MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 7, 2024

5:00PM + People of Saint Augustine—Saint Francis Xavier Parish

- + Morris & Josephine Krieger
- + Aloyse Schmit
- + Fr. Floyd Calais

Sunday, April 8, 2024—Second Sunday of Easter—Sunday of Divine Mercy

9:30am + Marion & Joseph Beirne

+ Deacon Jim Ramos

12:00pm + Madeleine Hippert

+ Nicholas Okibiya

Monday, April 9, 2024

9:00am + Anthony Basile

Tuesday, April 10, 2024

9:00am + Klaus Groeger

Wednesday, April 11, 2024

9:00am + Victoria Kalita, Raymond & Walter Kalita

Thursday, April 12, 2024

9:00am + Anthony Basile

SUNDAY READINGS

Readings for the Week (April 8-14)

Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7b-15 Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21 Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36 Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15 Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

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

Altar Candle: \$20.00Sanctuary Lamp: \$20.00

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

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

Sarah Hawas

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

Helen McCann

May her soul, and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace

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

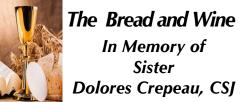
At Saint Augustine is donated in Memory of deceased members of the Corkhill and Jung families by Marie Corkhill

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 MEMORIALS





The Altar Candles
In Memory of
Anna & Sal Garzillo



The Sanctuary Lamp
In Memory of
Joel Maldonado

Weekly Update from the Pastor

HE IS RISEN, HE IS TRULY RISEN!

As we continue to celebrate Easter, we rejoice in Jesus' triumph over sin and death. Called to live in the light of Jesus and as witnesses of His resurrection, the weeks to come continue to celebrate a joy that is meant to motivate us to live more faithfully as imitators of Jesus Christ in thought, word and deed.

We are grateful for all those who by their sacrifice, faith and love celebrated the days of the Triduum and who will continue to join us as we seek to make Jesus known to our community and the greater world.

CONGRATULATIONS AND PRAYERS

At the Easter Vigil, **Ben Coston Augustine Robertson** was fully initiated in our Catholic faith. After beginning his 2-year formation in the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults with the large group of those studying to become faithful followers of Jesus as Roman Catholic Christians, Ben received Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion. In the months to come he will celebrate the Sacrament of Confession. Please keep Ben and his wife Clara, his parents, Danny & Susan, and all their family in your prayers. As Pastor, I am grateful for all those whose faithful witness has inspired Ben and continues to encourage him as he listens to God's call.

JANUARY & FEBRUARY FINANCIAL REPORT

Even in the midst of our Easter joy, the realities of running a parish are always present. Here is a statement of income and expenditures for the two individual parishes that await consolidation in the near future. Hopefully these numbers indicate that while our registered and supporting parishioners sacrifice and support Saint Augustine and Saint Francis Xavier, our expenses exceed income.

It is significant that sadly, the report below shows that there are no properties at Saint Augustine left to provide rental income. In the same way, there are few investments. In contrast, Saint Francis Xavier has the benefit of a lease with the Department of Education, but the enormity of the deferred maintenance that requires attention at both Saint Augustine ~ Saint Francis Xavier is a serious concern for both. The stark reality is that without caring for the buildings entrusted to our care by our predecessors, there will be no physical center for our prayer and service. In short, failing to take care of our places of prayer will mean no opportunity for outreach to the community. Outreach without care or responsibility for the buildings supporting the parish threatens the future of any parish. Thank you to all those whose sacrifice, support and care are helping us to grow closer to doing BOTH.

Wishing you, and those you love a Blessed Easter,

Fr. Frank Tumino Pastor

Net Income(loss)

	ST AUGUSTINE		ST FRANCIS			
	January	Febuary	January	Febuary		
INCOME	AMOUN	AMOUNT		AMOUNT		
Sunday Collections	11,007	9,709	18,042	18,292		
Rental Income	0	0	169,957	170,607		
Donations & Programs	855	2,943	8,930	3,712		
Investments (interest)	102	93	2,544	2544		
	11,964	12,745	199,473	195,155		
OPERATING EXPENSES	AMOUN	AMOUNT		AMOUNT		
Office Administration and Salaries	4402	3035	47,927	51,839		
Utilities	2,433	1,598	3,556	7,468		
	6,835	4,633	51,483	59,307		
MAJOR REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	AMOUN	ı r	AMO	UNT		
CHURCH AND RECTORY	0	0	109,874	60,054		
SCHOOL	Ö	Ö	0	39,577		
	0	0	109,874	99,631		

DIOCESAN RESPONSIBILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
INSURANCE	9,723	9,723	11,923	11,923
ASSESSMENT	1,692	1,692	1,950	1,950
ST ELIZABETH ANN SETON FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION & SCHOOLS	417	417	16,666	16,666
ST JOHN VIANNEY	179	179	179	179
GOOD SHEPHERD	413	413	413	413
PENSION - PRIEST & STAFF (ACTIVE & RETIRED)	1,168	1,168	5,700	5,700
	13,592	13,592	36,831	36,831



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.

SPONSOR LETTERS

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

JOIN OUR GARDEN COMMITTEE

The Reflection Garden & Gardens at Saint Francis Xavier are in great need of garden volunteers. 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





SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY) **APRIL 7, 2024**

SAINT AUGUSTINE -SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

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

225 6TH AVENUE, BROOKLYN, NY 11215

Phone: 718-638-1880 **Email:** Info@sasfx.org **Fax:** 332-334-4642

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.

FIND US ONLINE



ROMAN CATHOIC CHURCH

225 6th Avenue • Brooklyn, NY 11215



Sunday of Divine Mercy April 7, 2024

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.