

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, April 20, 2024**

5:00PM + Tillie Krieger  
+ James Veronese  
+ Margaret Murphy

**Sunday, April 21, 2024—Fourth Sunday of Easter**

9:30am + Neil Napolitan  
+ Matthew Speicher  
+ Mary Zito  
12:00pm + Nicholas Okibiya  
+ Gladys & Hinon Metoyer  
+ People of Haiti & St. Andre Parish, Dufort, Haiti  
+ The people of Saint Augustine ~  
Saint Francis Xavier Parish

**Monday, April 22, 2024**

9:00am + Easter Mass Remembrance

**Tuesday, April 23, 2024**

9:00am + Fr. Joshua Page (living)

**Wednesday, April 24, 2024**

9:00am + Bernice D'Eramo

**Thursday, April 25, 2024**

9:00am + Dorothy & Ralph Chillion

## SUNDAY READINGS

**Readings for the Week (April 22-28)**

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Jn 10:1-10  
Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30  
Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a; Jn 12:44-50  
Thursday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Mk 16:15-20  
Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6  
Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14  
Sunday: Acts 9:26-31; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

## REMEMBER A LOVED ONE

The **2024 Mass book** for Saint Augustine –Saint Francis Xavier is open for Mass Intentions and Memorials.

- Mass Intentions: **\$20.00**
- Bread and Wine: **\$20.00**
- Altar Candle: **\$20.00**
- Sanctuary Lamp: **\$20.00**

Please contact the parish office to arrange an intention for mass or a memorial at 718-638-1880

## WEEKLY MEMORIALS



**The Bread and Wine Memorial Available**  
Please contact the Parish Office



**The Altar Candles Memorial Available**



**The Sanctuary Lamp Memorial Available**

## IN OUR PRAYERS AND REMEMBERED @ MASS

**May God strengthen and give peace to all of our sick parishioners, relatives and friends, especially for:**

|                          |                    |                    |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Sr. Maryann Ambrose, CSJ | Joe Guzman         | Edward McCrory     |
| Maritza Arroyo           | Jenny Hoffman      | Marge Miller       |
| Bob Beaumont             | John Hurtado       | Luna Victoria Pena |
| Dasan Broadnax           | Karen Intintoli    | Andrew Quinn       |
| Estella Chan             | Daniel Joseph      | Suzanne Ramdial    |
| Aida Cuin                | Flavia Langan      | Elsцена M. Rickman |
| Sylvia Garland           | James Leger        | Angel Rosa         |
| Ann Gucwa                | Kenneth Leger      | Robert Schlegel    |
| Denise Keys              | Pricilla Masonette | Anne M. Thompson   |
| David Harrison           | Olga Matinsen      | Dominick Votto     |
|                          |                    | Mary Owens         |

Sarah Hawas Annette Beckworth

and those in Hospitals, Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation facilities and  
for all those who have entered eternal rest, especially

**Neil Napolitan**

**and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace**

## HOLY HOUR—EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Come and join us for Holy Hour at 6:30pm on the 1st Wednesday of each month.

May 1, 2024—Saint Francis Xavier

June 4, 2024—Saint Augustine

July 3, 2024—Saint Francis Xavier

August 14, 2024—Saint Augustine

September 4, 2024—Saint Francis Xavier

October 2, 2024—Saint Augustine

## WHEN DONATING BY CHECK

We are grateful for your sacrifice and generosity. Please remember that until the merger of Parishes is completed checks need to be written to **either** Saint Augustine **OR** Saint Francis Xavier Church.

## Weekly Update from the Pastor

### ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

All through the Lenten season on numerous occasions we spoke about The Annual Catholic Appeal providing needed funds for the various programs that impact the lives of many in the Diocese of Brooklyn and beyond. **The 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal** supports the mission of Saint Augustine ~ Saint Francis Xavier, and the daily work of the Catholic Church in Brooklyn and Queens in ways no one parish can accomplish alone by supporting the following ministries:

*Catholic Youth Ministry Initiative, Catholic Charities; Hospital, College, and Prison Chaplains; Diocesan Vocations Office; Catholic Migration Services; Office of Faith Formation; Bishop Mugavero Residence for infirmed clergy; and the Futures in Education Scholarship Foundation*

For a more complete understanding of how your sacrifice and generous response will be utilized, please see [www.CFBQ.org/ASAVideo](http://www.CFBQ.org/ASAVideo) As a way of widening the circle of those supporting these important ministries, please make a one-time gift or pledge payable over the next 7 months either online with the QR Code below or by completing a pledge card and placing it in the collection today. Remember that many corporations provide matching gifts. Thank you in advance for your sacrifice and generous response in Jesus' name.

### THE EASTER CELEBRATION CONTINUES!

In the midst of our continued celebration of Easter, please keep in mind the children who are being prepared to receive First Holy Communion in the next few weeks. Please pray for them and their families that joining us at Mass, we may all be the very best of witnesses of Jesus' life, death, and resurrection.

As we celebrate, we are mindful of all the parents and catechists who have helped form our children. We are blessed by generous volunteers and parents who have made the Catholic Faith Formation of children a priority.

### MAINTENANCE UPDATE

Happily, we are progressing nicely toward our goal of ensuring that the Parish Office (former Saint Francis Rectory) will safely be available for use in our parish programs. The enormity of the task has at times, made it feel as if it will never end. Gratefully, work is steadily progressing and we anticipate being able to work more efficiently and hospitably by early June. Thank you to all those who have patiently joined with us over the last two years as we were first horrified by the extent of neglect and are now coming closer to a safer space.

May continued Easter joy fill your heart with peace and hope,  
Fr. Frank Tumino  
Pastor

Knock  
and the door will be open unto you  
Adult Baptism - First Communion -  
Confirmation or  
Coming back to Church

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SAINT AUGUSTINE - SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

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You may also go online to [annualcatholicappeal.org](http://annualcatholicappeal.org) to donate today.

PARISH 2024 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL GOAL: **\$69,821**  
Pledged: **\$35,213**  
Committed parishioners and friends: **45**

Envelopes are available in church.

FORMED—FREE



The Wild Goose with Fr. Dave Pivonka  
**Baptism in the Holy Spirit & Fire | Episode 3**

"He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." - Matthew 3:11

Jesus came to baptize us in the Holy Spirit, and the power and grace that comes from baptism in the Holy Spirit changes lives. For the millions of Catholics worldwide who have had this experience it is a transforming grace that brings freedom, peace, and the very presence of God. Unfortunately for many Catholics the term "baptism in the Holy Spirit" is not a term with which they are familiar. In this segment we will discuss what baptism in the Holy Spirit is all about.



- ❖ **Breath of God | Episode 2**
- ❖ **God's Love Poured Out | Episode 1**
- ❖ **The Spirit and Our Lady | Episode 4**



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# ARE YOU REGISTERED?

- Parish Registration is Important. It demonstrates commitment to a particular community of faith. Those baptizing children, forming them in Faith Formation or seeking an extraordinary life of faith should formally register.
- Parish Registration is required in preparing letters of reference and for the completion of Sponsor Forms for those seeking to serve as Godparents for Baptism or Confirmation.
- Registration and weekly support through online giving or weekly envelopes is helpful to us in budgeting for the year.
- Registered parishioners who are donors are provided yearly statements of donations for tax purposes.

## MOTHER'S DAY MASS REMEMBRANCE

Envelopes are available at the doors of Church to provide an opportunity to remember our Mothers, Grandmothers and significant others who have loved us in our lives on Mother's Day with a remembrance in the Masses, May 13– May 17. Please return these envelopes in any collection at Mass by May 4/5.

## JOIN THE GARDEN COMMITTEE

The Reflection Garden & Gardens at Saint Francis Xavier are in great need of garden volunteers to plant and care for the garden. The gardeners each have a section of the Saint Francis Xavier garden that they care for. If you are interested please contact the Parish Office at 718.638.1880.

## DONATIONS FOR THOSE NEEDING FOOD



Donate by scanning the QR code



FOURTH SUNDAY  
OF EASTER  
APRIL 21, 2024

SAINT AUGUSTINE –  
SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER  
ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

225 6th Avenue • Brooklyn, NY 11215

### PASTORAL STAFF

#### PASTOR

Rev. Frank C. Tumino

#### PASTORAL ASSOCIATE/ DIRECTOR OF FAITH FORMATION

Ms. Natalia Parra

#### DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday–Friday

9:30AM-4:30PM

*Parish office temporarily closed to outside visitors due to major construction.*

#### Masses

Saturday—5PM Saint Francis Xavier

Sunday—9:30AM Saint Francis Xavier

Sunday—12PM Saint Augustine

Mon– Thurs—9AM Saint Francis Xavier

\*9:30 Sunday Mass and 9:00AM Wednesday

Masses are live-streamed at [SASFX.org](https://SASFX.org)

#### CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays: 9:30AM

Saturday: 4PM –4:45PM St. Francis

By prior appointment: Please call the parish office.

#### CHURCH OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Saint Augustine: 6th Avenue @ Sterling Place

Saturday tours at 3pm at Saint Augustine!

Saint Francis Xavier: 6th Avenue @ Carroll Street

Monday-Friday from 8:00AM– 12PM.

FIND US ONLINE



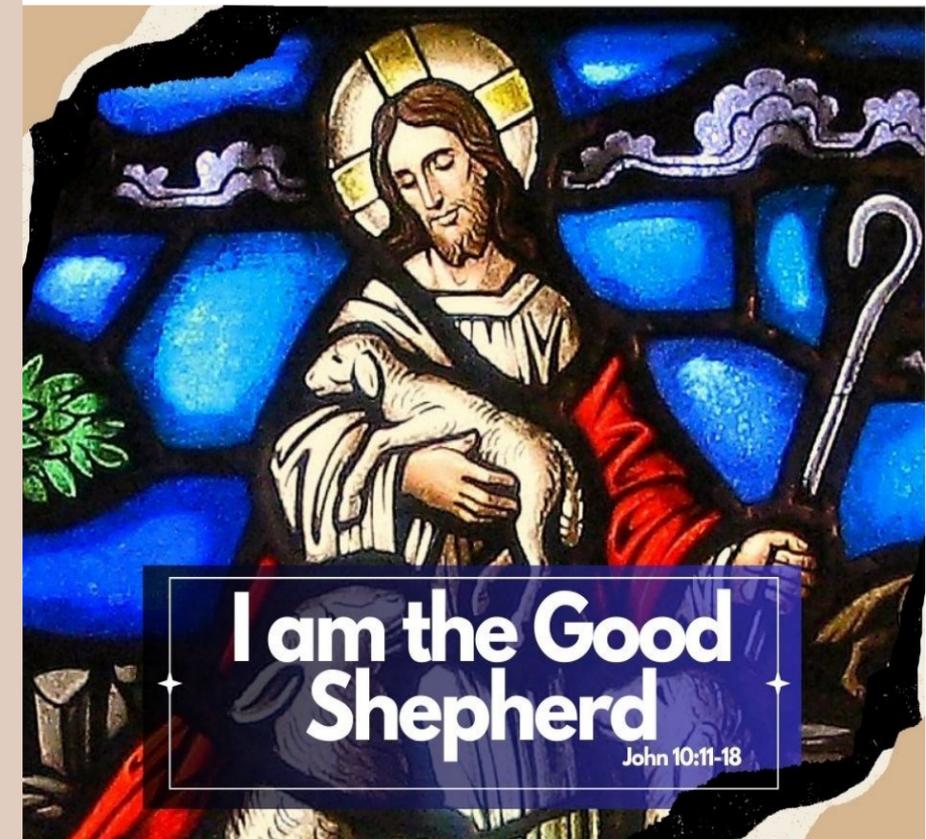
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### WELCOME!

A warm welcome to our parish family and visitors. We are happy that you are here. Please call the parish office or visit [SASFX.org](https://SASFX.org) to register in the parish.

### THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office during business hours for information and to begin the preparation process.

### THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the Parish Office for more information. Requests must be made at least six months prior to date of Marriage.

### PARISH REGISTRATION

All Parishioners must formally register in the Parish by visiting the parish office or online at [SASFX.org](https://SASFX.org). Letters of recommendation and Sponsor Certificates can only be provided for those known to be registered for at least 3 months, supporting and active parishioners and actively living the Catholic Faith.