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SUNDAY JANUARY 20, 2019



SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm

Sunday 7:00 am 9:00 am 10:30 am (choir)
12:00 pm 5:00 pm

Mon – Fri 6:00 am 11:30 am **Sat** 7:00 am

Confessions Mon-Fri 12:00n to 1:00 pm
Saturday 11:00 am to 12 noon

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MASS INTENTIONS Jan. 21 - 26

Mon	6:00	+	Mike Rafflin
21	11:30	+	Timothy Meyer (Birth.)
Tues	6:00	+	Roger H. Smith (Birth.)
22	11:30	+	Louise Dawson (Annv.)
Wed	6:00	+	Robert and Kathryn Herrlinger
23	11:30	+	John Klare (Birth.)
Thurs	6:00	SI	Karen Brown (Birth.)
24	11:30	+	Constance McGill (Birth.)
Fri	6:00	+	Dorcas Corrigan (Annv.)
25	11:30	+	Elmer Schlueter
Sat	7:00	+	Jim James (Annv.)
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Sunday readings are found at #1097

MUSIC

Opening: I Come with Joy # 919

Gloria: Mass of Redemption

p. 17 in red Revised Order of Mass booklet

Responsorial Psalm 96:

Proclaim His Marvelous Deeds # 1097

Presentation: Gather Your People # 837

Jesus, We Want to Meet arr. Boles (10:30 am choir only)

Jesus, we want to meet on this thy holy day.
We gather round thy throne on this thy holy day.
Pray God to teach us here on this thy holy day;
Save us and cleanse our hearts,

lead and guide our acts of praise,
And our path from seed to flower raise, on this thy holy day.
We kneel in awe and fear on this thy holy day.
Pray God to teach us here on this thy holy day.
We gather round thy throne on this thy holy day.
Thou art our heavenly friend,
hear our prayers as they ascend;

Look into our hearts and minds today, on this thy holy day!

Eucharistic Acclamations: Mass of Redemption
p. 18 in red Revised Order of Mass booklet

Communion: Taste and See # 930

O Let Israel Bless the Lord - Stopford (10:30 am choir only)

O let Israel bless the Lord.

Praise him and magnify him forever.

O ye priests of the Lord, bless ye the Lord;

Praise him and magnify him forever.

O ye servants of the Lord, bless ye the Lord;

Praise and magnify him forever.

O ye spirits and souls of the righteous, bless ye the Lord.

O ye holy and humble men of heart, bless the Lord;

Praise him and magnify him forever.

O Ananias, Azarias, and Misael, bless ye the Lord;

Praise and magnify him forever.

O all ye works of the Lord, bless ye the Lord;

Praise him and magnify him forever.

Closing: Sing of the Lord's Goodness # 610

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Fr. Matthew Gamber heads to World Youth Day in Panama

As you read this week's bulletin I will be *en route* to Panama City, Panama with a group of our parish young adults to join World Youth Days 2019. We will join with hundreds of thousands of other pilgrims from throughout the world, along with Pope Francis, for a week-long celebration of our Catholic faith. The theme of this year is taken from the Gospel of St. Luke, quoting The Blessed Mother Mary in her Magnificat: "I am a servant of the Lord, let it be done to me according to Your Word." Deepening the truth of this scripture passage and applying it to our lives will be the underlying work of the whole week which we hope is a moving retreat experience.

World Youth Days were started during the papacy of Pope John Paul II who had a special affinity for gathering with young people and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ with them. I have been blessed to attend the past 7 gatherings which has brought me to amazing cities throughout the world: Rome, Toronto, Cologne, Sydney, Madrid, Rio de Janeiro and Krakow. The Pope picks the city and then the bishops of that country get busy planning to host him and millions of others who come.

This year, Pope Francis wanted to highlight the Church in Central and South America and so invited the young people of the world to gather with him for a week of prayer, teaching, cultural enlightenment and Christian fellowship. Each Day the pilgrims gather for Mass and catechesis in their language groups at different churches or convention halls throughout the city. In the afternoon and evening there is time to attend concerts, talks, art exhibits and other exciting opportunities. On Thursday January 24 is a welcome gathering with the Pope, and on Friday we will walk the Stations of the Cross with him throughout the entire city. On Saturday we hike ten miles to Metro Park in Panama and camp out over night with all the other pilgrims. The Pope will lead an evening prayer service and celebrate Sunday morning Mass.

About 500 pilgrims from the U.S. will fly together to Panama. We plan to visit the canal and the Gamboa Rainforest during our limited free time.

World Youth Day follows the Synod on Youth that was held in Rome last fall, and it gives the Pope a chance to highlight the themes of evangelization, service, and community which are priorities for the world's young people. We will carry with us the hopes and prayers of the young people of our parish and of the Archdiocese. Please accompany us with your own prayers and your ears: Listen on AM 740 Radio for my daily reports from Panama on Sacred Heart Catholic Radio between 6-8am and 4-6 pm each day next week. Tune in please. Ora pro nos. Adios amigos.

– Padre Mateo S.J. (at least for the next week)

✠ ST XAVIER PRAYER MINISTRY ✠

Please offer prayers for the infirmed of our parish: Letitia Veigas, Judy Dyer, George and Judy Lahner, Jackie Campbell, Kevin England, George Long, Dorothy Kaiser, Kevin Noble, Helen Sievers, Melissa Ruff, Jewel Rossmann, Chris Arlinghaus, Beth Barney, Joe Waters, Bob Wilkerson, Quinn Cobble, Diana DeVore, Lisa Spencer, Ellen Sole, Sheila Sullivan, Susan Lovett, Jerry Wallman, Margie Plummer, Roberta Gamel, Mary Tenkotte, Jo Schwartz, Mary Ann Himmelmann, Marti Leonhard, Sandy Fieler, Karen Shaw, Joyce Braun, Bill Hughes, Sue Leeds, Chris Leeds, Edward Pestian, Erin Payne, Susan Schmidt, Doug Lange, Ralph and Kathy Kitts, Glenda Bauer, Denny Delaney, Pamela Smitherman, Sally Gaynor, Betty Headsworth, Ron and Lynda Pierce, Bill Santen, Nancy Santen, Shirley Riegling, John Massman, Joseph Brehm, Josefa Navales, Judith Lahner, Gina Martin, Patti Bengel, Bob and Jean Scheid, Robert Miller, Barbara Meridieth, Sharon Dearwester, Joan Perone, Bonnie Sartin, Tomie Faye Weissinger, Mary Jo Duljic, Rose Elizabeth Sartin, Debbie Garnett, Tom Miller, Jeanne Miller, Tim Robinson, Tony Santoro, Kathy Link, Carla Molina, Jane Melson, Steve Nieman, Lovre Dzolic, Plinio DeGoes, John O'Connell, Jo Jo and family, Bill Robison, Arlene Fritsch, Ginny Wiltse, Fr. Joe Casey, SJ, and Fr. Bob Thul, SJ.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday offerings for January 13	\$ 6,305
Online donations	1,758
Week of January 13	\$ 8,063
Sunday's Goal	\$ 12,643

Financial Note: With the new tax law almost doubling the standard deduction, many parishioners who previously deducted their charitable giving to St X may no longer find it advantageous to do so. If you are over age 70.5 and are required to take a distribution from your IRA, you can circumvent the tax law change and still, in effect, deduct your charitable gifts to St. X by giving to St X directly from your IRA. This gift would count as a part of your required distribution, yet would not count as income to you, so effectively giving you a deduction you might not otherwise get. Consult your tax advisor for a detailed explanation

Presiders for this weekend: January 20

4:00	PM	Fr. Jerome Veigas, SJ
7:00	AM	Fr. Bob Ross, SJ
9:00	AM	Fr. Patrick Fairbanks, SJ
10:30	AM	Fr. Patrick Fairbanks, SJ
12:00	PM	Fr. Jerome Veigas, SJ
5:00	PM	Fr. John LaRocca, SJ

Presiders for next weekend: January 27

4:00	PM	Fr. Patrick Fairbanks, SJ
7:00	AM	Fr. Bob Ross, SJ
9:00	AM	Fr. Jerome Veigas, SJ
10:30	AM	Fr. John LaRocca, SJ
12:00	PM	Fr. Jerome Veigas, SJ
5:00	PM	Fr. Patrick Fairbanks, SJ

CONGRATULATIONS

...to **Kenny and Sarah (Grosser) Lonneman** who were married here last weekend! Blessings!



ST. XAVIER YOUNG ADULTS Sunday, February 3 at 6pm "Priest Panel"

You've never seen a mashup like this!
Come to the Parish Center to hear from a Dominican, Diocesan, Jesuit,

Franciscan and Legionnaire of Christ about their different orders. Drinks and a light dinner will be provided. All young adults 21-35 are welcome.

St. Xavier Book Club

Our book group will meet on Tuesday, **January 22, at 3 pm** in the Parish Center. We will discuss the historical novel "All The Light We Cannot See" by Anthony Doerr about a blind French girl and a German boy whose paths collide in occupied France as both try to survive the devastation of World War II. If you would like to borrow a copy of this book, see Diane in the parish office and she can get you a copy.

"Understanding the Sacraments"

Each first Wednesday of the month we will take a deeper look into the 7 sacraments of the Church. Our next session will examine the two sacraments of healing: **Wed Feb 6 at 7-8pm** in the parish center.

Baptism Prep Classes

Baptizing your first child? Prep Sessions for the Sacrament are the third Tuesday of each month at 7pm in the Parish Center. Next session with Deacon Tim is on Tuesday **February 19**. Call the office to register.

Walking With Ignatius of Loyola

Would you like to walk the journey of life with St. Ignatius? Here is an opportunity to deepen your knowledge of Ignatian Spirituality led by Fr. Jerome Veigas. Sessions will be held the third Wed in the parish center. Next: **February 20 at 7 pm**.

Natural Family Planning

Sun. Jan. 20 at 1 pm @ St. Gertrude Church,
7630 Shawnee Run Rd., Cinti, OH 45243.
For info, go to www.ccli.org or call 471-2000.

St Xavier High School Hall of Fame

Join us for the annual dinner and induction ceremony sponsored by the X High Athletic Boosters. Tuesday February 12th at St Xavier High School. Featured guest speaker: FC Cincinnati's Jeff Berding (St X `85) and Coach Alan Koch. Tickets are available on-line at www.stxavier.org/athletics/hall-of-fame

PARISH BICENTENNIAL KICK OFF Jan 20th



This Sunday is our Opening Event for the Parish Bicentennial. Following the noon Mass, all are invited to an afternoon of history and community building. We will start with socializing, refreshments and appetizers along with a historic ribbon cutting, toasts, and introduction by Fr. Fairbanks, the pastor. We will also offer tours of the Church interior. At 2pm we present our guest speaker, **Fr. Thomas Kennealy, S.J.** who serves as the archivist at Xavier University. Father will offer a slide show and history of St Xavier parish, which also parallels the history of the university and the high school. He is open to questions as well. Following this presentation, the St Xavier Choir will offer a beautiful concert upstairs in Church at 3:00pm.

Bicentennial Volunteers

We are in need of many volunteers for our coming events this year. See 2019 events on our website at <http://www.stxchurch.org/bicentennial-events> PLEASE call the office to offer your services in any way that you can help. Thank you for your participation.

Historic parish photographs?

Do you have any historic pictures of St Xavier Church, exterior, interior, priests, parishioners? If you have some old photos that might help us tell the story of our 200 year history, please contact Fr. Fairbanks. We would love to make copies into digital form and add them to our collections: pfairbanks@stxchurch.org

As we celebrate 200 years of this faith community, we would like to post as many historic factoids here in the bulletin: 4 each week, so that we total 200 facts for this Bicentennial year. If you know of any info about our history or any old pictures of the church or activities at St. Xavier, please send it to the pastor Fr Fairbanks: pfairbanks@stxchurch.org

200 Years - 200 Facts

- ❖ About 50 Catholics attended our first Mass in 1819 at Liberty and Vine, named Christ Church.
- ❖ The new Bishop Edward Fenwick, O.P. returned to the new Cincinnati diocese Sun March 24, 1822
- ❖ July 6, 1822 the new bishop bought a 25 sq. ft. lot on Sycamore Street ... on credit for \$700
- ❖ Ignatius Loyola sent a young Francis Xavier to Goa, India in March 1540, six months before the Jesuit order was officially founded.

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