

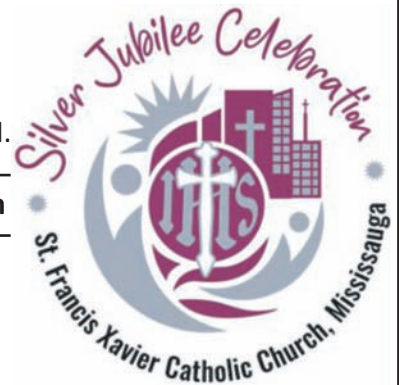
# St Francis Xavier Parish

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Pastor: Fr. Andrew Cyruk ♦ Associate: Fr. Eduardo Lopez

Deacons: Mr. Anthony Wong, Mr. Ryan Fernandes ♦ Parish Secretary: Joanita M.



**Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9am to 8pm ♦ closed 1pm to 2pm**

## Daily Masses

Monday to Friday 8:00am and 7:00pm  
Saturday 7:30am

## Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm  
Sunday 7:30am ♦ 9am ♦ 10:30am ♦ 12pm ♦ 1:30pm

## Sacrament of Confession

Morning: Monday to Saturday 30 min before Mass  
Evening: Monday to Thursday 6:30pm - 6:50pm  
Evening: Friday 6:15pm - 6:45pm  
Evening: Saturday 4:00pm - 4:50pm

## Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction

Fridays 6:00pm-7:00pm

## Devotions

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Wednesdays after Masses  
Our Lady of Velankanni Saturdays after 7:30am Mass  
Precious Blood Thursdays at 9:00pm  
St. Anthony of Padua Tuesdays after 7:00pm Mass

## Baptism

- ❖ Celebrated on the first and last Saturday of the month
- ❖ Information in the parish office or on website

## Marriage

- ❖ Contact Parish Office at least one year in advance
- ❖ Information in Parish office or on website

## Pastoral Care of the Sick & Homebound

- ❖ For Sacrament of the sick contact Parish Office
- ❖ For Holy communion contact: sfxlaypastoral@gmail.com

## Rite of Initiation of Adults into the Catholic Faith

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## Funerals

Death of a family member can be a very traumatic experience; pre-planning can ease the burden on the family. When death happens, please contact the parish and the funeral home.

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## Liturgical Ministries

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## Parish Ministries

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## Advisory Committees

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Parish Council  
Stewardship Committee

## Organizations

BLD  
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## Parish Schools

San Lorenzo Ruiz 905-501-0400  
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St. Jude 905-568-3720  
St. Valentine 905-890-0909  
St. Veronica 905-696-6980  
St. Francis Xavier S.S. 905-507-6666  
St. Marcellinus S.S. 905-564-6614

**Welcome New Parishioners**

To register please contact the Parish Office

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Praise be Jesus Christ!  
Now and forever.

In our reflection on the Mass, we come to the Gospel acclamation which is an important part of the Liturgy of the Word during Mass, welcoming the Lord before the Gospel reading. Typically, it takes the form of "Alleluia," sung in all seasons except Lent, when an alternative is used.

*Alleluia!*

This acclamation is more than a prelude; it emphasizes the significance of the Gospel, with the assembly standing to sing it, led by a choir or cantor. The accompanying verse is drawn from the Lectionary.

As the high point of the Liturgy of the Word, the Gospel reading is highlighted by this moment of reverence and anticipation, inviting the faithful to connect with the transformative words of Christ. Overall, the acclamation is a vital liturgical element that fosters communal worship and underscores the importance of the Gospel.

Blessings,  
Fr. Andrew



The **Eucharist** is  
the supreme proof of the love of Jesus.  
After this, there is nothing more but **Heaven** itself.  
St. Peter Julian Eymar

Altar Servers

*Are you in grade three or higher?*



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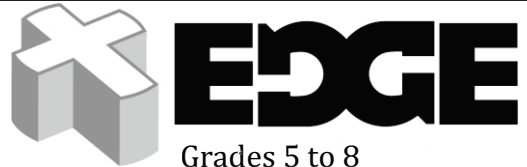
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more about the Mass

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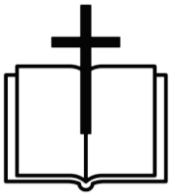
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**CATHOLIC CITIZENSHIP ESSAY**

**ESSAY TOPIC:** Two virtues an elected leader must possess  
★ All Catholic students grade 8 to 12 ★

**KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS POSTER**

**POSTER THEME:** Keep Christ in Christmas  
★ All youth ages 5 to 14 ★



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**HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday November 11, 2024**

- 8am †Mary Margaret Santo
- 7pm †Deceased Legionaries of Mary

**Tuesday November 12, 2024**

- 8am †Molly Passanha
- 7pm †Paul Barretto

**Wednesday November 13, 2024**

- 8am †Pamela Pinto
- 7pm Thanksgiving Jayamakumari
- Thanksgiving Mary Pereira
- Thanksgiving Randolph
- Thanksgiving Antonetta Fernandes
- Thanksgiving for favours received
- Special intention Claire Foster
- Special intention Raine Theresa Eugene
- †Victoria Gonzales
- †Joseph Nguyen Duc Vy
- †Serrao & Alvares family & friends
- †Sua Tia Chiang
- †Ellen & John Laurent
- †Marion Salmon
- †Mavis Brooks
- †Hoa Van Nguyen & Victoria O. Flores
- †Priscilla Lascano Muere
- †Rosa Magi
- †Cyril Stephen Rowe
- †Anne Therese Artes
- †Michael D'Souza
- †Orazio Andaloro
- †Joao C. Fernandes

**Thursday November 14, 2024**

- 8am †Iris & Samuel Moreira
- 7pm †Adolphus DeCruz

**Friday November 15, 2024**

- 8am †Erlinda Lagonoy
- 7pm In Honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Thanksgiving Anyka Lobo
- Thanksgiving Olobojo Okpanachi
- Special intention James Chakkalalal
- Special intention Anna Marie Manahan
- Special intention Edge participants
- †Gremelina Borromeo
- †Minguel Rosario Pimenta
- †Severine D'Souza
- †Jose Olivares Jr.
- †John Juricki
- †Dominico Truc & Ana Tai Nguyen
- †Alexander Galvez
- †Simon D'Curz
- †All souls

**Saturday November 16, 2024**

- 730am †Celso Leuterio
- 5pm Pro Populo


**Sunday November 17, 2024**

- 730am Thanksgiving Lobo family
- 9am †Gonzalo & Merlyn
- 1030am †John Soares
- 12pm Thanksgiving Rhea Ramgoolam
- 130pm Christopher John Ferrao

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