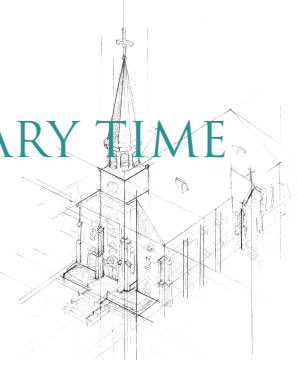


SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH

JULY 11, 2021

THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Best wishes to **Becky Berland & Cody Fischer**
 who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage July 10, 2021



Pastor C. Hightower, SJ

Associate Pastors:

Steve Lantry, SJ

Tom Lankenau, SJ

Victor Cancino, SJ

Prayers

May ---

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

May ---

Casey Plant and Ray Allen
rest in peace in Our Lord's Loving arms.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 2021

Saturday 7/10	Joyce Klinkhammer
Sunday 7/11	For the People* Jim Wallace
Monday 7/12	Arthur Cartwright
Tuesday 7/13	Chuck Turner
Wednesday 7/14	Sheila Combo
Thursday 7/15	Jerry Lubbers
Friday 7/16	Cam Johnson & Family
Saturday 7/17	Margaret Houldson
Sunday 7/18	Pat Loran
Monday 7/19	Shirley Houldson
Tuesday 7/20	June Marie Susen
Wednesday 7/21	Joyce Klinkhammer

MASS SCRIPTURES FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 2021

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	
Tuesday 7/13	Exod. 2:1-15a Ps. 69 Matt. 11:20-24	
Wednesday 7/14	Exod. 3:1-6, 9-12 Ps. 103 Matt. 11:25-27	ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA
Thursday 7/15	Exod. 3:13-20 Ps. 105 Matt. 11:28-30	ST. BONAVENTURE
Friday 7/16	Exod. 11:10--12:14 Ps. 116 Matt. 12:1-8	OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL
Saturday 7/17	Exod. 12:37-42 Ps. 136 Matt. 12:14-21	
Sunday 7/18	Jer. 23:1-6 Ps. 23 Eph. 2:13-18 Mark 6:30-34	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORD.T.
Monday 7/19	Exod. 14:5-18 Exod. 15 Matt. 12:38-42	

Collections for July 4, 2021

Maintenance - 100.00

Regular - 6700.50

Online - 7135.80

Loose - 1451.21

Family Promise - 100.00

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.

- **Funeral Mass for Mr. Dave Thomas, SJ**

St. Aloysius Parish, Spokane - Friday, July 16, 2021 10:00am The funeral will also be livestreamed at <https://stalschurch.org/mass-livestream/>

- **Open House!** - You are invited to learn more about our Atrium on Sunday, July 25th, after the 8 & 10 am Masses. Visit our Atrium, ask questions about Catechesis of the Good Shepherd and perhaps save a place for your child!
- **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)** There's no cost to participate! St. Francis Xavier Parish subsidizes the cost of the Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life (SEEL) retreat as part of its commitment to the spiritual life of the parish and community. So budget is not a factor as you consider this spiritual experience of a lifetime. Here's what a graduate student had to say about her SEEL retreat:

“SEEL is AMAZING! I am a graduate student and was feeling overwhelmed with my work load, and also feeling alone in my faith. SEEL was the perfect way to find companions in spirituality and reconnect with God. It also was doable as a student, since cost was not a factor. I gained a faith community with my small group during the SEEL Retreat Evenings. We laughed, cried, prayed, and sat in joy with each other. We truly supported one another with all of our hearts, and I will take that love with me forever.”

Visit on our website to learn more and apply to participate in the “amazing” SEEL retreat:
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.