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Office Hours

Monday – Friday
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

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St. Therese Mission

Saturday (Vigil) 4:00 PM

St. Francis Xavier

Saturday (Vigil)	6:00	PM
Sunday (Eng)	9:00	AM
(Span)	11:30	AM
Tuesday	9:00	AM
Wednesday	6:00	PM
Thursday	9:00	AM
Friday	9:00	AM

Readings for the Week

Today's Readings:

1st Reading: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23

Psalms 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [6ab]

2nd Reading: Eph 2:4-10

Gospel: Jn 3:14-21

Mon:	Is 65:17-21 Ps 30:2,4-6, 11-12a,13b [2a] Jn 4:43-54
Tues:	Ez 47:1-9, 12 Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [8] Jn 5:1-16
Wed:	Is 49:8-15 Ps 145:8-9,13cd-14,17-18 Jn 5:17-30
Thurs:	Ex 32:7-14 Ps 106:19-23 [4a] Jn 5:31-47
Fri:	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29 [37] Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22 Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a
Sat:	Jer 11:18-20 Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-1-12 [2a] Jn 7:40-53
Next Sunday:	Jer 31:31-34 Ps 51:3-4, 12-115 [12a] Heb 5:7-9 Jn 12:20-33

St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church
and
ST. THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS CATHOLIC MISSION



4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God. - Jn 3:20-21

"Todo aquel que hace el mal, aborrece la luz y no se acerca a ella, para que sus obras no se descubran. En cambio, el que obra el bien conforme a la verdad, se acerca a la luz, para que se vea que sus obras están hechas según Dios". - Jn 3, 20-21

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March 14, 2021

Mass Intentions

Sat.	Mar 13	4:00 PM (J)	†Henry & Vicky Groll
Sat.	Mar 13	6:00 PM	Robert Severs (healing)
Sun.	Mar 14	9:00 AM	†Joe & Ollie Walko
		11:30 AM	Por El Pueblo
Tues.	Mar 16	9:00 AM	†Kenneth Hardy
Wed.	Mar 17	6:00 PM	Nursing Home Residents & Homebound Parishioners
Thurs.	Mar 18	9:00 AM	Agony & Suffering of Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane
Fri.	Mar 19	9:00 AM	†Michael O'Brien

**If you wish to offer a Mass Intention, please call the office.*

Confession: Sat., 5:30 PM or By Appointment

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to your New Home! Please stop by the parish office and fill out a Registration Form.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION: We have a two year Sacramental Preparation Program in our parish, as well as Religious Education for all children grades K-12.

INQUIRY CLASSES: Those interested in becoming a Catholic, inactive Catholics wishing to renew their Faith, or Catholics desiring to strengthen their Faith are invited to join the R.C.I.A. program – Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

BAPTISMS: Children are always welcomed for Baptism, provided there is a commitment from the parents to raise the child according to the Catholic Faith. Parents are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class, taken at least 2 months before the baptism.

MARRIAGE: Couples planning to be married should contact the parish priest at least 8 months in advance of setting the wedding date. All engaged couples are expected to take a Marriage Preparation Course.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please contact the rectory when a loved one is seriously ill or in the hospital and a priest will visit as soon as possible.

NUEVOS FELIGRESES: ¡Bienvenidos! Por favor, visite la oficina de la iglesia para inscribirse en la parroquia.

CLASES DE RELIGION PARA NIÑOS: El programa de Sacramentos en la parroquia tiene una duración de dos años. Nuestra meta es enseñar la fe de los apóstoles. Para cumplir esa meta, las maestras son cuidadosamente escogidas, y reflejan una auténtica práctica de su Fe. Los niños han de participar de la Santa Misa todos los domingos.

CLASES DE INICIACION SACRAMENTAL: Católicos que desean renovar su vida sacramental o que desean recibir los sacramentos están invitados a unirse al Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (R.I.C.A.).

BAUTIZOS: El Bautizo de un bebé no es sólo rito sino de Dios con intervención de la Iglesia y la respuesta personal. Por lo tanto, se requiere que los padres y los padrinos asistan a una clase pre-bautismal por lo menos dos meses antes del Bautizo. *Esta clase se puede tomar antes del nacimiento del bebé.*

MATRIMONIO: Parejas que planean casarse deben de hacer cita con un sacerdote de la parroquia por lo menos 8 meses antes de la fecha del matrimonio. Todas las parejas tienen que tomar en Curso de Preparación Matrimonial.

UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS: Por favor, comuníquese con la oficina si alguien la familia está enferma o en el hospital. El padre ira a visitarlo tan pronto le sea posible.

QUINCEAÑERA: Aquellas familias que quieran celebrar la fiesta de los 15 años de sus hijas tienen que venir a la Iglesia con tres meses de anticipación. La joven tiene que tener Bautismo, Comunión, Confirmación o estar preparándose para recibir su Confirmación. Solamente cuando hayan tenido la formación los tres meses antes, se les dará la fecha de la misa en la Iglesia. Por lo mismo, procure hablar con la Sra. Maria Vences. La joven no puede ser preparada para los sacramentos en tres meses.

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS:

Altar Servers	Bob Mathews	209-5387
Baptism (Eng)	Carolyn Stoner	219-0244
Bautizo (Esp)	Rosy Arderi	688-3098
Coro	Olga Rodríguez	590-0936
CCW	Beverly Yagins	904-583-0185
CCD (CRE)	Sherri Ortega	364-1108
Euch. Ministers	TBA	
Knights of Columbus	Daniel Noblin	965-2846
Lectores/Ujieres	Deacon John	688-2641
Liturgical Coordinator	Janet Moser	813-760-4578
Monaguillos	Felicitas Mora	249-3805
Quinceañera	Maria Vences	209-5919
RCIA/RICA	Deacon John	688-2641
Religious Articles	Kathleen Johnson	364-1436
Respect Life	Lora Tucker	249-8179
Sacristans	Deacon John	688-2641
Youth Ministry	Ivelisse Herrera	438-0782

Parish Hall/Kitchen - El Salón/La Cocina

If you are planning an event and are considering the use of the Parish Hall and/or Kitchen, please call the office **at least 2 weeks prior to avoid double scheduling.**

*Si usted planea usar el salón y la cocina, por favor llamar a la oficina con **dos semanas** de anticipación*



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3/07/2021: \$ 2,507.00	3/07/2021: \$ 1022.00
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To Report Sexual Abuse

Attention: The Diocese of Saint Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner. To Report Abuse Call: Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator (904)262-3200 ext. 129 or Department of Children and Families, 1-800-96ABUSE.

Atención: La Diócesis de San Agustín le da seria consideración a toda acusación de mala conducta sexual y atiende dichos casos de manera pronta, completa, y confidencial. Para reportar tal abuso, llame a Coordinador Diocesano de Auxilio a Víctimas (904)262-3200, ext. 129 o Departamento de Niños y Familias del Estado de la Florida 1-800-96ABUSE (1-800-962-2873.)



Michael Bowen	Nicholas Jennings
Gavin Brost	Lee Peters III
Elizabeth Williams	Michael Snyder
Douglas Clark	Chase Williams
Gerardo Rosalio	Riley Novotny
Garrin Cantella	Ruby Gonzalez

May God bless them & keep them.
***If you would like prayers for your family member in active duty call Kathy Sellgren: 208-2843**



Food Bank

As part of the Outreach Ministry of St. Francis Xavier Church, a group of our parishioners have partnered with Catholic Charities in the hopes of reaching out to some of those in need of assistance with food in our community. We purchase food from the Food Bank in Lake City with the monies collected on the 4th Sunday, 2nd Collection for Outreach Ministry. If you are interested in volunteering with this project you may call the office.

Upcoming Food Distribution Dates March 17 March 31 April 14

La iglesia de San Francisco Xavier y el ministerio alcanzando un meta junto con el grupo de feligreses están participando con las caridades católicas en la esperanza de alcanzar algunas de las necesidades de la comunidad. Nosotros compramos comida al banco de comida en Lake City con las colectas del domingo y el 2 domingo de la colecta alcanzando una meta. Estas interesado en ser voluntario con este proyecto puedes llamar a la oficina

Day of Reflection

ATTENTION ALL ADULT LITURGICAL MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS & RELIGIOUS ED TEACHERS: If you are planning to attend the Day of Reflection (and we hope that you are) on Sat., March 20th from 9:00AM - Noon, please RSVP by March 18th. Call 364-1108.



2020 TAX SEASON

If you would like a Statement of Contributions made to the Parish for your 2020 Tax Return, please call the office.

4th SUNDAY OF LENT



WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

WHY SETTLE FOR A "GOOD" MARRIAGE... When you could have a "GREAT" marriage? You can make the leap from GOOD to GREAT on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend! The weekend is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores & phones and focus their attention only on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like the difference a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can offer! The next weekends are July 23-25 (Marywood-Jacksonville) or Nov. 5-7 (St. Stephen - Titusville). You can register online at <https://flcn-wwme.org/applyWeekend.php> or email Todd & Kathy Nennich: todd.kathy.nennich@wwme.org

Happy Birthday

Arisbeth Maya Mar. 13 Nancy Beattie Mar. 18
Luisa Antonio Mar. 15 Drew Tuten Mar. 18
Heriberto Cantero Mar. 16 Justen Yaxon Mar. 18



Join Us Each Friday for Stations of the Cross at St. Francis Xavier: 6:00 PM – English and 7:00 PM – Spanish

LIVE THE LITURGY / VIVIR LA LITURGIA

God's messengers always seem to get mocked. They speak a truth that some folks do not want to hear. While on the one hand we admire them, we also are quite happy keeping them at a distance. After all, they are not referring to me but someone else, aren't they? We often wrongly conclude that because we may be more avant-garde, contemporary, politically sensitive, and untraditional, we are somehow more in the light than others. People tend to prefer darkness more than light, even the most spiritually sensitive among us. The light always carries with it the richness of God's mercy and compassion which see beyond ideologies and concepts to relationships that cultivate life, earthly and eternal. Every hand of compassion and mercy extended to a human being must always point back to God. The call always involves ordering our lives in accord with our truth and essence of being. As God never forgets us, we must never forget God. Now is the time to take stock of our infidelity and return to the light, even though it is difficult to look at.

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Los mensajeros de Dios siempre parecen ser objeto de burla. Dicen una verdad que algunas personas no quieren escuchar. Si bien por un lado los admiramos, también nos alegra mucho mantenerlos a distancia. Después de todo, no se refieren a mí, sino a otra persona, ¿no es así? A menudo llegamos a la conclusión errónea de que debido a que podemos ser más vanguardistas, contemporáneos, políticamente sensibles y no tradicionales, de alguna manera estamos más en la luz que otros. La gente tiende a preferir la oscuridad más que la luz, incluso los más sensibles espiritualmente entre nosotros. La luz siempre lleva consigo la riqueza de la misericordia y la compasión de Dios que ven más allá de las ideologías y conceptos hacia las relaciones que cultivan la vida, terrena y eterna. Cada mano de compasión y misericordia que se extiende a un ser humano siempre debe apuntar hacia Dios. La llamada implica siempre ordenar nuestra vida de acuerdo con nuestra verdad y esencia de ser. Como Dios nunca nos olvida, nunca debemos olvidarnos de Dios. Ha llegado el momento de hacer un balance de nuestra infidelidad y volver a la luz, aunque sea difícil de mirar.

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Meetings are held the 1st Sunday of the Month
St. Francis Xavier Council of Catholic Women
All women of the Parish are invited to attend.




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