

SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH

OCTOBER 15, 2023

Pastor C. Hightower, SJ Associate Pastors: Paul Cochran, SJ Victor Cancino, SJ



Thank you for your support of Youth Ministry and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd by contributing to our Fall Fundraiser!

A reminder that special second collection will be taken up this weekend and on the weekend of October 22nd. Thus far we have raised \$3,140.00! Our hope is to raise \$20,000 so that our children may continue to be inspired by their faith. Thank you!

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

Eucharistic Adoration - Wednesday 8:30am to 2:30pm
& the First Friday of the month 8:30am - Noon Contact
Kathy 406.251.3704

Reconciliation - Wednesday 1:00 - 2:30pm and Saturday
3:00 - 4:30pm or by appointment

Prayers

May ---

**Maria Mannix, Sophia Daniel, Michel Lepold,
Jayne Rogers, Betty Miller, and Tanner Huff**
receive His healing and consolation.

May ---

Allen Miller, and Agnes Shoen
rest in peace in Our Lord's Loving arms.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 2023

Saturday 10/14	Joan Lowery*
Sunday 10/15	Mark Bryn Tom Stahl For the People*
Monday 10/16	Mary Kendall
Tuesday 10/17	Madonna Stoll
Wednesday 10/18	No Intentions
Thursday 10/19	Wherley Family*
Friday 10/20	Agnes Shoen
Saturday 10/21	Mary Ann Martello
Sunday 10/22	For the People* Evelyn Weaver Kathleen Hammand

MASS SCRIPTURES FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 2023

Saturday 10/14	Joel 4:12-21 Ps. 97 Luke 11:27-28	
Sunday 10/15	Isa. 25:6-10a Ps. 23 Phil. 4:12-14, 19-20 Matt. 22:1-14	28TH SUNDAY IN ORD.T.
Monday 10/16	Rom. 1:1-7 Ps. 98 Luke 11:29-32	
Tuesday 10/17	Rom. 1:16-25 Ps. 19 Luke 11:37-41	ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH
Wednesday 10/18	2 Tim. 4:10-17b Ps. 145 Luke 10:1-9	ST. LUKE, EVANGELIST
Thursday 10/19	2 Cor 4:7-15 Ps. 126 Matt. 28:16-20	STs. JOHN DE BREBEUF, ISAAC JOGUES, & COMPS
Friday 10/20	Rom. 4:1-8 Ps. 32 Luke 12:1-7	
Saturday 10/21	Rom. 4:13, 16-18 Ps. 105 Luke 12:8-12	
Sunday 10/22	Isa. 45:1, 4-6 Ps. 96 1 Thess. 1:1-5b Matt. 22:15-21	29TH SUNDAY IN ORD.T.

Collections for October 8, 2023

Maintenance - 140.00

Regular - 7046.00

Online - 7549.20

Loose - 1739.41

Aid to the Needy - 100.00

Thank you for your generosity!

THE TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



We Could Use Your Help: The St. Francis Xavier Child Care Center is one of only a few daycares in Missoula that offers infant care. In order to continue this ministry, we could use your help. We have a number of paid and volunteer positions currently available. For those seeking employment, we offer competitive wages and a wonderful work environment. We also have a number of “Rockin’ Grandma’s” who volunteer their time to hold and rock babies but we could use a few more! Would you like to join our paid staff or be our next Rockin’ Grandma? Please contact Angie Porch at aporch@sfxmissoula.org or share this information with anyone who you think might love working with our kiddos! Thank you!

- **Trunk or Treat Sunday, October 29th in the SFX parking lot!** - this fun family event is now in it’s 3rd year. We invite you to decorate your car and share treats with our trick or treaters. Join us from 3:30 to 5:30 pm with time to attend the 6:00 pm Mass! Katy will also be accepting candy donations. Questions 406.542.0321 or kmckinnon@sfxmissoula.org Please sign up at this link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084FADAF2FA6FCC43-44918267-trunk>
- **Child Care Ministry Wish List...** Dear Parishioners, the SFX Child Care Center could use your support in the form of groceries and paper goods commonly used in our daycare. Please view our CHILD CARE WISH LIST to see the full list of items. It’s important that all items be purchased as listed and be organic with the exception of the whole milk. Please bring your donations to the parish office and contact Katy McKinnon at 406.542.0321 or kmckinnon@sfxmissoula.org for any questions. Thank you for supporting our infant child care efforts!
- **A heartfelt thank you to all who donated towels, blankets, and such to Family Promise!** Your commitment amazes me! All of your donations were happily received and will dress up each room as a family enters the center. Blessings to you all, Anette Blaskovich, Family Promise Coordinator
- **Missoula Catholic Schools Open House** - Loyola Sacred Heart 406.549.6101 November 10th Noon - 2pm and St. Joseph 406.549.1290 November 10th 9:30 - 11:00 am missoulacatholic-schools.org
- **Our friends at Christ the King are hosting a Ladies Book Club!** The first novel to be discussed on October 21st will be *Treason: A Catholic Novel of Elizabethan England* by Dena Hunt Contact Elizabeth 406.407.8313 will meet in room 217
- **Jr. High and High School Youth Event** - Field of Screams MT <https://fieldofscreamsmt.com/> Friday, October 27th at 7:00pm please contact Jack to register jpeed@ctkmsla.org
- **Youth Group** - Meets Wednesday nights. Jr. High: 5-6pm at Christ the King room 217, High School: 6:30 - 8pm at Christ the King room 217