

SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 28, 2019



Ask and you shall receive

*Seek and you shall
find; knock and it
shall be opened
to you.*



*Father,
blest be your
name. Give us
each day our
daily bread.*

Mass Intentions For The Week

Monday, July 29 Saint Martha	8:30 am	Jim Dorris	The Boyd Family
Tuesday, July 30 Saint Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	8:30 am	Joseph Uehlein	The Vlcek Family
Wednesday, July 31 Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest	8:30 am	Word & Communion Service	
Thursday, August 1 Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	8:30 am	Word & Communion Service	
Friday, August 2 Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest	8:30 am	Word & Communion Service	
Saturday, August 3	9:00 am	Ned Rizzo	The Family
	9:30 am	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	4:15 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 pm	Lou Darovic	The Nelligan Family
Sunday, August 4	7:30 am	People of the Parish	
	9:00 am	Daniel Lucas	Rosemary Lucas
		Lynn Doyle	Terri Simeoni
		Fern Michopoulos	Trudy Riordan
	10:30 am	Lillian Cunningham	Mary & Lou Darovic
12:00 pm	Irena Browar	Nancy Cozzi & Family	

Please Pray For...

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

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:

Michael Kelly

Husband of Eileen and
Father of Bridget, Patrick & Matthew

Alice Joyce

Wife of Donald and Mother of Kevin,
Michael, Sheila & Kathy

Kathleen "Kay" Thuerk

Mother of Jean, Mary Kay, Patti,
Marty, Jim, Kathy & Laurie

Robert Nauheimer

Father of Amy

Weddings



Jessica Holloway & Patrick Zotti



Greetings to All.

It is with mixed feelings that I share the following decision, which was made with a great deal of prayer and careful consideration. It is time for me to leave my role as Pastoral Associate here at St. Francis Xavier Church.

Prior to being invited into ministry, I was a special education teacher. My specialty is working with students with severe learning disabilities and social/behavior issues. For a while now, I have been feeling called to return to the classroom. In the process of exploring options for where my gifts could make a difference, I was offered a position as a resource teacher in Cicero, and just accepted it. My work there, in early childhood through 6th grade, begins August 16. My last day on the staff of SFX will be Friday, August 9.

It has been a privilege to be on staff and support the great work of the parish. These past 5 ½ years have been energy packed and grace-filled. As I wrote in my letter to Fr. Bill, this has been Sacred Time. My biggest joy has been meeting, working, praying, and making music with so many of you. I will always have fond memories of RCIA, our small faith groups, parish liturgies and retreats, the music ministry, our 125th Anniversary celebrations, adult faith formation events, parish service days, the La Grange Ministerium events, our prophetic planning and parish pastoral council gatherings, day school and religious education events, collaborative efforts with neighboring parishes, and the countless opportunities and happenings that flowed through our wealth of parish ministries and organizations. This is an amazing parish, and absolutely we have been about building the Kingdom of God through our commitments within and beyond SFX.

I will be keeping all of you and the parish ministries and outreaches in prayer as I complete this phase of my work life, and begin the next. May God continue to bless and guide us all.

Kate DeVries

Thanksgiving and Farewell Celebration For Dr. Kate DeVries Sunday, August 25, Following 10:30 Mass

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.

Scripture Reflections

Jesus was no mere myth as were the ancient Greek and Roman gods and goddesses. He was a human being who walked the face of the earth, as even pagan historians relate. The Christian claim is not merely that Jesus existed, but that he was the Son of God, the Incarnate Word of God. But his existence as a human being on this earth is something that nearly every single noteworthy scholar admits. Part of his time on earth consisted of prayer and teaching, and this prayer known as the Our Father or the Lord's Prayer is something that scholars can attribute to the Jesus of history with great certainty. As Luke has it, the prayer includes an injunction to keep us from the final test. The astute reader immediately thinks of Jesus and his coming passion. Later in the gospel, Jesus will pray that the cup pass him by, for such a passion and death is the desire of no one, not even Jesus. But his prayer has strengthened him for such a moment. After this final test he will be raised to new life in paradise eternally. Such a future awaits us too when we will ultimately live the paschal mystery par excellence.



All Together Under the Son

La Grange Community Worship

Sunday, August 4, 2019

11:00 am at Gordon Park

We come together
To celebrate our
unity!



"...if we love one
another, God lives
in us, and his love
is perfected in us."

1 John 4: 12

→ **All are welcome!**

→ **Featuring music** by a Salt Creek Chamber Orchestra

quartet *and* a combined churches' choir

→ **Stay for lunch** at area restaurant vendor carts

→ **Parking** is accessed by S.Tilden/Hazel streets,
south of Ogden Avenue

- **Sponsored by the La Grange Area Ministerium churches**



Food Pantry School Supply Collection



We welcome school supply donations for our pantry families. Distribution will be held on Tuesday, August 13.

Items needed include: folders, notebooks, binders, lined paper, pens, pencils, highlighters, scissors, glue sticks and back packs.

Items may be dropped off at the side altars or Rectory.

Thanks for your continued generosity!

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

Why Buy Fair Trade Coffee??

The coffee sold at St. Francis Xavier is purchased from *Equal Exchange Fairly Traded*. There is a lot behind this coffee. "We work closely with our farmer partners, year after year, to better understand each other's needs. The result is a trusting relationship and delicious coffee."

Beth Ann Caspersen, Quality Control Manager

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- Promotes the common good
- Advances economic justice
- Empowers disadvantaged people
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- Cultivates global solidarity

The Catholic Relief Services Fair Trade Program creates opportunities for us to bring these core values of our faith to bear on the choices we make as consumers—choices that have the power to lift our brothers and sisters out of poverty.

Effort is made to see that these coffee farmers are given a fair wage!!!

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.



We hope to see you there!

What's going on in Youth Ministry???

Service Opportunity

Do you like to participate in service? Do you want to meet other teens interested in service? Will you be in high school during the 2019-20 school year? If you answered yes to any of these questions, keep reading!

Youth Ministry has 50 spots reserved with Feed My Starving Children in Aurora on Saturday, August 10 from 11:30am-1:30pm. 8 of the 50 spots will need to be adult chaperones. To register, visit the "Service" tab on the Youth Ministry website. Questions? Contact Olivia Zurowski at 708-352-0168 or ozurowski@sfxlg.org.

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.

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

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!

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

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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!

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

Old Oak Country Club, 14200 Parker Rd., Homer Glen, IL 60491

Any questions? Email John & Julie Schaff at 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



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 / 708 352-0168

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).

As of June 1st, there was an increase of \$50 in tuition. If you have any questions, please call the Religious Education Office at 708-352-4555.



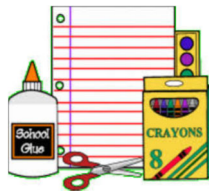
Life-Changers: The Gospel According to Hildegard and Julian of Norwich on Saturday, August 3 from 9:30 am-3:30 pm with Facilitator Mark Burrows. G.K. Chesterton once commented that the saint each age most needs is the one who contradicts it most. Hildegard and Julian of Norwich were such persons. Each discovered insights into the “good news” that have enduring power to reframe life. Cost: \$75 (includes lunch).

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 or call 708-482-5048. The Well Spirituality Center, 1515 West Ogden Avenue in LaGrange Park.

St. Agatha Needs School Supplies



Again this year the children of St. Agatha’s parish are in need of school supplies. Although the school has closed, the students in the parish are still in need.

If you would like to make a monetary contribution to help in the purchasing of these school supplies, please drop off or mail a check to the rectory made out to St. Francis Xavier, with a notation that it is for St. Agatha school supplies. We will then forward the donation to Fr. Larry Dowling at St. Agatha’s.

Thank you for your consideration.

If you have ever thought about
Becoming Catholic...
Consider RCIA
*The Rite of Christian
Initiation of Adults*
Part 2 of 3 Articles *



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process of spiritual and educational formation through which adults become fully initiated members of the Catholic Church.

What Is Involved? When Does It Start?

RCIA is comprised of 4 stages, each with a different focus, and a ritual to mark the transition.

1. Our journey begins Tuesday, September 17 with the **Inquiry** period. We will meet weekly, Tuesday nights from 7:00–8:30 pm, to reflect upon how God is calling us and what it means to have faith in Jesus. There is plenty of time to ask questions and decide if this is the right step for you. Early in December, we celebrate the **Rite of Acceptance and Welcome** at a Sunday Mass, which publicly marks our desire to enter formation into the Church.
2. Next is the **Catechumenate** period. Here we reflect on Scripture, and delve into Catholic beliefs, teachings, customs and traditions. To end this period, we celebrate another ritual: the **Rite of Election**. That Rite recognizes our progress of being formed in the faith and affirms our readiness to begin final preparations for receiving the sacraments.
3. The third period, **Enlightenment**, begins when Lent begins, on February 26, and includes gathering for Mass over the weekend. This period is reflective and prayerful, including special celebrations and rituals passed down from the early Church. We **Celebrate the Sacraments** and our full initiation into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil Service after sundown on Holy Saturday, April 11, the evening before Easter Sunday
4. The final period, called **Mystagogy**, is not the end, but rather the beginning of your life as a fully initiated disciple! We will gather a few times during the Easter Season (the 50 days after Easter) to help launch us into the next step of our faith journey and the rest of our lives as Catholic disciples of Christ.

Next Steps

Let us know of your interest, and we will put you in touch with an RCIA Team Member. They will meet with you to share details about the process, and answer any questions you might have. Contact Susan Lindsay at selindsay22@yahoo.com or call the parish office: 708-352-0168.

* Additional details, and the complete article can be found at www.sfxlg.org, under Parish/Sacraments/Becoming Catholic.





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 Tschakovsky 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 in the Military Overseas...
and please let us know when friends and loved ones
return from their deployment Overseas.
Email the bulletineditor@sfxlg.org.**

St. Francis Xavier Personnel

Pastoral Ministry

Pastor
Deacon
Pastoral Associate
Retired Weekend Sacramental Minister
Weekend Sacramental Minister

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Religious Education Office Staff

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

Mrs. Jennifer Zeisloft
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Mrs. Melissa Westerhoff
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Food Pantry/Community Outreach

Coordinator

Mrs. Mary Freeman

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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 Friday8:30 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.

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

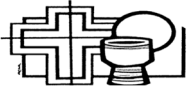
Please call the Parish Office for scheduled 1:30 pm Sunday Baptismal dates. Baptism Preparation Classes: 4th Thursday of every month at 7:30 pm. We encourage participation in this program before the baby's birth or adoption.

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.



Liturgical Ministers' Schedule—August 3 & 4, 2019

Mass Time	Presider	Lectors/ Commentators	Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers	Cantors	Greeters
5:00 PM	Fr. Hoffman	K. Prenger D. Mulvenna D. Veverka	M. Becker K. Corrigan S. Devitt D. Dunlap K. Kanzer C. Witt L. Young Open Open	M. Kachmarik M. Kudlacz Open	K. Kelly	P. Devitt
7:30 AM	Fr. Hoffman	B. Ritchie P. Olson M. Kalkowski	S. Augustyn S. Hayes N. Kalkowski J. Van Gorp D. Walsh	D. Collins C. Shanley M. Kanzer	TBA	C. Urbain
9:00 AM	Fr. Killeen	A. Stowe O. Washburn J. Spearman	D. Sherman M. Branecki V. Bracht J. Cogelja C. Froemel E. Froemel C. Pratali R. Pratali T. Urchell	Q. Filbin J. Nisivaco C. Hull	TBA	D. Sherman
10:30 AM	Fr. Killeen	D. Ankenbruck S. Zlatic T. Serafin	A. Clark J. Clark B. Boyd N. Cummings J. Garreau S. Martin G. Rutkowski B. Sorice Open	A. Brown B. Griffin Open	B. Kalnes	M. Joscelyn
12:00 PM	Fr. Hoffman	L. Freda J. Word E. McGovern	B. Edelmann L. Donegan K. Borawski A. Chimento Open	N. Olson E. Justak Open	TBA	D. Foss

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

Readings For The Week of July 28, 2019

Sunday: Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13
 Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
 Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Mt 13:36-43
 Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Mt 13:44-46
 Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Mt 13:47-53
 Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Mt 13:54-58
 Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12
 Next Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21



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