SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH
OCTOBER 25, 2026



Pastor C. Hightower, SJ Associate Pastors Pat Conroy, SJ Mark Hoelsken, SJ

Upcoming Events:

- October 25th – Young Adult Gathering (21-35yr old)
- October 31st – Trunk or Treat 2:30 to 4:30 pm in the Church parking lot
- November 1st – All Saints falls on a Sunday this year
- November 2nd – Remembrance Service 6:00 pm
- November 18th - Afaria Night 6:00 pm
- November 22nd - Dolce Canto 3:00 pm
- November 26th – Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9:00 am

Mass Times: Saturday 5:00 pm,
Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, & 6:00 pm.
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 am
Communion Service on Wednesday at 8:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration - Wednesday 8:30 am - 2:30pm & First Friday of the month 9:00 am - 10:00 am
Reconciliation - Wednesday 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm and Saturday 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm or by appointment.

Prayer

May -

Dustin Olsen, Jack Reneau, Lane McKinney,
John Maloney, Kay Russell, Jim Bigelow,
and Jennifer Andres
receive His healing and consolation.

May -

Sr. Elizabeth "Liz" Olsen,BBM
rest in the peace of Our Lord's loving arms.

Mass Intentions for The Month of October, 2026

Saturday 10/24	Jerry & Marge Lubbers
Sunday 10/25	Bernie Winden
	For the People
	Larry Leonard*
Monday 10/26	Cam Cron*
Tuesday 10/27	Roy Wherley
Wednesday10/28	*No Intention*
Thursday 10/29	Grace Collins
Friday 10/30	Robert Burke
Saturday 10/31	Gina Varala*

Mass Scriptures for the Month of October, 2026

Saturday 10/24	Eph. 4:7-16	
	Ps. 122	
	Luke 13:1-9	
Sunday 10/25	Exod. 22:20-26	30th Sunday in OrdT.
	Ps. 18	
	1 Thess. 1:5c-10	
	Matt. 22:34-40	
Monday 10/26	Eph. 4:32 --5:8	
	Ps. 1	
	Luke 13:10-17	
Tuesday 10/27	Eph. 5:21-33	
	Ps. 128	
	Luke 13:18-21	
Wednesday 10/28	Eph. 2:19-22	Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles
	Ps. 19	
	Luke 6:12-16	
Thursday 10/29	Eph. 6:10-20	
	Ps. 144	
	Luke 13:31-35	
Friday 10/30	Phil. 1:1-11	
	Ps. 111	
	Luke 14:1-6	
Saturday 10/31	Phil. 1:18b-26	St. Alphonsus Rodriguez
	Ps. 42	
	Luke 14:1, 7-11	

Mass Scriptures for the Month of November, 2026

Sunday 11/1	Rev.7:2-4, 9-14	ALL SAINTS
	Ps. 24	
	1 John 3:1-3	
	Matt. 5:1-12a	
Monday 11/2	Wis 3:1-9	All Soul's Day
	Ps. 23	
	Rom. 5:5-11	
Tuesday 11/3	Phil. 2:5-11	
	Ps. 22	
	Luke 14:15-24	

Collections for October 18, 2026 Regular - 7,134.00 Loose - 2,237.40 Aid to the Needy - 615.00 Fall Fundraiser - 550.00
St. Mary's Cemetery - 10.00 Online Giving - 9,506.73 VENMO - 165.00 ***Thank you for your generosity!***

THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Closing In Our Goal!

In just the past week we have received $6,475 in donations to our annual Fall Fundraiser supporting our Faith Formation programs. That brings our current total to $15,625! We still need your support to reach our $25,000 goal before the end of the month. With just a week and half to go, please consider making a donation online or sending a check to the parish office.

Thank you so much!



- **Olive Wood for sale in support of Christians in the Holy Land** following the 8:00 am & 10:00 am am Mass this weekend in Reidy Hall
- **Young Adults (21-35) October 25th** Meet at 3:30pm at Cranky Sam's for a Social gathering before attending the 6:00 pm Mass! Contact Cooper for more details 406.926.9550
- **Mourning Light** -*Grief is a complicated journey and often a very difficult path to walk. If you are dealing with the loss of a loved one and struggling to find those that understand please join us where you can share with others walking the same path.* **October 29th** from 6:00 to 7:00 pm in the parish office. Please RSVP to Katy at kmckinnon@sfxmissoula.org so we will know how many to expect.
- **Trunk or Treat - October 31st 2:30 to 4:30 pm in the church parking lot!** -Always a festive event! Now in it's 5th year! Please contact Katy kmckinnon@sfxmissoula.org to reserve a parking spot for your decorated car. No car? We certainly welcome donations of wrapped treats. Thank you!
- **Behold Junior High Rally 2026 - November 7th** A day of faith anf fun for young people in grades 6-8 hosted by the CYC Board. The day will move between prayer, talks, music, games, liturgy, and more. Location St. Joeseph School with a cost of $60. For more information and to register diocesehelena.org/juniorhighrally
- **VOX SFX in Taking a Break!** - Dear listeners, the VOX SFX podcast hosted by Nicholas Brouillard is taking a bit of a break but will return to its regular schedule in the near future. In the meantime, catch up on those missed episodes!
- **Poinsettia & Christmas Wreath Sale** - Missoula Catholic Schools on sale through November 13th. Contact Amy Simonson amy.simonson@mcsmt.org You may use link https//fundraise.givesmart.com/f/6bpt/n?vid=1t0h94
- **Afaria Night- November 16th** *Jesuits West 101 - Everything you need to know about the Jesuits in the Western United States.* Fr. Chris Weekly will discuss Jesuits West, the Provincial, Parishes, Institutions, and Works, etc. Join us 6:00 pm in Reidy Hall and bring a favorite main or side dish to share.
- **Dolce Canto The Unconquered Sun** 3:00 pm November 22nd at 3:00 pm here at SFX parishioners may use discount code for a 25% discount on tickets: SFX25 on checkout.

Reminder: our primary bulletin is our e - bulletin sent every Thursday at 1:00 pm through a platform Evangelus. If you do not currently receive, click on the 'wing' icon located at the top of the page on our website!

St. Francis Xavier Parish will often use parishioner likeness in print, video, website or in social media sites for the purpose of sharing our church community with others.