

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH FAMILY

FOUNDED IN 1874 AS ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

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Bulletin Deadline
Monday, 12:00 noon

SFX Office Hours
Monday - Friday
8:30 am - 12:00 noon
(Please call first)

SUNDAY & WEEKDAY MASSES

St. Francis Xavier Church

Mon. - Sat

Divine Mercy Chaplet 8:05 am
Monday - Saturday Mass 8:30 am
Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm
Sunday English 9:00 & 11:00 am
Spanish 1:00 pm
Portuguese 7:00 am & 6:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

St. Francis Xavier Church

Saturday 9-10:00 am
2:30 - 3:30 pm
Tuesday 9 - 10 am
Thursday 6 - 7 pm

Sacred Heart Chapel

Saturday 3 - 3:30 pm

WEEKEND MASSES

Sacred Heart Chapel

First Saturday (1962 Missal) 9 am

Saturday 4 pm
Sunday 8 am
(1962 Missal) 1 pm

Mission Statement: Originally founded in 1874 as St. Patrick's, St. Francis Xavier Parish in 1903 embraced all immigrant people by following the missionary zeal of our patron. In response to this call, we now embrace English, Brazilian, and Spanish speaking Roman Catholics and due to the respect of our heritage, includes a Mass using the 1962 Missal. In our love and zeal as disciples of the Lord, we strive to remain true to our Holy Roman Catholic Faith. We witness to this Faith: by our celebration of the Sacraments, by our continual formation in the teachings of the Church, and by striving always to serve the needs of the community in Hyannis, especially the poor.

Sacrament of Baptism: Parents should call the Parish Office to make arrangements. Baptismal preparation is required if this is your first child being baptized at St. Francis or it has been 2 years since your last class. Baptisms and classes are held by appointment.

Respect Life Committee: Deacon Steve Minninger 508-237-1154

Initiation of Adults: Adults expressing an interest in becoming Catholic are invited to search through our 14 month formation process. For more information, please call Fr. Michael.

Faith Formation: Ext. 105
Grades 1-10. First Eucharist are two-year programs, grades 1 and 2. Confirmation is a two year program, grades 8 and 9.

Adoration: From 12 noon to 3PM Monday through Friday at St. Francis.

Rev. Michael Fitzpatrick, Pastor
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508-737-0575 (cell)

Rev. Marcos V. A. Caldeira, Parochial Vicar
Pastor for the Brazilian Community

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Deacon Bruce Baxter
Deacon Steven Minninger

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Sacrament of Marriage: Please consult the Pastor 508-737-0575 at least one year in advance of the intended date to allow adequate time for Parish and Diocesan Marriage preparation.

Home-Bound: We have resumed our visits to home-bound parishioners with the Eucharist, at this time. Please call the Office for an appointment.

Knights of Columbus: Contact the K of C directly to see when/if meetings are being held during Covid-19. Our Lady of Victory Parish, 230 So. Main St., Centerville - 508.775.4054.

Women of Faith: Meetings Wednesday 10-noon. Fr. Duffy Pastoral Center.

St. Vincent DePaul: 508-775-3073
Tuesday & Friday: 10am-12 noon
Email: svdphyanis@gmail.com

Young Adults Group:
sfx-ya@stfrancishyannis.org

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, HYANNIS, MA

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

DIOCESE OF FALL RIVER

FEBRUARY 26, 2023

STEWARDSHIP OF PRAYER

Suscipe Prayer of St. Ignatius Loyola



Take, O Lord, and receive
all my liberty, my memory,
my understanding, and my
whole will.

You have given me all that I
am and all that I possess;

I surrender it all to You that
You may dispose of it
according to Your will.

Give me only Your love and
Your grace; with these I will
be rich enough, and will
have no more to desire.



PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

**St. Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle.
Be our defense against
the wickedness and
snares of the Devil.
May God rebuke him,
we humbly pray,
and do thou,**

**O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power
of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil
spirits, who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.**

~ ST. FRANCIS XAVIER ~

SATURDAY		Feb 25
8:30 AM	Joe Smith	
4:00 PM	Members of the Parish	
SUNDAY		Feb 26
9:00 AM	James Baxter	
11:00 AM	Aniceta Binghay	
MONDAY		Feb 27
8:30 AM	Katherine Mulgrew	
TUESDAY		Feb 28
8:30 AM	Elizabeth Ann Morgado	
WEDNESDAY		Mar 1
8:30 AM	Damian Andrew Peros	
THURSDAY		Mar 2
8:30 AM	Mary Jane Camara	
FRIDAY		Mar 3
8:30 AM	Ralph Pepe	
SATURDAY		Mar 4
8:30 AM	Holy Souls in Purgatory	
4:00 PM	Patricia Walcott	
SUNDAY		Mar 5
9:00 AM	Deacon Manuel Camara	
11:00 AM	DelVecchio & Gaziano Families	

~ SACRED HEART CHAPEL ~

SATURDAY		Feb 25
4 PM	Christopher Hansen	
SUNDAY		Feb 26
8 AM	Holy Souls in Purgatory	
1 PM	The Scott Family Intentions	
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SATURDAY		Mar 4
4 PM	Robert Yurkavich	
SUNDAY		Mar 5
8 AM	Members of the Parish	
1 PM	Holy Souls in Purgatory	

*‘Be merciful,
O Lord, for we
have sinned.’*

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SANCTUARY LAMP



Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to book the Sanctuary Lamp at St. Francis, in honor of a loved one (living or deceased). The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in honor of:

ROSE BOUCHARD



ADORATION
MONDAY to FRIDAY
NOON TO 3 PM
COME PRAY
AN HOUR WITH ME.



EUCCHARISTIC APOSTLES OF DIVINE MERCY

Meetings are usually held every other Monday. The next meeting will be held on **FEBRUARY 27, 2023, at 4PM.** For further information, call the office at 508.775.0818.

COFFEE AND FELLOWSHIP

Join us each Sunday morning for coffee and fellowship, in the Lower Church Hall, after 9 and 11AM Masses, at St. Francis. We would like to thank **The Daily Paper on West Main Street, Hyannis**, for their donation of coffee.



MONDAY MORNING FAITH FOSTERING

JOIN US FOR FAITH FOSTERING WITH
FR. MICHAEL
MONDAY MORNINGS - AFTER THE 8:30 AM MASS
AT 10 AM
IN THE LOWER CHURCH HALL



Join us for a Special viewing of
“Mother Teresa – NO GREATER LOVE”.
Sat. March 4th, 2p.m. & 6:30 p.m.
St. John Paul II High School Auditorium
High School Rd Hyannis
Suggested Donation: Adults \$10; Students \$5
presented by Walking With Moms /Cape Cod



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - EASTER FOOD DRIVE



This is week #1 of the Knights of Columbus Easter Food Drive.

If you would like to participate, please put aside the following items:

Box of cereal, peanut butter, stuffing mix, and boxed potatoes.

Watch each week during Lent for a list of items to put aside.

On Saturday, April 8, bring your box or bag to the St. Francis Xavier Food Pantry between the hours of 9 AM and noon. The Knights will be there to accept your donations. If you are unable to bring the items, just email council2525@yahoo.com or call 508.760.4117 and your items will be picked up. The Knights thank you for your support.

HUGE THANK YOU ...

...to all of you who checked the bulletin, listened to the phone message and checked out the website, last week, for the answer to the burning question.. 'What time are ashes..??' If you have yet to find the 'website', or 'live-streamed' Masses, hover your camera over the QR codes below.



RAFFLE WINNERS



K of C Council 2525, 500 Club monthly raffle
FEBRUARY winners are:

\$250	Paula Sweeney	Centerville
\$100	Kiernan Boyle	Hyannis
\$ 50	William J. Kent, Jr.	Wilmington
\$ 50	Gail Colon	Hyannis
\$ 50	Patrick McLaughlin	Osterville

You can join anytime for \$50.00 and you will participate in 12 consecutive Monthly drawings with 60 chances to win. Applications are available in the box outside of the K of C Hall entrance at Our Lady of Victory Parish. For more information or call 508.775.4054 or send and email to council2525@yahoo.com

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MASS AND LIVE STREAMS

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, HYANNIS, MA

Walking with
Moms in Need

| Pray for Moms



INTERCEDE



May Catholic parish communities strive to provide compassionate, tangible support to expectant moms needing assistance.

PRAY

Our Father, 3 Hail Marys, Glory Be

REFLECT

In *Evangelium vitae (The Gospel of Life)*, Pope John Paul II applauds the daily heroism of mothers who selflessly devote themselves to their children. This modern-day saint also highlights the unfortunate reality that “these heroic women do not always find support in the world around them.” He goes on to say, “On the contrary, the cultural models frequently promoted and broadcast by the media do not encourage motherhood. In the name of progress and modernity the values of fidelity, chastity, sacrifice, to which a host of Christian wives and mothers have borne and continue to bear outstanding witness, are presented as obsolete” (EV 86).

A culture that fails to truly value motherhood naturally becomes hostile to the gift of new life. When the Church compassionately serves mothers, it witnesses to the beauty of human life. There is a great need for real, tangible assistance for expectant mothers. Christ calls us to serve those most alone and in need. In a world that often turns it back on mothers who sacrifice so much of themselves, may we, the Church’s members, rise to help mothers in need of assistance and support.

ACT (choose one)

- Do you regularly enjoy a meal out during the week? Or do you typically stop to get a cup of coffee each morning? Give up one of these small pleasures this week. Use the money you saved to make a donation to a local pregnancy center, food pantry, or charity that provides assistance to mothers in need.
- Pray the “Prayer for Pregnant Mothers” (walkingwithmoms.com/prayer-for-pregnant-mothers) throughout the next month. Consider adding it to your morning or evening prayers each day.
- Offer some other sacrifice, prayer, or act of penance that you feel called to do for the featured intention.

ONE STEP FURTHER

Join the Church’s effort to serve pregnant and parenting women in need called, *Walking with Moms in Need*. Take the pledge to prayerfully support pregnant women in your community: www.walkingwithmoms.com.

DID YOU KNOW?

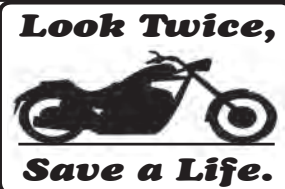
The Holy Father was thrilled to hear about the effort to support women facing unexpected or difficult pregnancies through *Walking with Moms in Need*. Read more about Pope Francis’ response to this exciting initiative at walkingwithmoms.com/national-vigil-homily.

For additional prayers, resources, and ideas on supporting mothers in your local area:

www.WalkingWithMoms.com

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you have
to lose?**

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BRAVE**

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CAN PREVENT WILDFIRES**

Most holy apostle, St. Jude, faithful servant and friend of Jesus, the Church honors and invokes you universally, as the patron of hopeless cases, of things almost despaired of. Pray for me, for I am so helpless and alone. Please help to bring me visible and speedy assistance. Come to my assistance in this great need that I may receive the consolation and help of heaven in all my necessities, tribulations, and sufferings, particularly (state your request), and that I may praise God with you forever. I promise, O blessed St. Jude, to be ever mindful of this great favor, and to always honor you as my special and powerful patron. Amen. I will gratefully encourage devotion to you by publishing this request. Say three 'Our Father,' three 'Hail Mary,' and three 'Glory Be' — Repeat all for 9 days.

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