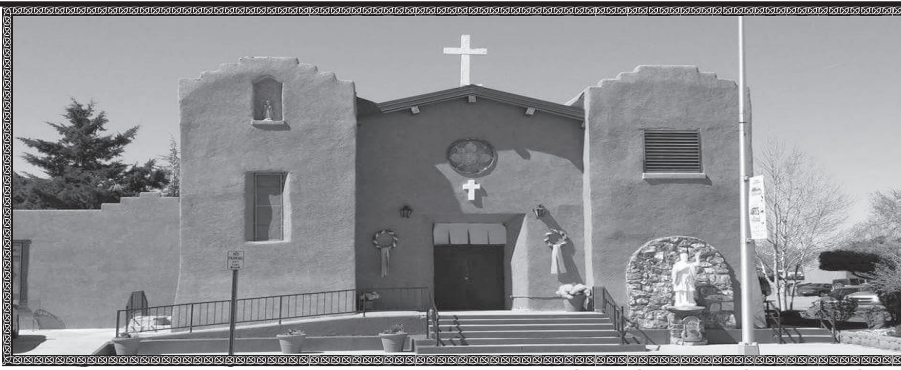




*All for the  
Greater Glory  
of God!  
St. Francis Xavier*



## St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church

**115 N. First Street, Clayton, NM 88415**

**Office and Fax:** (575) 374-8894

**Emergency Only:** (505) 697-1875 OR (575) 374-8900

**Website:** www.sfxclayton.org

**Missions:** Des Moines, Folsom, Moses, NENM Detention Facility



*Hail Mary,  
Full of Grace!  
Holy Mary,  
Mother of God!*

*"I am troubled now. Yet what should I say?" Father, save me from this hour?  
But it was for this purpose that I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name."*

### Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Joel Bugas

Deacon: Dcn Louis Montoya

Part-Time Secretary: Monica Barrus

Part-Time Bookkeeper: Theresa Gard

Communication/Technology: Hayley Encinias

Religious Education: Andrea Naranjo

Adult Religious Education: Sophie Arguello

### Parish Office Hours (CCD Building)

M, W, F 12:00pm -4:00pm

Closed on T, TH and Church & Civil Holidays

### Sacrament of Baptism

(Classes and Parents Interview)

Contact Deacon Louis Montoya

### Sacrament of Marriage

(Classes and Couple Interview)

Contact Fr. Joel -6 Months Prior

### Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

By appointment with the Pastor

## FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

**MARCH 18, 2018**

### St. Francis Xavier, Clayton

**Weekend Mass: Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 10:30am**

**Daily Mass: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 8:00am**

SFX Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel

**Confession: Saturday 4:15-4:50pm OR by appointment**

**Holy Hour: Saturday 4:00-5:00pm (before Mass)**

### Our Lady of Guadalupe, Des Moines

**Weekend Mass: Sunday 8:00am (Oct 1 - May 31)**

**Confession: Sunday before 8:00am OR by appointment**

### St. Joseph, Folsom

**Weekend Mass: Sunday 8:00 m (Jun 1 - Sept 30)**

**Confession: Sunday before 8:00am OR by appointment**

### NENM Detention Facility, Clayton

**Tuesday (1st & 3rd) 2:00pm (for Residents/Staff only)**

**PLEASE VISIT...**

***www.sfxclayton.org***

**For more information & announcements**

To sign up to receive text message  
announcements & updates

- Text 84576
- Type the message: SFXClayton
- Follow instructions

Jeremiah 31:33



*"But this is the covenant which I will make  
with the house of Israel after those days,"  
declares the LORD, "I will put My law  
within them and on their heart I will write it;  
and I will be their God,  
and they shall be My people."*



*This is my body, which will be given up for you.  
This is my blood, the blood of the new and everlasting covenant.  
It will be shed for you and for all... so that sins may be forgiven.  
Do this in memory of me.*

\*\*\* Masses will be offered **March 2018**\*\*\*

+ All the Departed Parishioner's & Family Member's  
SI All the Sponsors, Benefactors & Supporters of SFX Clayton  
SI Good Health & Well Being of all Parishioners & Families

<b>Sat, Mar 10</b>	+ Clare Wood	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Erin Fisk	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Mary Carter	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
<b>Sun, Mar 11</b>	+ Viola Encinias	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Mary Carter	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Jim Sintas	by Helen Sintas & Teri Mansfield
<b>Sat, Mar 17</b>	+ Clare Wood	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Erin Fisk	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Mary Carter	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
<b>Sun, Mar 18</b>	+ Viola Encinias	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Mary Carter	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Maria Faccioli	by Della & Leroy Wetsel
	+ Ricardo & Margarita Sintas	by Helen Sintas & Teri Mansfield
	+ Richard & Evelyn Sintas	by Helen Sintas & Teri Mansfield
	+ Ronald A. Satroplus	by Karen Marsh
<b>Weds, Mar 21</b>	+ Mary Carter	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Morris Albers	by Ross & Shelley Carter
<b>Fri, Mar 23</b>	+ Mary Carter	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Morris Albers	by Ross & Shelley Carter
<b>Sat, Mar 24</b>	+ Clare Wood	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Mary Carter	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Meyardo DeOño	by Delia Crochetiere
<b>Sun, Mar 25</b>	+ Rex Reeves	by Craig & Debbie Reeves
	+ Louise Farlow	by Craig & Debbie Reeves
	+ Jimmy Day	by Craig & Debbie Reeves
	+ Mary Carter	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Ronald A. Satroplus	by Karen Marsh
	+ Andrés Romero	by Debra Thelander
<b>Mon, Mar 26</b>	+ Mary Carter	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Morris Albers	by Ross & Shelley Carter
<b>Tues, Mar 27</b>	+ Meyardo DeOño	by Delia Crochetiere
	+ Mary Carter	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Morris Albers	by Ross & Shelley Carter
<b>Weds, Mar 28</b>	+ Mary Carter	by Ross & Shelley Carter
	+ Morris Albers	by Ross & Shelley Carter
<b>Sat, Mar 31</b>	+ Clare Wood	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Mary Carter	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	+ Meyardo DeOño	by Delia Crochetiere
<b>Sun, April 1</b>	+ Robert & Joseph Trujillo	by Tommie Trujillo
	+ Milton Joseph Cruz, Jr	by Chavez & Cruz Family
	+ Ronald A. Satroplus	by Karen Marsh
	+ Andrés Romero	by Debra Thelander

If there is a death in a parish member's family or a serious hospitalization, please call the Good Samaritan Ministry at (575) 447-2196 so they can provide a small meal or a card to the family to let them know their Parish family is thinking about them.

Lay Minister Schedule		
	Lectors	Eucharistic Cleaning
<b>Sat, Mar 17th</b>	Sammie Wood	Anita Miera & Monica Barrus
<b>Sun, Mar 18th</b>	Effie Walker	Mary Bleiker & Sophie Arguello
<b>Fri, Mar 23rd Stations</b>	Andrea Naranjo	Danielle Arellano & Shelley Carter
<b>Sat, Mar 24th</b>	Shelley Carter & Pat Crisp	Anita Miera & Monica Barrus
<b>Sun, Mar 25th</b>	Andrea Naranjo	Debbie Reeves & Rosie DeHerrera

Parish Collection Counters Schedule	
<b>Sun, Mar 18th:</b>	Mary Bleiker and Dixie Fernandez
<b>Sun, Mar 25th:</b>	Craig and Debbie Reeves
<b>Sun, April 1st:</b>	Larry and MaryLou Harkins

Altar Ministry Schedule	
<b>Saturday, Mar 17th</b>	Ross and Joey
<b>Sunday, Mar 18th</b>	Abade and Kirk
<b>Friday, Mar 23rd Stations of the Cross</b>	Joey and Craig
<b>Saturday, Mar 24th</b>	Ross and Abade
<b>Sunday, Mar 25th</b>	Craig and Kirk

Church Cleaning Schedule	
<b>Mar 11-Mar 17:</b>	Nikki Callis, Danielle & Brittney Arellano
<b>Mar 18-Mar 24:</b>	Janie Garcia & Johnna Kimble
<b>Mar 25-Mar 31:</b>	Rose Alford, Becky Gonzales, Ester Garcia, and Dorothy Nobles

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Check often for updates and information!!

MONTHLY & SPECIAL COLLECTIONS SUMMARY: Feb 2018		
	SFX	OLOG
February 3-4	\$ 2092.46	\$ 412.00
February 10-11	\$ 3286.11	\$ cancelled
Ash Wednesday	\$ 823.33	\$ 248.00
February 17-18	\$ 1603.86	\$ 609.00
February 24-25	\$ 1914.00	\$ 306.00

*Please Note: The weekly collection for the month is printed at end of the month as a summary collection report.*

*"Glorify the Lord generously, and do not stint the first fruits of your hands. With every gift how a cheerful face, and dedicate your tithe with gladness."*  
Sirach 35:8-9



**EVERY SATURDAY OF THE MONTH**  
**HOLY HOUR** — "Could you not spend ONE HOUR with me?"

**EVERY Saturday HOLY HOUR at SFX:**  
4:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
4:15 PM Holy Rosary and Confession  
4:50 PM Benediction  
5:00 PM Regular Saturday Mass



*Please be a part of our weekly family "prayer warrior" sponsors!!!*

# KNOWING YOUR FAITH...

## LECTIONARY READINGS & REFLECTIONS

Monday, March 19— Sunday, March 25, 2018

**MONDAY:** 2 Sm 7:4-5A, 12-14A, 16 Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24A Solemnity of St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary St. Joseph, the spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the foster-father of Jesus, was probably born in Bethlehem and probably died in Nazareth. His important mission in God's plan of salvation was "to legally insert Jesus Christ into the line of David from whom, according to the prophets, the Messiah would be born, and to act as his father and guardian" (*Directory on Popular Piety and the Liturgy*). Most of our information about St. Joseph comes from the opening two chapters of St. Matthew's Gospel. No words of his are recorded in the Gospels; he was the "silent" man. We find no devotion to St. Joseph in the early Church. It was the will of God that the Virgin Birth of Our Lord be first firmly impressed upon the minds of the faithful. He was later venerated by the great saints of the Middle Ages. Pius IX (1870) declared him patron and protector of the universal family of the Church. ([catholicculture.org](http://catholicculture.org))

**TUESDAY:** Nm 21:4-9 Jn 8:21-30

**WEDNESDAY:** Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95 Jn 8:31-42

**THURSDAY:** Gn 17:3-9 Jn 8:51-59

**FRIDAY:** Jer 20:10-13 Jn 10:31-42 Memorial of St. Turibio de Mogrovejo, bishop St. Turibio, a Spaniard, served God from his infancy. Appointed Archbishop of Lima, he landed in South America in 1581. He died March 23, 1606, having, by his indefatigable zeal and by the boundlessness of his charity, literally renewed the face of the Church of Peru. According to the 1962 Missal of Bl. John XXIII the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite his feast is celebrated on April 27. ([catholicculture.org](http://catholicculture.org))

**SATURDAY:** Ez 37:21-28 Jn 11:45-56

**SUNDAY:** Is 50:4-7 Mk 14:1-15:47 Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion Today we commemorate Christ's entry into Jerusalem for the completion of the Paschal Mystery. In the old calendar before Vatican II, the Church celebrated Passion Sunday two Sundays before Easter, and then Palm Sunday was the beginning of Holy Week. The Church has combined the two to reinforce the solemnity of Holy Week. The Palm Sunday procession is formed of Christians who, in the "fullness of faith," make their own the gesture of the Jews and endow it with its full significance. Following the Jews' example we proclaim Christ as a Victor... Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is He who comes in the Name of the Lord. But by our faith we know, as they did not, all that His triumph stands for. He is the Messiah, the Son of David and the Son of God. He is the sign of contradiction, acclaimed by some and reviled by others. Sent into this world to wrest us from sin and the power of Satan, He underwent His Passion, the punishment for our sins, but issues forth triumphant from the tomb, the victor over death, making our peace with God and taking us with Him into the kingdom of His Father in heaven. ([catholicculture.org](http://catholicculture.org))

Please visit the following very informative websites:

- [www.archdiocesesantafe.org](http://www.archdiocesesantafe.org)
- [www.ewtn.com](http://www.ewtn.com)
- [w2.vatican.va/content/vatican/en.html](http://w2.vatican.va/content/vatican/en.html)
- [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org)
- [www.catholicculture.org](http://www.catholicculture.org)
- [www.sfxclayton.org](http://www.sfxclayton.org)

## St. Francis Xavier Church 80th Anniversary A Year of Celebration Dec 17, 2017 to Dec 17, 2018

**March 21** CCD Holy Hour and Rosary & Social  
5:00pm SFX Clayton

**March 23**  
5:00pm Stations of the Cross & Mass  
6:00pm Soup Supper-SFX Parish Hall  
7:00pm Guest Speaker-Ces Bleiker "My faith and Olympic Experiences"  
5:00pm Stations of the Cross OLOG

**March 25** Movie CCD Building-St Faustina  
2:00pm (Bring snacks to share)

**March 29**-Holy Thursday Mass  
6:00pm SFX Clayton

**March 30**-Good Friday Mass-Passion of the Cross  
5:00pm OLOG Des Moines  
7:00pm SFX Clayton

**March 31**  
10:00am Children's Easter Egg Hunt-Airpark  
4:00pm Confession  
5:00pm Easter Vigil Mass-SFX Clayton

**April 1** Easter Sunday Mass  
8:30am OLOG Des Moines  
10:30am SFX Clayton

*"Give thanks to the Lord, invoke his name, make known among the peoples his deeds"*  
*Psalms 105:1*

### Enjoy a once-in-a-lifetime Pilgrimage to Italy!! November 12 to 22, 2018

Travel to Rome, the Vatican, San Giovanni Rotondo, Lanciano, Assisi, Siena, Florence. Celebrate Holy Eucharist in the most historical churches and Basilicas. Price includes airfare, daily breakfast and dinner, Italy travel, all entrance fees, & gratuities. Father Joel will be an amazing Spiritual Director! **Registration & all information on the website!!**

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

5:00 to 6:15pm for pre-K to 5th grades  
6:30 to 7:45pm for 6th-8th grades

- Adoration with our Lord for Children, Youth & Parents: **Mar 21**  
5:00pm SFX Church, 6:00pm CCD Social-Parish Hall
- Children & Youth Mass-**April 1** 10:30 am SFX

Check Children's Ministries on the website for updates!

### The Holy Father's Intentions for March 2018 Formation in Spiritual Discernment

That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment, both on the personal and communitarian levels.

#### OLOG/SJ KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS:

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday Mass, 9 am, Community Center

#### SFX KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS:

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall

**ALTAR LADIES SOCIETY:**

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday, 6 pm, Parish Hall

**CONFIRMATION CLASS:**

Sundays 2 pm per Andrea