



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



## St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church

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



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

*"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him."*

### Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Joel Bugas

Deacon: Dcn Louis Montoya

Part-Time Secretary: Monica Barrus

Part-Time Bookkeeper: Vacant

Communication/Technology: Hayley Encinias

Religious Education: Andrea Naranjo

Adult Religious Education: Sophie Arguello

### Parish Office Hours (CCD Building)

M, W, F 1:00pm -5:00pm

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

## SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**JULY 30, 2017**

### 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)**

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**[www.sfxclayton.org](http://www.sfxclayton.org)**

**For more information & announcements**

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announcements & updates

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

**"The one like a Son of man received  
dominion, glory, and kingship;  
all peoples, nations, and  
languages serve him.**

**His dominion is an everlasting dominion  
that shall not be taken away,  
his kingship shall not be destroyed."**

**Daniel 7:14**

## KNOWING YOUR FAITH...

### LECTIONARY READINGS & REFLECTIONS Monday, August 1— Sunday, August 6, 2017

**MONDAY: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34 Mt 13:31-35**  
**St. Ignatius of Loyola, priest**

In the year 1521 a cannon ball fractured the left leg of Captain Ignatius Loyola, the future founder of the Jesuits. While he was convalescing, Ignatius read about Christ and His saints and thus turned wholly to God. He then undertook to equip himself for Christ's service by acquiring a good classical and theological education. The members of the Society of Jesus became the shock troops of the Church in the battle against the spread of Protestantism in Europe, as well as one of the greatest foreign mission organizations that the world has known. Ignatius died on July 31, 1556. (Catholicculture.org)

**TUESDAY: Ex 33:7-11, 34:5B-9, 28 Mt 13:36-43**  
**St. Alphonsus Liguori, bishop & doctor**

St. Alphonsus de Liguori was a great preacher of the Gospel to the poor. His charity and apostolic spirit led him to found the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer to carry on this work. He sent his Redemptorists, as our Lord did the Apostles, into the countryside and the market towns and villages, to announce the Kingdom of God. He became Bishop of Sant' Agata dei Goti, near Naples, and died at the age of ninety, in 1787. For his great works on Moral Theology he has been declared a Doctor of the Church. (Catholicculture.org)

**WEDNESDAY: Ex 34:29-35 Mt 13:44-46**

**THURSDAY: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38 Mt 13:47-53**

**FRIDAY: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34B-37 Mt 13:54-58**  
**St. John Vianney, priest**

St. John Baptist Mary Vianney (1786-1859) was born in Dardilly and died in Ars, France. Although his talents were limited and his education meager, he was ordained a priest in 1815. After three years at Ecully, he was appointed parish priest of Ars. Here he spent almost forty-two years of his life, devoting himself to prayer, mortification, and pastoral works. His success in directing souls made him known throughout the Christian world. Men of all ranks and conditions of life sought his guidance and advice. He was beatified by Pope St. Pius X, himself once a parish priest, and canonized by Pope Pius XI. (Catholicculture.org)

**SATURDAY: Lv 25:1, 8-17 Mt 14:1-12**

**SUNDAY: Dn 7:9-10,13-14 Mt 17:1-9**

This feast became widespread in the West in the 11th century and was introduced into the Roman calendar in 1457 to commemorate the victory over Islam in Belgrade. Before that, the Transfiguration of the Lord was celebrated in the Syrian, Byzantine, and Coptic rites. The Transfiguration foretells the glory of the Lord as God, and His Ascension into heaven. It anticipates the glory of heaven, where we shall see God face to face. Through grace, we already share in the divine promise of eternal life. (Catholicculture.org)

**GROWING IN FAITH—Are you ready for the Eucharist?**

If you knew that Jesus were coming to visit you, you would probably work hard to get ready. You would make your home sparkle, prepare special food for him, and block out the time so you could give him your full attention. This is what we can do to prepare to receive Jesus every Sunday in the Eucharist.

**Clean House**—Do whatever is necessary to be properly disposed for communion with Christ. If you are not free from sin, attend Confession, do penance, and amend your life.

**Prepare**—The Eucharistic Fast is an ancient custom that helps us to receive Holy Communion with reverence. Abstain from food or drink, with the exception of water and medicine, for at least one hour before receiving Holy Communion.

**Give Him Your Attention**—The rituals of the Mass help us to focus completely on God's love for us and ours for him.

Follow along with the prayers (use a missal, if necessary) and sing the songs so that you don't miss a word. (Growing in Faith)

### CHURCH OFFICE HOURS MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY 1:00PM-5:00PM

#### PRAYER FOR RAIN

God Our Creator, Maker of all things and protector of your people, in your love look upon us in our time of need and give us your help. Open the heavens for us and send us the rain we need for our crops, our livestock, and our well-being. As our hearts long for you, so we seek rain to refresh the earth; as we long for life, so let the earth produce its harvest in abundance. May we rejoice in the good things of the earth and raise our eyes to you, the source of all blessings. Hear our cry for mercy and answer our prayer, Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### MONTHLY & SPECIAL COLLECTIONS SUMMARY: June 2017

	SFX	OLOG
June 3-4	\$ 1864.55	\$ 322.00
June 10-11	\$ 1813.00	\$ 469.00
June 17-18	\$ 1057.00	\$ 362.00
June 24-25	\$ 1624.12	\$ 415.00

*Thank You*

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

**VISIT [www.SFXClayton.org](http://www.SFXClayton.org)**

**For up-to-date information, announcements, & awesomeness!**

*Please visit the following very informative websites:*

[www.archdiocesesantafe.org](http://www.archdiocesesantafe.org)

[www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org)

[w2.vatican.va/content/vatican/en.html](http://w2.vatican.va/content/vatican/en.html)

[www.ewtn.com](http://www.ewtn.com)

[www.catholicculture.org](http://www.catholicculture.org)

[www.sfxclayton.org](http://www.sfxclayton.org)

#### \*\*\*WE NEED TO BORROW YOUR OLD PICTURES!\*\*\*

All related to church events and activities!  
Family Weddings, Confirmations, First Communions or  
any thing about SFX Activities/Programs.  
Please bring them to the office M,W, F 1-5 pm.



*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 July 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

<b>Sat, July 22</b>	+ Felix Ruiz	by Viola Ruiz & Family
	+ Robert Ruiz	by Viola Ruiz & Family
	+ Clare Wood	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
<b>Sun, July 23</b>	<b>SI</b> Safety for immigrants and refugees <b>SI</b> Peace in the Korean Peninsula & the world <b>SI</b> Peacekeepers and Law Enforcement	
<b>Sat, July 29</b>	+ Clare Wood	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family
	<b>SI</b> Matias & Sofia Martinez 72nd Anniversary <b>SI</b> In thanksgiving for blessings by Judy Steen & family <b>SI</b> SFX Health and Well-Being <b>SI</b> Union County Business Sector	
<b>Sun, July 30</b>	+ Roy Kimble	by Donna Kimble & Family
	+ Walter Sadjuhar	by Dolores Zaragoza
	<b>SI</b> Pope Francis, Archbishop Wester & ASF Priests <b>SI</b> Doctors, Nurses, and Health Care Providers	
<b>Sat, Aug 5</b>	+ Clare Wood	by Sam & Rosalee Britt Family

### Can You See God?

Are you aware of God's presence in your life? Looking for ways in which he blesses us rather than thinking about prayers he hasn't yet answered makes us more aware of how he moves in our lives. Of course, God is always with us whether we see him or not. Ask him to give you eyes to see him. (Growing in Faith)

### Church Cleaning Schedule

**July 23-29:** Rosie, Joe, Christina, & Jennifer De Herrera

**July 30-Aug 5:** Craig and Debbie Reeves

**Aug 6-Aug 12:** Dixie Fernandez, Gloria Lucero, Mary Burton, Cindy Trujillo

### Men's Altar Ministry Schedule

<b>Saturday, July 29</b>	Ross, Craig, Abade
<b>Sunday, July 30</b>	Joey, Kirk, Richy
<b>Saturday, August 5</b>	Ross, Abade, Richy
<b>Sunday, August 6</b>	Joey, Kirk, Craig

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

### The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of July 2017 Lapsed Christians

That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.

### Lay Minister Schedule

	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist
<b>Sat, July 29th</b>	Shelley Carter	Anita Miera & Monica Barrus
<b>Sun, July 30th</b>	Dixie Fernandez & Effie Walker	Donna Kimble & Rosie DeHerrera
<b>Sat, Aug 5th</b>	Mary Gallagher & Pat Crisp	Brittney & Danielle Arellano
<b>Sun, Aug 6th</b>	Andrea & Jacob Naranjo	Debbie Reeves & Mary Bleiker

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

### MEETINGS! — MEETINGS! — MEETINGS!

#### OLOG/SJ KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS MEETING:

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after the 8 am Mass, Community Center

#### SFX KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS MEETING:

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

#### ALTAR LADIES SOCIETY:

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

#### CONFIRMATION CLASS:

To be announced Fall 2017

### ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

ACA GOAL FOR SFX and MISSION IS \$13,000.00  
and 100+ FAMILIES!

As of June 30th, we have 65 signed up!!!

*Your cooperation and participation to this campaign  
with any amount is truly appreciated!*

*Thank You Very Much for your  
kindness and generosity!*

### 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!!!*



### Parish Collection Counters Schedule

**Sun, July 30:** Larry and Mary Lou Harkins

**Sun, Aug 6:** Ross and Shelley Carter

Questions? Contact Mary Alice Gallagher (575)374-8353.

Ask another team to substitute if necessary.

### June and July 2017

#### **\*\*PARISH RECORDS MONTH\*\***

**Please check all your sacramental documents  
(Baptism, Confirmation, Marriage)  
If you are missing any documents, please visit the  
office and fill out the request forms.**