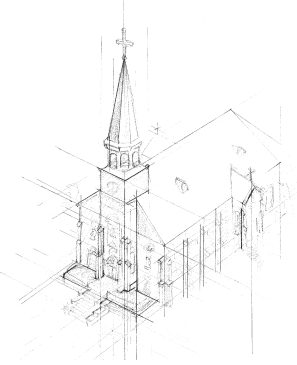


# SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH

## OCTOBER 3, 2021

*Welcome!*

*Congratulations to **Brooks Winkler**  
who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend!*



Pastor C. Hightower, SJ  
Associate Pastors: Steve Lantry, SJ Tom Lankenau, SJ John Guyol, SJ John Martin, SJ

### Prayers

*May ---*

**Bob Colvin, Clark Ryan, Sharon Dana, Jimmy Deeds,  
Jim Huntley, John Moore, Joyce & Doc Garrels,  
Ted Childs, Diane Melvin,  
Betty White, and Daniel Hurd**  
*receive His healing and consolation.*

*May ---*

**Joe Hansen, and Roger Bak**  
*rest in peace in Our Lord's Loving arms.*

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2021

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| Saturday 10/2   | For the People*                             |
| Sunday 10/3     | Chuck Turner<br>McCormack Family in Ireland |
| Monday 10/4     | Al Barone                                   |
| Tuesday 10/5    | Dewey Campbell                              |
| Wednesday 10/6  | Bruno Friia*                                |
| Thursday 10/7   | Theresa House                               |
| Friday 10/8     | June Marie Susen                            |
| Saturday 10/9   | Ron Cloninger                               |
| Sunday 10/10    | Sharon Lonergan<br>Dot Schuller             |
| Monday 10/11    | Knights of Columbus*                        |
| Tuesday 10/12   | Sheila Maloney                              |
| Wednesday 10/13 | Sheila Combo                                |

### MASS SCRIPTURES FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 2021

|                |  |                                  |
|----------------|--|----------------------------------|
| Saturday 10/2  | Bar. 4:5-12, 27-29<br>Ps. 69<br>Matt. 18:1-5, 10       | <b>THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS</b>  |
| Sunday 10/3    | Gen. 2:18-24<br>Ps. 128<br>Heb. 2:9-11<br>Mark 10:2-16 | <b>THE 27TH SUNDAY IN ORD.T.</b> |
| Monday 10/4    | Jon. 1:1 --2:2<br>Jon. 2<br>Luke 10:25-37              | <b>ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI</b>     |
| Tuesday 10/5   | Jon. 3:1-10<br>Ps. 103<br>Luke 10:38-42                | <b>ST. FAUSTINA KOWALSKA</b>     |
| Wednesday 10/6 | Jon. 4:1-11<br>Ps. 86<br>Luke 11:1-4                   | <b>ST. BRUNO</b>                 |
| Thursday 10/7  | Mal. 3:13-20b<br>Ps. 1<br>Luke 11:5-13                 | <b>OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY</b>    |
| Friday 10/8    | Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2<br>Ps. 9<br>Luke 11:15-26          |                                  |
| Saturday 10/9  | Joel 4:12-21<br>Ps. 97<br>Luke 11:27-28                |                                  |
| Sunday 10/10   | Wis. 7:7-11<br>Ps. 90<br>Heb. 4:12-13<br>Mark 10:17-30 | <b>THE 28TH SUNDAY IN ORD.T.</b> |

**Collections for September 26, 2021** Regular - 3711.50 Loose - 1707.53 Online - 3118.20

*Thank you for your generosity!*

### OUR MISSION STATEMENT

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER IS A CATHOLIC-JESUIT PARISH IGNITED BY THE EUCHARIST  
TO PRAY, SERVE, DO JUSTICE, AND LOVE.**

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# THE TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## Staffing Shortage at Child Care Center

The St. Francis Xavier Child Care Center is having to reduce the number of children we are able to care for due to the staffing shortage. This is especially disheartening as the parish is one of only two locations in Missoula to provide infant care. Please, if you know of anyone interested in working in our child care center starting at \$11.25/hour or if you are a parishioner who would like to volunteer, please contact Angie Porch at [aporch@sfxmissoula.org](mailto:aporch@sfxmissoula.org) right away. We need you now. Thanks so much!

- **Parish Custodian** - please see our website for more details under the Welcome / Employment
- **The Blessing of Animals - we celebrate the wonderful gift our animal friends are to us! Fr. John Guyol will offer a blessing October 3rd at 11am by the Grotto.**
- **Catechesis of The Good Shepherd** - Do you have a few magazines that you are planning to recycle or Christmas card fronts with a religious theme? Our students could use them for a project contact Michele at [mdexter@sfxmissoula.org](mailto:mdexter@sfxmissoula.org)
- **Calling all Crafters!** We invite you to participate in the St. Francis Xavier Craft Fair on December 4, 2021. Please email Autumn at [aschwenk@sfxmissoula.org](mailto:aschwenk@sfxmissoula.org) for more information. Apply to be a vendor on-line <https://forms.gle/EhCHJ7hEdMpycqoS9>
- **Family Promise** - Help us serve the homeless families of Missoula by volunteering with Family Promise at the Meadowlark. St. Francis Xavier has been part of Family Promise since it began in Missoula ten years ago. We are looking for volunteers to help each night for the week of Oct. 25-31. Volunteer options include: providing salads, fruits, or desserts to go with dinner; assisting in serving and cleaning dinner; serving as an overnight host. For more information about volunteering at Family Promise and to sign-up please visit <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0444a4ac23a2fe3-family> Thank you for your help in serving our community!
- **Glass Recycling** - Help your community & your climate by recycling glass at St. Francis Xavier. The price of recycling is split between participants, so the more the merrier! Contact Addie Thompson at [athompson@sfxmissoula.org](mailto:athompson@sfxmissoula.org)
- **Wood Carvings from Bethlehem** - Husam Hannuneh will be here Oct 17 selling wood carvings after the 8am and 10am Mass. Their mission is to help preserve Bethlehem as a Christian city, and keep families from fleeing the Holy Land.
- **Online Natural Family Planning Class** - 3-part series beginning Sunday, October 17 at 3:00 p.m. The class will be taught by Ben and Rita Pehl, from Sacred Heart Parish in Terry, MT. Contact Ben & Rita for more information, 406-600-3987 (Ben) or 402-640-9494 (Rita), or [visitccli.org](http://visitccli.org).
- **40 Days for Life - Sept. 22 - Oct. 31** The site of this peaceful, prayerful event is the Blue Mountain Clinic (610 N. California St., near W. Broadway) Mon.– Sat., from 8:00 am – 6:00 pm. Our event is part of a world-wide, prayerful, peaceful effort to end abortion, highlighted by the recent movie: “Unplanned”. Contact: Brad Tschida at (406) 546-4349, [betschida54@gmail.com](mailto:betschida54@gmail.com), [40daysforlife.com/missoula](http://40daysforlife.com/missoula)