



“The Mission of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church: 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.”

Saint Francis Xavier Church 611 Logan Ave Pueblo, CO 81004

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Our Lady of Lourdes Mission 8800 Maryknoll Blvd Beulah, CO 81023

November 11, 2018

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

The LORD keeps faith forever, secures justice for the oppressed, gives food to the hungry. — *Psalm 146:7*

Parish Office: 1725 Spruce St.

Hours: Monday - Friday 9am-12noon / 1pm-3pm
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Staff

Administrator: Rev. X. Selvakumar
 Deacon: Paul Villegas
 Secretary/Bulletin Editor : Barbara Madkins
 Music Director : Alex Craciun
 Religious Formation CRE: Elizabeth “Bebe” Mestas
 Maintenance : Dru Aragon Vigil

Mediterranean Room/Hall Rental rate:
 \$50/hr for an active, contributing parishioner
 \$100/hr for non-parishioner
 There is a \$250 refundable cash damage deposit.

Our Lady of Lourdes

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

St. Francis Xavier

Tuesday - Friday ~ 8:00 am daily mass in The Chapel
 Tuesday - Friday ~ 8:30-9:00 am Eucharistic Adoration
 Saturday~4:00-4:45pm Confession, or by appointment

Saturday ~ 5:00 pm vigil mass
 Sunday ~ 10:00 am mass

St. Francis Xavier Religious Formation

Preschool - 12th grade + Confirmation Classes
 Sunday 8:30 am

See the parish website www.sfxavierpueblo.org for information about Sacrament preparation for baptism and marriage. Please call the office to request anointing for the sick and homebound.

Mass Intentions & Activities

Weekly Calendar

Saturday~ November 10- St. Francis Xavier
5:00pm † **John A. & Irene A. Vigil** by children,
 grandchildren, and great-grandchildren
 † **Rita Del Gado** by Frank & Mary Aragon
 and Family

Mon	11-12	1:00pm	Living Waters
Tues	11-13	11:00am	Legion of Mary
Wed	11-14	6:00pm	Divine Mercy
Thurs	11-15	nothing scheduled.....	
Fri	11-16	nothing schedule	
Sat	11-17	nothing schedule	
		4:15pm	SFX Confession
		5:00pm	SFX Vigil Mass
Sun	11-11	7:25am	OLOL Rosary & Adoration
		7:30am	OLOL Confession
		8:00am	OLOL Mass
		8:30am	SFX Religious Education classes
		10:00am	SFX Mass

Sunday ~ November 11- Our Lady of Lourdes
8:00am The health and healing of **Mike Mutz**
 by The Bleichrodt Family
 † **Fran Gradisar** by Alfie Filangi

Sunday ~ November 11- St. Francis Xavier
10:00am For the good health and healing of
John A. Kerns by Auntie Alice

The All Souls Day mass intentions will be read during
 November daily masses, held Tues-Fri in the Chapel.

Saturday~ November 17- St. Francis Xavier
5:00pm † **Rita Del Gado** by Frank & Mary Aragon
 and Family

Sunday ~ November 18- Our Lady of Lourdes
8:00am The health and healing of **Mike Mutz**
 by The Bleichrodt Family
 † **Fran Gradisar** by The Arrigo Family

Sunday ~ November 18—St. Francis Xavier
10:00am † **Paul, Eric, & Phillip Figueroa**
 by Kathy & Robert Figueroa
 † **Joseph Misiaszak** by Kathy & Robert
 Figueroa
 For the good health and healing of
Dave Hammel by Alice Novak

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday:	Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29; Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday:	Ti 3:1-7; Ps 23:1b-6; Lk 17:11-19
Thursday:	Phlm 7-20; Ps 146:7-10; Lk 17:20-25
Friday:	2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18; Lk 17:26-37
Saturday:	3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-6; Lk 18:1-8
Sunday:	Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time; Veterans Day; Remembrance Day (Canada)
Monday:	St. Josaphat
Tuesday:	St. Frances Xavier Cabrini
Wednesday:	—
Thursday:	St. Albert the Great
Friday:	St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude
Saturday:	St. Elizabeth of Hungary

St. Francis Xavier Ministry Schedule
November 17 & 18

<u>Mass</u>	<u>Commentator</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Eucharist Ministers</u>
Saturday 11/17/18 5:00 p.m. mass	Jamie Vigil	Tony Baca Deandra Manzanares	Deandra Manzanares Tony Baca Melanie Garza
Servers:	to be announced		Amber Terrones Pat Muniz /Lead

Sunday 11/18/18 10:00 a.m. mass	Kathy Figueroa	Nadine Styduhar-Craciun Nick Wertz	Deacon Paul Carla Osorio Marcy Mravich Juan Casaus
Servers:	to be announced		Kathy Figueroa/Lead



DIVINE
MERCY

Jesus, I trust in You!

Please say the Divine Mercy
 prayer for your loved ones,
 your family, and the poor
 souls in purgatory.

Diocesan Ministry Fund

Please make your pledge for the DMF. Our
 Lady of Lourdes has currently paid \$5,169; the goal
 is \$6352. Twenty-one families have pledged;
 eighteen families have fully paid their pledge.

St. Francis Xavier has currently paid \$16,215; the
 goal is \$31,290. Fifty-seven families have pledged;
 forty-two families are fully paid.

Thank you for supporting the DMF commitment.

A GOOD STORY

Christianity is the story of beggars who tell other
 beggars where to find bread. —Anonymous

Our Parish

THE CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP

The core vocation in the Gospel of Mark is the vocation, or call, to discipleship. Today's Gospel passage provides us with one last example of what the vocation to discipleship means, and one example of what it doesn't mean. A destitute widow shows us that discipleship means following Jesus' way of service, even if it requires giving one's livelihood (or life). The scribes show us by their bad example that discipleship should entail a vocation to extend God's care to those who are most in need.

In our reading from the book of Kings another widow and her son are close to death. They too give what little they have, but they are rewarded by Elijah with food enough for a year. And the reading from the Letter to the Hebrews reminds us that Jesus sacrificed his life "to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him" (Hebrews 9:28).

Plan ahead! Enjoy a homemade pasta dinner to benefit DMF!

Sunday, December 2, from 11-3

\$6 for adults; \$3 for kids.

Tickets are on sale after mass.

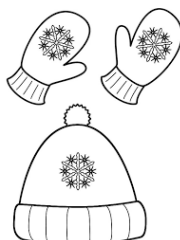


An insightful explanation of how to live The Holy Mass is on the SFX website. Go to <http://www.sfxavierpueblo.org/> Select the "Parish Life" tab, and click on the image or verbiage for The Holy Mass that is found on the right.



Are you being called?
Training for new Eucharistic Ministers is in the planning stage. Please drop a note in the offertory basket or call the office if you would like to attend.

Clean, gently used and new coats, gloves, scarfs, hats, etc are always appreciated by those that are not warm enough. Prepare your donation now; watch for specific donation announcements soon.



Prayer Chain Give and receive benefits from the power of prayer. Enter all prayer intentions in The Prayer Chain Request Book located at the front doors of the Church, or call 719-561-9052 or 719-994-2131.

Your prayers are heard.

News within The Diocese of Pueblo

WHAT: Heartbroken and concerned about the loss of decency in our society, and the crisis within the church? Pray for God's mercy and healing during a

Chastity Heals Soup Supper and Prayer Vigil.

WHEN: Saturday, December 1: 6pm soup
7pm-7am prayer vigil

WHERE: St. Paul's in Pueblo West
Also, spend some quiet time with The Lord at Adoration.

ADDED BONUS: RSVP/Call or text Sarah Smith to commit to an hour of prayer: 719-248-8828

Sponsored by Universal Chastity Education and St Paul the Apostle.

The Shrine of St. Therese is preparing for their 70 Anniversary Celebration in 2019. Order a commemorative coffee table book before Dec. 31, 2018 for \$35. (\$40 in 2019.) For more info, contact The Shrine @ 719-542-1788

The time is now! Let your wishes be known. A Catholic Guide for end-of-life decisions is available at 215-877-2660 or email orders@ncbcenter.org

Our Giving to God

St Francis Xavier

October 28, 2018

Offertory Envelopes	\$647.00
Currency & Checks	\$405.27

St Francis Xavier

November 4, 2018

Offertory Envelopes	\$ 2,069.20
Currency & Checks	\$ 317.15
Building Fund	\$ 335.24
All Saints Day	\$ 427.27
All Souls Day	\$ 34.00

Our Lady of Lourdes

November 4, 2018

Offertory Envelopes	\$ 475.00
Currency & Checks	\$ 44.00
Building Fund	\$ 110.00
All Saints Day	\$ 115.00

\$14,000 is needed, each month, to cover expenses. The SFX total offertory collection for October was \$6,719.28; the office collection was \$4691.61. Religious Education received \$200. October's total collection is \$11,610.89. SFX was short