

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 18, 2024

5:00PM + The people of Saint Augustine ~
Saint Francis Xavier Parish
+ Tillie Krieger
+ Norma Veronese Thorton
+ People of Haiti and St Andre Parish,
Dufort, Haiti

Sunday, May 19, 2024—Pentecost Sunday

9:30am + John Murphy
+ Matthew Speicher
12:00pm + Margaret and Joseph Shopis
+ Helen McCann

Monday, May 20, 2024

9:00am + Sarah Hawas (living)

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

9:00am + Anthony and Mary Angelone

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

9:00am + Reverend Greg Stankus

Thursday, May 23, 2024

9:00am + Samuel Piazzolla

REMEMBER A LOVED ONE

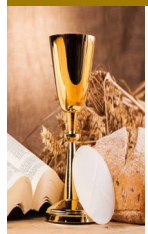
The **2024 Mass book** for Saint Augustine –Saint Francis Xavier is open for Mass Intentions and Memorials.
Mass Intentions: **\$20.00**
Bread and Wine: **\$20.00**
Altar Candle: **\$20.00**
Sanctuary Lamp: **\$20.00**
Please contact the parish office to arrange an intention for mass or a memorial at 718-638-1880

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Readings for the Week (May 20-26)

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Jn 19:25-34
Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-37
Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17; Mk 9:38-40
Thursday: Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:41-50
Friday: Jas 5:9-12; Mk 10:1-12
Saturday: Jas 5:13-20; Mk 10:13-16
Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

WEEKLY MEMORIALS



The Bread and Wine
In Memory of
John Murphy



The Altar Candles
In Memory of
John Murphy



The Sanctuary Lamp
In Memory of
John Murphy

IN OUR PRAYERS AND REMEMBERED @ MASS

May God strengthen and give peace to all of our sick parishioners, relatives and friends, especially for:

Sr. Maryann Ambrose, CSJ	Joe Guzman	Edward McCrory
Maritza Arroyo	Jenny Hoffman	Marge Miller
Bob Beaumont	John Hurtado	Luna Victoria Pena
Dasan Broadnax	Karen Intintoli	Andrew Quinn
Estella Chan	Daniel Joseph	Suzanne Ramdial
Aida Cuin	Flavia Langan	Elsцена M. Rickman
Sylvia Garland	James Leger	Angel Rosa
Ann Gucwa	Kenneth Leger	Robert Schlegel
Denise Keys	Pricilla Masonette	Anne M. Thompson
David Harrison	Olga Matinsen	Dominick Votto
	George Ange	Mary Owens
Sarah Hawas	Annette Beckworth	

and those in Hospitals, Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation facilities and
for all those who have entered eternal rest,
and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION-MAY 18/19



Support the
Catholic
Communication
Campaign

Your support for this collection helps bring the richness of the Church's social teachings to life through engaging media. Half of the funds collected stay in our diocese to support local communication efforts and the other half supports national projects.



Weekly Update from the Pastor

PENTECOST

Coming to the end of the Easter Season, this weekend we celebrate Pentecost Sunday. On Pentecost we rejoice in the descent of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles and on the Church. The Gifts of the Holy Spirit help us as we seek to live life as intentional followers of Jesus Christ in his Church. These gifts of wisdom, understanding, fortitude, knowledge/or the ability to judge correctly, piety/reverence, and fear of being separated from God, all help us on our journey of faith. May we, like those before us, be witnesses to the power of the Holy Spirit as we live faithful lives of service.

FAITH FORMATION AT SAINT AUGUSTINE - SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

Last Sunday, Ms. Natalia Parra, who serves as the Director of Faith Formation and Pastoral Associate spoke at Mass as part of requesting a greater participation in forming adults and children in the Catholic Faith.

Ms. Parra shared that over the last year, following the COVID closures, enrollment was up 25% and happily that the retention of students grades 1-4 was an encouraging 66% with class attendance at 82% per session, with the retention in grades 5-8 at 64%. The generosity of parents, volunteer catechists and classroom assistants is ensuring that we move ahead in forming children in the Catholic faith that guides us and gives us hope. We all see many more children at Mass as part of their formation.

In the same way, we are grateful to the witness of those praying with us each weekend at Mass. It gives us great encouragement for the future plans that will be revealed in the upcoming year. Last weekend, **\$3,764.00** was donated in the second collections to directly assist our efforts in forming children and adults. Thank you for your generous response, and for those who came forward to discern assisting with Faith Formation.

INCOME/EXPENSE REPORT FOR MARCH AND APRIL

The report below demonstrates the income from weekly collections and rental income at Saint Francis Xavier. The expenses noted in major repair and maintenance for Saint Augustine reflect electrical repairs on the Church to replace rotted wires for safe use of the building. The large numbers at Saint Francis Xavier reflect the current phase of addressing deferred maintenance at the former rectory/Parish Office and additional repairs to Saint Francis Xavier's former school. As I noted at Masses, the condition of the school was so poor that the original budget for repairs, years before I began my Pastorate, was \$6,000,000, of which we were only able to borrow \$4M through Diocesan loans. Ongoing maintenance of the building will ensure the lease with the Department of Education will continue to bring much needed income to the Parish. We continue to work to develop the buildings serving the parish, so that we can continue to bring the Gospel to Park Slope and beyond. Gratitude is extended to those who support our works in Jesus' name.

May the Holy Spirit continue to fill your heart with peace and hope,

Fr. Frank Tumino

Pastor

	ST AUGUSTINE		ST FRANCIS	
	March	April	March	April
INCOME	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
Sunday Collections	17,982	11,083	26,365	17,128
Rental Income	0	0	186,257	170,309
Donations & Programs	2,657	2,124	18,508	2,567
Investments (interest)	102	56	2,361	3,891
	20,741	13,263	233,491	193,895
OPERATING EXPENSES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
Office Administration and Salaries	5,617	3,079	58,923	54,150
Utilities	1,598	1,757	5,017	5,016
	7,215	4,836	63,940	59,166
MAJOR REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
CHURCH AND RECTORY	0	6,850	508,609	73,490
SCHOOL	0	0	43,973	0
	0	6,850	552,582	73,490
DIOCESAN RESPONSIBILITIES	AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
INSURANCE	9,723	9,723	11,812	11,812
ASSESSMENT	1,692	1,692	1,950	1,950
ST ELIZABETH ANN SETON FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION & SCHOOLS	417	417	16,666	16,666
ST JOHN VIANNEY	179	179	179	179
GOOD SHEPHERD	413	413	413	413
PENSION - PRIEST & STAFF (ACTIVE & RETIRED)	1,202	1,202	5,871	5,871
	13,626	13,626	36,891	36,891
Net Income(loss)	-100	-12,049	-419,922	24,348

*loan to cover deferred maintenance repair, including water & termite damage in parish office and additional work in school

FORMED—FREE

Saint Joseph Lukas Storyteller

When things get off to a rough start as Anna, Agnes, Peter and Paul train for a baseball match, Noah shares the story of St. Joseph, helping them to imitate his example and learn the virtue of obedience.



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2. Enter 11215
3. Enter your name and email

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FAITH FORMATION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

GRADES 1-8 2024-2025

- Sacramental Prep
- Catechists
- Substitute Catechists
- Classroom Assistants
- Hospitality
- Door Guard
- Office Assistant

For more information complete the volunteer application here

HAVE QUESTIONS?
CONTACT MS. PARRA
718.857.2903



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BEING CATHOLIC

MAKE A COMMITMENT

ARE YOU REGISTERED?

- Parish Registration is Important. It demonstrates commitment to a particular community of faith. Those baptizing children, forming them in Faith Formation or seeking an extraordinary life of faith should formally register.
- Parish Registration is required in preparing letters of reference and for the completion of Sponsor Forms for those seeking to serve as Godparents for Baptism or Confirmation.
- Registration and weekly support through online giving or weekly envelopes is helpful to us in budgeting for the year.
- Registered parishioners who are donors are provided yearly statements of donations for tax purposes.



Adult Baptism
First Communion
Confirmation
Coming back to
Church

Want to become Catholic?



To learn more visit
sasfx.org/faith-formation



JOIN THE GARDEN COMMITTEE

The Reflection Garden & Gardens at Saint Francis Xavier are in great need of garden volunteers to plant and care for the garden. The gardeners each have a section of the Saint Francis Xavier garden that they care for. If you are interested please contact the Parish Office at 718.638.1880.

DONATIONS FOR THOSE NEEDING FOOD



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PENTECOST SUNDAY MAY 19, 2024

SAINT AUGUSTINE – SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

225 6th Avenue • Brooklyn, NY 11215

PASTORAL STAFF

PASTOR

Rev. Frank C. Tumino

PASTORAL ASSOCIATE/
DIRECTOR OF FAITH FORMATION

Ms. Natalia Parra

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Dr. Michael Kaminski

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday–Friday
9:30AM-4:30PM

Parish office temporarily closed to outside visitors due to major construction.

Masses

Saturday—5PM Saint Francis Xavier

Sunday—9:30AM Saint Francis Xavier

Sunday—12PM Saint Augustine

Mon– Thurs—9AM Saint Francis Xavier

*9:30 Sunday Mass and 9:00AM Wednesday

Masses are live-streamed at SASFX.org

CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays: 9:30AM

Saturday: 4PM –4:45PM St. Francis

By prior appointment: Please call the parish office.

CHURCH OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Saint Augustine: 6th Avenue @ Sterling Place

Saturday tours at 3pm at Saint Augustine!

Saint Francis Xavier: 6th Avenue @ Carroll Street

Monday-Friday from 8:00AM– 12PM.



**"RECEIVE THE
HOLY SPIRIT"**

WELCOME!

A warm welcome to our parish family and visitors. We are happy that you are here. Please call the parish office or visit SASFX.org to register in the parish.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office during business hours for information and to begin the preparation process.

THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the Parish Office for more information. Requests must be made at least six months prior to date of Marriage.

PARISH REGISTRATION

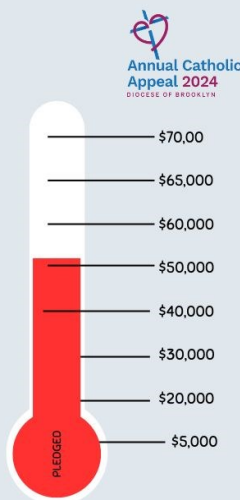
All Parishioners must formally register in the Parish by visiting the parish office or online at SASFX.org. Letters of recommendation and Sponsor Certificates can only be provided for those known to be registered for at least 3 months, supporting and active parishioners and actively living the Catholic Faith.

SAINT AUGUSTINE - SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

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PARISH 2024

ANNUAL
CATHOLIC

APPEAL GOAL:

\$69,821

Pledged:

\$50,795

Committed
parishioners
and friends: 78

Envelopes to make a one-time gift or pledge payable over the next 6 months are available in church.



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