

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 12- Vigil Mass for Sunday

5:00PM + Madeleine Hippert
+ Sharon Licorish (living)
+ The People of Saint Augustine ~
Saint Francis Xavier

Sunday, October 13—The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30am + Blanche and John Messina
12:00pm + Victor Santos
+ Monday, October 14, 2024 + St. Calistus
9:00am + Deceased members of the Capuano and
Tumino Family

Tuesday, October 15, 2024 + St. Teresa of Jesus

9:00am + For all Priests

Wednesday, October 16, 2024 + St. Hedwig & St. Margaret Mary

9:00am + Lorraine Canario

Thursday, October 17, 2024 + St. Ignatius

9:00am + Shamus Greegan

Mass Intentions are available

To have a Mass celebrated for a personal intention or remembrance please call the parish office on 718.638.1880

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Readings for the Week (October 14–20)

Monday: Gal 4:22–24, 26–27, 31—5:1/Lk 11:29–32

Tuesday: Gal 5:1–6/Lk 11:37–41

Wednesday: Gal 5:18–25/Lk 11:42–46

Thursday: Eph 1:1–10/Lk 11:47–54

Friday: 2 Tm 4:10–17b/Lk 10:1–9

Saturday Eph 1:15–23/Lk 12:8–12

Sunday: Is 53:10–11/Heb 4:14–16/Mk 10:35–45 or 10:42–45

Daily readings and reflections can be found at <https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading>

WEEKLY MEMORIALS



The Bread and Wine
In Honor of
Sharon Licorish
on her Birthday



The Altar Candles
Memorial available by
calling the
Parish Office



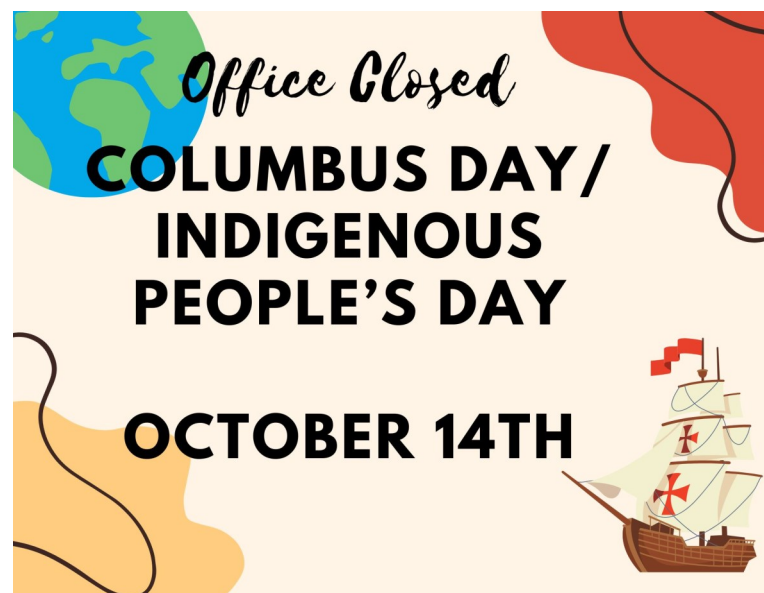
The Sanctuary Lamp
Memorial available by
calling the
Parish Office

IN OUR PRAYERS AND REMEMBERED @ MASS

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

George Ange	Sarah Hawas	Edward McCrory
Maritza Arroyo	Jenny Hoffman	Mary Owens
Dasan Broadnax	John Hurtado	Luna Victoria Pena
Estella Chan	Daniel Joseph	Andrew Quinn
Aida Cuin	Denise Keys	Suzanne Ramdial
Edna Fialo	Flavia Langan	Elsцена M. Rickman
Sylvia Garland	James Leger	Angel Rosa
Eileen Garone	Kenneth Leger	Robert Schlegel
Ann Gucwa	Pricilla Masonette	Anne M. Thompson
Joe Guzman	Olga Matinsen	Dominick Votto
David Harrison		

and those in Hospitals, Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation facilities,
for all those who have entered eternal rest,
and for the consolation of their family and friends.
May they Rest in Peace



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

COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Last weekend I wrote about the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. In brief, I sought to remind us that the antiquated term *'last rites'* although possibly the last rite celebrated as a Catholic Christian may fail to acknowledge the importance of a continuous living of a life of faith. Ideally, the Sacraments of Healing; Confession and Anointing of the Sick are meant to help us on our individual and collective journey of faith.

Sadly, often we hear of people who were weekly, or even daily participants at Mass who as they experienced illness, were no longer able to pray at Mass. Meeting this important need, the Church provides for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) to pray will and bring holy communion to those who for serious reasons are homebound.

To arrange communion for a sick member of Saint Augustine ~ Saint Francis Xavier Parish, please contact the Parish Office. I will arrange to anoint those who are homebound, bring communion and make arrangements for an EMHC to bring communion thereafter. With the help of our generous Extraordinary Ministers, even a one-priest parish can effectively serve those who are homebound assuring them of our connection in Christ.

SAYING AMEN AS ONE RECEIVES THE BODY OF CHRIST

With increasing regularity, although I believe I remind those gathered in prayer of the significance of saying AMEN as one approaches to receive holy communion, I find that people are still silent. This is concerning because a Catholic Christian should be properly prepared and formed to know how to receive holy communion.

Just last weekend for example, as a person approached to receive, their response of "thank you" and general uneasy demeanor caused me to question the similar lack of response from the next person on line. His response was that although not a Catholic, he has taken "It" before....Certainly not a person with ill intentions, it is certainly an issue to be addressed.

Since Holy Communion is not offered to non-Catholics, as well as those Catholics not in a state of grace, it is important to ensure that we recognize that addressing those not able to receive communion for any reason enables us **together** to find a suitable remedy. Failure to address the issue does not afford us the opportunity to speak of the variety of programs in the OCIA process which helps those praying with us to share more fully in the life of the Church.

For clarity, those not able to receive Holy Communion are most welcome to pray with us. Those unable to receive should remain in their place in prayer. At the end of Mass, at the final blessing, a blessing is imparted to all present in hopes that the unity of Jesus Christ will be revealed to the world He came to save.

With gratitude for the opportunity to offer some clarification in hopes of helping to form those at prayer.

Fr. Frank Tumino
Pastor



**JOIN OUR
ADULT
CHOIR**

SAINT AUGUSTINE - SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

**SEEKING
NEW
VOICES**

contact Dr. Michael Kaminski
mkorganist@aol.com

THE CHOIR
SINGS AT 9:30AM
SUNDAYS
& SOME 12:00PM
REHEARSALS ARE
WEDNESDAY
EVENINGS

ALL VOLUNTEERS MUST BE TRAINED
IN SAFE ENVIRONMENT

**WORLD
MISSION
SUNDAY**

OCTOBER
20








FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY

If you CAN... CAN you please?
Our pantry is low again. With the reduction of Federal Funding to those in need, our count has increased. We assisted over 30 families last Wednesday. Refugees and asylum seekers are now a frequent part of those we assist. That is why we need YOU! Non-perishable food donations can be left at the altar at Saint Francis Xavier Church. They can also be dropped off at the parish office.

Any non-perishables are appreciated. Examples: Canned vegetables, canned tuna, mac & cheese, cereal. Thank you so much for your help.

Monetary donations can be made by scanning the QR code, going to our website. <https://sasfx.org/ministries/st-vincent-de-paul> or mailing a check to Saint Augustine - Saint Francis Xavier - 225 6th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11215



"I WAS HUNGRY, I WAS THIRSTY, I WAS A STRANGER, I WAS NAKED, I WAS SICK - AND YOU CARED."



SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING - VOLUNTEERS



- All volunteers must be vetted before they can begin their service.
- The first step in this process is to fill out the form by scanning the code.



Our Pastoral Associate, Ms. Natalia Parra, will contact you once you complete the volunteer form.

We are so grateful to God for your generous spirit!



**COMING SOON?
PARENTS
REGISTER NOW
FOR BAPTISM
CLASS**

*YOU DO NOT HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL THE BIRTH OF YOUR CHILD TO ATTEND BAPTISM CLASS.

Scan here to learn more

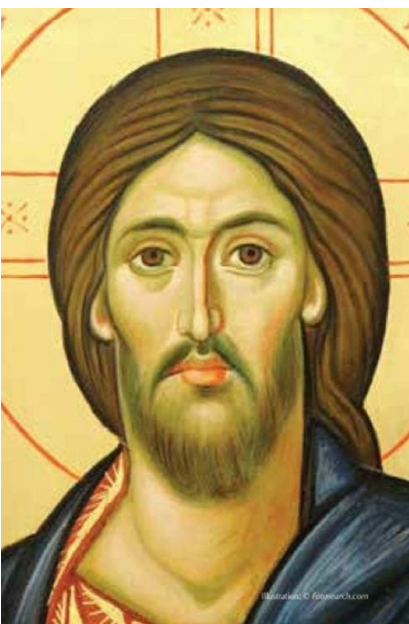
FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

Interested in volunteering?



Contact us!



Prayer for Vocations

God Our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve your Son's Kingdom as priests, deacons, and consecrated persons. Send your Holy Spirit to help others to respond generously and courageously to your call.

May our community of faith support vocations of sacrificial love in our youth and young adults. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

Amen



Secretariat of Clergy, Consecrated Life and Vocations
www.usccb.org/vocations
www.usccb.org

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1. Go to [FORMED.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup)
2. Enter 11215
3. Enter your name and email

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Brother Francis
Sacramental Preparation
Opening

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 13, 2024

SAINT AUGUSTINE – SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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 Francis Xavier: 6th Avenue @ Carroll Street

Monday-Friday from 8:00AM– 12PM.

Saturday Church Tours

Saint Augustine: 6th Avenue @Sterling Place

Contact the Parish Office to register!

FIND US ONLINE



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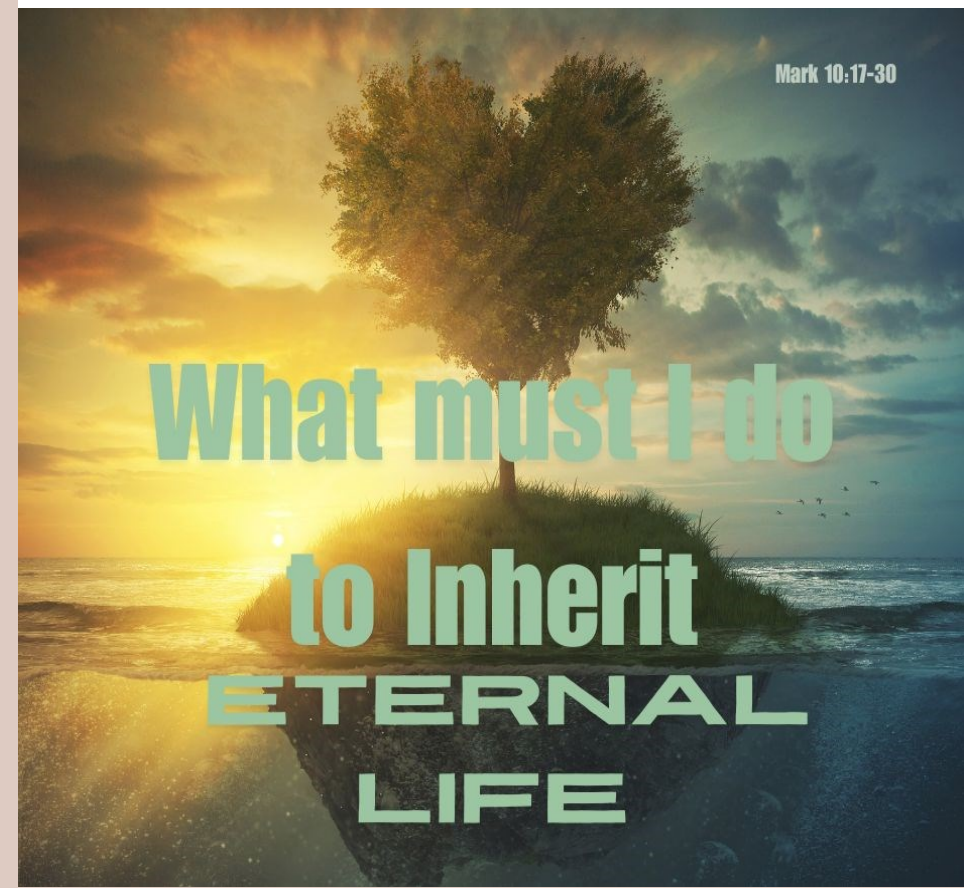


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Mark 10:17-30

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.