sung Latin Extraordinary Form)
12:30 PM (African Catholic Community)
Daily Mass: Monday - Friday 7:30 AM
Saturday 8:00 AM (Latin)

PARISH STAFF:

Administrator: Reverend Joseph D. Santos, Jr.

African Cath. Com. Chaplain: Rev. Lazarus Onuh

Parish Trustees: Mr. Mark Berardo and Mrs. Nkolika Onye

Religious Education Directress: Mrs. Tamera Rocha

Music Ministry:

Gospel Choir Coordinator: Ms. Joyce Braboy
African Choir Coordinator: Mr. Ignatius Ahamiojie
Schola Cantorum Directress: Mrs. Jennifer Galipeau

Parish Office:

Receptionist: Mrs. Anne Marcaccio
Bulletin Secretary: Mrs. Joanna Fernandez
Financial Admin.: Mr. David Rose
Bookkeeper: Ms. Brandy O'Donnell

Building & Grounds: Mr. Daniel Galipeau

Holy Hour: All Sundays of Lent Stations of the Cross with Benediction. All Sundays of May Marian Devotions with Benediction. For other celebrations please see the timetable inside the bulletin. Holy Hour is at 5:00 PM.

Saint Vincent de Paul: Please call for assistance at (401) 859-5800 ext. 110

Bulletin Deadline: Sunday at noon.



1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

"Then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. But when these signs begin to happen, stand erect and raise your heads because your redemption is at hand." - Lk 21:27-28

Sacrament of Baptism: Please call the Rectory for scheduling and Pre-Baptismal encounter

Sacrament of Penance: Wednesday evenings 4:30 to 5:30 PM. Saturday afternoon 3:00-3:45 P.M., last Sunday of the month from 10:00—11:00 AM or by appointment.

Sacrament of the Sick: Please notify us of all parishioners in the hospital, or needing Anointing of the Sick.

Sacrament of Marriage: Please contact the rectory at least 6 months in advance.

Holy Orders: Men interested in the Priesthood or the Diaconate may speak to Fr. Santos or contact the seminary (401)831-8001 or check their web site: www.catholicpriest.com).

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Every Wed. in the Lady Chapel: Exposition at 8:00 AM (after Mass), confessions from 4:30 to 5:15 PM, Benediction and Reposition at 5:15 PM. 1st Fri. Nocturnal Adoration begins with Mass and Expo. at 8:00 PM and concludes Sat. morning at 8:00 AM with Benediction and Mass.

Intercessory Prayer Network: Mrs. Rosemary Gomes 401-861-0620 or email to rn518@yahoo.com.



FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Sat. Nov. 27th

- 8:00 AM** Antonio Cesario Lopes (3rd Anniv.), req by his wife and family,
4:00 PM Candida L. Tavares (5th Anniv.) Francisco & Emeliana DaSilva (Mem.), req by daughters/granddaughters, Joanna, Bernadette & Rita Ann & Families

Sun. Nov. 28th

- 7:30 AM** Int. of Charles Sharp Family, req by L. Sharp
9:00 AM John Baptista Lopes (Thanksgiving Mass) req by his wife, Erma
11:00 AM Robert Joseph Ward (Month's Mind) req by the Family & Friends
12:30 PM Int. of Deacon R. Vogel, req by L. Rosen

Mon. Nov. 29th

- 7:30 AM** Parishioners of Holy Name
Tues. Nov. 30th—St. Andrew, Apostle
7:30 AM Health & Blessings Brendan, Andrea, Luis, Leo, Luke & Ali Larken, req by Ken & Sarah Garrepy

Wed. Dec. 1st

- 7:30 AM** (B'Day Rem) Dr. Vincent Marcaccio, req by Family

Thurs. Dec. 2nd

- 7:30 AM** Health & Blessings on Kenneth & Fran Garrepy & Children, req by Ken & Sarah Garrepy

Fri. Dec. 3rd—St. Francis Xavier

- 7:30 AM** Domingo Monteiro (Mem.), req by his daughter, Rosemary

Sat. Dec. 4th—St. John Damascene

- 8:00 AM** Health & Blessings on Fr. Joseph Santos, req by Holy Name Staff
4:00 PM (B'Day Ren.) Suzanne Kelly, req by Mike & Kathy Kelly

Sun. Dec. 5th

- 7:30 AM** Health & Blessings on Fr. Joseph Santos, req by Ken & Sarah Garrepy
9:00 AM Jose & Gilda Silva (Mem) req by Clara Botelho & husband
11:00 AM Alvira Soares (1st Anniv.) req by the Family
12:30 PM Int. of Tri-City Refrigeration, req. by A. Jansen

Wednesday Eucharistic

Adoration begins with Mass at 7:30 AM,
 Divine Mercy Chaplet prayed at 3:00 PM.
 Confessions heard 4:30 until 5:15 PM
 Benediction of the Bl. Sac. at 5:15PM.
 Adorers needed from 8-9 AM and 1-5 PM.

NOVEMBER IS DEDICATED TO
THE SOULS IN PURGATORY

If you would like the Shrine of the Our Lady of Fatima Check with Joanna Fernandez at 401-331-6353

Every Sunday

11:00 AM Extraordinary Form (Latin Missal of 1962)
The 12:30 PM Ordinary Form (African Cath. Com.)

Live streamed on Facebook from Holy Name Church.

<http://holynameprovidence.org>

You can access the Parish Calendar of events, the weekly bulletin in pdf format, and more!

Check back often!

What Is Advent Season?

Advent Season is a very special time of year that sometimes gets lost in the bright lights of the Christmas season it precedes. The first day of Advent is the first day of a new Liturgical (or church) calendar and begins a four week period of preparation in anticipation of the nativity of Jesus at Christmas.

The Advent Season is all about reflecting on how we can prepare our hearts and homes for Christ's birth in the world as it is today. It is a time for faith communities and families to remember, through prayer, reflections, special music, and good deeds what the true meaning of Jesus' birth is. There are many different traditions associated with the four weeks of Advent.

- <https://www.ourlittleroses.org/blog/what-is-advent-season/>

St. Andrew the Apostle



St. Andrew, also known as Andrew the Apostle, was a Christian Apostle and the older brother to St. Peter.

According to the New Testament, Andrew was born in the village of Bethsaida on the Sea of Galilee during the early first century. Much like his younger brother, Simon Peter, Andrew was also a fisherman. Andrew's very name means strong and he was known for having good social

skills.

In the Gospel of Matthew, it is said Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee and saw Andrew and Simon Peter fishing. It is then he asked the two to become disciples and "fishers of men."

In the Gospel of Luke, Andrew is not initially named. It describes Jesus using a boat, believed to be solely Simon's, to preach to the multitudes and catch a large amount of fish on a night that originally was dry. Later, in Luke 5:7, it mentions Simon was not the only fisherman on the boat, but it is not until Luke 6:14 that there is talk of Andrew being Simon Peter's brother.

However, the Gospel of John tells a separate story, stating Andrew was a disciple of John the Baptist. When Jesus walked by one day, John the Baptist stated, "Behold, the Lamb of God!" It is then that Andrew and another made the decision to follow Jesus.

Prayer to St. Andrew

O Glorious St. Andrew, you were the first to recognize and follow the Lamb of God. With your friend St. John you remained with Jesus for that first day, for your entire life, and now throughout eternity. As you led your brother St. Peter to Christ, and many others after him, draw us also to Him. Teach us to lead others to Christ solely out of love for Him, and dedication in His service. Help us to learn the lesson of the Cross and to carry our daily crosses without complaint so that they may carry us to Jesus. Amen.

Pray for our Troops

Joseph John Forit, Army	Aaron Stone, USMC
Matthew Belcastro, USMC	Alex Brant, Army
Justin Thomson, USN (Nuc. Div.)	Josh Parker, USMC
Darren Glaser, USN	Jack Collins, Army
Kathleen Myile Baker, USAF	Israel Hector, USAF
Elijah Reynolds, Army	Justin Freeman, USN
Lt. Ulysses Zamora, USN	Ty Lewis, Army
M. Sgt. William Lemieux, USMC	Peter Blanchette
Lt. Richard Coillot, USN	Billy Pollard, Army
Patrick J. Ruisi, R.I. Nat. G	Fabio Monteiro, Army
Maj. Sharon Harmon, Army	Jeremy Darrahan, Army
Jason Darrahan, Army	2 nd Lt. Daniel Atkinson,
USAF Alec Coggins, USMC	Dylan Sullivan, USMC SpS
Andrew Hewitt, USN	Sean Bedingfield, Army
Brooklyn Alves, Army	Res. Michael Donahue,
USMC Ben Powers, Army	Michael Gonsalves, Army
Peter Janotta, USN	Major Pettaway USMC
1st Lt. Jeffrey S. Lopardo, Army	
To add or remove names call the rectory (401)272-4515	

The Estimate is in!

To install the tiling in the Corridor, the entrance area of the first bathroom, the Choir and Altar boy Sacristy and the Priest's Sacristy is a total of \$8,020.00 completed. Most of the tile and granite are already in the garage—we are still hoping for some additional donations. The cement is ready to be donated and will be delivered when needed. Hopefully the work will be completed by Christmas. Please speak to Fr. Santos if you have any questions.

Floor Tiles Wanted!!!

Once again we are looking for donations of 12 X 12 granite or stone floor tiles. These will be used in the following areas: the Priest's Sacristy, the work and choir Sacristy, the entrance area of the first bathroom and the corridor between the Chapel and the Church.



Scholars Club Winners



Week #1
Week #2
Week #3

#289—Jasmine Symonds
#162—Donald Taylor
#61— Jerry Morgan



The St. Vincent de Paul Society would like to send a huge THANK YOU to our Parishioners and Volunteers for your continued generosity and support. This year we were able to feed over 20 families because of you! God Bless and Have a Happy Thanksgiving.

Saint Francis Xavier's Story

Jesus asked, "What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?" (Matthew 16:26a). The words were repeated to a young teacher of philosophy who had a highly promising career in academics, with success and a life of prestige and honor before him.

Francis Xavier, 24 at the time, and living and teaching in Paris, did not heed these words at once. They came from a good friend, Ignatius of Loyola, whose tireless persuasion finally won the young man to Christ. Francis then made the spiritual exercises under the direction of Ignatius, and in 1534, joined his little community, the infant Society of Jesus. Together at Montmartre they vowed poverty, chastity, obedience, and apostolic service according to the directions of the pope.

From Venice, where he was ordained a priest in 1537, Xavier went on to Lisbon and from there sailed to the East Indies, landing at Goa, on the west coast of India. For the next 10 years he labored to bring the faith to such widely scattered peoples as the Hindus, the Malayans, and the Japanese. He spent much of that time in India, and served as provincial of the newly established Jesuit province of India.

Wherever he went, Xavier lived with the poorest people, sharing their food and rough accommodations. He spent countless hours ministering to the sick and the poor, particularly to lepers. Very often he had no time to sleep or even to say his breviary but, as we know from his letters, he was filled always with joy.

Xavier went through the islands of Malaysia, then up to Japan. He learned enough Japanese to preach to simple folk, to instruct, and to baptize, and to establish missions for those who were to follow him. From Japan he had dreams of going to China, but this plan was never realized. Before reaching the mainland, he died. His remains are enshrined in the Church of Good Jesus in Goa. He and Saint Thérèse of Lisieux were declared co-patrons of the missions in 1925.



Reflection

All of us are called to "go and preach to all nations—see Matthew 28:19. Our preaching is not necessarily on distant shores but to our families, our children, our husband or wife, our coworkers. And we are called to preach not with words, but by our everyday lives. Only by sacrifice, the giving up of all selfish gain, could Francis Xavier be free to bear the Good News to the world. Sacrifice is leaving yourself behind at times for a greater good, the good of prayer, the good of helping someone in need, the good of just listening to another. The greatest gift we have is our time. Francis Xavier gave his to others.

Saint Francis Xavier is a Patron Saint of:

Japan

<p>Donations for weekend Nov. 13/14 will be noted next weekend.</p> <p>2nd collection next weekend for Monthly Fuel</p> <p>Thanks for your dedication to the Parish.</p> <p>Collection Totals for the Week Ending: 14 Nov. 2021</p> <table> <tr> <th></th><th>Collection</th><th>Fiscal Year to Date</th></tr> <tr> <td>Goal</td><td>\$3,376</td><td>\$607,520</td></tr> <tr> <td>In-house collections</td><td>2,897</td><td>454,559</td></tr> <tr> <td>Over (Under) Goal</td><td>(479)</td><td>(12,961)</td></tr> </table>				Collection	Fiscal Year to Date	Goal	\$3,376	\$607,520	In-house collections	2,897	454,559	Over (Under) Goal	(479)	(12,961)
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<p style="text-align: right;">Readings for the week of November 28, 2021</p> <p>Sun: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Ps 25:4-5, 8-10, 14 [1b]/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36</p> <p>Mon: Is 2:1-5/Ps 122:1-4b-9/Mt 8:5-11</p> <p>Tues: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8-11 [10]/Mt 4:18-22</p> <p>Wed: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3b-6cd/Mt 15:29-37</p> <p>Thurs: Is 26:1-6/Ps 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a [26a]/Mt 7:21, 24-27</p> <p>Fri: Is 29:17-24/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/Mt 9:27-31</p> <p>Sat: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147:1-6 [cf. Is 30:18d]/Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8</p> <p>N't Sun: Bar 5:1-9/Ps 126:1-6 [3]/Phil 1:4-6, 8-11/Lk 3:1-6</p>														



Faith Formation

Catechism Classes Have Started!!

Pre-K - 6th grade meets, Saturdays at 9:00 a.m.;

Confirmation I and II meets Sundays at 5:00 p.m.

Tamera Rocha, Directress holynamenameofjesusdre@gmail.com



Why You Should Join CCD

You should join CCD because it brings you closer to God. It explains in-depth every thing about the Catholic Church and about the saints. You also learn about the different sacraments, holy mysteries and it helps us mature spiritually. While in class, we also donate to the less privileged.

— Bohunmi (Confirmation Class)



TOP FIVE REASONS TO JOIN CCD

- (1) It brings us closer to God
- (2) You'll be educated about God and the saints
- (3) Learn about saints
- (4) We do food drives
- (5) We help the homeless

— Dominick, Raheem, and Nathan (Confirmation Class)



CCD to us means learning about God and how to be closer to him. Also, human interaction is good too! We have great teachers!

— Kylie, Wendy, Whitney, and Seoanne

Why I love CCD at Holy Name

There are three reasons why I love CCD at Holy Name. First, CCD encourages us to give back to my community. Recently, we made ornaments for the St. Vincent de Paul Christmas tree, which allows families at Holy Name to purchase gift cards for kids. We also made get well soon cards for Father Santos. These things helped remind us to pray for those who are sick, and to do more acts of charity. Second, CCD starts at pre-k so even the little kids get to learn about God at an early age. Finally, I feel welcome to come to a classroom setting fully devoted to learning about God. I also have made lots of friends who love to learn about God and we have fun while we are at it!

— Ernesto Rocha, Age 10



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