

SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH - 611 LOGAN AVENUE † PUEBLO, CO 81004

&

OUR LADY OF LOURDES MISSION † BEULAH, CO 81023

October 7, 2018

Let the children come to me;
do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these.

— Mark 10:14

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our Mission at the Catholic Church of St. Francis is, to promote spiritual growth, religious formation, fellowship and stewardship within our parish. We shall give witness to Christ by ministering and living the Word of God



Parish Office: 1725 Spruce St.
Hours: Monday - Friday 9am-12noon / 1pm-3pm
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Rev. X. Selvakumar
Deacon: Paul Villegas
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Music Director : Alex Craciun
Religious Formation CRE: Elizabeth "Bebe" Mestas
Maintenance :

St. Francis Xavier Mass Schedule

Tuesday - Friday ~ 8:00 am Mass in the Chapel
Tuesday - Friday ~ 8:30-9:00 am Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday ~ 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
Sunday ~ 10:00 am Mass

Our Lady of Lourdes

Sunday ~ 8:00 am Mass
Adoration & Rosary: Sunday ~ 7:25 am
Confession: 7:30 am

Religious Formation Class

Preschool - 12th grade + Confirmation Classes

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Penance):

Saturday's from 4:00pm to 4:45pm or by appointment.

Sacramental Preparation:

A two-year preparation process is required for the reception of the Sacraments of First Communion and First Penance (third grade) and Confirmation (junior year).

Sacrament of Baptism:

New members are welcomed into The Catholic Church through Baptism. Mandatory preparation classes are held four times a year. All parents must attend; Godparents are strongly encouraged to attend. Call the Parish Office for specific class dates.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Registered members are asked to contact the pastor six months to one year prior to the wedding. Participation in a Marriage Preparation Program is required.

Sacrament for the Sick/Homebound:

Please notify the Parish Office for household members who are elderly, disabled, ill or scheduled for surgery so that they may receive the Sacrament.

Mediterranean Room/Hall Rental:

Parishioners- \$50.00 per hour /Non-Parishioners -\$100.00 per hour. Refundable \$250 cash damage deposit.

Mass Intentions

Weekly Calendar

Saturday~ October 6- St. Francis Xavier

5:00pm † Frank Kogovsek by Del Kogovsek
 † Juan Rivera by Bill & Nancy Montoya
 † Morris Trujillo by Odelia Trujillo and family
 † Lucas Ortiviz by The Ortiviz Family

Sunday ~ October 7- Our Lady of Lourdes

8:00am For the good health and healing of Mike Mutz
 by Dick & Ona Marie Amman

Sunday ~ October 7- St. Francis Xavier

10:00am Deceased and present members of the
 Altar Society
 † Margaret Sierra by Richard & Rose Martinez
 † Lucia Rivera-Aragon by Richard & Rose
 Martinez
 † Father John M. O'Flynn by Richard & Rose
 Martinez

Saturday~ October 13 - St. Francis Xavier

5:00pm For the deceased and present members of
 St. Francis Xavier Parish

Sunday ~ October 14 - St. Francis Xavier

10:00am † Loyola Sandoval by The Nocturnal Adoration
 Society
 † Jason Anthony Lopez by Odelia Trujillo
 † Charles W. McCulley by The McCulley
 Family
 Annette Anderson by The Styduhar & Craciun
 Families

Sunday ~ October 14 - Our Lady of Lourdes

8:00am For all special intentions of OLOL
 parishioners.

Diocesan Ministry Fund

Please make your pledge for the DMF. Our
 Lady of Lourdes has currently paid \$3,297; the goal
 is \$6352. Sixteen families have pledged; ten
 families have fully paid their pledge.

St. Francis Xavier has currently paid \$12,561; the
 goal is \$31,290. Forty-eight families have pledged;
 thirty-three families are fully paid.

Join the Chain for Life, this Sunday, October 7.

1:00pm -3:00pm @ Northern & Moore
 (near King Soopers) Signs provided.

Family Portraits Be sure and set your
 appointment for the upcoming Parish
 Directory photography. Receive a
 complimentary 8X10 portrait.



Catholic Gift Shop

St. Francis Xavier's Religious Ed. Gift Shop is open .
 Make it your first place to shop for religious items and
 gifts, while supporting Religious Education Programs.
 Thank you.

Mon	10-8	1:00pm	Living Waters
		5:00-8:30pm	Pizza Ranch Fund Raiser
Tues	10-9	11:00am	Legion of Mary
		2:00-8:40pm	OLOL Directory Portraits
Wed	10-10	6:00pm	Divine Mercy
Thurs	10-11		open date
Fri	10-12	2:00-8:40pm	SFX Directory Portraits
		7:00pm-8:00pm	Legion of Mary Retreat
Sat	10-13	8:00am-1:00pm	Legion of Mary Retreat
		10:00am-4:40pm	SFX Directory Portraits/RE classrooms
		4:15pm	SFX Confession
		5:00pm	SFX Vigil Mass
Sun	10-14	7:25am	OLOL Rosary & Adoration
		7:30am	OLOL Confession
		8:00am	OLOL Mass
		8:30am	SFX Religious Education classes
		10:00am	SFX Mass

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-9, 10c;
 Lk 10:25-37
 Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15;
 Lk 10:38-42
 Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
 Thursday: Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 11:5-13
 Friday: Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-6; Lk 11:15-26
 Saturday: Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 11:27-28
 Sunday: Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-17; Heb 4:12-13;
 Mk 10:17-30 [17-27]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time;
 Respect Life Sunday
 Monday: Columbus Day;
 Canadian Thanksgiving Day
 Tuesday: St. Denis and Companions;
 St. John Leonardi
 Wednesday: _____
 Thursday: St. John XXIII
 Friday: _____
 Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

Prayer Chain Give and receive benefits from the
 power of prayer. Enter all prayer intentions in The
 Prayer Chain Request Book located at the main
 entrance of the Church, or call 719-561-9052 or
 719-994-2131. Your prayers are heard.

Register for Fr John Power Memorial B-Ball :
Co-ed, 2-8th grade+ attending Religious Ed. Call
 Jaime: 719-250-6630 Practice @ St John Neuman,
 Tues & Thurs 5:15-6:45 Register @ first practice.
Change a life with teamwork, skills & confidence.

Offertory Envelopes

Do you receive offertory envelopes through the mail and don't use them?
 Would you like to receive offertory envelopes in the mail? Please contact
 the office @ 719-564-1125 to be added or taken off the mailing list.

He embraced them, and blessed them

Today Jesus stresses how children embody the reign of God. They are trusting and loving and have hearts that are open to love. They are joyful when they are made aware of God's love for them, and are eager to return that love. This is the model Jesus holds out to us if we want to welcome the reign of God. We need to have open, loving hearts. We *must* drop our defenses, however we came by them, and welcome Christ's love for us with joy. *This is impossible for us on our own.* Only the grace of God will enable us to do this, but that grace is freely and generously given. *We have only to accept it.*
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Cathedral of the Sacred Heart is raising funds for the ongoing Preservation and Beautification of The Cathedral. Parishes, ministries, groups, families and individuals are encouraged to support fundraising efforts by purchasing a masonry tile for \$1000. In turn, the donor(s) name will be etched into a tile and displayed. Contact The Cathedral for additional information @ 719-544-5175. A brochure is on the SFX bulletin board.

Rosary Sunday, Oct 14 @ Sacred Heart Cathedral
 2:00 pm Rosary & Benediction
 Rev. Bishop Berg Presiding.

Slovenian Heritage Dinner Saturday, Nov 3
 Advance \$12 tickets sales@ St. Mary's Rectory or after masses.
No tickets will be sold @ the door!
 Call Halcyon @ 561-1080

THANK YOU

St. Francis Xavier's Altar Society warmly extends a sincere "**thank you**" for all the donated and purchased items for the Rummage Sale. Plus, a big thanks to all volunteers.

*St. Francis Xavier Minister
 October 13 & 14th*

<u>Mass</u>	<u>Commentator</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Eucharist Ministers</u>
Saturday 10/13/18 5:00pm	Paul Valdez	Rita Franklin Monica Lucero	Mona Martinez Monica Lucero Mary Boyd Deneane Sisneros Paul Valdez/Lead

Servers: to be announced

Sunday 10/14/18	Margaret Siegrist	Nick Wertz Nadine Styduhar-Craciun	Deacon Paul Paul Montez Kathy Figueroa Juanita McCulley-Santos Margaret Siegrist/Lead
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Servers: to be announced

**DINNER IS READY! Pizza Ranch Fundraiser
 Monday, Oct 8, 5-8:30 pm**

1761 S. Pueblo Blvd.

10% of each check goes to SFX.

Volunteers needed! Help in a variety of ways.

Contact Jamie @ 719-250-6630, for info or questions.

Bring your friends and your appetite!

FALL INTO CHRISTMAS

OLOL Craft Show and Bake Sale

Sat & Sun, Oct 20-21, 10 am-4pm

@ The Beulah Community Ctr 5927 Pennsylvania Ave

Lunch available Saturday & Sunday

Breakfast Burritos sold on Sunday

Contact Laura @ 485-3132 or lauralee@socolo.net

Our Giving to God

St Francis Xavier

September 30, 2018

Offertory Envelopes	\$	791.00
Currency & Checks	\$	349.93
Religious Education Donation	\$	250.00
Building Fund	\$	200.00

Our Lady of Lourdes

September 30, 2018

Offertory Envelopes	\$	810.00
Currency & Checks	\$	64.00
Building Fund	\$	200.00

\$13,000 is needed, each month, to cover expenses. This week's collection= \$1,140.93 October expenses will only be covered if \$ 11,859 is raised by month end..