

**"Whoever receives one child such
as this in my name, receives me."**

MARK 9:37

**"QUEM RECEBE UMA CRIANÇA COMO ESTA EM MEU NOME,
RECEBE A MIM."**

Saint Francis Xavier Church

Igreja São Francisco Xavier | Founded 1915 | E. Providence, RI

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time | Vigésimo Quinto Domingo do Tempo Comum | September 19, 2021

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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 1st 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

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MASS Intentions

Intenções de Missas

Sábado | Saturday, September 18

4:30PM: Sebastião Cabral, wife & daughter (O); Antonio Costa & Manuel & Kevin Cunha; Adelino Campos; Angelina Medeiros; Maria Lourdes Bettencourt; João & Delia Botelho; João Faria Correia, Jr.; Kevin Cabral; Maria Iberia Amaral; Valdir Frederico Barros & Norberto Silvio Barros; Joaquim Santos Fernandes; João Vieira Melo; Maria dos Anjos Mota & family

Domingo | Sunday, September 19

8:00AM: Antonio Medeiros; Ana e José Pimentel e família; Anthony & Rita G. Cabral; Arturo e Rosa de Sousa; Maria da Gloria Borges

9:30AM: Rita C. Sullivan; Eric M. da Silveira; Manuel Sousa & Maria Gouveia Pacheco, Diniz Jacinto Pacheco & Evangelina Sousa Travassos; Januario & Germana Couto

11:45AM: Sofia e Natalia Leitão; Afonso Pinto e família; Anthony Cabral, Jr.; Maria Pombo e Madalena Faria;

Filomena Garcia e Francisco Feijó; Irene Pires Alves; Daniel Amaral; Guilhermina Amaral; Lucia e Teresa Tavares; Maximino Camara; Leonardo Oliveira; Manuel e Mary Taveira; Elizabeth De Bastos; Walter Moniz e família; Fernando Medeiros, pais e sogros; José e Rosalina Vigarito; José e Ana Luis; Ana Maria Luis; José Furtado Luis; Jaime Almeida; João Simas; Anna e David Lander; Em honra de Nossa Senhora da Conceição; Silvano Lima

Segunda-feira | Monday, September 20

6:00PM: Maria C. Maia e família; Anthony Cabral, Jr. (Aniv); Intenções de Maria Evelina da Ponte

Terça-feira | Tuesday, September 21

12:05PM: Maria Da Gloria Bettencourt; Adelina A. White; Joaquim & Natalina Amaral & family;

Quarta-feira | Wednesday, September 22

6:00PM: Antonio Sousa Silva; Etelvina Martins; Em honra de São José; Maria Emilia Dutra; Maria José da Costa Branco e Agostinho da Silva; Gisela Maria Santos e Maria Alice Rodrigues; Fatima Resendes; Ezequiel Aguiar e Adelaide da Silva;

Quinta-feira | Thursday, September 23

12:05PM: James Gregory (20th Anniv); Frank Peixoto & Adelina Silva; Virginia E. Andrade; Souls in Purgatory; Angelo & Filomena Arcese

Sexta-feira | Friday, September 24

12:05PM: Elliot Bonneville; Souls in Purgatory

6:00PM: Fatima Moniz; Eduarda Da Costa e família; Emilia Eugenia; José Aguiar; Albano e Maria Brazão; Em ação de graças a Santo Antonio; Paulo De Barros, Paul E. De Barros e Eugenia Martins (Nasc)

Sábado | Saturday, September 25

2:00PM: Wedding: Ashley Lopes & Zack Mitsmenn

4:30PM: Manuel & Kevin Cunha; José Pacheco; José Farias & Lionel Farias

Domingo | Sunday, September 26

8:00AM: Eduardo Sampaio e Manny e Mary Taveira; Manuel D. Cabral; Anthony e Rita G. Cabral

9:30AM: João & Idalina Quadros & daughter & Jose & Maria B. Silva (O); Rita C. Sullivan; Bella Sheets

11:45AM: Gil Pereira e Suzann Raposo;

Joseph M. Reis e pais; Maria Estrela Brum e Manuel Matias Brum; Anthony Cabral, Jr.; Manuel Nunes (19^o Aniv); Jonas Cruz e almas no Purgatório; Maria José Correia; Jaime Simas; Conceição Vieira



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].

Congratulations

Congratulations to Saint Francis Xavier parishioner **Julia Ferreira**, who received the 2020 Lumen Gentium [Light of the Nations] Distinguished Catholic Youth Award. Julia was presented with the award by Bishop Thomas Tobin on Thursday, September 9 at the Aldrich Mansion in Warwick.

New Lectors, Eucharistic ministers and Altar Servers

We are in need of new Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers at the weekend Masses. Please contact Fr. Jorge. Training will be provided. Thank you.

Novos Leitores, Ministros da Comunhão e Acólitos

Precisamos de novos Leitores, Ministros da Comunhão e acólitos na Missas de fim de semana. Por favor, contacte Pe. Jorge. Vamos treinar quem estiver interessado. Obrigado.

Diocese of Providence's 150th anniversary

The Diocese of Providence will celebrate the sesquicentennial of its foundation through a series of events running through June 2022. For more information on the anniversary events, please visit:

dioceseofprovidence.org/150

Catechists/Teachers

If you were a catechist/teacher or would like to become one this year, please contact Mr. Devonn Pafume.

Stfrancisx21@gmail.com

Faith Formation Registrations

Registrations are now being accepted for the Fall Faith Formation Program. Classes will begin on Sunday, September 26, 2021. Registration forms will be available on our website at 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.

Adult Confirmation Classes (RCIA)

Adults who are interested in receiving the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and/or Confirmation, please call Fr. Hiep Nguyen. Confirmation will be celebrated at the Easter Vigil (April 16, 2022).

Saint Francis Xavier Holiday Bazaar

Our Bazaar will be on **Saturday-Sunday, November 6-7**. We humbly ask for donations of new or gently used household items, Christmas items, toys or stuffed animals, items for the Bazaar booth prizes and auction items. In addition, you may donate restaurant gift cards or gift cards from any store to be used for raffles.

São Francisco Xavier "Holiday Bazaar"

Nosso bazar será **sábado a domingo, 6-7 de novembro**. Solicitamos humildemente doações de artigos novos ou usados com cuidado, artigos de Natal, brinquedos, artigos para os prêmios e artigos para o "Silent Auction." Além disso, você pode doar cartões-presente de restaurante ou cartões-presente de qualquer loja para serem usados para rifas.

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A Missa na Televisão

Este domingo, 19 de setembro a Missa das 11:45 será transmitida pela televisão no Canal Português s [80 ou 96] de New Bedford. Isto é uma maneira de podermos continuar a missão de anunciar a Boa Nova.

Mass on Television

This Sunday, September 19, the 11:45 AM Mass will be televised and shown again on the Portuguese Channel [80 or 96] at 7PM. This allows many members of the Portuguese parishes throughout Southeastern New England to hear the Word of God and be nourished spiritually. Thank you for your support.

Senior Priest Retirement Fund

A collection during the weekend of September 18 and 19 will benefit the Senior Priest Retirement Fund, a significant source of support for priests that provides for basic needs such as food, housing, transportation and medical care. Please consider your generous support of this important effort that benefits those who have selflessly served the faithful for decades. For more information about the Senior Priest Retirement Fund, or to make a donation online, please visit www.srpriestri.com.

Coleta Para os Sacerdotes Reformados

Nas Missas deste fim-de-semana de 18 e 19 de Setembro vai haver uma segunda coleta especial para o fundo da reforma dos nossos sacerdotes que durante longos anos serviram o povo católico da nossa diocese. Muito obrigado pela vossa generosidade.

Adult Choir Rehearsals Resume

Adult choir rehearsals have resumed. Membership is available to fully vaccinated persons from high school age and up. Socially distanced unmasked rehearsals will be held in the church meeting room and accessed through the lower rear glass doors. New members are asked to call Br. Enoch at 401-440-4784 before attending. Children's choir rehearsals will have a delayed start, date to be announced.

Resumo de Ensaios de coro de Adultos

Os ensaios do coro adulto os ensaios do coro já recomeçaram. A associação está disponível para pessoas totalmente vacinadas a partir de idade escolar. Ensaios sem máscara, socialmente distantes, serão realizados na cave da igreja. Os novos membros devem ligar para o Br. Enoch [401-440-4784] antes de atender. Os ensaios do coral de crianças terão início atrasado, data a ser anunciada.

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COVID19 Regulations in the Church

1. If you experience any type of flu symptoms, please stay at home and contact your physician.
2. Please sanitize your hands upon entering the church [there is hand sanitizer at the entrance of the church].
3. Fully vaccinated parishioners are no longer required to wear a mask.
4. Those who are not fully vaccinated are asked to continue to wear a facemask in church.

Regulamentos [COVID 19] na Igreja

1. Se sentir algum dos sintomas de gripe, por favor fique em casa e chame o seu médico.
2. Desinfete as mãos ao entrar na igreja [há desinfetante para as mãos disponível na entrada da igreja].
3. Os paroquianos totalmente vacinados não precisam usar máscara.
4. Aqueles que não foram totalmente vacinados devem continuar a usar a máscara na igreja.

Por favor rezem pelo repouso das almas de Eileen Levesque e Maria José Oliveira cujos funerais se realizaram recentemente.



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Eileen Levesque and Maria José Oliveira whose funerals were held recently.

Portuguese-American Veterans Monument

Rev. Victor Silva, in collaboration with the Day of Portugal Committee, is working to erect a monument in honor of the Portuguese-American veterans at the Veterans' Cemetery in Exeter, RI.

At this time, they are soliciting funds to cover the expenses for this project. If you are able to make a donation, please send it to:

RI Day of Portugal
P.O. Box 9464
Providence, RI 02940

Monumento aos Veteranos Luso-Americanos

Rev. Victor Silva, em colaboração com o Comissão do Dia de Portugal, estão trabalhando para erigir um monumento em homenagem aos veteranos Americanos-Portugueses no Cemitério dos Veteranos em Exeter, RI.

Neste momento, eles estão solicitando doações para cobrir as despesas deste projeto. Se você é capaz de fazer uma doação, por favor enviado para o endereço acima.

Holy Angels Church is looking for someone who is willing to work two days a week and 3 hours each day. The responsibilities include: watering, weeding and grounds keeper for \$15 per hour. Interested parties to email to the attention of the pastor at hangels@fullchannel.net.

Pope St. John XXIII National Seminary in Weston, MA is looking for a part-time Controller who will be responsible for performing and managing all aspects of financial operations. These functions will include but not be limited to maintaining accounting records, creating budgets, and administering the human resource function. Please email a cover letter and resume to: seminary@psjs.edu



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:

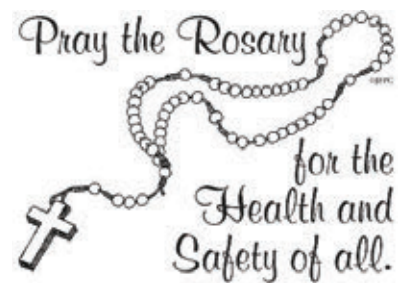
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Food Pantry

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. Residents residing in 02914 zip code, 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. Residentes que residem no código postal 02914, tragam um documento de identidade válido do governo.



Please note that the bulletin will be sent out to be printed on Tuesday morning. Please be punctual if you want an intention printed in the bulletin.

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