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# June 18, 2023 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Joseph Culotta, V.C., *Pastor*Fr. Jonathan Howell, *Associate Pastor*Fr. Patrick Cullen, *In Residence*Deacon G. Neal Kay, M.D., *Permanent Deacon* 

### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday—Thursday	9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Friday	9:00 am to 12 Noon

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE MASS TIMES

Monday	5:30 pm
Tuesday	8:00 am & 5:30 pm
Wednesday	8:00 am & 5:30 pm
Thursday	8:00 am & 5:30 pm
Friday	8:00 am
Saturday	4:30 pm
Sunday	. 8:30 am, 11:00 am & 5:00 pm

### MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Domingo	.7:00 am 8	& 1:00	pm
Martes		7:00	pm

#### **HOLY DAY SCHEDULE**

Check the bulletin for Mass times.

### **MEMORIAL MASS**

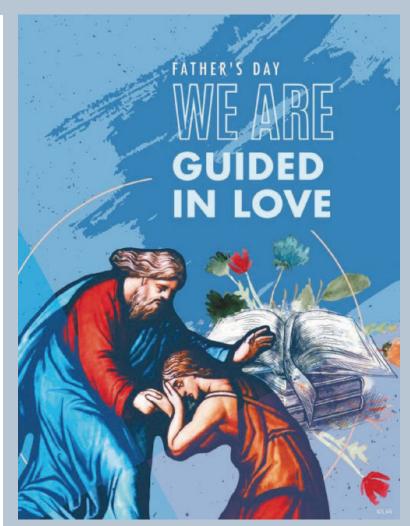
First Thursday ......5:30 pm

## EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Friday ......8:30 am-5:00 pm First Tuesday....7:30 pm-8:30 pm en español

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday	6:00-7:00 pm
Saturday	3:00–4:00 pm
0	r by appointment



### **PARISH MEMBERSHIP**

All families and individuals are welcome at St. Francis Xavier Church. Parish registration forms are located in the vestibule of the church, in the Parish Office, and on our website.

### **MISSION STATEMENT**

We, the faith family of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, empowered by the Holy Spirit and strengthened by Prayer, Sacraments and the Word, are pilgrim people striving to become faithful and committed followers of Jesus Christ. In response to our Gospel call, we seek to be a viable and welcoming community which ministers to the People of God through responsible stewardship of our time, talent and treasure.



#### **NEW PARISHIONERS - Welcome!**

Registration forms are available in the vestibule of the Church or on our website at: www.sfxbirmingham.com

### **Nursery:**

Provided for 8:30 am and 11:00 am Masses. The nursery is located in the building marked gym on the left side of the church building. Please enter through the double glass doors. Nursery is available for all children up to four years old.

### New address, name, or phone number?

Please notify us at

sfxbirmingham.com/Parish-Registration or call the Parish Office at 871-1153 with any change in your membership information.

#### Parish Email:

If you are not receiving the weekly parish email and would like to receive it, notify us at secretary@sfxbirmingham.com include your name and email address.

### **Baptismal Preparation:**

Required class is held the second Sunday of each month at 6:00pm in the Joseph Room. Preregistration is required. Contact Molly Knerl at 803-5417 to register for the class.

#### Sacrament of Marriage:

A six month preparation is required. Call the Parish Office at 871-1153 for information and to register for the preparation process.

#### **Funerals:**

When your family needs help coordinating a funeral for your loved one, please contact the parish office prior to scheduling with the funeral home.

> Offertory for **Sunday, June 11, 2023**

Regular Offertory: \$ 32,054.00 Online Offertory: \$ 9,017.83 **Total Offertory: \$ 41,071.83** 

Year to Date

Collected: \$ 1,023,581.00 Budget: \$ 959,110.00

Unavailable due to holiday submission https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Giving/stfrancisx



### Monday, June 19

5:30 pm Stephen Schmitt † (Fr. Joe)

### Tuesday. June 20

8:00 am Andrian O'Brien † (Fr. Pat) 5:30 pm Ann Durward † (Fr. Joe) 7:00 pm Marlyss Giles (M.F.V.A) Spanish

### Wednesday, June 21

8:00 am Mack Barnes (Fr. Joe) 5:30 pm David Osinski (Fr. Pat)

### Thursday, June 22

8:00 am Bos Stevens (Fr. Pat) 5:30 pm Bob Doody (Fr. Joe)

### Friday, June 23

8:00 am Gene Fievet (Fr. Joe)

### Saturday, June 24

4:30 pm Marco Gonzalez † (Fr. Pat)

### Sunday, June 25

7:00 am Paulette Gary (Fr. Jonathan) Spanish 8:30 am Father Pachomius (Fr. Jonathan) 11:00 am Father Paschal Pautler (Fr. Joe) 1:00 pm For the Parish (Fr. Jonathan) *Spanish* 

5:00 pm Ann Durward † (Fr. Joe)



Mack Barnes, John Bass, Danny Battles, Heidi Budd, Frank Connery, Jerome Cravey, Bob Doody, Gene Fievet, Paulette Gary, Marlyss Giles, Anthony Graffeo, Claudia Guarino, Mason Harder, Will Hassinger, Bart Herring, Paul Juliano, Robert Krauss, Mary Jo Matranga, Julie McLean, Dorothy Naughton, Toni Neumeier, Ron Neurendorf, Eric Niemann, Jean O'Hare, David Osinski, Randy Parker, Erin Prendergast, Tony Pugh, Dale Sibley, Angela Salerno Smith, Steven Spielberger, Bos Stevens, Susan Suter, Sandy Turk, Matthew Williams





### **MASS CARDS**

Mass intentions may be offered for any person, living or deceased. Parishioners may request a mass to honor a person's birthday, wedding anniversary or when someone is having surgery or awaiting important news.

Traditionally, mass intentions are requested at the time of a loved one's death or the anniversary of their death.

Although not necessary, It's good to try and be present for the mass intention that is being offered.

You may request a mass intention by calling the Parish Office at 205-871-1153 or coming by during office hours.

### Second Collection June 24 - 25, 2023

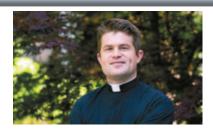
### **Mission Cooperative Appeal**

The heartfelt generosity that you have always given to the missions is greatly appreciated by those who are less fortunate. Pope Francis often speaks about call to be missionary disciples. Helping the missions is a way to fulfill that call.

This year the funds received from this collection will directly help support the following participating groups:

- 1. Diocese of Aguascalientes, Mexico-Bishop Juan Espinoza Jimenez
- 2. Diocese of Irinjalakuda, India-Bishop Pauly Kannookadan
- 3. Diocese of Kumba, Cameroon-Bishop Agapitus Nfon
- 4. Diocese of Maiduguri, Nigeria-Bishop Oliver Dashe
- 5. Diocese of Matagalpa, Nicaragua-Bishop Rolando Alvarez
- 6. Diocese of Warangal, India-Bishop Udumala Bala

These mission dioceses will benefit greatly from the collection taken up in the parishes. This is our way of showing our care and support for the foreign missions.



We are so grateful for Fr. Jonathan's service these past to years at St. Francis Xavier. Our parish wishes Fr. Jonathan the best and to express our gratitude we will celebrate his farewell this Weekend- June 17 & 18, after all the Masses.

Fr. Jonathan will be moving to his new assignment to be Administrator for St. Joseph Parish and School in Florence, AL starting July 5th.



We are pleased to announce that Bishop Raica has named Brother Pachomius Alvarado-Garcia to be our new Associate Pastor at St Francis Xavier.

Brother Pachomius is a native of Cuba and is a Benedictine Monk in Solemn Vows at St. Bernard Abbey in Cullman.

As a young man, he moved to Colombia and entered Monasterio Benedictino de Tibati in Bogota, Colombia where he first met Fr. Joel Martin, O.S.B. He later moved to the United States and entered St. Bernard Abbey. He served in ministry with Fr. John McDonald at Sacred Heart parish in Anniston.

Brother Pachomius will be ordained to the priesthood on June 10th at St. Bernard Abbey. He will begin his assignment on July 5th.

### 11<sup>™</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, make this proclamation: 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons. Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give." - Mt 10:6-8



### **OCIA**

### A JOURNEY IN FAITH

(formerly known as RCIA)

## ARE YOU THINKING OF BECOMING CATHOLIC OR WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

### THE ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

WILL MEET BEGINNING ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 AT 7:00PM IN THE JOSEPH ROOM

For more information contact Nancy Heck or Deacon Neal Kay rcia@sfxbirmingham.com or 205-803-5427

### St. Francis Xavier School

Applications for the 2023-2024 School Year **NOW OPEN!** 





### **Worldwide Marriage Encounter:**

"Come Drink the Water of Renewed Love"

Give your marriage the gift of attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend – a weekend-long retreat to focus on each other, find deeper intimacy, rekindle your romance, and revitalize your marriage – and leave with a marriage that is refreshed and full of energy!

Next WWME Weekend: JUNE 24-25, 2023

at JOHN CARROLL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL in BIRMINGHAM, AL (Non-Residential)

(Note: Meals are provided but overnight accommodations are not.)

You can get more information or register online at www.wwme.org or by calling Frank and Kathryn Wessling at 205-530-3607.



### St. Francis Xavier School Positions Open

St. Francis Xavier School is seeking to fill the following positions for the 2023-2024 school year:

- Bookkeeper - Elementary Teaching Positions

## St. Francis Xavier School is proud of alumna Lily Watts

for being named John Carroll Catholic High School's Class of 2023 **Valedictorian**! Lily is the daughter of Jubal and Jenny Watts and is a member of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church. As a National Merit Finalist, Lily will attend the University of Georgia this fall. Congratulations, Lily!



### Attention:

We are looking for parents and other adults to serve as <u>Volunteer Supervisors</u> for altar servers.

#### Responsibilities:

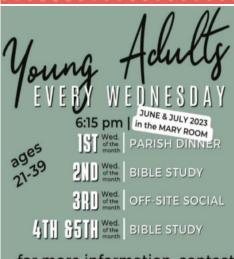
- · Sign-up for one mass per weekend
- · Check-in servers 15 minutes prior to each mass
- · Make sure servers are vested and ready for mass
- Ensure that vestments are hung and the sacristy is clean after mass.

If you are interested, please contact Molly Knerl. liturgy@sfxbirmingham.com

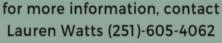




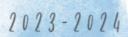












P.S.R. and Youth Sacrament Registration will begin July 10th! Have a wonderful summer!

psr@sfxbirmingham.com



St. Stephen the Martyr



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## Blood Drive Saint Francis Xavier Catholic Church

Parrish Hall 2 Xavier Circle Birmingham, AL 35213

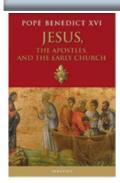
Tuesday, July 11, 2023 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.



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Be part of something big. Make an appointment.



### Men's Fellowship

Men's Fellowship Group meets every Wednesday at 7am Central via Zoom and in person in the Joseph Room.

Please contact Tom Brinkley for a Zoom invitation and information on obtaining the materials both online and in print or feel free to bring your Bible

tbrinkley@maynardcooper.com or 205-254-1078.



Thank you for all the donations we have received in April and May!

Your generosity is helping us give so much support to our neighbors. From reconnecting utilities to prevention evictions and more! We were able to help a mother with six children find a house!

Thank you again for all your support!

God Bless!



### **Christ Be Our Light**

Blessed Trinity Shrine Retreat Fort Mitchell, Alabama July 7-9, 2023 Check In: Friday, 6:00-7:00pm EST

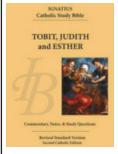
Let us take some time away from the busyness of our lives to discover some of the ways that the Light of Christ grows in us through our spiritual greening process. We may discover in our time together the places where we need to take the Light of Christ through a new understanding of spiritual growth, in coming to know ourselves, and in discerning our walk with the Lord. There will be time for the celebration of Mass together, Meditation, Prayer, Conferences, Adoration, Sharing and time for Quiet and Stillness.

#### Retreat Fees:

Weekend: \$190.00 per person (includes \$85.00 nonrefundable deposit)

Day Hop: \$85.00 per person (includes \$40.00 non-refundable deposit)

Register at www.msbt.org/btsr



### Women's Fellowship

is studying the Old Testament books of Tobit, Judith and Esther. The Ignatius Press study guide is authored by Dr. Scott Hahn and Ignatius staff. Women's Fellowship meets on Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m. in the St. Joseph Room.

All women of the parish....and their friends....are welcome.

Meetings include fellowship, study and discussion.

For additional information, or to be put on the weekly email list, contact Marianne Sharbel at cpr3@bellsouth,net





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"If vou want to live a happý life, tie it to a goal." [Albert Einstein]



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