

St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church
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Father Chuck Hferman, Pastor

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Masses: Saturday at 4:00, Sunday at 9:00

Monday at 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday – Friday 8:00 a.m.

Holidays: check bulletin

Confessions: Saturday 3:00 – 3:30

Anytime by request

Communion to Hospitalized, Homebound, Nursing

Homes: please keep Father Chuck informed.

Anointing of the Sick is available any time, let

Father Chuck know when needed.

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated as needed.

One parent must be a practicing Catholic. One godparent

must be a Catholic at least 15 years of age.

Contact Father Chuck for more info and to schedule.

Marriage: Anyone contemplating marriage in the

Catholic Church must be a practicing Catholic.

Father must be contacted six months prior to the

wedding. Prenuptial requirements must be completed

prior to wedding. Contact Father Chuck.

Last Week's Collection:

Loose: \$120

Envelopes: \$1,960

Building Fund to Date: \$54,734.65

Readings for 30th Sunday of Ordinary Times:

Reading 1 Exodus 22:20-26

Psalms Psalms 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10

Reading 2 1Thessalonians 1:5C-10

Gospel Matthew 22:34-40

Mass Intentions for the Week and Activities:

Saturday, October 24, 4:00 + Judy Smyjnas

Sunday, October 25, 30th Sunday of Ordinary Times

9:00 Our Parish Family

Following Mass Religious Education

Monday, October 26, 6:00 + Charles & Betty Wacumus

Tuesday, October 27, 8:00 + Blanche Huhn

Wednesday, October 28, 8:00 + Charles & Betty Wacumus

Thursday, October 29, 8:00 + John Huhn

Friday, October 30, 8:00 + George & Margaret Racz

Saturday, October 31, 4:00 + Schmit & Johnson Families

Sunday, November 1, 31st Sunday of Ordinary Times

9:00 Our Parish Family

Following Mass Religious Education

Following Mass Donuts & Coffee

Ministers Schedule:

Saturday, October 31, at 4:00pm

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Anne Hill & Sandy Miner

Lector: Chris Lennon

Server: N/A

Sunday, November 1, at 9:00am

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Wendy Bridegam & Tracy Gaunt

Lector: Pat Landrigan

Server: N/A

Upcoming Events:

Nov 1 All Saints Day

Nov 1 Donut Sunday

Job Opportunity at St. Francis Xavier Church:

St. Francis Xavier Church is currently seeking a part-time Director of Religious Education. This is a part-time paid position. Applicant will be required to pass a background check and complete safe environment training. DRE oversees Sunday CCD classes and assists Father as needed with meeting Sacramental requirements. Job applications can be found at the diocese website and applicants should address any questions or interest to Father Chuck.

Annual Bishop's Appeal:

The Annual Bishop's Appeal helps to provide financial support for the many ministries, services and programs provided by the diocese. These efforts help all parishes. Our own parish has been utilizing the fund to make improvements to the church.

You can donate online at diocesefwbsb.org/aba, in pew, or request a donation card be mailed to you by contacting sfxpiercetown@aol.com.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter "Virtual" Weekend Experience Nov. 14 & 15, 2020:

Our Weekend Experiences are now "Virtual". Remember how you and your spouse wanted to attend a Marriage Encounter weekend, but your responsibilities at home were making it difficult to attend? Or, how something came up at the last minute and kept you from going? Well now, you can experience the weekend from the comfort of your own home. You too, with our presenting teams, and other sacraments will be a part of this interactive live 2-day event. Discover what thousands of other couples discover every year. There's always room for more love. To learn more, go to wwme.org. To apply for the weekend online, go to wwme-nl.org. Do you have questions? Call Greg & Jen at 260-422-0803.