

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER encourages a scent free atmosphere for the comfort of those with sensitivities and allergies to perfumes. We ask that parishioners refrain from wearing products with fragrances to mass.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: For the foreseeable future, Ryan will be in the parish office Thursdays from 8:00am until 3:00pm.

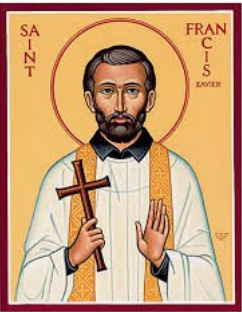
PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY: We will be having a pictorial directory taken this fall. The dates that we have been scheduled for are September 18—September 20 and September 24. The times are 1:30pm 8:30pm for each day. Currently, we are looking for two to three people to coordinate this project. Please contact the office if you are interested in assisting with the directory.

E-TRANSFERS: Should you wish to donate to St. Francis Xavier Parish by using E-transfers, please use the following instructions:

- 1. Send an e-transfer using the following e-mail: sfxsaskatoon@rcdos.ca
- 2. Use the following question: What is the name of our favorite shrub? The answer is willow.
- 3. If you wish to use your own questions, please send an email to rnbaker@rcdos.ca with the answer. Thank you for your continued support of St. Francis Xavier Parish.

K OF C CHARITY APPEAL TICKETS: Starting June 8, Ron Ritz will be selling K of C Charity Appeal Tickets after Mass. Tickets are \$1.00 each or \$10.00 for a booklet. For more information, please see Ron Ritz.

St. Francis Xavier has resumed holding **MASS AT SUNNYSIDE CARE CENTRE** on St. Henry Avenue on the **second Thursday of every month at 2:00 pm**. The next Mass is scheduled for **August 14, 2025**. We are looking for volunteers to assist with the mass. Volunteers would serve as lectors and music ministers amongst other duties. If you are interested in volunteering or participating, please speak to Fr. Hoang or Jo-Anne Lund for details. All are welcomed to attend.



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MISSION STATEMENT OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH
“A welcoming community, empowered by baptism, committed to the Gospel”

Sacrament of Penance:	30 minutes before Mass or by appointment
Weekday Liturgies:	Wednesdays at 9:00am (except 3rd Wednesday of the month: Adoration and Confession at 5:30pm and Mass at 6:30pm)
Eucharistic Liturgies:	Sundays at 9:00am

18th - 22nd Sundays in Ordinary Time

August, 2025

Ministries for August 10, 2025

Sacristan	June Furmanic
Proclaimers of the Word	Kiply Yaworski & Jim Moorhead
Prayers of the Faithful	Karen Omelan-Davis
Altar Servers	June Furmanic & Anna Vu
Cross Bearer	Gawain Koshinsky
Gift Bearers	Koshinsky Family
Welcomers	Jane Isinger & Guy Belliveau
EMHC	Brenda Ritz

READINGS FOR THE 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Wisdom 18:6-9 In secret, the holy children of the good were offering sacrifice and carried out with one mind the divine institution.

Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen.

Luke 12:32-48 [Jesus said,] “Sell your belongings and give alms ... For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be.”



Ministries for August 17 2025	
Sacristan & EMCH	Rosalyn Kohle & Arlene Hodges
Proclaimers of the Word	Jo-Anne Lund & Nicky Curtis
Prayers of the Faithful	Guy Belliveau
Altar Servers	Noah Foster & Gawain Koshinsky
Cross Bearer	Lane Foster
Welcomers	Dave & Betty Schurman
Gift Bearers	Ron & Brenda Ritz

READINGS FOR 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10	
“[Jeremiah] ought to be put to death. He is weakening the resolve of the soldiers and of all the people, by saying such things to them.”	
Hebrews 12:1-4	
Consider how Jesus endured such opposition from sinners, in order that you may not grow weary and lose heart.	
Luke 12:49-53	
[Jesus said,] “I have come to set the world on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing.”	

Ministries for August 24, 2025	
Sacristan & EMHC	June Formanic & Brenda Ritz
Proclaimers of the Word	Keegan Barker & Jane Isinger
Prayers of the Faithful	Karen Omelan-Davis
Altar Servers	June Furmanic & Anna Vu
Cross Bearer	Gawain Koshinsky
Welcomers	Rosalyn Kohle & Arlene Hodges
Gift Bearers	Ross Davis & Karen Omelan-Davis

READINGS FOR 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
Isaiah 66:18-21	
[Thus says the Lord,] “I am coming to gather all nations and tongues; they shall come and see my glory.”	
Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13	
Do not disdain the discipline of the Lord or lose heart when reproved by him; for whom the Lord loves, he disciplines.	
Luke 13:22-30	
[Jesus said,] “Strive to enter through the narrow door, for many, I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough.”	

Ministries for August 31, 2025	
Sacristans & EMHC	Rosalyn Kohle & Arlene Hodges
Proclaimers of the Word	Keegan Barker & James Couture
Prayers of the Faithful	Guy Belliveau
Altar Servers	Rosalyn Kohle & Arlene Hodges
Cross Bearer	Dave Schurman
Welcomers	Ron & Brenda Ritz
Gift Bearers	Barker Family

READINGS FOR 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29	
My son, conduct your affairs with humility, and you will be loved more than a giver of gifts.	
Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a	
You have approached the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem and Jesus, the mediator of the new covenant.	
Luke 14:1, 7-14	
[Jesus said,] “Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted.”	

There is no Wednesday morning Mass on August 13th as Fr. Hoang is away.

	January	February	March	April	May	June
Collections	\$4,473	\$2,782	\$18,821	\$5,795	\$4,691.90	\$6,719.30
Diocesan Collections	\$0.00	\$410	\$0.00	\$1,046	\$135.00	\$125.00
Miscellaneous	\$26	\$56	\$2,690	\$91.40	\$93.50.	\$1,780.48
Reimbursements	\$2,122	\$1,901	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Collections	\$6,621	\$5,149	\$21,512	\$6,933	\$4,920.40	\$8,624.78

Total Collections for Jan—June 2025	\$44,282.95	If you have any questions regarding the financial information, please email Ryan at rnbaker@rcdos.ca
Total Income for Jan—June 2025	\$56,301.29	
Total Expenses for Jan—June 2025	\$58,732.37	
Operating Profit for Jan-June 2025	\$-2,431.08	