

# ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH FAMILY

FOUNDED IN 1874 AS ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER**  
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**SACRED HEART**  
32 Summer Street  
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(location only-no mail serv)

**Bulletin Deadline**  
Monday, 12:00 noon

**SFX Office Hours**  
Monday - Friday  
9:30 am - 12:30 noon

## SUNDAY & WEEKDAY MASSES St. Francis Xavier Church

### Mon. - Sat

Divine Mercy Chaplet ..... 7:55 am

Monday - Saturday Mass..... 8:30 am

Mon. - Fri. Spanish Mass.....6:00 am

Saturday Vigil ..... 4:00 pm

Sunday English ..... 9:00 & 11:00 am

Spanish ..... 1:00 pm

Portuguese..... 7:00am & 7:00pm

## CONFESSIONS St. Francis Xavier Church

Saturday ..... 9- 10:00 am  
2:30 - 3:30 pm

Monday & Tuesday  
6 - 6:45pm (Spanish & Portuguese)

Tuesday .....9 - 10 am

Thursday .....6 - 7 pm

## SACRED HEART CHAPEL Weekend Masses

First Saturday (1962 Missal) ....9 am

Saturday ..... 4 pm

Sunday ..... 8 am  
(1962 Missal) ..... 11 am

**CONFESSIONS**  
Saturday..... 3 - 3:30 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. Baptisms and classes are held by appointment.

**Walking with Moms Ministry:**  
**Call: 774-534-2185** for Spiritual and material support for pregnant and parenting moms.

### Monthly Rosary for Life

Is held at St. Francis Xavier Church on the 3rd Friday of each month at 7PM

### \*Faith Formation: Ext. 105

**First Eucharist:** two-year program, starting on 1st Grade.  
**Confirmation:** two year program, starting on 8th Grade.

**Grades 3 to 7:** specific program for each grade.

**Rev. Michael Fitzpatrick, Pastor**  
fr.michael@sfxhyannis.org  
508-737-0575 (cell)

**Rev. Marcelo A. Da Silva, Parochial Vicar**  
frmarcelo@sfxhyannis.org  
Hispanic Community

**DEACONS**  
Deacon David R. Boucher  
Deacon Bruce Baxter  
Deacon Steven Minninger

## PARISH CONTACTS

Mrs. Pollyanna Lemos ----- Office Manager  
Mrs. Fran Ferias ----- Religious Ed Director  
Mr. Donald DiChiappari ----- Music Director

**\*We suggest that you check the website for updates and more extensive information.**

Web.....www.sfxhyannis.org  
Email .....stfrancis@sfxhyannis.org  
Prayer Line .....stfrancis@sfxhyannis.org



**\*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:** Please call the Office to schedule a Eucharistic Minister to come to a home bound parishioner with Communion.

**Knights of Columbus:** Meetings are held on the second Thursday of the month at 7PM. Our Lady of Victory Parish, 230 So. Main St., Centerville - 508.775.4054.

**Saint Vincent De Paul**  
**phone :508-775-3073**

Tuesday & Friday:10 am-12 noon  
Email: svdphyannis@gmail.com

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

# ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, HYANNIS, MA

## TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DIOCESE OF FALL RIVER

AUGUST 17, 2025



### **EUCCHARISTIC APOSTLES OF DIVINE MERCY**

Meetings are usually held every other Monday.

The next meeting is schedule for Monday  
*August 18 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.



### **HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS**

If you know of anyone who is homebound and would like to receive Communion at home, please let the office know, or contact

Deacon Bruce at  
deaconbrucebaxter@gmail.com

## STEWARDSHIP OF PRAYER

### **~ ST. FRANCIS XAVIER ~**

<b>SATURDAY</b>		<b>AUG 16</b>
8:30 AM	Jean Desmond	
4:00 PM	Members of the Parish	
<b>SUNDAY</b>		<b>AUG 17</b>
9:00 AM	Susan Sauter	
11:00 AM	Frank Greco	
<b>MONDAY</b>		<b>AUG 18</b>
8:30 AM	Special Intention	
<b>TUESDAY</b>		<b>AUG 19</b>
8:30 AM	Mary Ann Perry	
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		<b>AUG 20</b>
8:30 AM	All Souls in Purgatory	
<b>THURSDAY</b>		<b>AUG 21</b>
8:30 AM	All Souls in Purgatory	
<b>FRIDAY</b>		<b>AUG 22</b>
8:30 AM	Karen Kennedy	
<b>SATURDAY</b>		<b>AUG 23</b>
8:30 AM	Pamela E. Foran	
4:00 PM	Members of the Parish	
<b>SUNDAY</b>		<b>AUG 24</b>
9:00 AM	Alison Quartermain Gersten	
11:00 AM	Amir & Vera Gomes	

### **~ SACRED HEART CHAPEL ~**

<b>SATURDAY</b>		<b>AUG 16</b>
4:00 PM	Denise Zaleski	
<b>SUNDAY</b>		<b>AUG 17</b>
8:00 AM	All Souls in Purgatory	
11:00 AM	All Souls in Purgatory	

<b>SATURDAY</b>		<b>AUG 23</b>
4:00 PM	All Souls in Purgatory	
<b>SUNDAY</b>		<b>AUG 24</b>
8:00 AM	John F. X. Davoren	
11:00 AM	All Souls in Purgatory	

### **SANCTUARY LAMP**

Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to book the Sanctuary Lamp, in honor of a loved one *(living or deceased)*.

The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in honor of:

~ **Catherine M. Coyne** ~



## ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, HYANNIS, MA

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### *Do You Knit or Crochet?*

The Prayer Shawl Ministry is in need of parishioners to make prayer shawls and christening blankets. Yarn is provided. Call Pollyanna at (508)775-0818 and leave your name and email address. Thank you.

### *Você faz tricô ou crochê?*

O Ministério do Xale de Oração precisa de paroquianos para fazer xales de oração e mantas de batizado. Lã é fornecida. Ligue para Pollyanna no número (508)775-0818 e deixe seu nome e endereço de e-mail. Obrigada.

### *¿Tejes o haces crochet?*

El Ministerio de Chales de Oración necesita feligreses que tejan chales de oración y mantas de bautizo. Se proporciona lana. Llama a Pollyanna al (508)775-0818 y deja tu nombre y correo electrónico. Gracias.



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### *Summer Soiree Benefit Dinner to Help the Homeless*

On the Cape, Homeless not Hopeless has helped more than 1,200 women and men over the past 18 years.

**Thursday, August 21 at 6pm.**

Please join us for a beautiful evening to help Homeless Not Hopeless provide a home for those who do not have one. Delicious food - Open Bar & Mocktails - Live Action - Live Music and Special Appearance by Fr. Ray Kelly of Britain's Got Talent..

For tickets and sponsorship visit: [homelessnothopeless.org](http://homelessnothopeless.org) or call (508) 957 - 2334.



### *Knights of Columbus*



The Knights of Columbus 3rd Annual Winner's Choice Charitable Raffle has several tickets still available for sale. Only 100 tickets will be sold at \$100 each, for a great chance to win a 11 day Caribbean Cruise or a week vacation in Aruba or a vacation in Sedona , AZ.

Tickets are available at the Parish Office so stop by during the week with your cash or check to purchase your raffle ticket before they sell out. If unable to get to the Parish Office call Don Colebourn to make other arrangements.



## ST. FRANCIS XAVIER—Comunidad Española



Para mas informaciones busquen al Senor Julio o uno de nuestros catequistas

### AGENDA DE LA SEMANA

#### **Santa Misa**

Lunes a Viernes: 6:00 a.m.

Domingo: 1:00 p.m.

#### **Otros eventos:**

Jueves: Grupo de Oración a las 7:00 p.m.

Sábado: Rosario Mariano a las 7:00 p.m.

#### **Confesiones:**

Lunes y Martes de 6:00 a 6:45 p.m.

#### **Información sobre Bautizos:**

Hablar con el Sr. Julio con al menos 2 meses de anticipación.

#### **Para Quinceañeras y Bodas:**

Hablar con el Padre Marcelo

### Fechas de Bautizos

#### Agosto

Domingo dias 3 y 17 - a las 2:30 pm

Sabado dias 9 y 23 - a las 12 pm

#### Setembro

Domingo dias 14 y 28 - a las 2:30 pm

Sabado dias 6 y 20 - a las 12 pm



Queridos hermanos , nustra Comunidad necesita de catequistas y voluntaries para nuestra catquesis. Para mas informaciones hablen con el Padre Marcelo o con Julio.



# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

## 2025-2026

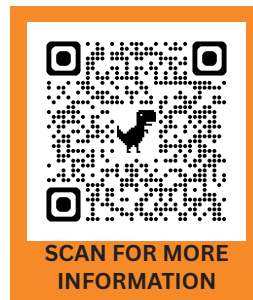
*Catechesis is a lifelong journey*

that begins in childhood and deepens through a friendship with our Lord Jesus.

Children, even those in Catholic school or who have received their First Communion, are encouraged to continue Religious Education classes to strengthen their relationship with God.

St. Francis Xavier offers a program for **1st graders through Confirmation**, aimed at helping families raise future men and women who will love Jesus and live out the Catholic Faith.

We are excited to announce that St. Francis Xavier Parish will eliminate tuition fees for Religious Education this year, ensuring all children can grow in faith without financial burdens on families.



### GRADES 1 TO CONFIRMATION 1

**Parents Meeting:** Monday, August 25  
**First Class:** Tuesday, September 2  
At St. John Paul II High School  
(Cafeteria)



### CONFIRMATION 2

**Parents Meeting  
& First Class**  
Tuesday, September 9  
At Duffy's House



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