



St. Francis Xavier (College) Church

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Saint Francis Xavier College Church

October 29, 2017 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:15 pm Anticipation of Sunday

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:30 am and 4:30 pm

Monday - Friday

7:15 am, Noon, 5:15 pm

In the Chapel of Our Lady located in the lower level.

Saint Louis University Campus Ministry:

Sunday: 9:00 pm (when the University is in session)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday-Friday: 10:45 am through Noon Saturday: 4:00 pm through 5:00 pm

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the members of St. Francis Xavier College Church, form a welcoming Jesuit parish community. As followers of Jesus Christ, we praise God, love our neighbors as ourselves, celebrate liturgy and the sacraments, engage in lifelong formation and proclaim God's reign of justice, mercy and peace.

PARISH INFORMATION FAX: 314-977-7315 E-MAIL ADDRESS: church@slu.edu

The Parish Center is closed if St. Louis City Schools are closed due to bad weather. Activities and events are also cancelled.

Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Saturday we are closed & Sunday: 8:30 am to 1:00 pm.

<u>Bulletin Notices:</u> must be submitted to <u>marykay.horan@slu.edu</u> by noon on Thursday, ten days before the bulletin date. Holidays require additional time.

Infant Baptisms: contact Fr. Jason Brauninger, SJ at 314-977-7301 for scheduling and preparation information at least 45 days in advance. Baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sunday of the month, at 12:00 pm.

Christian Initiation of Adults: contact Joe Milner at 314-977-7305 or joseph.milner@slu.edu

Marriages: contact Sandy Hauck at 314-977-7303 for scheduling and preparation information.

<u>Funerals</u>: contact Fr. Dan White, SJ or Sister Carolyn McWaters, RSM. To notify the parish of a funeral for a family member not at the College Church, please contact Mary Beth Erickson at 314-977-7304 or church@slu.edu.

Disability Access: Our church has an elevator and hearing assistance system. Please see an usher for assistance.

<u>Parish Registration</u>: Available online at collegechurch.slu.edu or at the Parish Center front desk. For questions, contact Mary Beth Erickson at 314-977-7304.

Religious Education: Available for kindergarten through eighth grade. Classes meet September - May on Sunday mornings. Ages 3-6 use the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. Contact Angie Doerr at 314-977-7302 or angeline.doerr@slu.edu

<u>Liturgy of the Word for Children:</u> Celebrated weekly for children in kindergarten - seventh grade at 10:30 am Sunday Mass. Childcare is available for children ages six months through pre-kindergarten during the 10:30 am Mass in the Parish Center Nursery. Contact Angie Doerr at 314-977-7302 or angeline.doerr@slu.edu.

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Rosemary P

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Geri Greger

Lisa Zimmerer

Pat March

Liz DeRum

Wayne and Tuck Loui

Cheryl Rauschenbach

Delores Garrido

Kathy Fitzgerald

Mary Beth Erickson

Nancy Partridge & service dog Glider

Maryann Cochran

Ann Koolman

Joe Lynne

Catherine Walz

Theresa Poetz

Mary Jo Munkel

John and Colin Martin

Tom Reilly

Monica Gunn

Neil Kielty

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Alice Edler

Eileen McCann

Sr. Carolyn McWatters, RSM

Call Mary Beth at 314-977-7304 to add or remove names.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

hursday is the commemoration of All the Faithful Departed, commonly known as All Soul's Day. This is the perfect example of how the Church's prayer drives the Church's theology. Very early in our history Christians were offering prayers on behalf of those who had died. The practice was borrowed from the wider Greco-Roman culture which commemorated the deceased with libations and food at their tomb.

As happened often, Christians adapted these practices in light of their faith in Jesus Christ. The faithful gathered in cemeteries to celebrate the Eucharist. Instead of pagan lamentations they sang hymns and psalms of hope. The Church viewed the universal human experience of death and grief through the lens of faith in the Risen Lord.

College Church will gather this week to do the same. We acknowledge loss and sorrow, but profess our faith in our participation in Christ's life. The prayer of commendation from the funeral liturgy captures our belief: Into your hands, Father of mercies, we commend our loved one in the sure and certain hope that, together with all who have died in Christ, they will rise with him on the last day. It is that sure and certain hope that guides our prayers for all the faithful departed.

ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS DAY WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY NOVEMBER 1& 2

Feast of All Saints (Holy Day of Obligation)

Oct 31 5:15 pm Vigil Mass in the Chapel
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5:15pm Feast Day Mass in the Church

Feast of All Souls

Nov 2 7:15 am Feast Day Mass in the Chapel

12:00 pm Feast Day Mass SLU Remembrance

in the Church

5:15 pm Feast Day Mass SFX Remembrance

in the Church

Please join us to pray for all of our beloved deceased family and friends. We will be particularly remembering those who have died in the past year. If you have not yet notified the parish of someone who has died this year, please contact Mary Beth Erickson at church@slu.edu

WELCOME TO COLLEGE CHURCH!

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Gathering Song: I Come With Joy Gather 919

Glory to God: Duchesne Mass (on insert)

Michael Joncas

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Dismissal for Liturgy of the Word (10:30)

Gather 324

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 18 | Love You Lord, My Strength Gather 1179

Gospel Acclamation: Duchesne Mass (on insert)

Michael Joncas

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LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Presentation Song (10:30): Faith, Hope, and Love Walker

Eucharistic Prayer Acclamations: Duchesne Mass (on insert) Michael Joncas

COMMUNION RITE

Breaking of Bread: Lamb of God - Duchesne Mass (on insert) Michael Joncas

Communion Song: What You Have Done for Me Gather 816

Meditation (10:30): The Cry of the Poor Gather 47

CONCLUDING RITE

Recessional Song: Love Devine, All Loves Excelling

Gather 641

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MICHAEL JONCAS VISIT

For several weeks we have been learning the Duchesne Mass, composed by Father Michael Joncas in honor of the bicentennial of the arrival in St Louis of St. Philippine Duchesne, foundress of the Academy of the Sacred Heart, the first free school west of the Mississippi and the first of many Schools of the Sacred Heart in the United States. Today, Sunday, Oct 29, we will be honored to have Fr. Joncas with us at the 10:30 am Mass. Everyone is invited to a "Meet and Greet" with him afterwards in the ballroom.

































TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

Go to: http://sfxgala.bpt.me
OR

Volunteers will be in the back of church on Oct. 29 and Nov. 5 to take your reservation.

AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED!

- Restaurant or retail gift cards (\$50 or more is ideal)
- Bottles of red and white wine valued \$20 or more
- Themed gift baskets

Contact: Wade Baughman at 314-307-0535, mwba16@gmail.com

PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY

THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION'S FAITH OUTREACH INITIATIVE AND SFX PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY

St. Louis University's Health Resource Center and the Geriatric Education Center are offering a FREE Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment clinic for people 65 or older. The clinic is the first Thursday of the month at the Health Resource Center, 1408 North Kingshighway, #213.

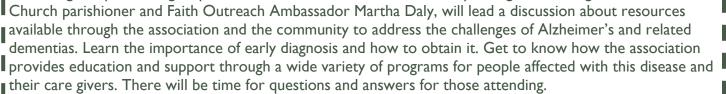
A comprehensive cognitive and physical assessment is more extensive than a screening appointment. Over a two hour visit (approximate), the team will conduct the following assessments: medical, physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, nutrition, and social services.

To schedule an appointment please contact the SLU Geriatric Division Office at 314-977-8462.

ALZHEIMER'S/DEMENTIA - RESOURCES WHEN YOU NEED THEM

Stacy Tew-Lovasz, President, Alzheimer's Association's Greater Missouri Chapter Sunday, November 12, 9:15-10:15 am ~ SFX Ballroom

Stacy leads the staff and volunteer team who serve over 66,000 families in 96 counties in Missouri and western Illinois. She creates operating plans and identifies points of growth and change, implementing steps to fulfill the association's mission. Stacy, along with College



BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO MOURN GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

The Pastoral Care Ministry is beginning a six week long support group for those grieving the death of a loved one. The group begins in early November and meet in the afternoon on a Wednesday, Thursday or Friday. Sessions would be held in a central location with ample parking, possibly in the home of a participating group member.

After the first meeting, subsequent sessions will be closed to new members to assure a cohesive and confidential group. Space is limited. Please contact the facilitator, Sr. Mary Ann Wachtel, to express interest and day of week preference at <u>journey100@att.net</u>.

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE: sfxstl.org

Check the website for online bulletins, homilies, our calendar and information about upcoming events!

If you give on-line, please take this card when you enter church. Place in the collection basket when it comes around to show your financial support of College Church.



To sustain the future of the College Church,
I submit my offertory **Online**.

FATHER GREG BOYLE, SJ "MERCY IN THE CITY STREET STRATEGIES" Open and free to the public NOVEMBER 2, 2017 • 7:00 PM

Fr. Boyle's presentation is the annual
Lally Lecture at Catholic Charities Archdiocese of St. Louis and part of Saint Louis University's
2018 Bicentennial Lecture Series.



The Rev. Gregory J. Boyle, SJ, is the founder of Homeboy Industries in Los Angeles, the largest gang intervention, rehabilitation, and re-entry program in the world. Father Boyle entered the Society of Jesus in 1972 and was ordained a priest in 1984. He holds a bachelor's degree in philosophy and English from Gonzaga University, a master's degree in English from Loyola Marymount University, a Master's of Divinity degree from Weston School of Theology, and a Master of Sacred Theology from the Jesuit School of Theology at Berkeley.

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COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Each year, the church remembers all who have died and gone before us during the month of November. While there is a book to remember the departed at the shrine of St. Joseph throughout the year, it has been moved to near the baptismal font this weekend, to make it more prominent and easier to inscribe the names of your loved ones as you enter or depart from the church. You are invited to write the names of any of your family and friends who have died, particularly those who have died during the past year. During November, the book will be brought forward and placed near the altar. The names of those listed in the book will be remembered in our prayers at the weekend liturgies. Please take a moment to inscribe these names today in our parish book of remembrance.

WHY I JOINED. I HOPE YOU WILL TOO!

When I first started coming to College Church, I was searching. Searching for ways to feel connected to my faith, ways to actually have a prayer life, ways to actually live out what I heard at Mass beyond that Sunday morning. I have gone from "checking the box" on



Sunday morning, to accepting and owning my faith formation. I'm not perfect, but I now feel I have the tools to grow closer to God. Is this something you can relate to? Something you'd like to learn more about? Something you might like to be a part of? I am a member of the Adult Faith Formation Commission. If you would like to learn more about what Adult Faith Formation has to offer at College Church, or become involved in the Commission please contact me, Laura Greiner at momgreiner@me.com or Joe Milner at loseph.Milner@slu.edu

SOCIAL MINISTRY

Sunday, October 29 at 1:30 pm

Afternoon Visit to the Civil Rights Exhibit at the History Museum With our Friends from the Rock Church

UPDATED TIME: Please meet at 1:30pm at the History Museum (5700 Lindell) to tour the exhibit and stick around for discussion and socialization afterward Please RSVP to Christine if you would like to join at (314) 977-7309 or dragonettecm@slu.edu.



How and When Race Became Significant in St Louis's Catholic Church and Why It Might Still Matter Today Sunday, November 5 after the 10:30 am Mass

A presentation and discussion with Jeff Dorr, S.J. in recognition of Black Catholic History Month College Church Ballroom

Jeff Dorr, SJ is a Jesuit Scholastic originally from Cedarburg, WI and a part of the Midwest Province of the Jesuits. He completed his Masters in American History at Saint Louis University in 2015 with a thesis focused on race and St. Louis's Catholic Church. Now, after two years of teaching and working in administration at Creighton Preparatory School in Omaha, NE, he has returned to St. Louis for his third year of his Regency stage of Jesuit formation and is working at the Jesuit Archives.



MCU Public Meeting: From Pipeline to Pathways
Thursday, November 9, 2017, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
Ending the criminalization of Black youth by introducing
education, policing and juvenile court reforms
Harris-Stowe University: Henry Givens Auditorium
(3026 Laclede Ave., St. Louis 63103)

Registration Link: https://tinyurl.com/yca3ryqw or let Christine know if you will attend (christine.dragonette@slu.edu or 977-7309)



Interested in Volunteering with Winter Inn?

Volunteer Trainings in the Ballroom: Tuesday, Nov. 14 6:30 - 8:00 pm or Saturday, Nov. 18 10:30 am -12:00 pm



Xavier Winter Inn is part of a collaboration between several congregations and the St. Louis Winter Outreach Group to provide overflow emergency shelter for homeless men and women during the winter months (on Wednesdays and Thursdays) when temperatures drop below 20 degrees. Overnight visitors are hosted in the lower level of the parish center.

New volunteers: please RSVP for a training by clicking this link: https://goo.gl/forms/5XAC6rn|KdcoWnzpl or by contacting Anne Osdieck at aosdieck@gmail.com.

Through the generous support of the Parish, the University, Parish Volunteers, SLU Volunteers, and the community, Xavier Winter Inn is possible.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Rite of Acceptance into the Catechumenate and Welcome of Baptized Christians

On Nov. 5 at the 10:30 am Eucharist, we will welcome individuals who wish to prepare for Christian Initiation or reception into full communion with the Catholic Church. Those who are not baptized become catechumens through their expression of desire for faith and baptism. They will celebrate the three sacraments of initiation, baptism, confirmation and Eucharist. Those who are baptized in other churches or who were baptized as infants in the Catholic church become candidates as they prepare for confirmation and the Eucharist. The rite which we celebrate invites them to express their desire and state their intent to live as disciples of Jesus. They are accompanied by sponsors who represent the parish community in supporting and encouraging them in their journey to know and love God. The whole assembly is asked to express their support with prayer and concern for them during the coming months. Please pray for them and greet them when you see them.

CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY

Interested in extending your experience of the Spiritual Exercises or wanting to deepen your faith and Ignatian Spirituality? Then consider answering the Call of Christian Life Community (CLC). Come experience for yourself that call, that is, a sense of belonging to something more than a prayer group or bible study. Gatherings include prayer, silence, scripture, and reflection, and so much more, followed by socializing. There is still time to join a group this year. Contact Ann Padberg at annpadberg@charter.net or 314-696-9610.

COLLEGE CHURCH SEMINARS

Each Sunday 9:15-10:15
Adult Faith Room

Topics will include:

Organization of biblical Psalms; Characteristics of biblical poetry; Various types of psalms; Public and private use of psalms in biblical history; Christian understanding and use of Psalms; Close analysis of many psalms.

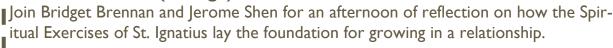


Questions on prayer: Is the god atheists don't believe in really the true God? If we pray and get no response, then what? Does God need praise?

What about our angry, exasperation, despairing prayers?

Contact: Frank at nicholfw@slu.edu for more information. A Bible is desirable but not essential.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT: FALLING IN LOVE ... FINDING GOD Sunday, November 19, 2017 ~ 12:15 - 3:30 pm St. Francis Xavier (College) Church Ballroom





THE SUNDAY SCRIPTURES AND MY LIFE

Do you ever wonder what the Sunday readings have to do with transforming your daily life? Explore a deeper look into the meaning of God's Word. A small group meets Sundays, 9:30 - 10:20 in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 15. Come when you can. Facilitators are Lea Koesterer, Steve Gilbert, and S. Carla Mae Streeter, OP, Coordinator. Contact street-er@slu.edu or 314-256-8882 for more information.

BLESSED STANLEY ROTHER

n Sept. 23, Fr. Stanley Rother, a priest and farmer from Okarche, Oklahoma, was beatified. His name appeared on one of the death lists and he returned to Oklahoma in January of 1981 but found it unbearable to be away from the people. He said that a "shepherd cannot run." He returned to Guatemala. On July 28, 1981, gunmen tried to kidnap him. When he resisted, he was shot. The words of Pope Francis can truly be applied to him. He was a shepherd who smelled like his sheep.

Parishioner Sandy Spencer knew Fr. Rother as she worked in a neighboring parish in Guatemala at the same time. **TODAY**, Oct. 29 after the 8:00 Mass in the ballroom, she will share about Fr. Rother and the historical context

which led to his murder. She will repeat the presentation after the 10:30 mass on Nov. 12.



Blessed Stanley, Pray for us!

SLU PARKING UPDATES

SLU has started a new system in its parking garages. Folks attending mass at College Church on Saturday afternoon and Sunday will still have free access to the LACLEDE parking garage. Here are the new parking instructions:

- Saturday evening Mass 5:15 SLU will issue "no value" tickets at Laclede Garage from 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm. This means that anyone who pulls into Laclede Garage during this timeframe will pull a ticket upon entrance; however, it will be of no value. When they exit, they will put the ticket back in, and the gate will go up - No Charge.
- Sunday Entrance gate will remain down, exit gate will be up from 8:30 am 11:00 pm.
- Spring and Lindell (northeast corner) parking lot will still be available on Sundays.
- Weekday Volunteers Parking and Card Services will issue complimentary parking pass stickers to the College Church parish center. The volunteer will need to bring their entry ticket into the parish center with them to put a sticker on it. The sticker needs to be placed in the space provided.

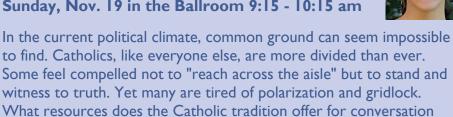
FAIR TRADE CHRISTMAS MARKET Sunday, Dec. 3, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm College Church Ballroom

Shop for beautiful and unique hand-crafted items, plus coffees, teas, and chocolates.

Volunteers Needed! Contact Colleen McCluskey at colleen.mccluskey@slu.edu to help at the Christmas Market. Many volunteers are needed for a variety of roles to ensure the success of the market. Thank you for your consideration.

RE CONNECTION SPEAKER SERIES "CAN CATHOLICS FIND COMMON GROUND?" Dr. Julie Hanlon Rubio, PhD – Professor of Christian Ethics – Saint Louis University Sunday, Nov. 19 in the Ballroom 9:15 - 10:15 am

that gets us beyond the current impasse?





PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Please remember in your prayers
Diane Mees, mother of Janet
Mees-Reinert and
Ann Garrido of our
parish who died
Oct. 20. May she

and all the departed share in the peace and joy of

God's presence forever.

PRESIDERS

Nov. 4-5

<u>Saturday</u>

5:15 pm Fr. Jason Brauninger, SJ

<u>Sunday</u>

8:00 am Fr. Dan White, SJ 10:30 am Fr. Dan White, SJ

Nov. 11-12

<u>Saturday</u>

5:15 pm Fr. Dan White, SJ

<u>Sunday</u>

8:00 am Fr. Jason Brauninger, SJ 10:30 am Fr. Jason Brauninger, SJ

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday: Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2&4, 6-7AB,

20-21; Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1B-2AB, 2CD-3,

4-5, 6; Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rev 7:2-4, 9-14; IJn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12A

Thursday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-3A, 3B-4, 5, 6;

Rom 5:5-11 OR Rom 6:3-9;

In 6:37-40

Friday: Rom 9:1-5, Ps147:12-13, 14-15,

19-20; Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2A, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:

12-13A, 14-15, 17-18; Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday: Mal 1:14B-2:2B, 8-10; Ps 131:1, 2, 3;

1Thes 2:7B-9, 13; Mt 23:1-12

STS. PETER & PAUL'S 3RD ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY MASS NOV. 11 AT 5:00 pm

If you were married at Sts. Peter & Paul Church in historic Soulard and have or will celebrate a *five-year marker anniversary in* 2017, we invite you to an Anniversary Mass to honor your marriage and renew your wedding vows on Saturday, Nov.11, 2017 at the 5:00 pm Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Church at the corner of 8th and Allen.

Please RSVP by Oct. 30 at pssspeterpaul@charter.net or 314-231-9923. Include your first and last names, wedding month, day and year, number of years married and your contact information. If you know someone who was married here and are celebrating one of these specific anniversaries, please tell them about this special celebration Mass.

PLAN YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY!

St. Mary Magdalen Parish (city) 26th Annual Juried Holiday Arts & Craft Fair is Saturday, Nov. 18, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm in the former St. Mary Magdalen school building, 4323 S. Kingshighway. Approximately 40 juried crafters will present their handcrafted items. Quilt raffle, attendance prizes, baked goods and BBQ dinners (served from 11am-3pm) For more information, please call Cookie at (314) 832-4531.

MASS MOB XV: A CALL TO FILL THE PEWS AT ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

On Sunday, Nov. 12 at 10:00 am Mass, our church will be opening its doors to join us for the St. Louis Archdiocese Mass Mob XV. We are excited to bring Mass Mob XV to St. Anthony of Padua as a chance for our parishioners to experience Mass in this extraordinary church as it was originally intended – filled from pew to pew. Our diverse faith community is coming together to provide visitors with an authentic, inclusive experience. Mass will be bilingual, featuring both English and Spanish languages, with musical contributions by the adult, Eritrean and Hispanic ministry choirs. This is a Mass that you will not want to miss!

What to Expect:

Churches that hosted Mass Mobs throughout the St. Louis Archdiocese have reported increases in attendance by several hundred people. Ancillary parking lots will be open and on-street parking is encouraged. Church tours will be provided after Mass with a small reception to follow in the Parish Hall.

How to Help:

Get the word out – We want Mass Mob XV to be one for the record books. Invite your family, friends and neighbors to attend mass with you on Nov. 12. Know any alumni of St. Anthony's? Invite them to attend, too!