

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, May 11, 2024**

5:00PM + Lorraine Lozito Meys  
 + The Dethill Family  
 + Martha Veronese Cullen  
 + People of Haiti and St Andre Parish,  
 Dufort, Haiti

**Sunday, May 12, 2024—Seventh Sunday of Easter**

9:30am + Blanche & John Messina  
 + Reverend Richard Reder  
 + Reverend Gregory Stankus  
 12:00pm + Gladys & Hiron Metoyer  
 + The people of Saint Augustine ~  
 Saint Francis Xavier Parish

**Monday, May 13, 2024**

9:00am + Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

**Tuesday, May 14, 2024**

9:00am + Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

**Wednesday, May 15, 2024**

9:00am + Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

**Thursday, May 16, 2024**

9:00am + Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

## 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

## SUNDAY READINGS

**Readings for the Week (May 13-19)**

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Jn 15:9-17

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Pentecost Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

## WEEKLY MEMORIALS



**The Bread and Wine**  
 In Memory  
 Lorraine Lozito Meys



**The Altar Candles**  
 In Memory  
 Lorraine Lozito Meys



**The Sanctuary Lamp**  
 In Memory  
 Lorraine Lozito Meys

## 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
	George Ange	Mary Owens
Sarah Hawas	Annette Beckworth	

and those in Hospitals, Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation facilities and  
 for all those who have entered eternal rest,  
**and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace**

## FAITH FORMATION—MAY 11/12



Donate to FAITH FORMATION



## CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS—MAY 18/19



Support the  
 Catholic  
 Communication  
 Campaign



## Weekly Update from the Pastor

### AS WE CELEBRATE MOTHER'S DAY

Although this is not an official celebration of the Church calendar, today we honor the incredible love and sacrifice of maternal figures in our lives, inspired by our Blessed Mother, Mary, who is the model of motherhood for us as Catholic Christians. During Mass this weekend, we'll offer a special blessing to mothers, grandmothers, godmothers, and all who nurture us. Join us at the 9 AM Mass at Saint Francis Xavier this week to remember loved ones in our Mother's Day Remembrance of Masses. Let's come together in gratitude for the profound impact of motherhood.

### FAITH FORMATION

Last weekend, at the parish masses, children enrolled in the Faith Formation Program at Saint Augustine-Saint Francis Xavier received First Holy Communion. It was a blessing to be with the 17 children who were prepared by their parents: the first teachers of our faith, as well as by volunteer catechists and through the important work of the Faith Formation Program. Each week, adults and children are prepared through the many efforts coordinated by Ms. Natalia Parra who is the Director of Faith Formation, as well as the Pastoral Associate serving Saint Augustine-Saint Francis Xavier. This weekend, Ms. Parra will speak at Masses seeking our assistance in this important work. Congratulations to our young people and their families. May we all develop and continue to deepen our love for the Eucharist as that which feeds us and sends us forth to proclaim the Good News by living holy lives.

### ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Thank you to all those who have made one-time gifts and 7- month pledges to the Annual Catholic Appeal of the Diocese of Brooklyn. 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. For a more complete understanding of where your sacrifice and generous response will be directed, please see [www.CFBQ.org/ASAVideo](http://www.CFBQ.org/ASAVideo). Donations over our goal of \$69,821 will be returned for use at Saint Augustine-Saint Francis Xavier. I would anticipate using these funds for termite protection at Saint Augustine, and for repairs to the Church bathroom at Saint Francis Xavier, which are desperately needed. Thank you for responding to the call of Communion, Participation & Mission.

### PENTECOST IS COMING!

After a joy-filled celebration of Easter, we will celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles and the Church on **Pentecost, May 18/19**. Please consider wearing **RED** to Church as a reminder of this important gift to our faith!

May continued Easter joy fill your heart with peace and hope,

Fr. Frank Tumino

Pastor

**Congratulations on your First Communion**

Our prayerful participation at Mass gives witness to the importance of what we do as we pray each week.

May you stay connected to Jesus by praying with us each week at Mass in your Sunday best!

SAINT AUGUSTINE - SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

Make your donation using your phone today by scanning the following

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

PARISH 2024 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL GOAL: **\$69,821**  
 Pledged: **\$50,495**  
 Committed parishioners and friends: 75

Envelopes to make a one-time gift or pledge payable over the next 6 months are available in church.

**FORMED—FREE**

**Saint Joseph  
Lukas Storyteller**

When things get off to a rough start as Anna, Agnes, Peter and Paul train for a baseball match, Noah shares the story of St. Joseph, helping them to imitate his example and learn the virtue of obedience.



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3. Enter your name and email



**FAITH FORMATION  
VOLUNTEERS  
NEEDED**

GRADES 1-8 2024-2025

- Sacramental Prep
- Catechists
- Substitute Catechists
- Classroom Assistants
- Hospitality
- Door Guard
- Office Assistant

For more information complete the volunteer application here

**HAVE QUESTIONS?  
CONTACT MS. PARRA  
718.857.2903**



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**SEVENTH SUNDAY  
OF EASTER  
MAY 12, 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**

Dr. Michael Kaminski

**PARISH SECRETARY**

Mrs. Mona Tramonte

**PARISH OFFICE**

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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*

**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!

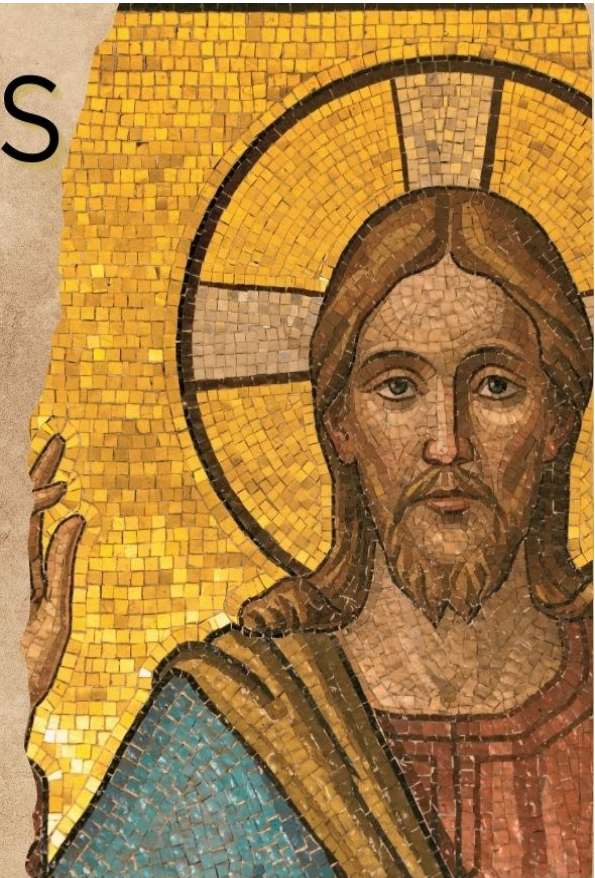
Saint Francis Xavier: 6th Avenue @ Carroll Street

Monday-Friday from 8:00AM– 12PM.

**GOD IS  
Love**

and whoever  
remains in  
love remains  
in God and  
God in him.

1 John 4:11-16



Adult Baptism  
First Communion  
Confirmation  
Coming back to  
Church

**Want to  
become  
Catholic?**

To learn more visit  
sasfx.org/faith-formation

**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**

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
Society of

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BEING CATHOLIC MAKE A COMMITMENT

**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.

**SAINT AUGUSTINE  
ROMAN CATHOLIC  
CHURCH - TOUR**

116 6TH AVENUE  
BROOKLYN, NY 11217

EVERY SATURDAY 3:00PM  
NO REGISTRATION NECESSARY