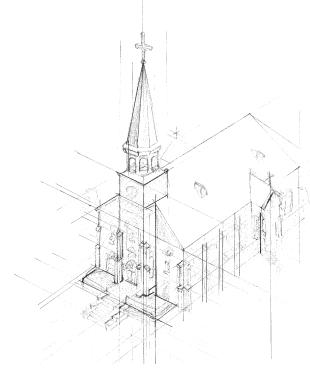


# SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH

## APRIL 25, 2021



*Welcome!*

*We are delighted you are here.*

Pastor C. Hightower, SJ

Associate Pastors:

Steve Lantry, SJ

Tom Lankenau, SJ

Victor Cancino, SJ

### Prayers

*May ---*

**Tim Meuchel, Sharon Dana, Chris Graves,  
Parker Johnson, George Linthicum, Dusty Seybert,  
Steve Pinsoneault, and Pat O'Conner**  
*receive His healing and consolation.*

*May ---*

**Michelle Green**  
*rest in peace in Our Lord's Loving arms.*

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2021

Saturday 4/24	James F. Lowery I
Sunday 4/25	For the People*
	Mickey Elliot
	Beatriz Bencia
Monday 4/26	Ashi Benally
Tuesday 4/27	Zilda Fellin
Wednesday 4/28	June Marie Susen
Thursday 4/29	Ted Furshong
Friday 4/30	Antone & Katherine Keller

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2021

Saturday 5/1	Jim Caplis
Sunday 5/2	Joan Young
	Cara Wherlay
	Robert Ayre
Monday 5/3	Roger Keller

### MASS SCRIPTURES FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 2021

Saturday 4/24	Acts 9:31-42 Ps. 116 John 6:60-69	
Sunday 4/25	Acts 4:8-12 Ps. 118 1 John 3:1-2 John 10:11-18	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
Monday 4/26	Acts 11:1-18 Ps. 42 John 10:1-10	
Tuesday 4/27	Acts 11:19-26 Ps. 87 John 10:22-30	ST. PETER CANISIUS
Wednesday 4/28	Acts 12:24--13:5a Ps. 67 John 12:44-50	
Thursday 4/29	Acts 13:13-25 Ps. 89 John 13:16-20	ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA
Friday 4/30	Acts 13:26-33 Ps. 2 John 14:1-6	ST. PIUS V

### MASS SCRIPTURES FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 2021

Saturday 5/1	Acts 13:44-52 Ps. 98 John 14:7-14	ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER
Sunday 5/2	Acts 9:26-31 Ps. 22 1 John 3:18-24 John 15:1-8	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**Collections for April 18, 2021**

Online - 3453.10

Regular - 3905.00

Loose - 1478.75

Maintenance - 350.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

### OUR MISSION STATEMENT

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER IS A CATHOLIC-JESUIT PARISH IGNITED BY THE EUCHARIST  
TO PRAY, SERVE, DO JUSTICE, AND LOVE.

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## THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### COVID -19 update Social Distancing

On April 15th, Missoula County began lifting many of the mandates concerning COVID 19. One mandate lifted was for social distancing. St. Francis Xavier will not enforce social distancing upstairs, but will keep Reidy Hall open during Mass for those uncomfortable with non social distancing. Masks will continue to be required.

Please note that we will continue to live-stream the 10:00 am Mass. The dispensation of the obligation to attend Mass remains in place.

The Diocesan liturgical guidelines regarding the use of hymnals, the Sign of Peace, Holy Water, and Communion under both forms is still not permitted at this time.

Pastor

**Lost and Found:** A hearing aid was turned into the Parish Office. If this is yours or you know of someone who lost one, please contact Autumn at 542.0321

**Are you looking for a First Communion gift?** Items are available for purchase in the Parish Office. Please contact Autumn if you are interested in purchasing a gift for a loved one!

**Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction** Wednesdays 8:45 am -3:00 pm and First Fridays 8:45 am until Noon

**We need Prayer Warriors!** Please contact Autumn [aschwenk@sfxmissoula.org](mailto:aschwenk@sfxmissoula.org) if you would like to be part of our Prayer Chain or have prayer requests.

**NCYC November 18-20, 2021** registration is now open for this in person event. Young people in grades 9-12 and their adult chaperones are welcome on this incredible journey! Learn more at [dohyouth.org/ncyc](http://dohyouth.org/ncyc)

The annual **Baby Bottle Boomerang** fundraiser, benefitting Care Net Pregnancy Center is just around the corner! From Mother's Day to Father's Day, we will have a bassinet in the front of the church with empty baby bottles for you to take home, fill up with change and return during Masses or to the parish office during business hours.

**Witness to Hope** A note of thanks to all who have contributed to the Annual Catholic Appeal. Your generosity supports many Diocesan ministries such as Youth, Young Adult, and Priestly formation. Contact [diocesehelena.org](http://diocesehelena.org) to learn more.

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### CELEBRATING SUNDAY ALL THE WAY HOME:

**On the way home from Mass consider asking:** What does Jesus mean when he says we will all be of one flock?