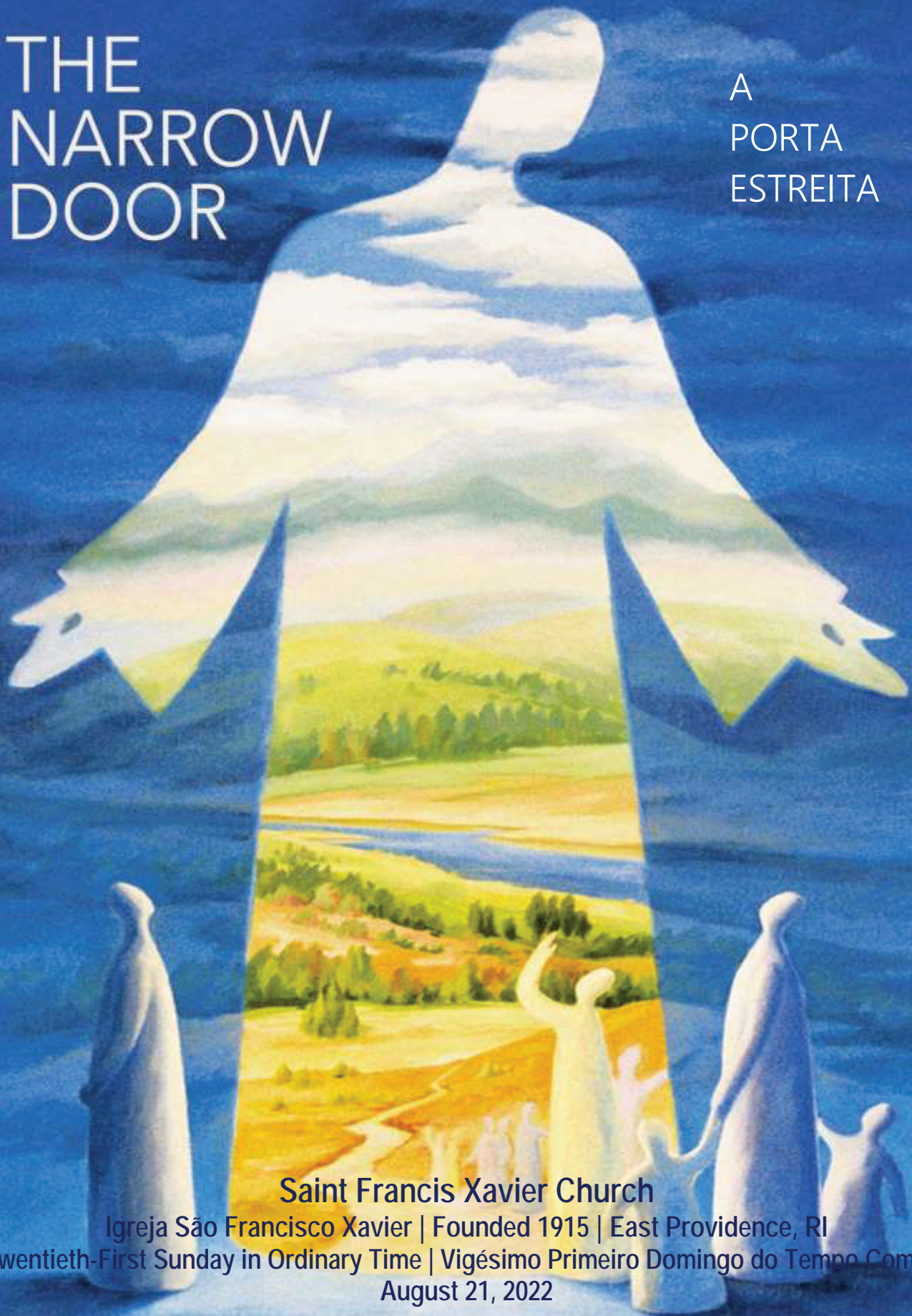


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**Masses | Missas**

Saturday Vigil | Sábado – 4:30PM [English]

Sunday | Domingo – 8AM [Português]

9:30AM [English]

11:45AM [Português]

**Daily | Diária**

Segunda-feira, Quarta-feira e Sexta-feira – 6PM [Português]

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday – 12:05PM [English]

**Sacrament of Confession | Sacramento da Confissão**

Saturday | Sábado 3-3:30PM

Confessions in Portuguese are heard on the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month or by appointment. Confissões em português são no primeiro sábado do mês ou por apontamento.

**Sacrament of Baptism | Sacramento do Batismo**

First Sunday of the month 1PM | Primeiro Sábado do mês 1PM

Please contact the rectory to make arrangements.

Por favor contacte a reitoria para iniciar a preparação.

**Sacrament of Marriage | Sacramento do Matrimônio**

Please contact one of the parish priests one year prior to the proposed date of your wedding. Por favor contacte um dos sacerdotes um ano antes da data do casamento.

**Sacrament of the Sick | Sacramento dos Enfermos**

Please contact one of the parish priests if you are shut-in, sick, homebound, or hospitalized and before surgery.

Por favor contacte um dos sacerdotes se estiver internado, doente, sem sair de casa ou e antes da cirurgia.

**Sacrament of Holy Orders | Sacramento da Ordem**

Please contact one of the parish priests or the Office of the Director of Vocations at 401-331-1316 or [www.catholicpriest.com](http://www.catholicpriest.com)

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**MASS Intentions**

*Intenções de Missas*

**Sábado | Saturday, August 20**

**4:30PM:** Carlos Rosa (Anniv) (O); Sebastião & Maria Conceição Costa; Joaquim & Natalina Amaral; Elvira Cabral; João C. & Delia M. Botelho; Adelino Campos & Blandina Campos; Raul Silva Lopes & family; João José De Lima

**Domingo | Sunday, August 21**

**8:00AM:** Larry Tavares

**9:30AM:** José P. Andrade; Jaime Simas; Louis M. Tavares

**11:45AM:** Maria da Gloria Bettencourt (O); 46° Aniversario de Casamento - Intenções de Valdimira e Mariano Ferreira e Maria da Gloria Carvalho; Sofia, Natalia e José Leitão; Afonso Pinto e família; Manuel Teixeira (13° Aniv) e pais; Manuel Flor e Franklin Pichardo

**Segunda-feira | Monday, August 22**

**12:05PM:** Rosalina Silveira (Birth Remb)

**Terça-feira | Tuesday, August 23**

**12:05PM:** Joe Antonio (8<sup>th</sup> Anniv); José Aguiar; Maria M. Melo; Maria José Delgado & family

**Quarta-feira | Wednesday, August 24**

**6:00PM:** Frank Peixoto e Intenções da família; José Martins Ponte; Maria Emília Dutra e pais; Natalia Tavares

**Quinta-feira | Thursday, August 25**

**12:05PM:** Jaime Simas; Eduardo Esteves; Padre Pio & souls in Purgatory

**Sexta-feira | Friday, August 26**

**12:05PM:** Mary P. Silva; Maria C. Maia

**6:00PM:** Eduarda Da Costa e família; Em honra a Nossa Senhora das Dores

**Sábado | Saturday, August 27**

**4:30PM:** Maria & António Gouveia & family (O); Ernesto Oliveira; António Araujo Abilheira & Teresa Fernandes Cavaleiro; Intentions of Carlos Silveira; Patricia Zinno

**Domingo | Sunday, August 28**

**8:00AM:** Antônio e Rosa da Ponte; filho e neto; Eduardo Sampaio e Mary Silva; Larry Tavares; Manuel D. Cabral; João José De Lima

**9:30AM:** José & Maria B. Silva; João & Idalina Quadros & daughter; Maria H. Simão; (O); Idalina Souto & family

**11:45AM:** Maria Carlos e filho; Maria Rego; Maria Ascensão Moniz e Paulino Bento Amaral; Intenções de Filomena Furtado

### Holy Ghost Brotherhood of St. Peter Results

We are very pleased to present the following results from the Holy Ghost Brotherhood of St. Peter 2022, due to the great sacrificial spirit and devotion manifested in the work and generosity of our friends and parishioners. The Domingas brought in a net profit of \$25,266.00. May God bless you all.

### Resultados da Irmandade do Espírito Santo de São Pedro

Temos o prazer de apresentar os seguintes resultados da Irmandade do Espírito Santo de São Pedro 2022, devido ao grande espírito sacrificial e devoção manifestado no trabalho e generosidade de nossos amigos e paroquianos. Os resultados são um lucro líquido de \$ 25.266,00. Que Deus abençoe a todos.

### St. Francis Xavier Annual Feast Results

We are very happy to announce to our dear parishioners the results of the 2022 St. Francis Xavier Annual Feast. The results are a net profit of \$44,210.70. Thank you to the Feast Chairman, Brian Aguiar, the committee and all those who gave their time and talents and great sacrifices for a great success. May God bless you all.

### Resultados da Festa Anual de São Francisco Xavier

Estamos muito felizes em anunciar aos nossos queridos paroquianos os resultados da Festa Anual de São Francisco Xavier de 2022. Os resultados são um lucro líquido de \$44,210.70. Obrigado ao Presidente da Festa, Brian Aguiar, à comissão e a todos aqueles que deram o seu tempo e talento e grandes sacrifícios para um grande sucesso. Que Deus abençoe a todos.



### Faith Formation Registrations

Registrations are now being accepted for the Fall Faith Formation Program. Classes will begin on Sunday, September 25, 2022.

Registration forms will be available on the Saint Francis Xavier Church website at: [saintfrancisxavierchurch.com](http://saintfrancisxavierchurch.com) and at the entrance of the church. If you have any questions, please contact our Director of Faith Formation, Devonn Pafume at [Stfrancisx21@gmail.com](mailto:Stfrancisx21@gmail.com).

### Catechists/Teachers

If you were a catechist/teacher or would like to become one this year, please contact Mr. Devonn Pafume. [Stfrancisx21@gmail.com](mailto:Stfrancisx21@gmail.com)

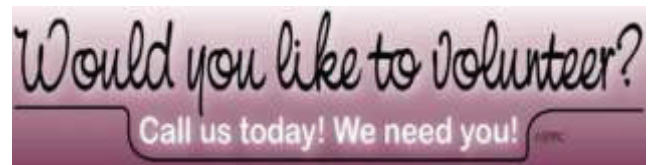
### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every Friday after the 12:05 Mass until the 6PM Mass. It is important that we have a least two people present in the church during this time. Also, please join us every first Friday of the month for a Holy Hour [11AM in English & 5PM in Portuguese].



### Adoração do Santíssimo Sacramento

Adoração ao Santíssimo Sacramento é cada sexta-feira após a Missa da 12:05 até a Missa das 6 da tarde. É importante que tenhamos pelo menos duas pessoas presentes na igreja durante este tempo. Além disso, todas as primeiras sextas-feiras do mês há uma Hora Santa [11 da manhã em inglês e 5 da tarde em português].



### New Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

We are in need of more lectors and Eucharistic Ministers for the Weekend Masses. If anyone would like to volunteer, please contact the rectory of speak with Fr. Jorge.

### Novos leitores e Ministros da Comunhão

Precisamos mais leitores e Ministros da Comunhão para as Missas de fim de semana. Se alguém gostaria servir como Leitor ou Ministro da comunhao, chame a reitoria ou fala com o Padre Jorge.

### Volunteers to bring Communion to the home-bound

We are in need of volunteers to bring communion to the home-bound from our parish. This is a very important ministry to bring Christ to those who cannot come to Mass. If you are interested, please contact Fr. Jorge.

### Voluntários para levar a Comunhão

Precisamos de voluntários para levar a comunhão aos que não podem assistir Missa na igreja. Este é um ministério muito importante para levar Cristo às pessoas que não podem ir à missa. Se você estiver interessado, entre em contato com o Pe. Jorge.

### Mudança de horário para segunda-feira, 22 de agosto

A Missa na segunda-feira, 22 de agosto, será às 12:05, em vez das 6, por causa de um encontro de padres com o bispo.

### Schedule change for Monday, August 22

The Mass on Monday, August 22 will be at 12:05 PM, instead of 6PM because of a priests' gathering with the Bishop.

### Save the Date – Diocesan Youth Day

September 10, 2022

Our Lady of Fatima

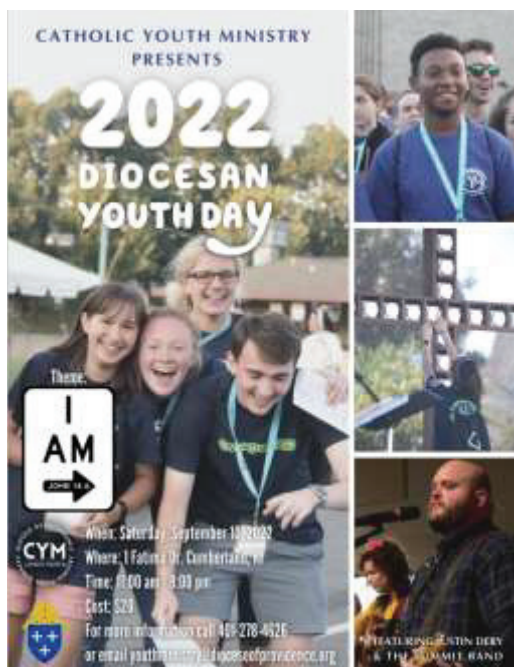
1 Fatima Drive, Cumberland, RI

11 AM – 8 PM

For more information call 401-278-4626

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*The Blessed Sacrament light is lit  
for the intentions of*

*A luz do Santíssimo Sacramento  
Ilumina pelas intenções da família Benevides*



On Sunday, August 14<sup>th</sup>, the following children received the Sacrament of Baptism after the 11:45AM Mass: Giovanni Andrade Almeida, Lillian Mae Joe and Emilia Victoria Pacheco-Rosa. Congratulations to the parents and godparents.



The SFX Youth Group is always looking for new members. For more information check us out on Facebook: Saint Francis Xavier Youth Ministry.

### Food Pantry

The Joe Antonio food pantry is open on the second and fourth Monday of the month from 9:30 to 11:30AM at the back of the rectory. Please bring a valid government ID.



### Despensa de Alimentos

A despensa de alimentos Joe Antonio está aberta na segunda e na quarta segunda-feira do mês das 9:30 às 11:30 da manhã na parte de trás da reitoria. Por favor tragam um documento de identidade válido do governo.

### Wedding Anniversary Celebration

The office of Marriage Preparation & Enrichment is sponsoring the Annual Wedding Anniversary Celebration honoring couples of the Diocese of Providence who will be observing their 25th, 40th, 50th and over wedding anniversaries in 2022. The celebration will be held on Sunday, October 16, 2022 at 1 PM at the Cathedral of SS. Peter & Paul. There will be a Mass, renewal of the marriage vows, a personalized certificate and refreshments after the celebration. Couples who would like to attend can register at the rectory before Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>.



### Comemoração de Aniversário de Casamento

A Diocese de Providence está a preparar uma celebração em honra dos casais que fazem 25, 40, 50 ou mais anos de casamento em 2022. A celebração vai ter lugar na Catedral de São Pedro e São Paulo no domingo, 16 de outubro à 1 da tarde. Haverá Missa, renovação dos votos matrimoniais, uma certidão personalizada e refrescos depois da celebração. Os casais que desejam participar podem se inscrever na reitoria antes de sexta-feira, dia 9 de setembro.

### Catholic Foundation of Rhode Island

Do you want to leave a legacy to Saint Francis Xavier Church? The Catholic Foundation of Rhode Island can assist you in planning a meaningful gift. Please call Cyndy Brown at 401-277-2117.

### Fundação Católica de Rhode Island

Você quer deixar um legado para a Igreja de São Francisco Xavier? A Fundação Católica de Rhode Island pode ajudá-lo a planejar uma doação significativa. Ligue para Cyndy Brown 401-277-2117.

### Cell phones in the Church

A friendly reminder, please turn off or silence your cellphones before entering the church.

### Telemóveis na Igreja

Um lembrete amigável, por favor desligue ou silencie seu telemóvel antes de entrar na igreja.



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### E-Giving

E-Giving allows parishioners to have their contributions directly debited from either their checking or savings account on a weekly or monthly basis. This is a secure way of contributing to the parish. This program is free for parishioners, and you maintain full control of your offerings. For more information: [saintfrancisxavierchurch.com/egiving](http://saintfrancisxavierchurch.com/egiving)



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