



Welcome to ST. FRANCIS XAVIER Catholic Parish

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All for the greater
glory of God!
~St. Francis Xavier

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Missions: Des Moines, Folsom, Moses

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind." This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets."

Clergy

Fr. Joel Bugas, Pastor
Deacon Louis Montoya

Parish Staff

Secretary/Bookkeeper: Vacant
Parish Office Hours (New Building)
M-W-F 1:00 PM-5:00 PM
Closed on T-TH and Church and 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 Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:15-4:50 pm (SFX)
Sunday: before 8:00 am (Mission: OLOG/SJ)
OR By Appointment with the Pastor

Sacrament of Anointing of the sick

By Appointment with the Pastor
As needed OR As per Request by the Family

Organizations and Ministries (UNDER RE-ORGANIZATION)

LECTORS/EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY
SFX ALTAR SOCIETY
MENS ALTAR MINISTRY
PARISH COUNCIL
FINANCE COUNCIL
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (SFX/OLOG/SJ)
GOOD SAMARITAN MINISTRY
SFX FUNERAL MEALS MINISTRY
COLLECTION COUNTER MINISTRY
CLEANING GODS HOUSE MINISTRY
NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING MINISTRY
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION MINISTRY
CONFIRMATION MINISTRY
REL ED. /CONFIRMATION PARENTS MINISTRY
MUSIC MINISTRY
HOLY HOUR MINISTRY
GROUND KEEPINGS MINISTRY
CHURCH BEAUTIFICATION MINISTRY
SFX DOCUMENTATION MINISTRY
YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY
MISSIONS ADVISORY MINISTRY
REGULAR MASS CLUB MINISTRY
SFX SOCIAL AND EVENTS MINISTRY



PLEASE VISIT...

www.sfxclayton.org

For additional
information & calendar

Please watch EWTN Channel
for GREAT Catholic Shows
www.ewtn.com



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 7, 2017



St. Francis Xavier, Clayton—Saturday: 5:00 pm; **Sunday:** 10:30 am

Daily Mass (Mon, Tues & Wed): 8:00 am, SFX OL of Guadalupe Chapel

Confession: Saturday: 4:15-4:50 pm (SFX)

Sunday: before 8:00 am (Mission: OLOG/SJ)

OR By Appointment with the Pastor

Holy Hour: Every Saturday 4:00—5:00 pm (before Mass)

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Des Moines: Sunday 8:00 am (Oct 1 - May 31)

St. Joseph, Folsom: Sunday 8:00 am (Jun 1 - Sept 30)

(check current bulletin)

Holy Days of Obligation: Check current bulletin

Anointing of the Sick: By Appointment with the Pastor

As needed OR As per Request by the Family

Clayton Detention Center: Every Tuesday, 2:30 pm (for Residents/Staff only)

Please visit all the recommended websites for more Catholic events,
activities and information:

www.archdiocesesantafe.org www.usccb.org

www.vatican.va www.ewtn.com

DAILY MASS — ALL ARE WELCOME!

Join US in OUR DAILY—Mon, Tues & Wed 8:00-8:30 am SFX OL of Guadalupe Chapel

Confession EVERY Saturday at 4:15 pm or by appointment.

WEEKLY HOLY HOUR

COME AT 4:00 PM **Every** Saturday at SFX
for a HOLY HOUR with JESUS



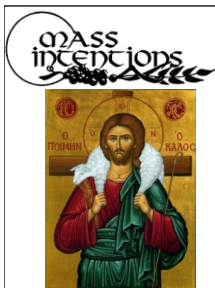
*"I am
the good shepherd,
says the Lord;
I know my sheep,
and mine know me."
~ John 10:14*



In the month of May, let us remember to thank
God for Mary, our heavenly Mother.

+ Mary, our Mother, pray for us.

Pray the rosary daily.



*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.*

WEEKDAY MASSES
are at 8:00 AM or as indicated

*** Masses will be offered April - May 2017

+ 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

Sat, April 29	+ Clare Wood By Sam & Rosalee Britt Family + Augustine & Marta Medina By Alicia Syska + Paula & Carlos Trejo & Guadalupe Medin
Sun, April 30	+ Roy Kimble By Donna Kimble & Family + Dathan Garcia By Garcia Family & Friends SI Cecilia Bachecha By Eloisa Trujillo & Family SI Adult Confirmation Candidates SI First Communion Boys and Girls
Sat, May 6	+ Clare Wood By Sam & Rosalee Britt Family + Guadalupe Medina By Alicia Syska SI Christopher Gabriel & Aaron M Bermea SI SFX First Communion, Sponsors and Family SI Ryder & Lucious Bermea By Alicia Syska SI Cassandra Bermea By Alicia Syska SI Adult Confirmation Candidates, Sponsors
Sun, May 7	+ Clare Wood By Sam & Rosalee Britt Family + Mary Archuleta By Ross & Shelly Carter SI Mothers Day (Living and Deceased)
Sat, May 13	+ Caleb Kear & Colt Cluck By Ross & Shelly Carter SI Mother's Day (Living & Deceased) SI Peace around the World and Family

Parish Collection Counters Schedule

Sundav, May 7: Ross & Shelly Carter
Sundav, May 14: Effie Walker & Della Wetsel
Sundav, May 21: Mary Bleiker & Dixie Fernandez
Sundav, May 28: Criag & Debbie Reeves

Questions? Contact Mary Alice Gallagher (575)374-8353.
Ask another team to substitute if necessary.



Church Cleaning Schedule

May 7-13: Rosie, Joe, Christina, & Jennifer DeHerrera
May 14-20: Craig & Debbie Reeves
May 21-27: Dixie Fernandez, Gloria Lucero, Mary Burton & Cindy Trujillo
May 28-June 3: Lori, Lorenzo, Benjamin, & Andres Montoya



Men's Altar Ministry Schedule

Saturday, May 6	Gallagher Girls
Sunday, May 7	Benjamin, Kirk & Abade
Saturday, May 13	Gallagher Girls
Sunday, May 14	Craig, Joey & Richy
Saturday, May 20	Richy, Ross & Abade
Sunday, May 21	Kirk, Joey & Craig

Please call Donna Kimble 374-2789 or cell 575 207-7203 if there are errors/problems with the schedule that will help with future scheduling. Thank You.

SFX & MISSIONS

Calendar of Events & Announcements:

Please Note: ★ NEW OFFICE/FAX NO. 575 374 8894
★ OFFICE HOURS: M-W-F 1:00—5:00 PM



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



EVERY Saturday HOLY HOUR—4PM, 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

For more information, please call or talk to Cyd and Bart Wyatt

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



MEETINGS! — MEETINGS! — MEETINGS! ★



★ **OLOG/SI KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS MEETING:**

2nd Sunday of the Month after the 8 am Mass, Community Center



★ **SFX KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS MEETING:**

1st Tuesday of the Month, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall



★ **ALTAR LADIES SOCIETY:**

3rd Thursday of the Month, 6 pm, Parish Hall



★ **CONFIRMATION CLASS:**

Every 4th Sunday of the month, 1-4 pm, New Bldg.



★ **Rel. Ed Parents/Teachers Meeting/Catechism:**

3rd Wednesday of the Month, 6pm, New Bldg.



ADULT/YOUTH (18 +) CATECHISM CLASS
6 SESSION'S OF 2-3 HOURS/MONTH/POTLUCK

5:45 PM Potluck dinner

6:15 pm Session/Class

8:45 pm End Session

The Catechism class is offered to the following:

- For Adult and Youth (must be 18 yrs old); Confirmation; For couples preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony; For Adults receiving the Sacrament of Baptism; For couples/sponsors preparing for the Sacrament of Baptism—Call the office to pre-register; Have your sponsor(s) attend and participate the program

UPCOMING SESSIONS — See dates below...

check www.sfxclayton.org for updates



Confirmation Celebration

* Monday, May 8th at 6:30 pm — Confirmation
Immaculate Conception Church, Cimarron, NM



First Communion Celebration

* Sunday, May 7th at 10:30am - First Communion
SFX Church



The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of May 2017

Christians in Africa: That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed.



Lay Minister Schedule

	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist
Sat, May 6	Shelley Carter & Sammie Wood	Brittney Arellano & Danielle Arellano
Sun, May 7	Youth Lectors	Rosie DeHerrera & Jack Chosvig
Sat, May 13	Mary Gallagher & Dixie Fernandez	Anita Miera & Monica Barrus
Sun, May 14	Effie Walker & Rosie DeHerrera	Sophie Arguello & Pat Crisp
Sat, May 20	Shelley Carter & Sammie Wood	Brittney Arellano & Danielle Arellano
Sun, May 21	Jacob Naranjo & Andrea Naranjo	Mary Bleiker & Donna Kimble

Please find substitutes if you are to be absent. Refer any errors/problems with the schedule to Donna Kimble 374-2789.

KNOWING YOUR FAITH...

"...They called the church together and reported what God had done with them and how he had opened the door of faith..." ~Acts 14:27



LECTIONARY READINGS & REFLECTIONS

Monday, May 8th — Sunday, May 14th, 2017

MONDAY: Easter Weekday Acts 11:1-18 Jn 10:11-18

TUESDAY: Easter Weekday Acts 11:19-26 Jn 10:22-30

WEDNESDAY: St. Damien de Veuster, Priest Acts 12:24-13:5a Jn 12:44-50



"Father Damien, formally Joseph de Veuster, ss.cc. and St. Damien of Molokai (January 3, 1840 - April 15, 1889), was a missionary of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary who is revered primarily by Hawaii residents and

Christians for having dedicated his life in service to the lepers of Molokai in the Kingdom of Hawaii. Father Damien is the spiritual patron of lepers, outcasts, and those with HIV/AIDS, and of the State of Hawaii."

(~Catholic Culture.com)

THURSDAY: Easter Weekday Acts 13:13-25 Jn 13:16-20

FRIDAY: St. Nereus & St. Achilleus, Martyrs & St. Pancras, Martyr



Acts 13:26-33 Jn 14:1-6 "Nereus and Achilleus were Roman soldiers in the household of Flavia Domitilla. They were instructed and converted by St. Peter. These two soldiers in turn inspired St. Domitilla to consecrate her virginity to God. Thereupon, Aurelianus, the fiancée of Domitilla, reported all three to the Roman authorities as being Christians. They were martyred out of hatred for

Christianity. Pancras, a noble Phrygian youth, came to Rome at the age of fourteen, and was martyred in 275 because he refused to offer sacrifices to the pagan gods."

"Pancratius was the descendant of a noble Phrygian family.

As a youth of fourteen, he came to Rome while Diocletian and Maximian were in power (about 304). He was baptized by the Pope and given instructions in the Christian religion.

Arrested for his action, he steadfastly refused to sacrifice to the pagan gods and was condemned to death. With manly courage, he bared his neck for the sword and received the martyr's crown. During the night his body was removed by the pious matron Octavilla, anointed with sweet smelling balsam and interred on the Via Aurelia. Pancratius is the patron saint of fidelity to oaths."

(~Catholic Culture.com)

SATURDAY: Our Lady of Fatima Acts 13:44-52 Jn 14:7-14



"The Blessed Virgin Mary is venerated under this title following apparitions to three shepherd children — Lucia, Jacinta and Francisco — in Portugal in 1917. The message of Fatima includes a call to conversion of heart, repentance from sin and a dedication to the Blessed Virgin Mary, especially through praying the Rosary."

(~Catholic Culture.com)

SUNDAY: 5th Sunday of Easter: Mother's Day Acts 6:1-7 1 Pt 2:4-9 Jn 14:1-12



"Jesus said to his disciples: 'Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God still, and trust in me. There are many rooms in my Father's house; if there were not, I should have told you. I am going now to prepare a place for you, and after I have gone and prepared you a place, I shall return to take you with me; so that where I am you may be too.'"

(~Catholic Culture.com)

MONTHLY & SPECIAL COLLECTIONS SUMMARY: April 2017

	SFX	OLOG
April 1—2	\$1,570.05	\$330.00
April 8—9	\$3,181.00	\$464.00
April 15—16	\$2,376.00	\$379.00
April 22—23	\$1,649.94	\$492.00
April 29—30	\$1,181.00	Snow Storm
Rice Bowl	\$102.00	
Holy Thursday	\$403.00	
Good Friday	\$561.00	
Chapel Crucifix Donation	\$400.00	
By Joe & Rosie DeHerrera Family		

Thank You

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

➔ Please bring your **ACA Pledge Card** to the office or put in the collection basket during all Masses.

ASF GOAL FOR SFX and MISSION IS \$13,000.00 SFX and MISSION GOAL is 100 + FAMILIES participation.

Thank You Very Much! God bless!!

"Glorify the Lord generously, and do not stint the first fruits of your hands.

With every gift show a cheerful face, and dedicate your tithe with gladness." ~ Sirach 35:8-9

Thank you very much for your kindness and generosity!!!

4th "BLUE MASS" Tuesday, May 30th



**5:30 PM Holy Mass, SFX
6:30 PM Reception, Parish Hall**

To honor our

*Law Enforcement Officers (Federal/State/Union C)
Firefighters and Volunteers, Emergency Responders,
Union/State/County City Police, Sheriff Department
Active/Reservists/Veterans of the Armed Forces,
National Guards, Reservists
Federal/State/City Officials/Staff,
Prison and Detention Enforcement Officers/Staff
Local/County/State Officials & Staff
and Family....and those who served our community!*

Truly appreciate Your Services to our Nation!

God Bless America!!!

CELEBRATE GOOD SHEPHERD/VOCATIONS SUNDAY

Sunday, May 7, 2017

Pray for our Priests — this is a special day set aside to honor priests and the priesthood. You are encouraged to let your parish priest know your appreciation for him -- Write a note of gratitude, give him a phone call; tell him that you are thankful for him and that you are praying for him. Offer prayers of thanksgiving to God for the gift of our shepherds (priests) and that He will grant us more holy vocations to the priesthood and religious life.



**Pray! Invite!
Encourage! Affirm!
Vocations**

Prayer for Vocations

God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ.

We ask that You inspire young people whom you call to priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow Your will.

Send workers into Your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and Your people are strengthened by the sacraments.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Fr. Joel ~ Thank you for Your Priestly Ministry, may Christ, in whose place you stand as priest, give you continuing grace to teach, guide and sanctify His people. God Bless You Fr. Joel. Thank you!!!

"I will give you shepherds after my own heart, who will feed you with knowledge and understanding." ~ Jeremiah 3:15

