Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 27th

4:30PM Julio & Maria Carreiro & family; Filomena Rodrigues

Sunday, June 28th

8:00AM Eduardo Sampaio, Mary & Manuel Taveira; Raul Kuatas; Maria Rosario Xavier & Augusto da Silva Xavier

9:30AM Adriano Fernandes, parents & Brothers;
Jose A. Gonsalves (16th Anniv);
Janice Valentine;
João Santos Lopes & Francisco Lopes;
John C. Melo, Joseph Melo & Maria Trievel

11:45AM Manuel de Melo; Lúcia Oliveira

Monday, June 29th

6:00PM Rev. Joel Oliveira; Arminda Botelho; Eugenia Martins; José Joaquim Sousa (Anniv); José Manuel Oliveira; Guilherme da Costa (1st Anniv); Olívia Medeiros (Month's Mind)

Tuesday, June 30th

12:05PM Blake Costa; Angie Simoes

Wednesday, July 1st

6:00PM Maria Zulmira Bettencourt; Paulo De Barros; In Honor of St. Joseph & Souls

Thursday, July 2nd

12:05PM All Priests, Vocations, Religious; Arminda & Antonia Fernandes

Friday, July 3rd – Holiday

8:00AM Rev. Joel Oliveira; José Paiva & Family, António Cabral & Family; Lucy Gouveia; Edmundo Mateus (5th Anniv); Virgínia da Mota & Liberato Carreiro da Mota

Saturday, July 4th

8:00AM HOLY FAMILY MASS

4:30PM Msgr. John E. Tavares (Birth Remb); Robert Parenti; Abel Sousa; Joseph, Irene & Russell Escobar

Sunday, July 5th

8:00AM Eduíno Avelar; Roberto Cordeiro & Family; Alfredo Melo & Parents; Diamantina & Manuel Rosa; Cesar & Maria Augusto & António & Analisa Lacerda; António & Matilde Ferreira

9:30AM Louis Rose; Genoveva Furtado & Family11:45AM Fernando Resendes & Grandparents;Maria Luísa Botelho;

Hermano & Maria Espirito Santo Medeiros, Faustino Silva; Maria de Deus Goncalves



Blessed Sacrament Lamp In Memory of Paulo De Barros

Thank you, Father Nathan

We offer our gratitude to Fr. Nathan who will begin his new assignment on July 1 as Vice Chancellor at the Diocese. In two years, Fr. Nathan made a great impact in our community. He is a wonderful preacher, he has a great pastoral presence and does many things well. He quickly immersed himself into the Portuguese culture as he took a Portuguese class and enjoyed Portuguese cuisine. In just two years, he made St. Francis Xavier Church better and we will miss him greatly. Please pray for Fr. Nathan and his family. Please also pray for bishops, priests, deacons, seminarians, religious and for more vocations. Fr. Nathan, thank you and know you are part of our St. Francis Xavier Family.

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.

We are pleased to announce the Domingas for 2021

1st - Manuel & Adrianne da Ponte

2nd - José & Angela Campos

3rd - Campos Family

4th - Carlos & Cecelia Botelho

 5^{th} – St. Francis Xavier Youth

6th - Joey & Brandon Costa

7th - Mordomos - José & Ângela Campos Congratulations and may God Bless You.

Welcome Dan Mahoney!

We are excited to announce that Bishop Tobin has assigned seminarian **Dan Mahoney** to St. Francis Xavier Parish for the summer of 2020. Dan is a fourth year theologian at St. John Seminary, Brighton, MA. Please join us in welcoming Dan to our parish!

Please note: On Friday, July 3rd,
There will not be a Mass at 12:05PM or
6:00PM. The only Mass will be at 8:00AM
due to the Fourth of July Holiday falling
on Saturday this year.
Rectory office will be closed on
Friday, July 3rd.

Pope Francis Prayer

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, 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 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.

Faith Formation News:

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.

WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to those who can join us for the participation of Mass here in Church. This change will not be easy and so we ask for your cooperation and patience. The Mass schedule will remain the same and we will examine how things go to see if we will make changes. Also, we will stream two Masses on the weekend.

- In early March, Bishop Tobin dispensed the faithful from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation. Bishop Tobin has extended this dispensation for the faithful of the Diocese of Providence until further notice.
- Under no circumstances may anyone who manifests symptoms of any illness attend the public celebration of Mass.
- In all instances, those entering the building must maintain the required distance of at least 6 feet at all times. This does not apply to members of families living in the same household.
- All parishioners are strongly encouraged to wear masks or other face coverings for the entirety of the celebration of Mass. Cloth face coverings should not be placed on young children under the age of 2, anyone who has trouble breathing, or anyone who is otherwise unable to remove the mask without assistance.
- All parishioners must sanitize their hands upon entry to the church.