

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER



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MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY:	VIGIL ~ 5:00 PM
SUNDAY:	8:00 AM AND 11:00 AM
TUESDAY:	OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA~ 5:00 PM
WED ~THURS:	6:30 AM IN CONVENT
HOLYDAYS:	9:00 AM AND 6:00 PM
FRIDAY:	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 TUESDAY AT 6:00 P. M . PLEASE CALL THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE.

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.

LIFE IN THE TRINITY

The name of the Trinity is, without a doubt, the most familiar sacred name to us. We speak it every time we make the sign of the cross, and it forms the heart of our Creed. Trinity Sunday is a good day, however, to stop and reflect on the unique role of each of the three persons we name so often in the Trinity and in our own lives. When we celebrate the Eucharist on Sunday, we come together as the Body of Christ through our baptism, and through the power of the Holy Spirit we offer the whole prayer of the Mass to God the Father. This presence of the Trinity does not stop when we leave church on Sunday. We are—always and everywhere—members of the Body, and every thing we do as members of that Body is empowered by the Holy Spirit, all of it offered to the glory of our loving Father.

Take a moment each day this week to reflect on how the persons of the Trinity were present to you during the day, and how other people came to see the presence of the Trinity in your witness to the Good News.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The liturgy seems reluctant to return to Ordinary Time from the joys of Easter, and so the festivities extend to today's celebration of the mystery of God's relationship to us as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The Gospel today centers the question of our relationship with God in the struggle of Nathaniel to believe that it is possible to experience "rebirth" in the Spirit. The answer of Jesus is that God's response to the messes of this world is the mystery of saving love in Jesus Christ and the outpouring of an empowering Spirit.

Western church architecture often tops a church building with a spire, indicating humanity's reach to a transcendent God. The Eastern Church responds with onion-shaped domes, indicating the Spirit's being poured down upon humanity precisely at this locale, the gathering of the faithful for the Divine Liturgy. This familiar design encodes a great mystery: here, at the Lord's table, we experience the outpouring of the Spirit for the life of the world. Nathaniel came to Jesus by night, since he was still working out the meaning of his life. A life attuned to the inner life of the Trinity must always be given to the light of day.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD, merciful and gracious, rich in kindness and faithfulness (Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9).

Psalm — Glory and praise for ever! (Daniel 3).

Second Reading — Brothers and sisters, rejoice. Live with one another in peace, and the God of peace will be with you (2 Corinthians 13:11-13).

Gospel — God did not send the Son to condemn the world, but to give it abundant life (John 3:16-18).

Parish Directory

We intend to publish the name, address, phone numbers and email address of all our parishioners in our pictorial directory. If you do not want this information published please contact the church office at 383-3479.

ON A SUMMER'S DAY

Rest is not idleness, and to lie sometimes on the grass under trees on a summer's day, listening to the murmur of the water, or watching the clouds float across the sky, is by no means a waste of time.

Mass Intentions for June 14 - June 17, 2014

Saturday	5:00	Grace Ricard Honore <i>By: Honore Family</i>
Sunday	8:00	Felician Bellard <i>By: Bellard Family</i>
	11:00	Enoch Carriere <i>By: Madison Family</i>
Tuesday	5:00	Enoch Carriere <i>By: Dorothy Wilson</i>

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	The Most Holy Trinity; Father's Day
Monday:	Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time
Thursday:	St. Romuald
Saturday:	St. Aloysius Gonzaga; Summer begins

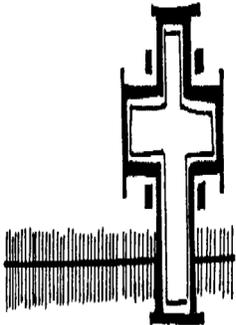
<p><u>Stewardship</u> <u>June 8, 2014</u></p> <p>Regular Collection \$9,425.75</p> <p>Parish Needs \$147.00</p> <p>School Support \$20.00</p> <p>Food Bank \$50.00</p>
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Mobile Food Pantry
St. Francis Xavier will be the distribution site for the Mobile Food Pantry sponsored by the Baton Rouge Food Bank and Together Baton Rouge. The dates for the distribution of free food will be June 21 and August 23. Volunteers are needed to distribute the food.

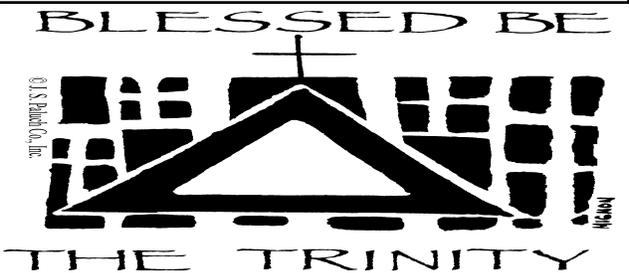


St. Francis Xavier Food Bank: is in need of non-perishables to assist the needy in our community. Please donate: Canned Corn, Peas, String Beans, Carrots, Fruit, Chili, Pasta, Grits, Cereal, Tuna, Rice, Bread, Soup, Tissue, Soap, Tooth Paste, Deodorant, etc.

URGENT CARE CLINIC
OPEN 24 HOURS / 7 DAYS A WEEK
 Located at the North Clinic
 5439 Airline Hwy
 Walk-ins Welcome
 LSU Patient Help Line: 1-877-578-8255
 Www.LSUHealthBR.com



The Most Holy Trinity
June 15, 2014
 God so loved the world
 that he gave his only Son.
 — John 3:16a



Male Chorus rehearsal will be Wednesdays at 7:00. If you have any questions please contact Kenney Williams @ 755-0374

The annual summer retreat is schedule for the weekend of July 25, 26 & 27, 2014 at the St. Joseph Abbey Retreat Center, Covington, LA. We encourage you to consider taking this weekend for yourself, especially if you have not previously attended a retreat. The cost for the weekend is \$160 which includes five meals and two nights. Deposit of \$25.00 is due by May 18 to reserve your space. We are limited to 40 participates. Final payment is due by July 13. Checks should be made to SFX and sent to Norma Duell, 2924 Juban Ave, BR 70805

FATHERHOOD
 When a father gives to his son, both laugh; when a son gives to his father, both cry.

On your journey in life, listen to the Father, Son and Spirit, for guidance toward a life of fulfillment and happiness. Then if you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Matt Dupre at 225.336.8778, mdupre@diobr.org.

SFX Men's Club Invites you to join the
2014 Men's Day
Mass and Luncheon

Sunday, June 22nd 2014
Mass at 11:00 am
Luncheon to Follow



St Francis Xavier Catholic Church
 1132 Julia Street
 Baton Rouge, LA 70802

*Tickets are \$25 per person

PRAY FOR US: Geraldine Bell, Bernadine Bouligny, Richard Camble, Jr., Zula Comeaux, Diane Edwards, August Frank, Olivia Gauthier, Louise Haynes, Patsy Irvin, Dominique Jacger, Ora Lee Jordan, Wilbert Jordon Jr., Viola Landry, Amanda McMurray, John Paul Moore, Loriene Perry, Martha Proctor, James Raby, Maria Rice, Leola Richard, Whitney Robiho, Shelvia Stewart, Charles Taylor, Elizabeth Whitfield.