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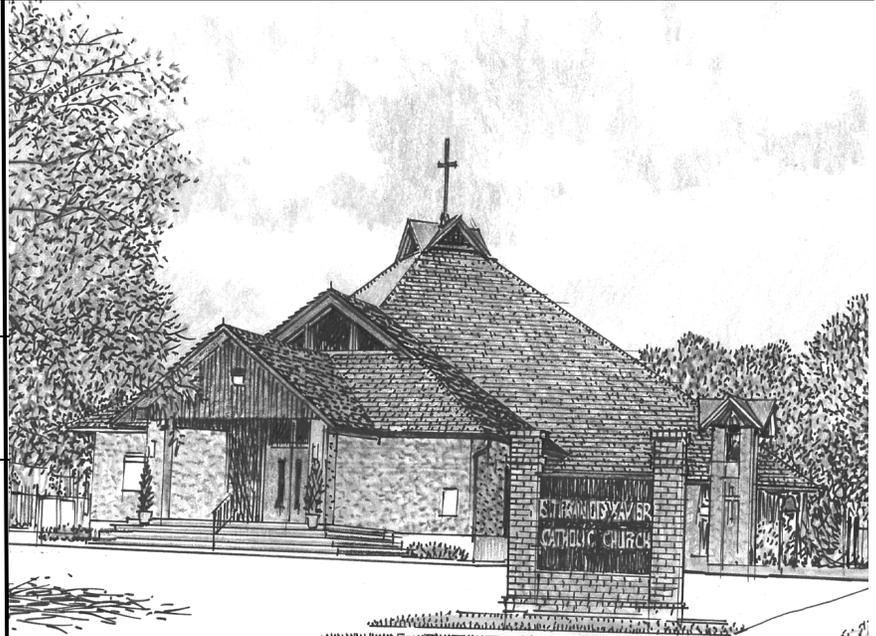
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MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY:	VIGIL - 5:00 PM
SUNDAY:	8:00 AM & 11:00 AM
TUESDAY:	OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA- 5:00 PM
WED -THURS:	6:30 AM IN CONVENT
HOLYDAYS:	9:00 AM & 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.

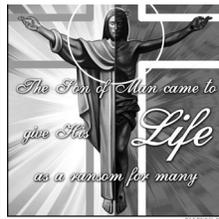
CARE OF THE SICK: PLEASE CALL THE PRIEST FOR THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK AND /OR HOSPITAL VISITATION. IF THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK IS CRITICALLY NEEDED, PLEASE CALL REV. EDWARD CHIFFRILLER NUMBER LISTED ABOVE OR THE CHAPLAINCY OFFICE AT THE HOSPITAL.

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 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



Divine Word Missionaries. Dedicated to helping the poor and the needy around the world.

In 1906, the Society of the Divine Word began serving black Catholics in the South. By 1923, and with the blessing of Pope Benedict XV, the society established Saint Augustine Seminary in Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi, the first Catholic seminary to educate African American men interested in becoming priests of brothers. Over the years, dozens of these men became priests, and nine of them became bishops in the Catholic Church.

Stewardship October 14, 2018



Regular Collection
\$7,178.22
Flowers
\$232.22
School Support
\$55.00



KPC St. Francis Xavier Court 12 TV RAFFLE

Grand Prize Drawing for a 40 Inch Flat Screen TV
Drawing: Sunday, November 11, 2018
Donation: \$2.00 per ticket
Winner need not be present to win

Mass Intentions for Oct. 13 - 16, 2018

Saturday 5:00 Elsie H. Bates
By: Henry & Lillian Domingue

Sunday 8:00 Kent J. Smith, Sr.
By: Barbara & Winston Decuir

11:00 People of the Parish

Tuesday 5:00 People of the Parish

**On November 6 vote YES on
constitutional Amendment #2 -
eliminating the 10-2 jury rule.**

PRAY FOR US

Richard Camble, Jr.	Wanda Nelson	Walter Lewis
Zula Comeaux	John Paul Moore	Catherine Murray
Diane Edwards	Loriene Perry	Joyce Decuir
Ora Lee Jordan	Martha Proctor	Cenia Richard
Frazier Jordan	Maria Rice	Vivian LeDuff
Elizabeth Whitfield	Whitney Robiho	Rebecca Nelson
Rosemary Daniels	Shelvia Stewart	Mildred Anderson
Zelda Bates	Mary Johnson	Charles Taylor
	Judy Franklin	Myrtle Moran



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

Centennial Corner

Did you know?

Did you know that at the time of the 75th Anniversary of the Church, 25 years ago there was a vitality and sense of purpose in the parish Reminiscent of the days of Fr. Joseph Dube and Father Bartholomew Hines? They said "What's next on the St. Francis Xavier Horizon? Only the good Lord knows. The journey to our centennial should prove very interesting".

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

Date	Activity	Place	Time
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.stfrancixavierbr.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

Mark your Calendar

Tuesday, December 4, at 7pm at the Catholic Life Center. A 60 minute live drama "Tolton: From Slave to Priest".

Cookbook T-Shirt Sale Ends

The t-shirt sale ends November 10/11. Place your order and payment in the box in the back of Church or drop it off to the Church Office.

THE GREATEST TEST

The greatest test of courage on earth is to bear defeat without losing heart.

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.