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Sacramental Life



Baptism preparation is required for parents and godparents, preferably before the birth of the child.



Marriage preparation is required for every Catholic planning to get married—regardless of where or to whom. Please contact Fr. Bob **at least** nine months before the wedding to be made aware of proper guidelines.



Reconciliation is normally celebrated at Saint Francis Xavier on Saturday from 4:30-5:00pm and at the Newman Center on Tuesday after 5:15pm Mass.



Mass SCHEDULE

Saint Francis Xavier

Saturday 5:30pm;
Sunday 9:00am & 12:15pm (Spanish)
Monday 12:15pm; Friday 5:30pm

Newman Center

Sunday 11:15am & (when SIU is in session) 5:15pm
Tuesday, and Thursday at 5:15pm
Wednesday, 9:00 am

Saint Andrew Church (618-687-2012)

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Mass on Saturday 5:00pm & Sunday 10:00am

Saint Andrew Parish School (618-687-2013)

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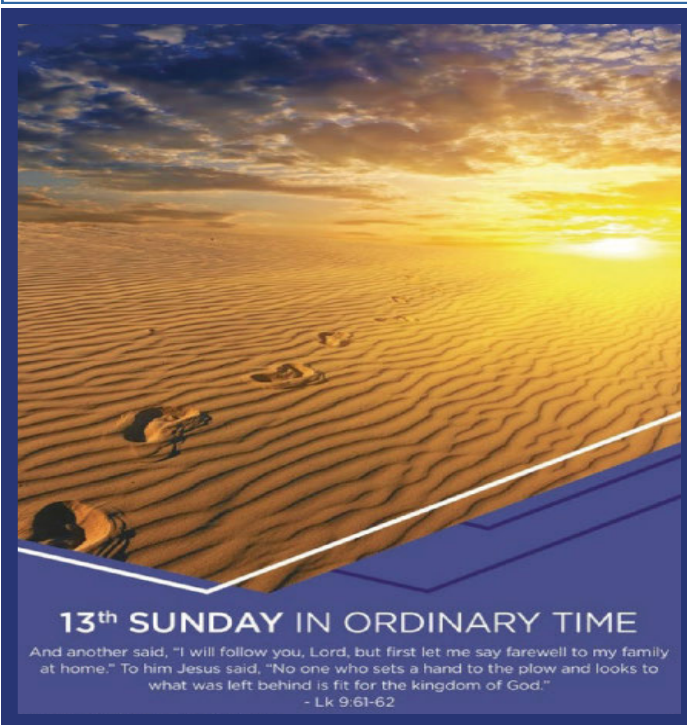
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13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

And another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but first let me say farewell to my family at home." To him Jesus said, "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God."
- Lk 9:61-62

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 26, 2022

**Welcome, New Parishioners
and New Students!**
**Please register
at our parish office**

The Partnership of Saint Francis Xavier Church and the Newman Center

Announcing the 20th Annual
FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES POWER CAMP
July 12—14, 2022 (8:30am to 3pm)

A **FREE**, three-day athletic camp for kids
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*Campers may bring baseball/softball gloves, soccer shin
guards, volleyball knee pads, etc., and water bottles (with
names on all possessions). No cell phones, iPads, etc., are
allowed. Campers are responsible for personal items.*

Registration — All registration MUST be done ONLINE and in
ADVANCE of camp at
<https://fca.regfox.com/2022carbondalecamp>

THE STUDENT PERMISSION WAIVER FORM MUST BE SIGNED
ONLINE BY PARENT/GUARDIAN

Registration deadline is Thursday, July 7

If you have questions regarding camp and/or registration con-
tact Diane at dcdavis2177@gmail.com or call 618-457-2243.

*The Fellowship of Christian Athletes is an interdenominational
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Bob Pankey, Illinois State Director
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reflection?**

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WOMEN' S CLUB

Come to a “Get Together” this Sunday, June 26th, in
Xavier Hall after the 9:00 am Mass to visit and catch
up on news since the Pandemic. Coffee/tea and a
goodies will be provided. All women of the parish are
invited. Hope you can come!

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 26 June 2022

About Our Journey. After his ministry in Galilee, Jesus
sets his face for Jerusalem. Many disciples follow him
to this destination, his destiny – as should we. For fol-
lowing Jesus is our call. It is our central task. It is our
salvation. We do this not alone but with others.

In following Jesus, what am I called to leave be-
hind?

In following Jesus, what must I pick up and take
with me?

In following Jesus, what salvation will this bring
about?

**We are attempting to devise a list of those who have a
key to the Church. Over the years, we have become a
little lax in keeping track and some individuals may no
longer need a key. Please help us out by calling the par-
ish office if you have a key .**



**Saint Francis Xavier will be
hosting a Blood Drive on
Tuesday, June 28th in
Xavier Hall lower level. To
schedule an appointment**

**call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit Red-
CrossBlood.org and enter StFrancisXavierCatholic. A
\$5 e-gift card to a merchant of your choice will be
given to all donors.**

GOSPEL MEDITATION
June 26, 2022
13th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Happenings and Musings

Sr. Barbara Blesse

And to another he said, "Follow me." In every moment of every day, in every circumstance and experience, God is calling us. We can easily get distracted and not hear it or simply ignore it, pretending it wasn't even heard. When we do hear it and favorably respond, there are some conditions that must be met. Jesus makes it clear that once we say yes to his invitation, we must stay focused and forge ahead. We cannot keep looking behind or worry about unfinished business. There are some tasks, and discipleship is one, that require our full devotion.

There are many "masters" vying for our attention. We need something or someone to give us direction. Human nature requires it. Our motives and actions reveal what has our allegiance. It is tempting to give ourselves to masters that lure us with intriguing promises. When given the choice between a "master" that promises worldly success, abundant wealth, status, privilege, and security versus a "master" that asks for self-sacrifice, hardship, suffering, ridicule, and death, to whom do we go? While the promise of immediate pleasure is enticing, there is always a catch. For all that secular masters can promise, they always keep us looking behind, checking on ourselves, second guessing choices, calculating options, and being slaves to excessive worry. Our guard can never come down. Only one master really promises life: Jesus Christ. Hearing his call, we either trust him or we don't.

Saying yes to following Christ does come with a risk. But it also comes with the brightness of future hopes and dreams. There is no need to keep looking behind. Sins are forgiven and regrets serve no effective purpose. God is not there. He's moved beyond all that stuff. God is in the today and the tomorrow and what he can continually do with our daily affirmation to follow Him. All we need to do is be obedient. St. Gianna Molla is credited with saying, "The stillness of prayer is the most essential condition for fruitful action. Before all else, the disciple kneels down." Begin with prayer. We will not only hear God's call but find the courage to trust that He will guide us where we need to be. God uses us in the most ordinary of ways through the simple daily expression of our lives.

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PSR: Parish School of Religion

We are looking ahead to next year and need to know a count to order textbooks. Parents of PSR students, if you have not already done so, please fill out the pre-registration form available in the gathering space at church and on the table by the side entrance. Completed forms can be left there or returned to me via email or brought to the parish office ASAP. Thank you!



Summer weather, the hot and humid kind, has been here in our area for quite some time but now...as of June 21, we are officially into the season of Summer!

I offer a prayer of blessing...



May the God of Summer be with you, enveloping you with the warmth of love, filling your heart with the brilliance of light, refreshing you and cooling you in the living water of God's grace. In the shade of God's guiding, protective presence, may your deepened experience of this presence draw others to God's warm, refreshing love. May the blessing of Summer be with you.



Mass INTENTIONS

Saturday 5:30 PM	June 25, Vigil: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ronald Kirk Our Parish Family
Sunday 9:00 AM	June 26, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Carl Mitchell Our Parish Family
11:15 AM	Thomas Brady John Marzolf—Mass at Newman Center
12:15 PM	Spanish Mass
Monday 12:15 PM	June 27, Weekday Deacon Charlie Litteken
Tuesday, 5:15 PM	June 28, Saint Irenaeus John Marzlof—Mass at Newman Center
Wednesday, 9:00 AM	June 29, Saints Peter and Paul For the Sick— Mass at Newman Center
Thursday 5:15 PM	June 30, First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church Mass at Newman Center
Friday, 5:30 PM	July 1, Weekday Carol Dooley
Saturday 5:30 PM	July 2, Vigil: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jim & Hazel Dooley Pauline Kaufman
Sunday 9:00 AM	July 3, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Our Parish Family
11:15 AM	Mass at Newman Center
12:15 PM	Spanish Mass



Bible READINGS

Readings for the week of June 26, 2022

Sunday:	1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62
Monday:	Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23/Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday:	Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8/Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday:	Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19
Thursday:	Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 9:1-8
Friday:	Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131/Mt 9:9-13
Saturday:	Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 9:14-17
Next Sunday:	Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 [1]/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9



Liturgical MINISTERS

For the Weekend of July 2 & 3, 2022

Saturday, July 2, 5:30 pm

Lector: Suzanne Schmitz
Eucharistic Minister: Dan Beaver, Gus Mihalopulos
Hospitality: Scott Thorne

Sunday, July 3, 9:00 am

Lector: Danuta Del Rio
Eucharistic Minister: Leeta Wilson, Heather Burns
Hospitality: Jimmy Karayiannis



Weekly OFFERING

Your gifts to God and parish
Contributions for the Weekend of
June 4 & 5, 2022

Weekly: \$3,088.28

Carbondale Interfaith Prayer Cycle: The Week of June 27, please pray for Southern Illinois Quaker Meeting.



Prayer INTENTIONS

All that you ask for in prayer, believe that you will receive it and it shall be yours (Mark 11:24).

Newman CENTER: Please join us in prayer for Fred Marsh, Rebecca Cerven, Coleen McGrain, Brian Bruce, Mark Cornell, George and Carol Timson, Terry Silas, Antonio Henrique, Beth Koehler-King, Rowan King, Fiona Angelis, Paul Angelis, Gary Ellis, Rozella Campbell, Andra Florer, Paul Hegel, the Newman Auxiliary, the Knights of Columbus, and all in our community in need of prayer. To add a name call 529-3311.

Saint Francis XAVIER: Wednesday is designated as a Day of Prayer for the sick and hospitalized parishioners and their families. Please remember: Jim Merkle, Jeanine Maloney, Kimberly Murray, Jamie Yancy, Carmen Merod, Austin Chew, Richard Walsh, Marie Ice, Barb Grace, Tracy Hall, Matt Murphy, Andrezej Mietelski, Harper Smith, Carolyn Huffman, Julia James, Douglas Laczynski, Audra Harrison, Howard W. Hesketh, Kay BA., Jesse Weaver, Diana Chervinko, Pat Volk, Helen McCormick, Pat Waters, Sarah Hefferman, Frank Smith, Rebecca Hernandez, Tristin Dooley, Shirley Reimbold, Marge Huffman, Steve Galt, Savy Knight, Gary Tretter, Lee Hartman, Patricia Broemmel, Marilyn Kilby, Fr. Gary Gummersheimer, Sally Varsa, Thomas Margolis, Theresa Saporoschenko, Michael Bracy, Steve Wunderle, Willis Rendleman, Barbara Burns, Chris Wisinski, Craig Wisinski, Mary Amel, Ron Lisak, B. Skelton, C. Baker, Rev. Dr. Howard White, Pat Masters, Brooks Ladner, Maria Reed, Kathy Van Otterloo, Dave Gorecki, Linda Gallagher, Stan and Madeline Schwartz, Jennifer Cahoy, Joyce Derossette, Roger Hern, Lee Roudybush, Monsignor Vince Krische, and all those in need of our prayers.

If you or anyone in your family is hospitalized, please let the parish office know so Father Bob can visit and administer the Anointing of the Sick.

Weekly EVENTS

at St. Francis Xavier

at Newman Center

Sunday June 26	
9:00am Mass Women's Club Get-Together after 9am Mass NO PSR until Fall 12:15pm Spanish Mass	11:15am Mass No 5:15pm Mass
Monday June 27	
Office Open 9am-3pm 12:15pm Mass and Adoration	Office Open 9am-3pm
Tuesday June 28	
Office Open 9am-3pm	Office Open 9am-3pm 1pm Community Bible Study (zoom) 5:15pm Mass 5:45pm-6:30pm Reconciliation & Adoration
Wednesday June 29	
Office Open 9am-3pm	Office Open 9am-3pm 9am Mass
Thursday June 30	
Office Open 9am-3pm	Office open 9am-3pm Adoration 5:15pm Mass
Friday July 1	
5:30pm Mass	Office Closed
Saturday July 2	
Office Closed 5:30 pm Mass	Office Closed
Sunday July 3	
9:00am Mass 12:15pm Spanish Mass	11:15am Mass No 5:15pm Mass

Happenings at the NEWMAN CENTER



Bible STUDY

Every Tuesday at 1:00pm Dawn holds a bible study for the community. Each week we discuss chapters in the bible and talk about ways to apply them in our every day lives. Everyone is welcome. We are zooming them and meeting in person at the Newman Center. If you are interested, please call Dawn at 618-529-3311.



Newman HOUSING


The Newman Center is accepting applications for student housing (for both men and women) at the Red House and Grey House. There are spaces available for women and Men starting in the Fall of 2022. Rent is just \$320 and includes all utilities except internet service. For more information about the houses or to schedule a visit please email office@siucnewman.org.



Help Us, Help Others...

The Newman Center established the **Carbon-dale Cares Emergency Fund** to support individuals and families in urgent need. The fund serves as a resource of last resort to provide assistance with health, nutrition, housing, energy, water, transportation, and employment support. We provide assistance in cases where the need is immediate, obvious, important and fixable. The fund has helped many families to move into stable housing, find a job or keep their job in a crisis, or keep their lights and water on. If you would like to help, please contact Tim at 618-529-3311 or email tim@siucnewman.org.

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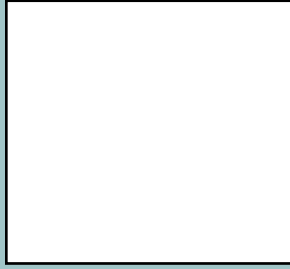
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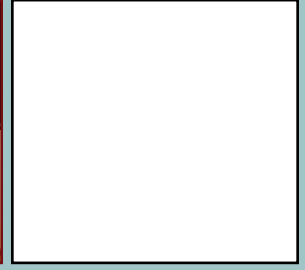
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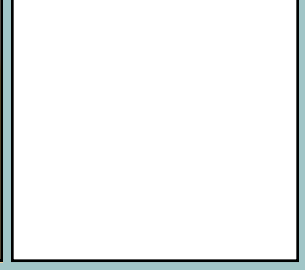
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