

St Francis Xavier Parish

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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9am to 8pm ♦ closed 1pm to 2pm ♦ closed during all Masses

Daily Masses

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

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

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

Interested in becoming Catholic?
Please contact: rciaministrysfx@gmail.com

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.

The SFX Bereavement Team will walk with you as you grieve.

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Parish Council
Stewardship Committee

Organizations

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Parish Schools

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St. Veronica 905-696-6980
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St. Marcellinus S.S. 905-564-6614

Welcome New Parishioners. To register please contact the Parish Office

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear parishioners,

Reflecting on the words of the Second Eucharistic Prayer invites us to delve into the profound beauty of the Eucharist. At its core, the Eucharist embodies the sacrificial nature of Christ's love. It's not just a ritual; it's a powerful re-presentation of Christ's eternal sacrifice on the Cross. When we come together to celebrate the Eucharist, we're not merely recalling a historical event but actively participating in the mystery of His death and resurrection. This act of offering is a heartfelt acknowledgment of Christ's sacrifice, which serves as the ultimate source of salvation for all humanity.

**THE CATHOLIC CHURCH
IS THE MYSTICAL BODY OF CHRIST
where we find unity, grace & redemption**

St. Thomas Aquinas

Moreover, this celebration fosters a unique unity with Christ. As we partake in the Eucharist, we're invited to join our own lives, our joys and struggles, to the sacrifice of Christ. It's a beautiful reminder that we're not alone; we're part of a larger community, the Church, which is united in Christ. This communal aspect strengthens our bonds with one another, reminding us that we are all members of one body, called to offer ourselves alongside the gift of Christ

Blessings,
Fr. Andrew

Parish Lenten Retreat

ALL ARE INVITED

March 9th to March 12th | St. Francis Xavier

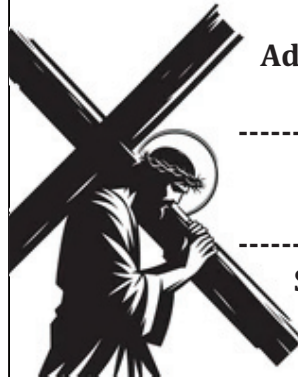


RETREAT THEME:
**THE BIBLICAL
IMAGINATION**

Fr. Eric Mah | speaker & celebrant

Lent: Prayer, Fasting & Alms Giving

ALL ARE INVITED
EVERY FRIDAY OF LENT



Adoration & Benediction
6pm

Holy Mass
7pm

Stations of the Cross
7:30pm

An Invitation for All

JESUS HEALS

SHALOM WORLD CONFERENCES

THE EVENING WILL INCLUDE:

Holy Mass | Preaching | Eucharistic Adoration
Prayers for Healing



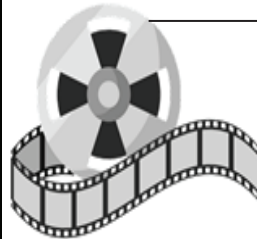
St. Francis Xavier Parish
March 26th | 7pm to 9pm

CELEBRANT: Fr. Julien Studden

Mustard Seed Ministry

Movie & Pasta Night

March 15th after 5pm Holy Mass



FEATURED FILM:

Love & Mercy: Faustina
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message of Divine Mercy


Parish Jubilee Photobooks

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from the parish office



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Youth Ministry



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doughnuts**

SHROVE TUESDAY
March 4th | 5pm - 8pm | Main Hall


Thank you for your support!

Ash Wednesday


**WEDNESDAY
MARCH 5th**

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE
8am | 12pm | 5pm | 7pm

Remember, you are dust
and to dust you shall return Gen 3:19



An Invitation for Grades 9 to 12



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March 29th | 9am to 5:30pm
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Contact: sfxyouth1@gmail.com | Deadline: March 7th

Men's Discernment Retreat


COME & SEE

March 14th to March 16th
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who feel the Lord
may be calling them to discern the
PRIESTHOOD

*meals & accommodations provided
suggested donation of \$100 appreciated*

REGISTRATION & DETAILS:
www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee



HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday March 3, 2025

8am †Funmi Ogundele
7pm †Janet Soares

Tuesday March 4, 2025

8am †Robert Wylde
7pm †Michael Cristobal

**Ash Wednesday
March 5, 2025**

8am Thanksgiving Norma Tan
12pm Thanksgiving Oscar Valbuena & family
5pm †Sherwin Dique
7pm †Maria Angelica Gallegos

Thursday March 6, 2025

8am For the intentions of all SFX priests
7pm †Katherine Lee-Poy & Jordan Norville

Friday March 7, 2025

8am †Terezinh Quadros
7pm Thanksgiving for God's grace and mercy
Thanksgiving Rodrigues family
Special intention LifeTeen Participants
Special intention Jeremy Sharma
†Jasmin Joy Cabangon
†Michele Grisafi
†Jusman Setiawan
†Malcolm Black
†Isabel Lee
†Anthony & Bertha Fernandes
†Horacio Alon
†Slavka Kireta
†Raymond Gracias
†Terezinh Quadros
†Gracy Joseph
†David Bains

Saturday March 8, 2025

8am Thanksgiving Anson Alfonso
5pm All souls in purgatory

Sunday March 9, 2025

730am Pro Populo
9am †Funmi Ogundele
1030am †Allu Carvalho
12pm Thanksgiving Jennie & Jacob Steele
130pm †Josefino Rayos



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THE JUBILEE
INDULGENCE?**

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