

St. Francis Xavier Cathedral

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THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Father James Ferguson, JCL, Rector • Father William Gearheard, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Richard Mitchell • Deacon Luke White

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, November 15:

12:05 p.m. Sam & Myrtle DeBona

Tuesday, November 16:

12:05 p.m. Charles & Catherine LaCaze

Wednesday, November 17:

12:05 p.m. Lucile Rachal

Thursday, November 18:

12:05 p.m. George Taylor Roberts

Friday, November 19:

12:05 p.m. Janice Chenevert Melcher

Saturday, November 20:

4:00 p.m. Hope Farrar Kramer, Leila Kramer, Angelo & Nina Carter D'Angelo, Galardo & LaCroix Families, Sam & Edith Tamburo, Colingo & Tamburo Families, Simon and Mamie Campo, Campo Family, Mock & Jones Families (living & deceased), George & Betty Battalora, Clay & Keith Kelley, Linda Cazes, Rachael Brouillette, Sam Johnson, Clydia Nugent Campo, Am Mai (living)

Sunday, November 21: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

9:00 a.m. Gilchrist & White Families (living & deceased), R.J. Ducote, Mary Duncan, Will Barton, Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus Council #3200, Ben Van Mol, Poor Souls in Purgatory, Clydia Nugent Campo, Am Mai (living)

11:00 a.m. People of SFX Cathedral Parish

5:30 p.m. Clement F.X. Carroll, M.D.

SANCTUARY LIGHT

The Sanctuary Light will burn in memory for Cecile Dunn, please remember her in your prayers.

WEEKEND COLLECTION

Weekly Budget	\$8,500.00
Last Weekend's Collection	\$10,335.00
Over or (Short)	\$1,834.00
Radio Maria	\$984.00

Thank you for your generosity!

ALTAR SOCIETY ANNUAL BAKE SALE - NOVEMBER 13 - 14

The Cathedral Altar Society will have their Annual Bake Sale in Xavier Hall this weekend after the 4:00 p.m. Saturday Mass and after the 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses on Sunday.

Please come by and support the Altar Society. Your contributions help pay for the necessary items for the upkeep of the Cathedral sanctuary.

FOOD DRIVE FOR THE FOOD BANK



Boxes will be placed at the main entrance of the Cathedral for donations of non-perishable food items for the Food Bank next weekend to help provide food for Thanksgiving. The boxes will remain through Sunday, November 21st.

AWARENESS TRAINING - NOVEMBER 16

There will be a Virtus Awareness training session on Tuesday, November 16, at 6:00 p.m., at the St. Joseph Catholic Center, 4400 Coliseum Blvd, Alexandria. To pre-register, go to www.virtus.org.

NOTE: Masks must be worn the entire session, which typically lasts 2.5 to 3 hours. Seating will be one (1) person per table (spouses may sit together). A maximum of ONLY 15 adults will be allowed to attend each session. Minors are not allowed to attend because of the adult content of the videos and discussions.

ADVENT DISCERNMENT RETREAT (ONLINE) DECEMBER 12

An Advent Discernment Retreat for women ages 18-40 will be held on Sunday, December 12 via Zoom from 1:00-7:00 pm with the Sisters of Divine Providence in San Antonio, TX. Join us to have individual "walks" with the Sisters, individual reflection time, and an opportunity to deepen your spirituality. Give yourself this Advent gift of community and prayer to see where God is calling you. You may register for this free retreat here: <https://bit.ly/CDP-Advent-Retreat-2021>. For more information contact vocationministry@cdptexas.org

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED AND THE CONSOLATION OF THEIR FAMILIES:

Clydia Nugent Campo

**HEART OF ST. KATERI CIRCLE MEETING
DECEMBER 9**

Call (318) 483-3908 for information on the place and location for the Heart of St. Kateri Circle December 9 meeting for a Christmas Party plus Circle meeting.

PRIESTLY VOCATIONS RETREAT- FEB. 5, 2022

There will be a day of reflection at Maryhill for any man who is discerning priesthood or wants to know more about seminary. Any high school, college, or adult male is invited to attend. More information will be provided soon.

SAVE THE DATES!

Tentative dates for these conferences next year:

- Genesis of Eve Women's Conference, Alexandria: May 13-15, 2022
- National Tekakwitha Conference, Alexandria: July 20-24, 2022

Dates are subject to change. More information to come.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION – RESTORATION FUND
NOVEMBER 14**

The monthly collection for the Restoration Fund will be taken up **Saturday, November 13 and Sunday, November 14**. Your continued support and generosity is deeply appreciated.

**DIOCESAN CODE OF PASTORAL CONDUCT FOR
PRIESTS, DEACONS, PASTORAL MINISTERS,
ADMINISTRATORS, STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS**

The Diocesan Code of Pastoral Conduct for Priests, Deacons, Pastoral Ministers, Administrators, Staff and Volunteers, can be accessed under Downloadable Documents in the Safe Environment section of the diocesan website.

BIRTHDAYS: November 14 – November 20

Alice Andrews, Geri Babin, Pam Brossett, Kirby DesOrmeaux, Gary Laborde, Louise Laboarde, Angela Lavergne, Judy Mathews, June Melancon, Madeline Pharis, Mary Gail Randall, Christine Tassin, Deacon Luke White, Nov. 15

NECROLOGY: November 14 – November 20

Rev. Julius Janeau +Nov. 14, 1878
Rev. Jean M. Ledreux +Nov. 16, 1884
Rev. Martin B. Slice +Nov. 16, 1953
Rev. Roy L. DeCaigny +Nov. 20, 1959

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DEACON ASPIRANTS

Jason Lavergne, and Alex Mangini

FLOCKNOTES AND LIVE-STREAMING

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Also, we are now live-streaming the 9AM Sunday Masses via Facebook, Youtube and at sfxcathedral.org.

FOR OUR MILITARY

If members of your family have been called to active military duty, or are already on active duty, please let us know, and we will place their names for prayer in the church bulletin. Please call the church secretary at telephone 445-1451, ext. 14, or you may email her at aryder@parish.diocesealex.org. Known military are:

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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Glenn Andrew, Sharon Andrew, Carol Brossett, Ronnie Brossett, Janice Brossett, John Broussard, Ann Marie Bruner, Shree Brye, Elizabeth Butler, Jerry Byles, Daisy Bynog, Kari Cann, Patrick Charles, Chere Carnahan, Barbara Cole, Wayne Cole, Sawyer Coutee, Kathy Cumella, Sherman Delrie, Brenda Ducote, Linda Dupuis, Gary Elliott, Carolyn Fontenot, Kathryn Frey, John Gallent, Ruth Gilchrist, Jacob Hale, Brenda Hardee, Kenneth Jeansonne, Kim Johnson, Tiffany Johnson, Louis Joseph, Cody & Scott Lacheney, Pam Lloyd, Paul Jared Louviere, Audrey Luczak, Am Mai, Melvin Mayeaux, Linda McCain, Clayton McCann, Norma McCann, Tara McCann, Ann McQuagge, Bernice Medica, Sam Medica, Kelly Miller, Gloria Mitchell, Michael Perry, Jr., Clyde Peterson, Lou Ann Rigby, Andrew & Kemal Sanli, Stephanie Simmons, Preston Stemmman, J. B. Theriot, Mary Tower, Sheron Walker, Joey Wallace, Kitty Wilson, Lee Arthur Wilson, Ona Wilson, Tony Wilson

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