

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 30, 2024

9:00AM Morning Prayer—Saint Francis Xavier

8:00pm + The People of Saint Augustine—Saint Francis Xavier Parish

Sunday, March 31, 2024—Easter Sunday—

of the Resurrection of The Lord

9:30am + Blanche & John Messina

12:00pm + Nicola Sciacovelli
+ Nicholas Okibiya

Monday, April 1, 2024

9:00am + Easter Mass Remembrance

Tuesday, April 2, 2024

9:00am + Easter Mass Remembrance

Wednesday, April 3, 2024

9:00am + Easter Mass Remembrance

Thursday, April 4, 2024

9:00am + Easter Mass Remembrance

SUNDAY READINGS

Readings for the Week (April 1-7)

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15

Sunday: Acts 4:32-35; 1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31

PASCHAL CANDLE

The Paschal Candle, an image of the light of Christ at Easter and all throughout the year is donated for use:

At Saint Francis Xavier is donated in Memory of

John Piccard, Marion Piccard and Margaret Reilly by Mr. & Mrs. John Piccard

At Saint Augustine is donated in Memory of deceased

members of the Corkhill and Jung families by Marie Corkhill

WEEKLY MEMORIALS



The Bread and Wine
In Memory of
Millie and Charlie
Taranto



The Altar Candles
In Memory of
Nicola Sciacovelli



The Sanctuary Lamp
In Memory of
Nicola Sciacovelli

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	Angel Rosa
Sylvia Garland	James Leger	Claire Scanlon
Ann Gucwa	Kenneth Leger	Robert Schlegel
Denise Keys	Pricilla Masonette	Anne M. Thompson
David Harrison	Olga Matinsen	Dominick Votto
	Helen McCann	Mary Owens
Elsцена M. Rickman	Neil Napolitan	Sarah Hawas

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

May they rest in peace

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

SECOND COLLECTION ON EASTER

The Second Collection for Masses this Easter Weekend is in support of the Senior Priests who faithfully served the Diocese of Brooklyn in their years of active ministry and into retirement.

Thank you for your generous sacrifice to those who have served us!

Weekly Update from the Pastor

GLORIFYING THE LORD BY OUR LIVES

All through the Lenten Season, our prayer, fasting, and works of charity are meant to help us identify and listen to God's voice so that we may follow where God leads us. Regardless of our circumstances, whether we failed in our Lenten sacrifices, are coming back after being away from the Church, or have always been connected to God, the light of Christ leaves no room for darkness.

The days of the Triduum (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday) have allowed us to place renewed interest in the paschal mystery in our midst, that is, the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus. This renewed interest can enable us to love God completely and totally and more readily serve our brothers and sisters in Christ. The purpose of all ministry is to bring others to Christ and, once there, provide strength and renewal so that we may grow ever more profound in the light of Christ, which we celebrate and in which we live and move and have our being.

WE WILL BE KNOWN BY OUR LOVE

Over the last few weeks, especially last week on Palm Sunday, many expressed great excitement in the numbers joining us at Mass. Enlivened by the generous service of the ushers, lectors, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, and choir serving Saint Augustine ~ Saint Francis Xavier, we experienced a prayerful start of the triumph over sin and death that the loving sacrifice of Jesus brings to our lives individually and communally. I am particularly grateful to those whose generosity has helped us proclaim the light of Christ without reservation, especially the members of the Parish Staff.

This week, the Easter Mass Remembrance will enable us to pray for our loved ones with renewed Easter Joy. Gratitude is expressed to those who remembered loved ones with Easter Gifts to the Parish and with the flowers that adorn our already magnificent places of worship.

In the midst of this joy, please join me in praying for those who live in darkness and those held captive by fear.

Please pray for all those whose lives have been so disfigured by hate that they cannot see what God sees in each of us. May our faithful response help us and others to say YES to the light of Christ more easily!

Wishing you and those you love a Blessed Easter,

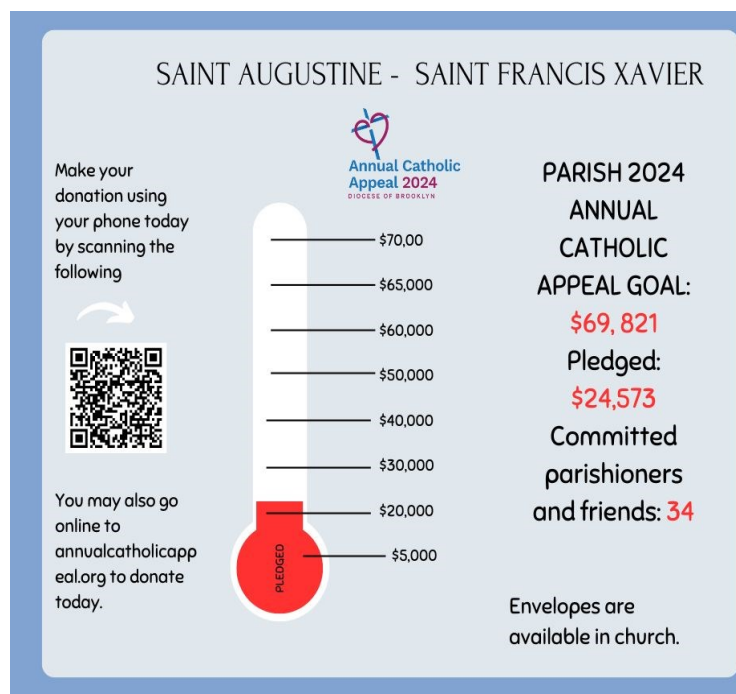
Fr. Frank Tumino
Pastor

EASTER GIFT TO YOUR CHURCH

Those who use envelopes to support Saint Augustine—Saint Francis Xavier can make a gift at Easter by using the envelopes that are provided with their weekly set. Those wishing to make a gift at Easter, can find envelopes in church or for online giving using the QR code provided.

Saint Augustine

Saint Francis Xavier



CONGRATULATIONS—BAPTISM

Congratulations on being made new in Christ
through your baptism at Saint Francis Xavier

❖ **William Jolly**

Child of Samuel and Julie

In asking that your child be baptized, the Church takes this as a pledge that parents or guardians are committed to see to it that this Baptism bears fruit for the Kingdom of God. May we all be witnesses to your testimony.



“The Eucharist Revival is a call back to the heart of the faith so that we can be vessels of Christ in our families, communities, and parishes.”

— U. S. Conference of Catholic Bishops

Diocesan Eucharistic Revival

Saturday, April 20, 2024
9AM to 3PM

Louis Armstrong Stadium at the Billie Jean King
Tennis Center, Flushing Meadows



Bishop Robert Brennan, Bishop of Brooklyn/Queens, will lead this day-long program with youth event, family catechesis, Eucharistic procession, and Mass. This gathering is organized as a special day of unity among Catholics of all cultures and ages. Through the Grace of Jesus Christ and His presence in the Eucharist, we can grow to be better mothers, fathers, children, friends, and neighbors and receive the strength to live our lives in harmony with His will.

The event is free, but tickets are required.

Every parish will receive 50 tickets that will be given out on a first-come, first-serve basis. We anticipate receiving the tickets sometime in mid-March 2024. If you are interested in attending, please call the parish office during business hours (718-638-1880) to make a request to reserve tickets that you can pick up at the rectory. Individuals can request two (2) tickets; families can request up to four (4) tickets.

We will post the agenda on this page soon.

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.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office will be closed for **Easter Monday**. Please feel free to email us if there is something we can help you with and we will try to assist you as soon as possible when we return back to the office on Tuesday April 2.

SPONSOR LETTERS

Letters of recommendation and Sponsor Forms realistically can only be provided for those actively living the Catholic Faith as registered, supporting parishioners at the least attend Sunday Mass weekly.

Please note:

- Those unregistered, not active by praying at Mass, and not living the Catholic Faith cannot receive a form that attests otherwise as the form cannot truthfully be completed.
- Those who attend another church in a different parish should contact the parish where you attend mass on a weekly basis.

DONATIONS FOR THOSE NEEDING FOOD



Donate by scanning the QR code



EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD MARCH 31, 2024

PASTORAL STAFF

PASTOR

Rev. Frank C. Tumino

PASTORAL ASSOCIATE/
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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

Temporarily closed due to construction on 6th Avenue

Saturday tours at 3pm at Saint Augustine!

Saint Francis Xavier: 6th Avenue @ Carroll Street

Monday-Friday from 8:00AM– 12PM.

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SAINT AUGUSTINE – SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

225 6th Avenue • Brooklyn, NY 11215



EASTER SUNDAY
OF THE RESURRECTION
OF THE LORD

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 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. **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.