

**SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH**  
**19th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**August 11, 2019**



## Mass Intentions For The Week

Monday, August 12 Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious	8:30 am	Word & Communion Service	
Tuesday, August 13 Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs	8:30 am	Word & Communion Service	
Wednesday, August 14 Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr	8:30 am	People of the Parish	
Thursday, August 15 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	8:30 am 7:00 pm	Special Intention People of the Parish Mass of the Assumption	
Friday, August 16 Saint Stephen of Hungary	8:30 am	Bea Nelligan	The Dunne Family
Saturday, August 17	9:00 am 9:30 am 3:00 pm 4:15 pm 5:00 pm	The Martin & Hayes Families Sacrament of Reconciliation Wedding~Jessica Holloway & Patrick Zotti Sacrament of Reconciliation Fred Westhoff	The Martin Family    The Barry Family
Sunday, August 18	7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	Amelia Turturillo Fr. Glenn O'Connor People of the Parish Robert Nauheimer	Carl & Diane Walsh Peter & Anna Sullivan  Dolores Lewis

## Please Pray For...

Julie Amato	Lou Ellen Krueger
James Boardman	Susan Lyons
Jay Carroll	Emmett Miller
Chili Challenger	Patrick Morgan
Tom Challos	Mike Morrison
Josephine Cindric	Bernice Niemiec
Peter Coughlan	Noah Olson
Anthony Dina	Arnold Oppenheim
Blake Donegan	Jane O'Reilly
Pat Eaton	Ryan Patyk
Lily Fielding	Donna Pekarek
Baby Collins Fitzpatrick	James Pridmore
Nancy Gibbs	Madison Raupp
Lilli Gregory	Anna Rose
Wilson Gregory	Marilyn Rutkowski
Patricia Hassler	Matthew Schiek
Sr. Marci Hermesdorf	Kate Frugoli Sullivan
Linda Hillsman	John Thoms
Rose Ilo	Anne Titzer
Mary J.	Michael Ungari
Jane Jacobsen	Amanda Valerugo
Theresa Kandall	Gregory Van Gorp
Benny Kilman	John Zotti
Jerry Kolman	
Virginia Kottaridis	

Prayers are requested for our relatives and friends who are sick. To add a name to the prayer list, please call the rectory at 708-352-0168.

Names of the sick are listed for two months in the bulletin. If there is a recurrence of illness, names can be listed again. Know that our parish prays daily for the sick and the dying.

## Born Into Eternal Life



Please remember in your prayers,  
those who have died, as well as their families:

***Peggy Schultz***

Wife of Jan and

Mother of Peter, Claire and the Late Brian

***Joseph Kelly***

Father of Brian & Kevin

***Michael Bednar & Fred Bednar***

Brothers of Bob, Diane, the Late Mark, Roxanne & Susie

## Weddings



Jessica Holloway & Patrick Zotti  
Kelley Katpmeyer & David Purtell  
Josiane Umuhoza & Nelson Ntwali  
Sarah Copeland & Alexander Wood

## Scripture Reflections

There will come a time for each of us to pass on from this life. In all likelihood it's not a topic we discuss much. Most of us live our lives in anticipation of future events, making plans, and carrying on our way. Especially now in the modern world when the science of medicine and the pace of technology has improved day-to-day life a great deal, it seems there is nothing we cannot solve. And yet, tragedy still strikes. Death and loss come. There is the pain of losing someone we love. And at that point we might imagine all we wish we had said or expressed. The gospel passage today reminds us that we all will ultimately face our own end. But the paschal mystery tells us that after death there is new life. It is not the same, but it will be transformed. Even, so our current life can end in a moment, coming "like a thief in the night." We are advised to be on guard to watch, to act in away that we will be ready for that day. Where is our treasure? There too is our heart.

## Thank You

I write to extend my gratitude for the generous support that was offered through the St. Francis Xavier Parish Holy Thursday collection. This contribution, made through the Olancho Aid Foundation, will be used for Catholic enrichment opportunities here in Juticalpa, Olancho, Honduras.

The U.S.-based Foundation directly supports the activities of our Diocese as we seek to bring the Good News to our community. This donation will be used to sustain our Catholic radio station that serves as the voice of the Church in the state of Olancho. For individuals living in remote areas, the radio station plays a critical role as we work to share Catholic values and to maintain our faith community. Please thank your parishioners for helping their fellow Catholics to find hope and courage, through faith, during this difficult time for the people of Honduras.

I am deeply grateful for this kind donation.

Sincerely yours in Christ,  
+Joseph Bonello, O.F.M.  
Bishop of Juticalpa

## Week Day Mass Schedule

Fr. Bill will be on vacation until August 15. Due to a shortage of available priests, several of the weekday masses will be replaced by Word and Communion Services. Please check the bulletin for the schedule each day. Thank you for your understanding.

## Thank You

My deepest thanks to you and your parishioners for the additional contribution to the special collection for Catholic Charities on Mother's Day in the amount of \$1,000.

Thanks to you and your parishioners vulnerable people who come to Catholic Charities burdened by hunger, joblessness, homelessness, illness, aging, violence or addiction will receive the guidance they need to work towards a more promising and stable future. The compassion demonstrated will enable us to surround them with our strong network of supportive services as they work to overcome obstacles, increase their self-sufficiency and move forward in their lives.

May God bless you and your parishioners abundantly for reaching out and giving hope.

Sincerely,  
Rev. Monsignor Michael M. Boland  
President

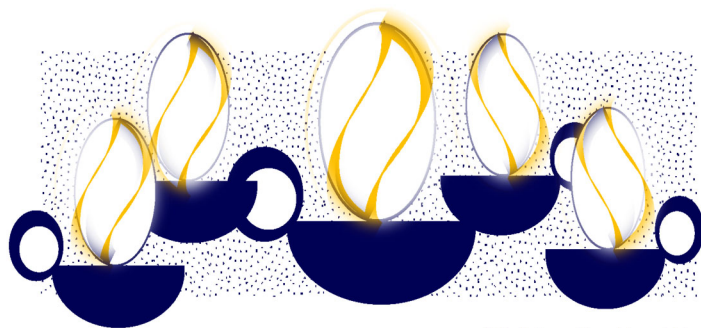
## Married in 1969? Join us to celebrate 50 years of marriage at the Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass!

Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary from across the Archdiocese of Chicago are invited to gather together for the Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass that will be celebrated by Cardinal Cupich on Sunday, September 8, 2019 at 2:45 pm. The Mass will be held at St. John Brebeuf in Niles, Illinois.

To register online go to:  
[bit.ly/goldenweddingchicago](http://bit.ly/goldenweddingchicago).



**We hope to see you there!**



## What's going on in Youth Ministry???



### Quest Confirmation Registration

Looking to enroll your freshman in the Quest Confirmation program? You can find the link to register on the Youth Ministry website as a Quicklink titled "2019-20 Quest Confirmation Registration". Your teen must complete the Quest Confirmation program to get Confirmed in the Spring. If you have any questions, please contact Olivia Zurowski at 708-352-0168 or [ozurowski@sfxlg.org](mailto:ozurowski@sfxlg.org).

### Group Leaders

Leaders are needed for *at least* 8 more groups! No previous catechesis or education experience necessary and you don't even need to be a parent of a teen to lead a group. The Quest Confirmation program is based on discussion rather than catechesis and lasts from September to April/May. The time commitment isn't more than 5 hours a month. If you have any questions, are interested, or would like to sign up, please contact Olivia!

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH SCHOOL**  
**EARLY CHILDHOOD**

**DON'T DELAY REGISTER FOR 2019-2020**

**PRE-SCHOOL 3**  
Class is full! Please join our waitlist

**PRE-K 4**  
FULL Day and AM spots limited

**KINDERGARTEN**  
Don't Delay for FULL Day & HALF Day

**CONTACT US AT**  
**(708) 352 2175**  
[SFXLG.ORG/SCHOOL](http://SFXLG.ORG/SCHOOL)

WE ARE EXCITED THAT IN THE 2019 - 2020 SCHOOL YEAR WE WILL WELCOME OUR EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM UNDER ONE ROOF ON THE CAMPUS AT ST. FRANCIS XAVIER SCHOOL!

THE SFX EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM WILL ONCE AGAIN ENJOY THE BENEFITS OF A ONE-CAMPUS SCHOOL COMMUNITY:

- o ALL SIBLINGS IN ONE LOCATION
- o ONE DROP-OFF/PICK-UP LOCATION
- o UPDATED TECHNOLOGY
- o EARLY CHILDHOOD PARTICIPATION IN ALL SCHOOL MASS & SCHOOL DAY EVENTS
- o ON-SITE RECESS
- o PHYS ED, ART, & MUSIC - CENTRAL LOCATION
- o BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE AVAILABLE
- o AND MORE!

145 N. WAIOLA AVENUE LAGRANGE, IL . 60525

## Religious Education Registration

Religious Education Registration is open to New Families.

Registration Packets can be picked up at the rectory or materials can be downloaded from the Parish Website ([sfxlg.org](http://sfxlg.org)).

If you have any questions, please call the Religious Education Office at 708-352-4555.

**SFX ANNUAL GOLF OUTING 2019**

Friday, September 13th  
11:30 am Check-in & Lunch  
1:15 pm Shotgun Start (Scramble Format)  
Dinner, Awards & Raffle to Follow

\$175 per golfer  
Price includes patio lunch, range balls, golf, beer, wine and soda after golf and buffet dinner.  
Each golfer will receive a SFX swag bag.

Please join us for our Large Raffle, Closest to the Pin Contests and much more!

Hole Sponsors and Event Sponsors are available to purchase on Give Central!

Register Now at:  
<https://www.givecentral.org/location/218/event/7320>

Old Oak Country Club, 14200 Parker Road,  
Homer Glen, IL 60491

Any questions? Email John & Julie Schaff at [sfxgolfchairs@gmail.com](mailto:sfxgolfchairs@gmail.com)

## ST. FRANCIS XAVIER SCHOOL

# Class of 1960 Reunion

*Refresh old memories!*  
*September 26, 2019*

Looking for class of '60 alumni!  
For details contact: Chuck (Mike) Edwards  
(708) 354-0137 [cmp.edw@gmail.com](mailto:cmp.edw@gmail.com)

## Position Available Parish Director of Development

St. Francis Xavier Parish seeks a candidate for the position of Director of Development to serve as strategic leader and professional manager of all aspects of mission development and fundraising for the parish and parish elementary school. The Director of Development will be accountable for all fundraising initiatives and specific special events. The ideal candidate is a self-starter with at least 5 years of development experience, and is a person of faith committed to Gospel values. He or she understands and prioritizes the organization and responsible management of resources and helps the parish fund and fulfill its mission and purpose, including the parish mission to provide quality, affordable Catholic elementary education to families who want to provide this for their children.

This position is part time and a description is posted on the parish website ([www.sfxlg.org](http://www.sfxlg.org)). If you are interested, please send a cover letter and copy of your resume to Jennifer Zeisloft, SFX Business Manager, via the parish rectory.



## SFX MEN'S CLUB NIGHT GOLF MEADOWLARK GOLF COURSE Thursday, August 29, 2019 8:30PM Shotgun Start

Come out to Meadowlark for Night Golf  
with the SFX Men's Club!!  
11599 31st Street~Hinsdale, IL 60521  
(708) 562-2977

**\$50 per person / \$200 per foursome**  
Registration includes:  
9 Holes of Golf  
Beer  
Pizza

**This event is for Men in the Parish over 21.  
It's a great way to reconnect with old friends  
and an opportunity to meet new men in the Parish.**

If you have questions or would like to  
reserve your foursome,  
contact Mike Milligan at [mjmilligan@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mjmilligan@sbcglobal.net) or  
Matt Hubert at [mthubert@gmail.com](mailto:mthubert@gmail.com)

Limited to the first 78 golfers.



## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

### YOUR PARISH FINANCE REPORT



Sunday Offertory	<u>EFT/Credit Card</u>	+ Basket	+ Other Offertory*	=	July Total
July 2019	\$ 65,674	\$ 43,612	\$ 19,196		\$ 128,482
July 2018	\$ 59,199	\$ 52,277	\$ 5,630		\$ 117,106

\* Includes donations from stock, donor-advised funds, Holy Day contributions and other miscellaneous gifts.

**God bless you for your generosity to St. Francis Xavier Parish!**



**Seeing the Holy** on Saturday, August 17 from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm with Facilitator Christine Parks,

CSJ. Bring your digital camera for a day of seeing, and being present to the Holy—through your eyes and the lens of your camera. The day will include input and reflection, individual time for photographing outdoors and praying with the Holy you see around you, and sharing your experience, prayer and insights. Cost: \$60 (includes lunch) 6 min/16 max participants.

**Sagawau Canyon Nature Preserve Walk** on Thursday, August 22 from 9:15 am until 2:00 pm with Facilitators Mary Fishman and a Cook County Forest Preserve Guide. A canyon less than 13 miles from LaGrange Park? It's not quite the Grand Canyon, but it's OUR canyon, it's 1100 feet long—and it's a much easier climb up and down! On this private, guided tour we will see fossils and unusual plants, and learn about the geology that shaped Chicagoland's only canyon. We will be wading in a stream, so wear shoes that have a good grip and that can get wet. Cost: \$25 (includes transportation). Bring your own lunch. Advance registration required.

To register online and see a complete list of our new 2019 Programs, please go to [www.csjthewell.org](http://www.csjthewell.org) or call 708-482-5048. The Well Spirituality Center, 1515 West Ogden Avenue in LaGrange Park.

### **Registration Is Still Available For Family to Family and NAMI Basics Classes National Alliance on Mental Illness**

Family to Family is a 12-session education program designed to help all family members understand and support their loved one living with mental illness, while maintaining their own well-being.

Class begins September 24 and continues through December 10.

NAMI Basics is a 6-session educational program for parents, guardians and other family who provide care for youth (age 22 or younger) who are experiencing mental health symptoms.

Class begins October 7 and continues through November 18.

Classes are free but pre-registration is required.

<https://namimetsub.eventbrite.com>  
708-582-6434

Classes will be held at the  
Community Wellness Center  
4731 Willow Springs Road  
LaGrange, IL 60525

## **St. Francis Xavier Scripture Study**

**Thursdays 9:45-11:15 am  
Unity Hall**

**September 12–November 14, 2019**

**Gospel of Mark**

**and**

**January 9–March 5, 2020**

**Dynamic Couples, Siblings, Companions  
and Friends in the Bible**

Please register with Sr. Marianne Race, CSJ  
708-363-6728 or [mrace@csjoseph.org](mailto:mrace@csjoseph.org)



**Consider joining one of our *CHOIRS*  
for the \*2019-2020 liturgical season!**

*\*starts in September 2019.*

***The Gallery Choir—9:00 a.m. Mass***

*\*voices: grade 9—adult*

*(rehearsals: Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. — 9:00 p.m.)*

***Celebration Ensemble—10:30 a.m. Mass***

*\*voices: grade 9—adult*

*(rehearsals: Thursdays, 7:30 p.m. — 9:00 p.m.)*

***Spirit Youth Choir—6:00 p.m. Mass***

*\*voices: grades 9—12*

***Resurrection Funeral Choir***

***10:00 a.m. or 11:30 a.m. weekdays/Saturdays***

***\*Adult voices available during morning hours.***

**Please contact our Director of Liturgical Music,**

**Allen Sterwalt**

**[asterwalt@sfxlg.org](mailto:asterwalt@sfxlg.org) / 708 352-0168**

**Please Help Spread the Word...  
to those who might  
want to become Catholic,  
or complete their sacraments**



On Tuesday, September 17, St. Francis Xavier & St. John of the Cross will start a new round of our collaborative RCIA Process. RCIA - The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - is the process of spiritual and educational formation through which adults become fully initiated members of the Roman Catholic Church. We are asking for your help identifying and personally inviting anyone who might be considering becoming Catholic. They could be unbaptized, or baptized Christians who want to accept the Catholic faith. RCIA is also designed for Catholics who did not yet receive the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

The number one reason women and men join the RCIA process is that someone they trust invited them to consider it. Please give it some thought. Additional details can be found on the parish website: [www.sfxlg.org](http://www.sfxlg.org), under Parish/Sacramental Preparation, or contact Susan Lindsay at [selindsay22@yahoo.com](mailto:selindsay22@yahoo.com) or 708-352-0168.



*RCIA Group who received their sacraments April 20, 2019,  
with parish & sacramental sponsors*

## **Dana K. Peterson, RCIA 2018-19**



“It is never too late to in life to begin the RCIA process. One will encounter a most welcoming environment in which to learn about the richness of Catholic history, tradition and faith. The RCIA Team Leaders have created this most welcoming environment by freely sharing their knowledge, faith and graciousness with all those who join RCIA. Many of the Team Leaders also went through the RCIA process themselves and will readily share what inspired them to undertake this journey of faith. One’s spiritual formation and growth will be greatly enhanced by the dedicated leadership of RCIA as well as a most receptive Church community.”

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH

# Children's Choir

*We sing as one family of faith!*

## Grades 1 – 8

*\*(District Schools & SFX Day School...All children are welcome!)*

# It's time to join!!

*Weekly commitment: **Tuesday** rehearsals **3:45 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.**  
Sing once a month at the 5:00 p.m. Mass (Saturday)*

**First rehearsal: Tuesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> (in church)**

## **Registration DUE DATE!!**

***\*Monday, September 16<sup>th</sup>***



# St. Francis Xavier Parish Children's Choir Registration Form 2019 - 2020

**PLEASE PRINT**

Name of Child \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday (month/day) \_\_\_\_\_

I am available to be a parent helper at rehearsals. (circle one)    Yes            No

I am available to be a parent helper at Masses. (circle one)    Yes            No

*\*Please e-mail, mail or drop off this form by September 16<sup>th</sup> to the attention of:  
Mr. Allen Sterwalt, Director of Liturgical Music  
St. Francis Xavier Church·124 North Spring Avenue·LaGrange, IL 60525  
asterwalt@sfxlg.org*

Thanks to St. Francis Xavier Parish  
for supporting & participating in  
**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY**  
**CLARKSDALE 2019**

**BEN WILLIAMS** ▪ **BILL JANE BEN & MATT SUTTON** ▪ **PRAYERFUL**  
**OSCAR & TIM LONGORIA** ▪ **KEITH AIDAN & CLAIRE KELLY**  
**MARY KEVIN & MAGGIE FREEMAN** ▪ **EMILY LIETZ** ▪ **JOYFUL**  
**KATIE & EMMET FILBIN** ▪ **ANNE & DANNY METZGER** ▪ **HOPEFUL**  
**SHARON JOHN & RYAN FITZPATRICK** ▪ **COLE FISHER** ▪ **TIM HAVLIN**  
**BILL TOM MATT & MARY KATHERINE KELLY** ▪ **JOHN LYONS**  
**TOM COLLEEN & ERIN MCGOVERN** ▪ **MEANINGFUL**  
**PETE & ANNIE MULCAHEY** ▪ **BOB NATE & TESS ALBERTINI**  
**CHRIS MATT ANDREW & CATHERINE O'HEA** ▪ **TOMMY STEIN**  
**MAGGIE ORLOWSKI** ▪ **BLAISE DAVIS** ▪ **MICHAEL HORWITZ**  
**JACK & PATRICK WINDMOELLER** ▪ **MAUREEN SWEENEY** ▪ **FUN**  
**JOHN RADVILLE** ▪ **RON MATT LUKE & NOAH BANDYK** ▪ **GRATEFUL**



**WHO'S IN FOR 2020?**

## A PATH TOWARD HEALING:

*Eucharistic communities and the  
effects of clergy sexual abuse*

The peace and justice/social justice committee members  
of

**St. Luke, Ascension, St. Edmund & St. Giles**  
welcome everyone to an evening of prayer and dialog  
(including table discussion to discern next steps.)

Guest Speakers:

**Fr. Larry Dowling**

(pastor - St. Agatha Parish – Chicago)  
and

**Mr. Michael Hoffman**

(member - St. Mary of the Woods Parish – Chicago)

**Monday, August 12, 2019**

**7:30 – 9:00 pm**

**McDonough Hall\* – St. Giles Parish**

**1100 North Columbian Avenue (at Greenfield)  
Oak Park, IL**

**Fr. Larry Dowling** was ordained in 1991. Prior to being named pastor of St. Agatha's, he served as pastor of St. Denis Parish, and as associate pastor at St. James in Arlington Heights. He has served on the Archdiocesan Review Board, and is a founding member of the Archdiocese Healing Garden Committee. His justice work includes: moderator of the Priests for Justice for Immigrants in Chicago; former President of the Board for ARISE Chicago, an interfaith labor organization; and board member of the Tolton Scholars Advisory Board at CTU. He is a published writer, an avid reader, backpacker and cyclist.

**Michael Hoffman** is an adult survivor of childhood clerical sexual abuse. Michael is the Board President of Prevent Child Abuse–Illinois, and serves on the Hope and Healing Committee of the Archdiocese of Chicago—a group of clergy abuse survivors, priests and staff from the Archdiocese who reach out to victims/survivors and their family members. He is the author of *Acts of Recovery—The Story of One Man's On-Going Healing from Sexual Abuse by a Priest* (ACTA Publications, 2013) Michael is a devoted husband, and father to two children.

\*NOTE: this site is fully ADA accessible



Wherever your treasure lies,  
there your heart will be.

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## Parish Counselor

All personal information shared is held in strict confidentiality. Spiritual direction, psychotherapy, and pastoral counseling is available courtesy of Claret Center and St. Francis Xavier Parish. For further information or to make an appointment, call Patrice Nerone at 312-884-9879 or email [patricenerone@protonmail.com](mailto:patricenerone@protonmail.com) with any questions or to schedule an appointment.

### About Patrice:

Spiritual direction, psychotherapy, and pastoral counseling is provided for individuals, couples, families, and groups to support in the healing of relationship conflict, anxiety, depression, grief, loss, and trauma.

Patrice's therapeutic intention is to be a compassionate presence, to facilitate storytelling, to deliver an integrative and culturally sensitive approach to counseling, to promote and sustain personal growth and development, to foster resilience and adaptability for healthy coping, and to help restore and maintain the well being of body, mind, spirit, and soul.

Patrice's practice and experience include spiritual direction, clinical hypnotherapy, dream work, breath work, enneagram, and a variety of complementary therapies including guided imagery, mindfulness, and energy-based interventions such as Reiki & Healing Touch.

## MISERICORDIA WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEW MEMBERS GATHERING



**MISERICORDIA  
HEART OF MERCY**

### We are looking for new members!!

Misericordia provides a caring environment for more than 600 children and adults facing challenges with mental and physical disabilities. Our league supports Misericordia through fundraising and service.

**Please join us**

**Wednesday, September 4, 2019**

**7:00 pm**

**At the home of Cara Long  
1115 Longmeadow Lane  
Western Springs, Illinois 60558**

For more information please contact  
Cara Long at [carahlong@gmail.com](mailto:carahlong@gmail.com)  
or MK Dungan at [mkdungan@gmail.com](mailto:mkdungan@gmail.com)



## Please Pray For...all those Serving Overseas in the Military including:

- **Sgt. David Phillips**—brother of Rebecca Casiple
- **Commander Robert O'Donnell**—son of Agnes O'Donnell
- **Staff Sgt. Bryan Pickens, U.S. Army Airborne Ranger 1-75th Ranger Battalion RGR REGT**—  
son of Rob & Bernadette Pickens and brother of Robert & Gabriel
- **Lt. Christopher Ocasio, U.S. Army**—friend of the Berger Family
- **Technical Sgt. Rhonda Russell, USAF**—daughter of Deidre & John Russell and granddaughter of Mary F. Russell
- **Lt. Jonathan Devitt Brown, U.S. Navy**—nephew of the Devitt Family
- **LCPL Gregory Allen, USMC**—nephew of Barbara Triggs & Anthony Anscombe
- **Kevin Peterson, U.S. Army Infantry, Major Marcos Melendez, USMC and Major Michelle Melendez, USMC**—  
son, nephew and niece of Jon Peterson
- **Staff Sgt. Nolan Kemna, USMC**—nephew of John & Linda Hill
- **Capt. Maura Hoffman & Capt. Christopher Hoffman**—niece and nephew of Margie & Steve Hull and  
cousins of Kate, Janie & Caroline Hull
- **Phil Lukanich, U.S. Navy & Lt. M. Ryan Lukanich, U.S. Army**—husband and brother-in-law of Joanna and  
sons of Mark & Martie Lukanich
- **Staff Sgt. Scott Blunk**—husband of Brianne and son-in-law of Maureen Becker
- **Lt. Daniel McGue**—grandson of Jack & Sue Ryan
- **Lt. Col. Jeremy Hutchins, USAF**—brother-in-law of Valerie & Michael Schierl
- **Commander Brian Riegler, U.S. Navy**—husband of Elizabeth and father of Kaylee, Mackenzie, Grace & Liam
- **Capt. Colt Marcyan, USMC**—nephew of Noel Cusack
- **Capt. Trent McMullen, USAF**—son-in-law of Tom & Maureen Hunt
- **Private Jerry Delgado, U.S. Army**—friend of Liz Wilk
- **Spec Timothy Lucas U.S. Army**—grandson of Marian, nephew of Rosemary and Sr. Kathleen Lucas,  
and Kate & Beau Medlock
- **Deanna Ciaccia, U.S. Navy**—daughter of Julie & Anthony Ciaccia and granddaughter of Harold Held
- **Chris Johnson, USCG**—nephew of Judi Kudlacz and grandson of Jerry & Nancy Johnson
- **Dominic James Greco, U.S. Navy**—nephew of Rita Pantoni
- **Robert Weiler, U.S. Navy**—brother of Rebecca Dionisio
- **Joseph Somers, U.S. Navy**—nephew of Maureen & Nick Burriesci
- **Major Meghan Cumpston, U.S. Army**—cousin of Lauren Schultz
- **Sgt. David T. Benson**—son of Linda & Charles Benson
- **Sgt. Matthew Alvis, U.S. Army**—cousin of the Tschaikevsky Family
- **Airman Jeffrey Niemiec, USAF**—nephew of Nancy & Harry Devereux
- **1st Lt. Alexander Dale Fisher, USMC**—nephew of Michelle & Bill McKeown and cousin to Elizabeth & Liam

**Please inform us of those serving Overseas in the Military...  
and please let us know when friends and loved ones  
return from their deployment Overseas.  
Email the [bulletineditor@sfxlg.org](mailto:bulletineditor@sfxlg.org).**

## St. Francis Xavier Personnel

### Pastoral Ministry

*Pastor*  
*Deacon*  
*Pastoral Associate*  
*Retired Weekend Sacramental Minister*  
*Weekend Sacramental Minister*

*Rev. William Tkachuk*  
*Mr. Andrew Allison*  
*Dr. Kate DeVries*  
*Rev. William Killeen*  
*Rev. Stan Ilo*

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### Education Ministry

*Day School Principal*  
*Assistant Principal*  
*Assistant to Day School Principal*  
*Day School Secretary (Main Campus)*  
*Advancement Director*  
*Tuition Accounts*  
*Religious Education Coordinator/Sacrament Prep*  
*Religious Education Administrative Assistant*  
*Religious Education Office Staff*

*Mrs. Sharon Garcia*  
*Mrs. Janice Carr*  
*Mrs. Mary Hoffman*  
*Mrs. Peggy Evans*  
*Mrs. Mary Tassi*  
*Mrs. Jennifer Zeisloft*  
*Ms. Terri Simeoni*  
*Mrs. Cindy Johnson*  
*Ms. Debra Soulje*

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### Youth Ministry

*Coordinator*

*Mrs. Olivia Zurowski*

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### Music Ministry

*Director*

*Mr. Allen Sterwalt*

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### Parish Office Staff

*Business Manager*  
*Parish Accountant*  
*Pastor's Secretary*  
*Parish Secretary*  
*Staff Secretary*  
*Facilities Manager*

*Mrs. Jennifer Zeisloft*  
*Ms. Jane Bandyk*  
*Mrs. Maureen Pipal*  
*Mrs. Melissa Westerhoff*  
*Ms. Debra Soulje*  
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### **Rectory Summer Hours**

Monday-Thursday..... 8:30 am-7:30 pm  
Friday ..... 8:30 am-4:30 pm  
Saturday.....9:00 am-5:00 pm  
Sunday.....9:00 am-1:00 pm

### **Sabbath Liturgy**

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am, 12:00 Noon and  
(6:00 pm September until first weekend of May)

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday morning.....After 9:00 am Mass  
Saturday afternoon.....4:15 pm  
The Reconciliation room is located off the walkway behind the  
tabernacle prayer area.

### **Liturgy Schedule**

Monday through Friday .....8:30 am  
Saturday.....9:00 am  
**St. Cletus** (Monday - Saturday).....8:00 am  
**St. John of the Cross** (Monday - Saturday).....9:00 am

### **Bulletin Deadline**

The deadline for submitting all bulletin articles is 12:00 pm on the Friday preceding the Sunday of publication. If a holiday falls on a Monday, articles are due by 12:00 Noon on the previous Thursday. Please email all articles to the [bulletineditor@sfxlg.org](mailto:bulletineditor@sfxlg.org).

### **Domestic Violence Resources**

Family Shelter Services—24 hr. counseling 630-469-5650  
LaGrange Police Emergency Assistance 911 or 708-579-2354

### **Food Pantry**

The St. Francis Food Pantry is open every Tuesday from 9:30 to 11:00 am. The pantry serves clients who live in the 60525 and 60526 zip codes.

### **Home or Hospital Visitation & Communion Calls**

If you would like a priest or Minister of Care to visit, please contact the Parish Office directly. In the case of hospitalization, specifically request that the hospital contact the parish. Hospitals do not routinely inform churches of admissions due to Privacy Laws.

### **Infant Baptisms**

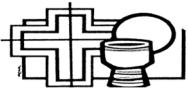
Please call the Parish Office for scheduled 1:30 pm Sunday Baptismal dates. Baptism Preparation Classes: 4th Thursday of every month at 7:30 pm. We encourage participation in this program before the baby's birth or adoption.

### **Marriage**

Please call the rectory office at the time of your engagement to schedule your wedding. We ask that you are a registered parishioner for 6 months before requesting your wedding date. Saturday wedding times are 1:00 and 3:00 pm. Rehearsals are usually scheduled on Friday evening. We do not schedule weddings during Lent.

### **Parish Counselor**

All counseling services are confidential, respectful, understanding, and take place in a safe environment. Counseling and psychotherapy services are available for individuals, couples, and families experiencing difficulty with anxiety, depression, grief, relationship conflicts, work stress or job loss problems, or feelings of being overwhelmed. For further information or to make an appointment, call our parish counselor, Nancy Kennedy, 708-325-8582 at the Claret Center or email [nkennedy4@luc.edu](mailto:nkennedy4@luc.edu).



## Liturgical Ministers' Schedule—August 17-18, 2019

Mass Time	Presider	Lectors/ Commentators	Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers	Cantors	Greeters
5:00 PM	Fr. Tkachuk	J. Hayford B. Bock K. Prenger	M. Becker T. Conwell K. Corrigan D. Dunlap D. Mulvenna K. Preussner L. Young Open Open	E. Geraghty C. Shanley B. Griffin	G. Adams	M. Becker
7:30 AM	Fr. Tkachuk	T. Nichol M. Hermesdorf M. Carroll	S. Augustyn D. Challender S. Hayes J. Van Gorp D. Walsh	N. Strayer B. Stetz J. O'Halloran	TBA	C. Urbain
9:00 AM	Fr. Tkachuk	T. Gannon E. Newman E. Fix	B. Olson M. Branecki V. Bracht J. Cogelja C. Froemel E. Froemel G. Prendergast D. Sherman T. Urchell	D. Collins E. Kostal E. Justak	L. Hoigard	J. Burson
10:30 AM	Fr. Ilo	J. Nowak K. McCarthy C. Dillon	B. Boyd A. Clark J. Clark N. Cummings A. Krol O. Lastres G. Rutkowski B. Sorice J. Tvrdik	M. Kachmarik R. Nowak B. Gannon	T. Pangan	K. Titzer
12:00 PM	Fr. Ilo	C. Borawski C. Pietrzak L. Freda	L. Donegan B. Edelmann N. Kampe Open Open	E. Cushing C. Cushing J. Nisivaco	C. Jakubisin	J. Svehla

**Sunday, May 5 was our last 6:00 PM Mass; it will resume in the Fall.  
Please watch the bulletin for further information.**



Be like those  
awaiting their master's  
return so when he arrives,  
you can open the door  
without delay.

### Readings For The Week of August 11, 2019

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-19  
or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40  
Monday: Dt 10:12-22/Mt 17:22-27  
Tuesday: Dt 31:1-8/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14  
Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12/Mt 18:15-20  
Thursday: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56  
Friday: Jos 24:1-13/Mt 19:3-12  
Saturday: Jos 24:14-29/Mt 19:13-15  
Next Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53