Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 18th

4:30PM Sebastião & Maria da Conceição Costa; João & Delia Botelho; Adelino Campos; Rev. António Paiva & Luís Leite; José & Maria da Trindade Cunha; Intentions of Alberto Pacheco & Family

Sunday, April 19th

8:00AM Éduardo Sampaio & Mary Taveira;
Manuel & Maria Moniz, Evaristo & Beatriz
Oliveira & Carlos Oliveira; António Medeiros,
José & Ana Pimentel, In honor of St. Joseph;
Maria Rosa Ferreira & Cláudio Amaral;
Mateus & Maria Meirinho; Manuel D. Cabral

9:30AM Nicholas Tavares (Birth Remb); Joaquim Correia da Costa & Maria Lurdes da Costa; Catherine Rose Botelho; Mary & Manual Taveira;

11:45AM Mário Ferreira (26th Annív) Afónso Pinto & Family; José & Rosalina Vigário & Family; Silvana Oliveira & Family; José Luís Vicente; Sofia & Natália Leitão; Gil & Suzann Raposo & Joseph Reis & parents; Filomena & Sérgio Faria; Jacinto Bairos (Birth Remb) & Virgínia Bairos; António Nunes (Birth Remb) & Alice Nunes; Manuel Pacheco & Family

Monday, April 20th

6:00PM Adelina A. White; Pedro Luís & Olinda; Manuel Morais (Birth Remb) & Edith Morais & daughter

Tuesday, April 21st

12:05PM Maria Santos (Anniv); João & Maria Goulart

Wednesday, April 22nd

6:00PM Maria P. Bettencourt;

Maria da Gloria Bettencourt; Antonio Cabral & Family; Jose Paiva & Family

Thursday, April 23rd

12:05PM Frank Peixoto & Sr. Emily Silveira

Friday, April 24th

12:05PM Souls in Pugatory; António Soito,Daniel & Aurélia Andrade & Daughter6:00PM Francisco Rego & Family;

Eduarda da Costa & Family; Paulo De Barros

Saturday, April 25th

4:30PM Maria Alexandre; José Medeiros

Sunday, April 26th

8:00AM Manuel Simão Pereira & Ana de Deus Roias, Manuel Francisco Roias Pereira & Souls; David Cabral (Anniv) & Family

9:30AM Phil Prever

11:45AM Manuel da Costa & Family; Maria Lurdes Correia; António & Maria do Carmo Branco & Son,

Manuel Matias Brum, parents & Brothers; Intentions of Isaura Reis & Family



Blessed Sacrament Lamp Intentions of Virginia Moitoso O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You,

Pope Francis Prayer

Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You,
Salvation of the Roman People, know what
we need. We are certain that you will
provide, so that, as you did at Cana of
Galilee, joy and feasting might return after
this moment of trial. Help us, Mother of
Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the
Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us:
He who took our sufferings upon Himself,
and bore our sorrows to bring us, through
the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection.
Amen. We seek refuge under your

The intentions booked on the masses will be said in private by the priests.

protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not

despise our pleas – we who are put to the

test - and deliver us from every danger, O

glorious and blessed Virgin.

TV MASS

On Sunday, April 26th, the 11:45am Mass will be televised and shown again on the Portuguese Channel 80 or 96 at 7:00PM. We are asking



for donations at this time. This allows many of the homebound members of the Portuguese parishes throughout South-Eastern New England to hear the Word of God and be nourished spiritually. Please know that your support is greatly appreciated.

Thank you!

The Paschal Candle was donated by
John & Maryann Marques,
in memory of João Inácio de Melo,
Tobias & Clara Marques & Deceased de
Melo & Marques Families.

In light of the growing coronavirus crisis in Rhode Island, in response to the request of public officials, and in compliance with the diocese of providence, public masses and other liturgical services at Saint Francis Xavier Church are suspended effective immediately and continuing until further notice.

We count on your support to continue to guide Saint Francis Xavier Parish in the midst of difficult times.

DUE TO SAFETY CONCERNS AND PER THE ORDERS OF THE GOVENOR

THE RECTORY OFFICE WILL NOT BE TAKING VISITORS AT THIS TIME. PLEASE CALL 434-1878 FROM 10AM – 2:00PM AND WE CAN ASSIST YOU.

FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES, PLEASE CALL OR RING THE DOORBELL AT ANY TIME.

IF YOU NEED IMMEDIATE
ASSISTANCE NOW, PLEASE RING THE
DOORBELL AND WE WILL ASSIST
YOU FROM THE FRONT STEPS OF
THE RECTORY
(WE MUST MAINTAIN AT LEAST
6 FEET DISTANCE)

Holy Ghost Brotherhood of St. Peter's St. Francis Xavier Church

Because of the health crisis we are facing and the uncertainty of when we will be able to resume our normal activities, the "Domingas" in our parish have been cancelled for this year. The families who were hosting the Holy Ghost Domingas this year will be hosting in 2021 if they are able to.

We are grateful to our parishioners at Saint Francis Xavier and we ask you that you pray and support our parish. If you are able, you can drop off budgets in the mail slot at the rectory. We also have E-giving. This program allows parishioners to have their contributions directly debited from either their checking or savings account on a weekly or monthly basis. This is an absolutely secure way of contributing to the parish. This program is free for parishioners, and you maintain full control of your offerings. For more information: https://saintfrancisxavierchurch.com/egiving

Faith Formation News: Grades K – 9

All classes Cancelled until further notice

Confirmation & First Communion Notice:
Out of concern for the safety of everyone,
all previously scheduled Sacramental
celebrations have been suspended until
further notice. We will keep you posted
regarding new dates.

Joe Antonio Food Pantry
Will be closed until
further notice.

With Great Thanks

Without the help from local businesses and good friends we would not be able to publish our own bulletin. Thank you very much to those who make it possible and support the church bulletin with their advertisements. May God bless you and your business. There is still a blocks available, if you would to place your ad and support your church bulletin please call the rectory at 434-1878 between 10am and 4:00PM.

You can view our sponsor's on church website:

http://Saintfrancisxavierchurch.com