



# SAINT XAVIER CHURCH JESUIT

*Inward Reflection. Outward Action.*



The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

May 26, 2024



## WELCOME TO ST. XAVIER

Registered historic site founded in 1819  
Apostolate of the Jesuit Fathers since 1845  
*Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam*

Pastor: Fr. Paul Lickteig, SJ  
Associate Pastor: Fr. James Ackerman, SJ  
Associate Pastor: Fr. Jacob Boddicker, SJ

### Parish Staff

Sam Aberle                      Chris Crabb  
Dcn. Tim Crooker              Chris Dole  
Tina Ernst                      Mary Beth Fennell  
Kathy Heile                      Diane Roden  
Sr. Whitney Schieltz              Tim Severyn  
Mary Stutler

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## MASS INTENTIONS

May 27 – June 1

*(All mass times are AM)*

MON 27		<b>Memorial Day</b> <b><i>(No 6 AM Mass)</i></b>
	11:30	+ Peter Horan + Frederick Louis Helmick
TUES 28	6:00	+ Attiliano and Caroline DeGiovenale
	11:30	+ Edward Schuette (1st Annv.)
WED 29	6:00	+ Parish Book of Remembrance
	11:30	+ Deborah Hogan (Birth.) + Carolyn Velten
THU 30	6:00	+ August Hoffman
	11:30	+ Dr. John A. Masla + Mary Lou Krebs
FRI 31	6:00	+ Helen Sievers
	11:30	+ Kay Woebkenberg
SAT 1	7:00	SI Savannah Arnold (Birth.) SI Gerry and Roxanne Motl (50th Wedding Annv.)

## MUSIC

### Opening:

Holy, Holy, Holy #567

### Responsorial Psalm 33:

Blessed the People #1087

### Mass Parts:

Mass of Redemption

### Communion:

You are All We Have #586

### Closing:

O God Almighty, Father #566

Art: *Holy Trinity Column, Budapest*  
*by Fülöp Ungleich (c. 1713)*

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekend Masses

Saturday

4 PM

Sunday

7 AM, 9 AM, 10:30 AM, 5 PM

### Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday

6 AM, 11:30 AM

Saturday

7 AM

### Confessions

Monday - Friday

Noon to 1 PM

Saturday

11 AM to Noon

## READINGS

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

Romans 8:14-17

Matthew 28:16-20



Scan the QR code to learn more about the process of crafting a shared Vision Statement for our Jesuit Parish Family.



### Annual Parish Picnic!

Please save the date for our annual summer picnic on **Sunday, June 2** at Sharon Woods Park, Council Bluffs Shelter. Come by between 11:30 AM and 5:30 PM! Please bring a picnic lunch and a lawn chair. Activities include games and prizes for children and adults, and of course, split the pot! Contact [office@stxchurch.org](mailto:office@stxchurch.org) with any questions.

### Jesuit Works Mass - Save the Date!

This year's Jesuit Works Mass will take place on **Sunday, July 28** at 10 AM here at St. Xavier Church! There will be no 9 AM or 10:30 AM Mass at St. X that day. There will be a reception with food to follow in the Parish Center. The Cincinnati Jesuit Works consists of Bellarmine Chapel, St. Xavier Church, Xavier University, St. Xavier High School, Jesuit Spiritual Center at Milford, and Xavier Jesuit Academy. More details to come!



## Created in the Image of Divine Communion

In our readings last Sunday for Pentecost, we celebrated the diversity within the Body of Christ as people from many nations and tongues were filled with the Holy Spirit. This Sunday, as we honor the Holy Trinity, we are reminded that along with the beautiful diversity of our community comes a call to unity and mutuality. As Pope Francis explains, “The very mystery of the Trinity reminds us that we have been created in the image of that divine communion, and so we cannot achieve fulfillment or salvation purely by our own efforts” (Evangeliū Gaudium, 178). Not only are we never alone in life, but we also have a responsibility to love and care for our fellow humans – each created in the image of God no matter the differences among us.

This trinitarian mystery has been a significant source of nourishment throughout my faith journey and has particularly sustained me in my communal and ministerial life. As a religious sister, I am committed to living in community and devoting my life to prayer and service – a call that all Christians to some extent share. So it is no surprise that social mission has been so fundamental to my life as a Sister of Charity or that the doctrine of our Church includes Catholic Social Teaching that instructs us on how to live in right relationship with all of God’s creation. We are truly blessed to be created in the image of divine communion, but it of course also comes with its challenges.

Each time we make the sign of the cross or state the Nicene or Apostles’ Creed, we profess our faith in the Holy Trinity. How often, though, do we recognize these assertions as personal invitations to live more fully in the image of God? Are these just words we recite, or do they move us to live in harmony with and for our sisters and brothers? Whenever we pray in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, perhaps we can pause to reflect on the ways in which we speak and behave toward those around us and let God show us how to be more open, loving, and forgiving.

- Sr. Whitney Schieltz  
*Associate Director of Social Mission*



### With Deepest Sympathy...

Please remember Jim Krohmer who was buried from St. Xavier Church earlier this month. *Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon him.*

**Presiders for This Weekend - May 26**

4:00 PM Fr. James Ackerman, SJ  
 7:00 AM Fr. Jacob Boddicker, SJ  
 9:00 AM Fr. Jacob Boddicker, SJ  
 10:30 AM Fr. James Ackerman, SJ  
 5:00 PM Fr. Paul Lickteig, SJ

**Presiders for Next Weekend - June 2**

4:00 PM Fr. James Ackerman, SJ  
 7:00 AM Fr. James Ackerman, SJ  
 9:00 AM Fr. James Ackerman, SJ  
 10:30 AM Fr. Jacob Boddicker, SJ  
 5:00 PM Fr. Jacob Boddicker, SJ

**Congratulations to...**

- Daniel and Grace (Martorelli) Torres, who were married at St. Xavier Church on May 18.
- Landen and Allison (Lamping) Sullivan, who were married at St. Xavier Church on May 18.

**Service Spotlight**

St. Francis Seraph Ministries is in great need of volunteers to serve in their Dining Room, feeding the urban poor in Over-the-Rhine. Shifts are 6:45-9 AM for breakfast, 3:45-6 PM for dinner. This is a great opportunity for all ages. Please visit their website at [sfsministries.org/our-programs/dining-room](https://sfsministries.org/our-programs/dining-room), or contact Annise Anderson at [aanderson@sfsministries.org](mailto:aanderson@sfsministries.org) or (513) 549-0542 for more information.

**Retreat for Young Adults**

Join us on **Saturday, June 29** for the ‘Hearts on Fire’ retreat at St. Xavier Church! This is an invitation to prayer, adoration, discussion for young adults, ages 18-39. Reflections with young Jesuits on the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Ignatian spirituality. The cost is \$20. Information and registration: [PopesPrayerUSA.net/hearts](https://PopesPrayerUSA.net/hearts).



**Polarized World, Eucharistic Mission**

The Archdiocese of Cincinnati is hosting a 6-part series on depolarization with Fr. Aaron Wessman, a Glenmary Home Missioner who wrote the book *The Church's Mission in a Polarized World*. The next presentation will be held at Bellarmine Chapel on **Thursday, June 20** at 7 PM with an Overview of Polarization in the US.

Scan the QR code to support our ministries:



Sunday Collection for May 12	\$10,542
Online Contributions	3,717
<b>Total for May 12</b>	<b>\$14,259</b>

**CONNECT WITH ST. X!**

Sign up to receive St. Xavier Church's weekly email newsletter by completing the form on the homepage of the website.



**St. Xavier Prayer Ministry** Please offer prayers for the infirmed of our parish.

Mary Preston, Dennis Baker, Joan Robinson, Kathryn Dooling, William and Mary Zleit, Tom Federle, James Morgan, Gerry McDougall, Susan Hourigan, Susan, Richard Baylis, Paul Block, Clay Holmes, Kaehn Frederick, Steve Trapp, Shannon Boyle, Barbara Deal, Peggy McWilliams, Danny Trumble, Carly Grant, Bill Hughes, Joe, Marie Sheilds, Sarah Sychi, Margaret, Jeala Youssefi, Carol Delaney, Iland, Andrea Kittel, Kim B., Joseph Augustine Hengehold, Brad Sullivan, Randy DeAngelis, Andy Bailey, Emily Gear, Karen Schultz, Kim Navaro, Roger Thesing, Mary Hudson, Angie Naylor, Sandy Stanford Becker, Robert MacDougall, Mary Ann, Jim Harter, Christine Gray, Janet Thompson, Laura Damico, Eileen Lee, Natalie Harding, Kathy Reece, Wayne Roby, Bob Ambach, Sherri Powell, Michael Hodesh, Louis Martines, David and Nancy Stewart, Shirley Alley, Sawyer, William Waters, Ray Teepen, Marguerite Kron, Bob & Marilyn Freudenberg, Maria Paz, Kathleen Allen, Marty Carter, Esther Davis, Barbara Stewart, Douglas Meridieth, Jen Meridieth, Sophia N. Cook, Matt Fisher, Tom Wolfram, Sarah Lawler, Keith Uphaus, David Schwartz, Elaine Waters, Audrey Koester, Jeff Koester, Betty Holt, Don Sumner, Daniel Helmes, Melissa, Tim Robinson, Rosemary Kosky, Adelle Eaton, Terry Lawrence, Mary Murphy, Roy, Anita Snider, Thomas Willis, Shirley Tolliver Hardin, Steve Wolter, Cynthia Hogan, Joseph and Shiela MacDougall, Chris Arlinghaus, Bob Wilkerson, Diana DeVore, Lisa Spencer, Karen Shaw, Sue Leeds, Chris Leeds, Edward Pestian, Joseph Brehm, Joan Perone, Debbie Garnett, Kathy Link, Jane Melson, Steve Nieman, Lovre Dzolic, Plinio DeGoes, JoJo, Bill Robison, Arlene Fritsch, Steve, Ava Janzsen, Erica Gross, David Cole, Elliot Robinson, Carol Ladwig, Nathan Barnhill, Dinah & Brad Barnhill, Maria Giesler, Laura McLaughlin, and Betty Jung.