

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 7, 2018

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER



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MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY:

SUNDAY:

TUESDAY:

WED-THURS:

HOLYDAYS:

FRIDAY:

VIGIL - 5:00 PM

8:00 AM & 11:00 AM

OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA- 5:00 PM

6:30 AM IN CONVENT

9:00 AM & 6:00 PM

SCHOOL MASS 9:00AM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM IS CELEBRATED ON THE 4TH SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH (NO BAPTISM DURING LENT). BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASS IS HELD ON THE THURSDAY BEFORE BAPTISM AT 6PM. THIS CLASS IS MANDATORY. PLEASE REGISTER AT LEAST ONE WEEK IN ADVANCE OF THE CLASS THROUGH THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE OR THE PARISH OFFICE.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION IS CELEBRATED ONE HALF HOUR BEFORE EACH WEEKEND MASS.

MARRIAGE LAW OF THE DIOCESE REQUIRES A SIX MONTH PREPARATION PERIOD BEFORE MARRIAGE.

COUPLES MUST ATTEND A PRE-MARRIAGE SEMINAR. IN THIS DIOCESE THERE ARE NO EVENING WEDDINGS ON SATURDAY IT IS NECESSARY TO SEE THE PRIEST BEFORE SETTING A DATE.

CARE OF THE SICK: PLEASE CALL THE PRIEST FOR THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK AND /OR HOSPITAL VISITATION. IF THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK IS CRITICALLY NEEDED, PLEASE CALL REV. EDWARD CHIFFRILLER NUMBER LISTED ABOVE OR THE CHAPLAINCY OFFICE AT THE HOSPITAL.

FUNERALS: PLEASE CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE BEFORE SETTING A DATE AND A TIME FOR A FUNERAL.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES ARE EVERY SUNDAY FROM 9:30AM TO 10:30AM.

RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION) CLASSES ON SUNDAY FROM 9:30A.M. TO 10:45A.M. PLEASE CALL THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE AT 225.343.3075

Welcome to St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, Baton Rouge, LA



Welcome: You enter this Church not as a stranger, but as a guest of God. He is your heavenly Father. Come, then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Be grateful to the strong and loyal ones who, in the name of Jesus Christ, built this place of worship, and to all who have beautified it and hallowed it with their prayers and praise. Ask His blessing on those who love His house of faith as the inspiration of their labor, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit, and may that blessing rest on you, both on your going out and your coming in.

PSR NEWS

The Rise of Black Catholic Organizations

1891 – The Sisters of the Blessed Sacraments were founded to minister to American Indians and African Americans. The foundress, St. Katharine Drexel (canonized in 2000), spent her entire \$20 million trust inheritance on her mission of educating the poor and oppressed among African Americans and American Indians.



THE 5th ANNUAL SFX TRUNK OR TREAT

The 2018 SFX Trunk or Treat will be:
School Parking Lot
Saturday, October 13, 2018 from 6-8pm

•We are seeking sponsors-ministries, businesses, families, and/or individuals- for the following activities:

1. Mini Ferris wheel - \$300
2. DJ - \$100

3. Bounce House - \$200

4. Balloon artist, Face painter-\$250

All donations will be appreciated. Envelopes are on the back table. Please place them in the collection basket.

•If you would like to host a Trunk, contact Brandi Perkins Howard at 225 978-2544

Stewardship

Will return next week



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Let the children come to me;
do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God
belongs to such as these.

— *Mark 10:14*

Mass Intentions for Oct. 6 - 9, 2018

Saturday 5:00 Grace Ricard Honore
By: The Honore Family

Sunday 8:00 Lester Paul Gauthier
*By: Edward, Mary, Michael,
Danna & Damion*

11:00 Emily Rose Louis
By: Denise Williams

Tuesday 5:00 People of the Parish

PRAY FOR US

Richard Camble, Jr.
Zula Comeaux
Diane Edwards
Ora Lee Jordan
Frazier Jordan
Elizabeth Whitfield
Rosemary Daniels
Zelda Bates

Wanda Nelson
John Paul Moore
Loriene Perry
Martha Proctor
Maria Rice
Whitney Robiho
Shelvia Stewart
Mary Johnson
Judy Franklin

Walter Lewis
Catherine Murray
Joyce Decuir
Cenia Richard
Vivian LeDuff
Rebecca Nelson
Mildred Anderson
Charles Taylor
Myrtle Moran



Through trials and tribulations, by God's grace, we triumph!

Centennial Corner

Did you know?

Did you know that in October 1991, Father William Norvel was appointed the 14th pastor of St. Francis Xavier, and the first African American priest to hold the position?

Mark your calendars for the following activities celebrating our 100 years.

Date	Activity	Place	Time
October 6-7	S. F.X. T-Shirt Day	If you wear a T-shirt please bring 2 non-perishable food items.	
October 28	Opening of Corner Stone	Steps of Church	After 8 & 11:00 mass
December 30	Closing Mass	SFX	10:30am
December 30	Gala - \$75pp	Belle of BR Atrium	6:00pm

Centennial Cookbooks can now be purchased online by going to the church website, at www.stfrancisxavierbr.org.

**Become a part of history and purchase your Centennial ad Now. Mail in your completed ad, the order form and payment. Also, submit completed ad via email at: sfx100years@gmail.com. Blank forms can be picked up at the back of the church
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Centennial Choir

If you are interested in singing in the Centennial Choir for the closing mass please print your name and cell phone number on the sign-up sheet at the entrance of the church. The practice schedule is listed below so that you can arrange your schedule.

All practices will start promptly at 6:30 except Saturday December 29 which starts at 10:00 a.m.

October 1	Monday	December 5	Wednesday
October 10	Wednesday	December 10	Monday
October 29	Monday	December 26	Wednesday
November 7	Wednesday	December 29	Saturday 10:00 a.m.
November 12	Monday		
November 26	Monday		

A Call to all Parishioners to wear purple and pink in October!!

We will have Purple Power Sunday at Masses on October 20/21 and Worship in Pink at Masses, October 27/28. Show your support for those who are impacted by domestic violence (by wearing purple) or touched by breast cancer in some way (by wearing pink) to Mass on those Sundays. Remember - Purple October 20/21 and Pink the following weekend October 27/28.