

SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH

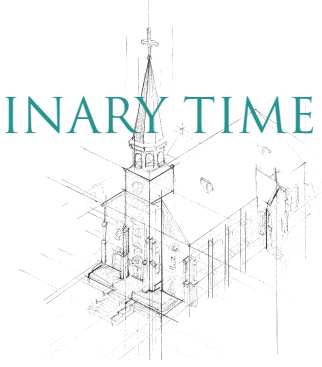
JULY 4, 2021

THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Welcome!

Please take note: On July the 4th we will not
be offering a Mass at 6:00 pm

We are delighted you are here.



Pastor C. Hightower, SJ

Associate Pastors:

Steve Lantry, SJ

Tom Lankenau, SJ

Victor Cancino, SJ

Prayers

May ---

**Thomas Luhrsen, Sam Cavanaugh, Michael Shinault,
Daniel Hurd, Bridget Lambert, Sharon Dana, Chris
Graves, Dusty Seybert, Steve Pinsonneault,
and Pat O'Conner**
receive His healing and consolation.

MASS SCRIPTURES FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 2021

Saturday 7/3	Eph. 2:19-22 Ps. 117 John 20:24-29	ST. THOMAS, APOSTLE
Sunday 7/4	Ezek. 2:2-5 Ps. 123 2 Cor. 12:7-10 Mark 6:1-6a	FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORD.T.
Monday 7/5	Gen. 28:10-22a Ps. 17 Matt. 9:32-38	ST. ELIZABETH OF PORTUGAL
Tuesday 7/6	Gen. 32:23-33 Ps. 17 Matt. 9:32-38	ST. MARIA GORETTI
Wednesday 7/7	Gen. 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a Ps. 33 Matt. 10:1-7	
Thursday 7/8	Gen. 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5 Ps. 105 Matt. 10:7-15	
Friday 7/9	Gen. 46:1-7, 28-30 Ps. 37 Matt. 10:16-23	STS. LEO MANGIN, MARY ZHU WU, AND COMPS.
Saturday 7/10	Gen. 49:29-32; 50:15-26a Ps. 105 Matt. 10:24-33	
Sunday 7/11	Amos 7:12-15 Ps. 85 Eph. 1:3-14 Mark 6:7-13	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORD.T.
Monday 7/12	Exod. 1:8-14, 22 Ps. 124 Matt. 10:34--11:1	

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 2021

Saturday 7/3	Sally Villaraza
Sunday 7/4	Dave Thomas, SJ Frank DeStefano
Monday 7/5	Phil Englert
Tuesday 7/6	Cara Wherley
Wednesday 7/7	Jim Caplis
Thursday 7/8	Mickey Elliot
Friday 7/9	June Marie Susen
Saturday 7/10	Joyce Klinkhammer
Sunday 7/11	Jim Wallace
Monday 7/12	
Tuesday 7/13	Chuck Turner
Wednesday 7/14	Sheila Combo
Thursday 7/15	Jerry Lubbers

Collections for June 27, 2021

Regular - 4115.50

Loose - 1890.91

Online - 2659.20

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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- **VBS thank you!** A little over \$420 was raised by the children attending Vacation Bible School last week in their offering competition. This money will go to fund the food supplies needed for sack lunches at the Poverello Center. Way to go kids!!
- **Good with numbers?** -We would like to establish teams of counters to assist with our weekly collection count and we could use your help! If you are interested please contact Katy McKinnon at kmckinnon@sfxmissoula.org or call the front office and leave a message. Thank you!
- **Save the Date!** Parish Picnic September 12th following the 10:00 am Mass.
- **The Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life (SEEL)** Busy people, even people who work full time, can make the Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life (SEEL) retreat. That's because it's not a week or a month away from your home and work. Rather, it's extended over nine months, from September to May, and takes place right here in the midst of your daily life. The retreat honors the uniqueness of each person and leads participants to a deeper relationship with God and others. Here's what a retreatant from Arlee said about her SEEL retreat:

"Several close friends and parishioners shared their SEEL experiences and encouraged me to participate in this prayer-centered retreat. Now I have a greater intimacy with Christ and better understanding of his life. The celebration of the Eucharist has much deeper meaning and importance. And I have better tools for prayer and discernment."

"Each week I looked forward to the time with my spiritual director who encouraged my prayer and spiritual development. I can't thank her enough for her love, encouragement, and awesome sense of humor. And I greatly appreciated the speakers who shared their spiritual insights with the group each month."

Learn more and apply through the St. Francis Xavier Parish website: www.sfxmissoula.org.

- **Ministers of Care** - If you or someone you know is interested in having a Minister of Care bring Eucharist, or if you are interested in being part of this ministry, please let Pam know in the parish office.
- **Desperately Seeking a Rental!** Kelsey, our Jesuit Volunteer/Americorp member, who is sharing her service year between SFX and the International Rescue Committee, is looking for long-term or short-term 1-3 bedroom housing for newly settled refugee families. If you can help her out, please call at 406 274-4453 or email kshaw@sfxmissoula.org
- **Back to School Clothing Collection** - A collection bin is located in the back of the church for your donations of new childrens' socks and underwear in all sizes. This is the 35th year of the project, which last year provided two tops, jeans, a whole package of socks and underwear AND a new pair of shoes to almost 400 children in the Missoula community! Thank you!
- **Request for Host Family** - Loyola Sacred Heart (LSH) has a wonderful opportunity to have a student from Germany attend our school for the 2021-22. We are currently looking for a family to host the student (COVID tested). Our immediate need is for a Welcome Family for the first 6-8 weeks. We also welcome anyone interested in hosting for the semester or full school year to contact us as well. Please contact LSH Principal, Kathy Schneider, at kschneider@mcsmt.org for more information or with any questions you may have. This is a great opportunity to learn more about another country and share about ours!
- **Retrouvaille** marriage help program begins September 16th. The virtual program is Thursday and Friday evenings and a full day on Saturday and Sunday, September 16-19, 2021. The weekend will be followed by a series of virtual Post Weekend Sessions. There is a \$165 registration fee. Please know that no one is turned away because of the inability to pay. For additional information please contact us at 406-761-4830 or view the details at www.helpourmarriage.org.