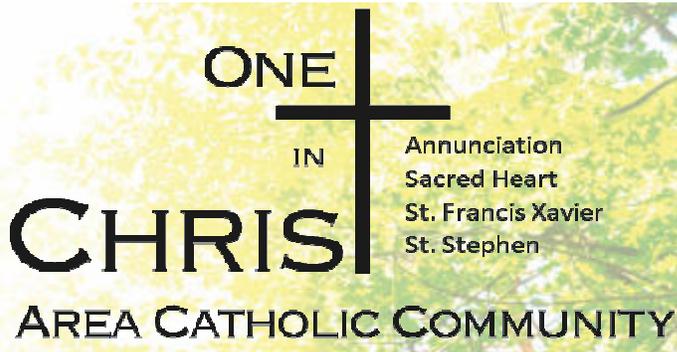
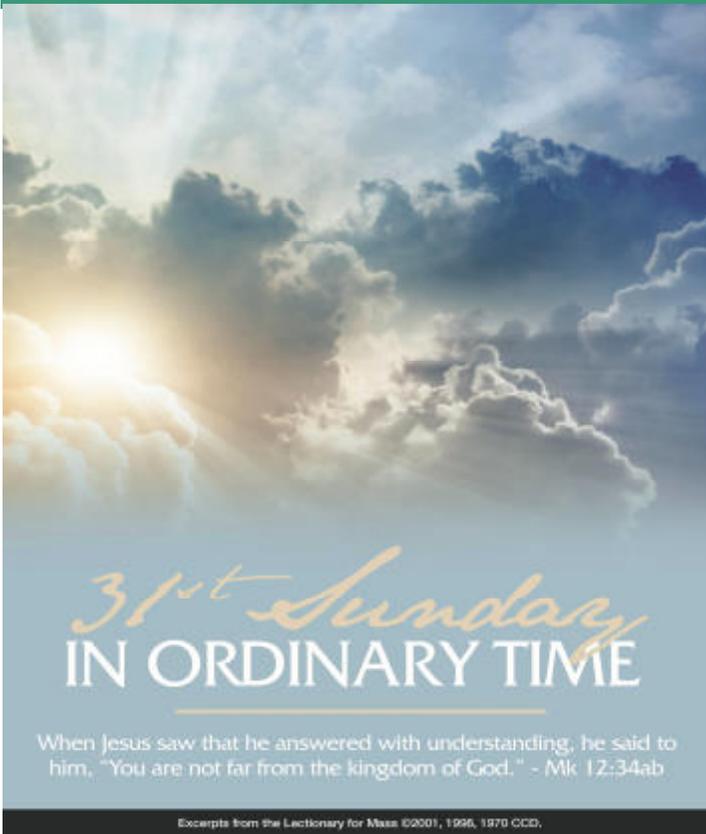


October 31, 2021

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time



Annunciation

9965 Mayhew Lake Road NE • Sauk Rapids, MN 56379
320-252-1729 • oneinchristacc.org

Sacred Heart

2875 10th Avenue NE • Sauk Rapids, MN 56379
320-251-8115 • sacredheartsaukrapids.org

St. Francis Xavier

219 2nd Street N, PO Box 150 • Sartell, MN 56377
320-252-1363 • sfrancissartell.org

St. Stephen

103 Central Avenue S • St. Stephen, MN 56375
320-251-1520 • churchofststephen.org

MASS TIMES

Monday Nov 1 All Saints	8:30 am 8:30 am 6:30 pm	St. Francis Xavier Annunciation St. Stephen	† Darlene Bidinger † Ray & Virginia Brand † Stephen Hlebain
Tuesday Nov 2 All Souls' Day	8 am 5:30 pm 5:30 pm	St. Francis Xavier St. Stephen Sacred Heart	† Jim Gonsior † MaryAnn & Stanley Legatt † Mass of Remembrance
Wednesday Nov 3 St. Martin de Porres	8 am 8 am	Sacred Heart St. Francis Xavier	† Marjorie Johannes † Michael Freihammer
Thursday Nov 4 St. Charles Borromeo	8 am 8 am 8:30 am	St. Francis Xavier St. Stephen Annunciation	† Lammerson Family † Roger Trobec † Lavigna & Lawrence Pakarek
Friday Nov 5 Weekday	8 am 8:30 am	Sacred Heart St. Francis Xavier	† Romaine Connor † Lynn & Gene Borgert
Saturday Nov 6 The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	5 pm 5 pm 7 pm	Sacred Heart St. Francis Xavier St. Stephen	† Hilary Stellmach For the People of the Parishes † Tony Smoley
Sunday Nov 7 The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:15 am 9 am 9:30 am 10:00 am	Annunciation *Sacred Heart *St. Francis Xavier St. Stephen	For the People of the Parishes † Paul Robak † Tom Fischer † Ivan Fiedler

* Livestreamed Mass

PASTORAL SERVICES

Reconciliation
Saturdays 3:30 pm Sacred Heart
 4 pm St. Francis Xavier
 7:50 pm St. Stephen
Sunday 7:40 am Annunciation

Anointing of the Sick
Home Bound Communion
Pastoral Visitation, Prayer Requests,
Marriage and Baptism Preparation

If you have any of the above pastoral needs, please contact your Parish Office.

Bulletin announcements are due in the parish office by 8 am on Mondays. Thank you! Please contact your Parish Office for more information.

DAILY READINGS

Monday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6
[cf. 6]/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Tuesday: Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
[1 or 4ab]/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40a

Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9
[5a]/Lk 14:25-33

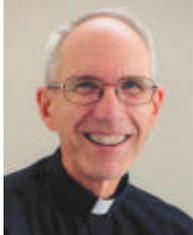
Thursday: Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14
[13]/Lk 15:1-1

Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4
[cf. 2b]/Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5,
10-11 [1b]/Lk 16:9-15

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10
[1b]/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

MINISTRY & LIFE PERSPECTIVES



November: Praying for Those Who Have Died

The seasons change; the leaves fall; the days get shorter; the readings at Mass speak of the end of time. It is natural for us in these November days to feel the somber mystery of death, and perhaps to find ourselves remembering those who have gone before us.

The Church responds to this human tendency with words of consoling faith: "I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come." Although this statement is at the end of the Profession of Faith, it is by no means an afterthought or of lesser importance. It is the goal of the entire journey of our faith here. We seek to live with Christ, day by day; one day, to die with Christ; but always so that we might rise with Him and live forever in the communion of all the blessed.

As we celebrate all the saints this week, and pray for all the souls who still await the vision of God on November 2, we spend the month of November in thoughtful remembrance of all who have died. For some, this loss is recent and painful. For others, time has brought some measure of healing and recalling loved ones brings back cherished memories. For all of us, it is good to take some time in prayer to thank God for their lives among us, and to commend them to eternal life. Take the opportunity to think of those who have perhaps faded from memory a bit: grandparents, aunts and uncles, neighbors and friends. Remember what they have taught you, witnessing to their faith in God and their love for family and friends.

But more than personal remembrances, as important as they are, our prayers as disciples of Jesus go farther: to pray for "all those whose faith You [God] alone have known." On All Souls in particular, I think of the many thousands of people who die in our world each day, some even before birth; each is a person made in God's image and called to eternal joy; even those unknown and forgotten are never unknown or forgotten by the Lord and Giver of Life, Who is Love.

We also thank those who minister so faithfully to those who are sick, to those near death, to those who suffer the loss of their loved ones. Pastoral associates, deacons, and priests do so as part of their role on our parish staffs; but there are many others who visit and take Communion to those confined to their homes and in the hospital, nursing homes, and elsewhere. Our servers and sacristans, music ministers, funeral choirs, funeral dinner leaders and crews, office staff, and custodial staff also play important roles as we celebrate the Church's funeral rites and provide hospitality.

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And beyond our parish structures, we are grateful for chaplains, health care professionals, hospice personnel, funeral directors, cemetery personnel, and others whose service supports those in difficult times of life. Thanks to all of you for your part in this work of mercy.

Perhaps most inspiring, it is friends and neighbors and coworkers who reach out spontaneously with those gestures of help and words of kindness. I am always inspired by those who make meals, do chores, and will stand in line at visitations for long minutes to be able to offer a personal word of remembrance and sympathy to those experiencing loss. Those are among the moments that display our humanity at its best.

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Fr. Tom



St. Francis Xavier
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Need a new adventure? Care to join a fun staff and make new friends? Come join us at SFX School! We are in need of a director for our Aftercare Program (after school child care). We are looking for an applicant who is a people person and enjoys working with elementary aged children. If you are ready to join our team, please call our school office @ 320.252.9940 for more information. Come join us!

COATS FOR KIDS



St. Francis Xavier, Annunciation, and Sacred Heart are drop-off sites for Coats for Kids. For 7 years the Knights of Columbus have been collecting coats to distribute to those in need in our community. Donations should be new or gently used (and cleaned) and they can be placed in the box in the gathering place at St. Francis Xavier Church, at Sacred Heart in Sauk Rapids and Annunciation in Mayhew Lake. In addition to coats, other winter apparel is being accepted and it can be for infant through adult sizes. Our community has been generous in supporting this ministry in the past and we are thankful for past donations.



The Knights of Columbus will collect coats until Nov. 30th More info call Tom: 252-0126.



STEWARDSHIP

For more than 10 years, 3 women from St. Francis Xavier have led the efforts to make a monthly meal for Place of Hope Ministries. Covid has placed some bumps

in the road, but over this time Barb, Mary and Marcie have made meals or arranged for others (youth ministry groups, families, KC's, Christian Mothers group, or families) to prepare and serve food for the guests at Place of Hope. Others were invited to help by donating beverages or desserts or bringing something to add to the meal. These meals "fed the hungry" and the servers were joyful in sharing their time in service to those in need. There have been many other helpers over this time and lots of donations of food and money to purchase needed supplies from countless parishioners, but the leadership by these 3 women has kept it going. This is living as a disciple of Christ and fulfilling one our corporal works of mercy – feeding the hungry. Thank you Barb, Mary and Marcie and all who have shared in this ministry.

MARRIAGE BLESSINGS

Congratulations to Kalee Petron and Joe Kleve who were joined in marriage on Fri., Oct. 29th at Mayhew Lake. May the Lord bless them with many happy years together! Please welcome the new couple: *Kalee and Joe Kleve.*



Congratulations and many blessings to Brandon & Chelsea Josephs who were married at Sacred Heart.

Congratulations and many blessing to Elizabeth & Wesley Halseth who were married at St. Francis Xavier.

TRUNK OR TREAT

Trunk or Treat takes place **tonight** from 5:30 - 7:30 PM in the Sacred Heart Parking Lot. Looking forward to seeing everyone dressed up, light refreshments will be served.

ADULT MINISTRY –THEOLOGY ON DRAFT

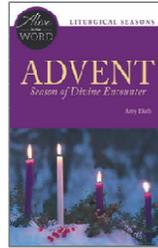
Our third session for Theology on Draft will take place at House of Pizza in Sartell on **Monday**, November 15th (**note the date change**). Come for apps, drinks and discussion from 6:00 - 8:00 PM. It is helpful to let Jason know if you plan on coming, call or text: 320.281.9486

POOR CLARE BENEFIT

The annual Poor Clare Benefit Tea scheduled for October has been cancelled due to the ongoing issues with the Corona Virus.

Because of the cancellation of the event, financial donations can be sent directly to the Poor Clare Monastery, 421 South 4th Street, Sauk Rapids, Minnesota 56379.

ADVENT: SEASON OF DIVINE ENCOUNTER



Advent means arrival or coming. During this sacred season, we actively recall the arrival of Jesus as the Word made flesh, and we joyfully await his final return at the end of the age. But as we remember the past and anticipate the future, we are also attentive to our divine encounters in the present, the ways God "arrives" in our everyday lives. Amy Ekeh's *Advent, Season of Divine Encounter* helps us look closely at three key Scripture passages to recall, recognize, and anticipate the ways God comes into our lives and our world.

Join us at Sacred Heart for a three-part Advent study titled *Advent: Season of Divine Encounter Mondays* beginning on December 6 from 6:30-7:30pm in Room A. **Sign up is required** so please contact Jen Haman with any questions or to sign up for this event.

DONATION DRIVE FOR AFGHAN REFUGEES

In addition to the request for Hygiene, School, Cleaning, Linen, and Kitchen Supplies requested for Afghan Refugees, we are also requesting any Financial Donation you are able to provide to support these families setting into their new homes in the St. Cloud area.

To the attention of Sacred Heart Social Concerns and Dan Joe Kresky - 320.251.8115

DIOCESAN CEMETERIES

On August 25, 2021, one-legged plant stands and flowerpots were removed from Calvary and Sacred Heart Cemeteries in accordance with current cemetery rules. This removal allows for more efficient and complete Fall and Spring grounds cleanup.

These items have NOT been disposed of. Arrangements can be made to have these items returned to you by contacting the Cemetery Office at 320-251-5511. Prearrangement for pickup is necessary.

You may obtain a current copy of the Cemetery Rules and Regulations at the following website: https://stcdio.org/diocesan_cemeteries_office/, or you may pick up a copy at the Cemetery Office. As a future reminder, please mark your calendars to remove your plant stands and flowerpots on or before August 25.

Thank you for your understanding.

Board of Directors

Assumption-Calvary-Sacred Heart Cemeteries



In lieu of an Anointing of the Sick Service, Saint Francis Xavier will be offering the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick on Saturday, November 13 from

10:00 am to 12:00 pm. All you need to do is call the SFX Parish office and sign up for a 10-minute time slot to come in and participate in the Sacrament. SFX is conducting our Anointing in this manner due to COVID concerns. All are welcome. Call Becky or Jane at the Parish Office to sign up.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

33-Day Consecration to St. Joseph Join us for a 33-day Consecration to St. Joseph beginning Sunday, Nov 14, using the book *Consecration to St. Joseph: The Wonders of Our Spiritual Father*. You may do this on your own or as part of a small group that will meet once a week for 5 weeks on Sunday's from 7-8:30 pm. We will gather as a large group to make our Consecration to St. Joseph on Dec. 16. To register please call the St. Stephen Church office (251-1520) by **November 5** so books can be ordered. The cost of the book is \$14. Call Julie Gillen at 320-248-6823 with questions.

SJ CONCERNS HOSTS HOUSING WEBINAR SERIES

Are you concerned about persons impacted by homelessness, the high cost of rent and the scarcity of affordable or supportive housing? Do you want to understand these issues from a variety of perspectives – and make a difference? The SFX Social Concerns Committee will be hosting a monthly Housing Webinar Series offered by the Joint Religious Legislative Coalition on the first Thursday of each month, 6:30-8:00 pm. The topic for November 4th is Homelessness: Understanding Impact, Creating Opportunities. You can join us in Xavier Hall to watch it with a group OR watch it on your own by registering with JRLC at www.jrlc.org. If you have any questions contact Molly Weyrens at stfrancissjcc@gmail.com. December's topic is Racial Equity and Housing.

THANK YOU

Thank you to the sixty-four people who came to donate blood on Monday, October 18, which was held at Shepherd of the Pines Church in Rice. We were credited for sixty-eight units. Many people will greatly appreciate you taking time out of your busy schedule so they can be helped. We would also like to thank the volunteers who helped out to make things run smoothly. May God bless you all for giving of yourself. -Rice Area Blood Drive and the American Red Cross.

BLOOD DRIVE



Sign up and donate blood on Thursday, November 11 from 1:00 – 7:00 pm in the Gathering Place at St. Francis Xavier Church. The Red Cross follows the highest standards of safety and infection control. In accordance with CDC guidelines, all donors are required to wear a face covering or mask. Appt/Info: Call or email Greg at 320-250-9137 or schlossergregory@gmail.com

HEALING FROM GRIEF

Sacred Heart will host Grieving During the Holidays on Sunday, November 14 beginning at 1pm in the Parish Hall. This is an opportunity for those who have experienced loss (either recently or in the past) to talk about grief, self-care and finding hope in God's promise of new life. The session will be led by Jim Otremba, LICSW who will provide handouts and other resources. No registration is necessary; all are welcome.

Have you suffered a significant loss? A death? Beginning Tuesday, November 23 from 4-5:20pm at Sacred Heart, Deacon Joe Kresky will facilitate four free sessions assisting with healing. For questions or to sign up, call or text Deacon Joe at 320-200-4454.

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS



All are invited to this great family event. It takes place on **Sunday, October 31st at 12:00 Noon** at the **St. Stephen Parish Hall**.



Prizes are mainly \$10.00 gift cards to local businesses (with some higher amounts here and there!) along with several door prize drawings, 50/50 raffles along with KC Fall Raffle with several prizes. A hot turkey sandwich lunch is available—**FREE WILL** offerings for the lunch go to Pro-Life causes. The Knights of Columbus are a men's fraternal organization that stand by the principals of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism. *Bishop Trobec Council 5276*—Sartell, St. Stephen, and St. Wendell is active in our communities. We support vocations, family, pro-life and those in need. Recent donations include cash for the St. Stephen and the Franny Flyer 5k/10k/1 mile and Kids 1k Fun Run, donations to youth groups at both parishes, and more. You see the KC's helping with hospitality and serving food at youth events or the Place of Hope. To learn more contact Grand Knight Al Heim (320-267-5988), Tom Offerdahl (320-290-3228), or Jerry Mehr (320-293-5290) or any other Knight you may know.



Have you attended a baptism, first Communion, confirmation, wedding, or ordination? All of these sacraments are supported through the ministries funded by the Bishop's Annual Appeal. Help continue to support these vital milestones of our faith through a gift at www.stcdio.org/annualappeal.

ST. STEPHEN

Contact: Carol Hellmann 320-251-1520
Fr. Ron Weyrens, Pastor

Office Hours: M-F 2:00 - 6:00 pm
ststephenchurchoffice@gmail.com

Faith Formation: Danna Gasperlin 320-251-5066
ststephenfaith@gmail.com

Financial Offerings - Oct 23 & 24

Adult.....	\$ 2,377.00
Plate.....	267.00
World Mission Sunday.....	297.00
TOTAL	\$ 2,941.00

Online Giving Oct 9-22 1,125.00
Weekly Adult offering needed to make budget: 2,500.00



Adoration: Join us on Thursday, **Nov 4**, for Adoration after 8:00 AM Mass. Spend some quiet, prayerful time with Jesus. The church will be open until 4:00 PM.

Mass of Remembrance Sunday, Nov. 7, 10:00 am

Thank you to all who participated in the Public Rosary Crusade in St. Stephen on Oct. 16. It was exciting to see parishioners joining us from St. Anna, Opole, Sacred Heart, Sartell and St. Stephen. Thank you to those who could not join us but still prayed with us. God Bless everyone - Jane Nienaber

Senior Driving Refresher class will be held on Nov. 4 in the Parish Hall from 5:30-9:30 pm. To register, please call Helping Hands Outreach at 320-746-9960 by Nov. 2.

St. Stephen American Legion Auxiliary will have a meeting at the Rusty Nail on Tuesday, November 2, at 7:30 pm.

Thank you for a magnificent event! The Variety Show had unique, fun, memorable and of course entertaining acts. The entire event was well organized. I especially enjoyed the idea of inserting John Denver, Johnny Cash and comedic videos mixed in with all the parish talents. What a great idea! It was also generous of the parish to have refreshments available along with a good will offering site. Most importantly-prayer in historic song honoring the relevance of our nations flag and with the Knights' representation n process. All this reminds us how necessary it is in giving praise, honor, love and reverence for our God, country and service men, women and families. Our freedoms and lives are truly a bountiful gift paid in blood, courage, faith, heroism and LIFE. It was great to see all ages gathering together in celebration of our King and country. Faith & Godspeed! Barb Brenny

The One in Christ ACC Pastoral Council invites you, a **St. Stephen parishioner**, to join the team in developing recommendations for the greater whole of our ACC. Members of the council contribute to planning what is in the best interest of all. Meetings are held every other month at, on a rotation, one of our four parishes, and do not exceed 90 minutes. To learn more, please contact Chuck Spychala, Marie Pangerl or Stef Rothstein. Interested parties should contact the parish office.

Helping Hands Outreach

Senior Exercise class in the Parish Hall, Wednesday & Friday mornings from 9:30-10:30.

Senior Dining - Every Wednesday at Rusty Nail at noon followed by cards. Cost is \$6.00 per meal.

ANNUNCIATION PARISH

Contact: Cindy Gans 320-252-1729
annunciation@cloudnet.com
Fr. Tom Knoblach, Pastor

Faith Formation: Shirley Scapanski 320-259-4941
thekids@cloudnet.com

FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

Income for Sunday, October 24th, 2021

Adult Sunday	\$3,350.00
Visitor	\$4.00
Youth	\$10.00
World Mission Sunday.....	\$215.00
Building Fund	\$50.00
All Saints	\$45.00
Catholic Charities	\$25.00
Thanksgiving	\$25.00
Christmas Flowers	\$25.00
Religious Retirement	\$25.00
Christmas.....	\$50.00
Solemnity of Mary.....	\$25.00
Total Income	\$3,849.00

Sunday 8:15am Mass Schedule

Mon. Nov. 1st, All Saints Day Mass at 8:30am

Lector: Lora Knafla

Eucharist: Rita Knott

Servers: None

Ushers: Dan Bemboom, Barb & Tom Brand, Chuck Wocken

Sun. November 7th, 2021

Lector: Loren Popp

Eucharist: Jean Bemboom, Lori Popp, Rita Knott

Servers: Noah & Cole Lentner

Ushers: Jeff & Lisa Popp, Tim & Renee Thell

Happy Birthday: Christopher Brenny, Mary

Jarnot, Gary Scapanski, Dale Warzecha, Brian

Kahl, Mason Petron, Rober Beauchamp Jr., Mary

Nies, Cassandra Scapanski, Michael Schyma.



Religious Education:

Wed. Nov. 3rd, 6:15pm All Saints Day in the Cemetery

Wed. Nov. 10th, 6:15pm Religious Ed Classes

Wed. Nov. 17th, 6:15pm 2nd Grade Learning Centers

Wed. Nov. 24th, NO Religious Education Classes.

Coats for Kids: There is a collection box in the back of church for donations of any size gently used coats being collected by the Knights of Columbus until Nov. 30th. More info call Tom: 252-0126.

Quilt & Turkey Bingo Sun. Nov. 7th at 1 pm at St. Joseph Parish Hall, Morrill. Lunch will be provided and there will be a bake sale. \$10 for 20 games, \$2 for blackouts.

Time & Talent Sheets If you have filled out sheets, please turn into the parish office as soon as possible.

Cemetery: Reminder that everything in the cemetery needs to be picked up and taken away by Sunday, Nov. 14th in preparedness for winter unless it is attached to monuments.

SACRED HEART PARISH

Contact: Jill Lieser — 320-251-8115, X114
parish@sacredheartsaukrapids.org
Fr. Tom Knoblach, Pastor

Office Hours: Monday – Closed
Tuesday-Friday 8:30am-4pm

FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

Income for week ending October 24, 2021

Adult Collection.....\$13,094.88
Children's Collection.....\$27.00
Improvements..... \$50.00

Weekly adult collection needed to meet yearly budget \$18,500

PARISH GIVING UPDATE

As proposed by the parish Finance Council, we continue to provide a periodical giving update to keep you informed of our financial trends. Regular giving in September was \$69,696 ... about \$5,000 less than August (which had 5 Sundays). We are 16 weeks into our fiscal year. To be able to make our regular budgeted giving and make up for the deficit in our budget, we should be at \$296,000. Our current giving is at \$247,107, a shortfall of \$48,892. (Note that this does not include the extraordinary income from the Fall Festival, and the Finance Council is actively considering our options for the repairs from the hail we experienced in August based on the insurance adjuster's report.) Your continued financial support and our pledge of good stewardship will be crucial as we respond to the mission Christ entrusts to us.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 31; 5:30pm—Trunk or Treat
- November 1; 5:00pm—Men's Group
6:30pm—All Saints Day Mass
- November 2; 6:30pm—All Souls Day Mass
6:30pm—Finance Council
- November 3; 9am—Wednesday Morning Bible Study
1pm—Prayer Blanket ministry
5pm—Faith Formation
5:30pm—Kids' Choir Rehearsal
7:15pm—WNL
- November 4; 6:30pm—Faith Formation Committee
6:30pm—Social Concerns Committee
- November 5; 8:30am—Eucharistic Adoration
11am—Rosary & Benediction
- November 6; 3:30pm—Reconciliation
6pm—Refreshments after Mass
- November 7; 10am—Refreshments after Mass

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you know of anyone who needs our prayers and wants to be put on the following prayer list, please call 320-251-8115: Linda Midas.

Sacred Heart also has a prayer chain. Please call 320-492-9361, 320-252-3401 or the Parish Office at 320-251-8115 if you have a prayer request.

WNL

Back to back Youth Group?! Absolutely! WNL is on this Wednesday November 3rd from 7:15 - 9:00 PM for any student in grades 6 - 12. Join us for a conversation about stress, Baseball, and the Gaga Game of the Week!

HELP NEEDED

Lunds & Byerly's Fundraiser

We are looking for youth, young adults and or adults to help take groceries out on Wednesday November 24th. We need the following shifts covered:

8:00 - 1:00 PM: 2 People

TURKEY BOWL

Save the date for our first annual 'Turkey Bowl'. A Football game featuring young adults (alumni) of Sacred Heart taking on the current students. Game will start at 4:30 PM on Wednesday,

November 24th. Let Jason know if you plan on playing (320.281.9486).

POT LUCK



We are having our church potluck November 6th and 7th after both Masses. Bring something to share and come build community.

Thank you! God Bless, Vicki

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH

October is the Month of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Gathering in the Arts Committee has a rosary display in the Gathering Place.

You are invited to take any of the items on the table; rosaries, pamphlets, etc.

FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

Weekly Collection Budget	\$19,230.77
Collected 10/24/2021	\$16,124.91
Excess (Deficit)	\$(3,105.86)

YTD Collection Budget	\$326,923.09
YTD Collected	\$331,890.30
Excess (Deficit)	\$4,967.21

FRANCIS XAVIER CEMETERY NEWS

Please remove all pots and other items from graves-sites by the middle of next week – November 3rd per cemetery guidelines. Cemetery committee members will be removing any remaining items shortly thereafter and they will be discarded. The single pole plant stands do NOT have to be removed and may be left at the gravesites. Thank you for your cooperation.

CHILDRENS LITURGY OF THE WORD

We are looking for people to help lead Children's Liturgy of the Word. You would rotate Sunday's with the other volunteers. If you are interested in helping lead, this wonderful ministry for our young people, or would like more info, please contact Julie Jacobs at 320-291-2901

Adoration will be on November 8 and November 22 from 4-7pm. Thank you for spending time with Jesus.



Friends in Faith November Meeting
Monday, November 8 – Xavier Hall
5:30 pm
Guest Speaker – Rebecca Calerone
Ministering to those with Dementia/Alzheimer's

We welcome all who are interested in finding out more about becoming a Friends in Faith minister. Any questions please contact Sandee Kremers x1103 or skremers@stfrancissartell.org

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



SFX PARISH STAFF

Parish Office Hours Mon-Friday 8:00 am-Noon, 1:00 pm-4:30 pm

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YOU'RE INVITED

Would you like to meet new people, get creative, have fun and be active in your parish? The Decorating and Gathering in the Arts Committee is looking for new members.

We come together about 6 or 7 times a year to change out the church/gathering place environment. We also coordinate the annual Bling Sale. The time commitment is for you to help 2 or 3 times a year. It is not necessary for you to help every time, unless you want to.

If this sounds interesting to you, please contact one of us.

Candice Koopmeiners 320-654-1350
Shelly Teff 320-249-7955
Geri Blais 320-255-7009
Pam Banjac 320-309-4735

Coffee & Community



Please join us for 1st
Wednesday Coffee & Rolls
on Wednesday,
November 3, after the
8 am Mass.

FAITH FORMATION & PARISH MINISTRIES

Faith Formation Director Gr. 1-5 Melissa Fox
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Choral Director Open

Social Justice Concerns Committee stfrancisjcc@gmail.com

Prayer Line Requests Dorothy Frank 320-333-7427

Liturgy of Word for Children Julie Jacobs 320-291-2901

Parish Nurses Karen Reinholz 320-260-6158
Bev Wiehoff 320-492-0135
Julie Kouba 701-721-5083

Parish Trustee Jeff Eikmeier 320-250-0703

Parish Trustee Kathryn Kelly 320-333-6002

Pastoral Council Chair Mark Kuhl 320-266-1393

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