

## Weekly Mass Schedule

<b>Sunday 16th June</b> <i>Most Holy Trinity</i>	10.00am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
	11.00am	St Anthony's	Mass
	12.00 pm	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
	1.30 pm	St Francis Xavier's	Polish Mass
	7.00pm	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
<b>Monday 17th June</b>	7:30 am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
	9:30 am	St Anthony's	Mass
	10:00am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
<b>Tuesday 18th June</b>	7:30 am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
	10.00am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
<b>Wednesday 19th June</b>	10.00am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
<b>Thursday 20th June</b>	10.00 am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
	7.00 pm	St Francis Xavier's	Confessions
	7.30pm	St Francis Xavier's	Novena/Adoration
<b>Friday 21st June</b> <i>Memorial-St Aloysius Gonzaga</i>	9:30 am	St Anthony's	Mass
	10.00 am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass & Adoration
<b>Saturday 22nd June</b> <i>Saints John Fisher and Thomas More</i>	9:30 am	St Anthony's	<b>No Mass today</b>
	10:00 am	St Francis Xavier's	Mass
	10.30 am	St Francis Xavier's	Confessions
	5.45pm	St Francis Xavier's	Confessions
	6:30pm	St Francis Xavier's	Vigil Mass

**Morning Prayer: 9:30 am Monday to Saturday at St FX, Rosary after 10:00 am Mass Monday to Saturday (except Tuesday and Friday) at St FX, Divine Mercy Chaplet after 10:00am mass Tuesdays. Exposition on Fridays after 10 am Mass.**

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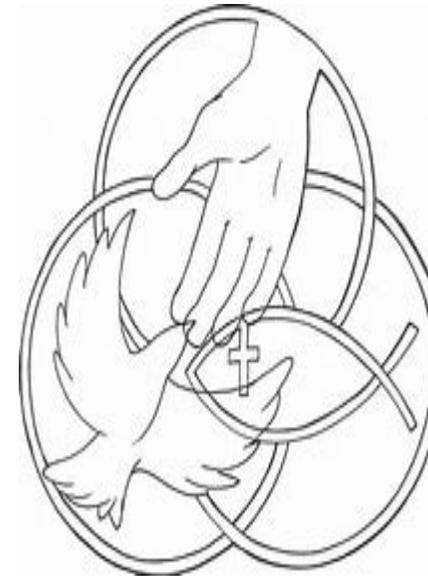
**St Francis Xavier's, Falkirk**

**The Church of St Anthony, Rumford**

**Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, 16th June 2019, Year C**

*We find our Liturgy on p81 of the red Mass book*

**'All the Spirit tells you will be taken from what is mine'**



It's useful to think of last Sunday, this Sunday, and next Sunday as a three-paneled icon we can use to deepen our devotion to the Trinity; Pentecost, Trinity Sunday, and Corpus Christi, seen together, focus us on the Holy Spirit within the Church, the Father who is the Source of the Trinity, and Christ in the Real Presence. We worship and come together as a community based on that Trinity, conscious of it as our model of love and unity. Their precious, all inclusive love is our inspiration and at the same time what the Trinity is inviting us into, in every moment; Love that is love through and through. **"God is love"** [1 John 4:8].

Called to grow in that likeness we are offered the chance to be caught up again and again in that un-failing love, especially when we inevitably fail on our path to holiness. We pray this week that the Power, Strength and Goodness of the Trinity be visible in all we do.

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Please remember in your prayers those whose anniversaries occur at this time

Mary Malone Kemp, Daniel Anthony McGeever, Agnes McKnight, John Reginald Todd, Elizabeth Strathie, James McGuckin, Eileen O'Docherty, Mary Donoghue, Elizabeth McGuire, James Reilly, Patrick Canavan, Hugh McLellan, Sara Cusack, Jessie McHardy, Edward Short, James Farrelly, Condyl McNelis, Frederick Heggie, John Campbell, S Butterfly, Joanna Gow, Tony Vlahos, Anne Thomson, Vincenzo Michele Ianetta, Mary Grubb, R Shields, Bill Waugh, Owen Malley, Aenas Paterson, Jean McKary, Agnes Welsh, Peter Wood, Monica Henderson. **May they rest in peace.**

Please pray for the recently deceased  
**Martin Kelly R.I.P.**

### Divine Renovation Update

**Themed Homily series**— This week we begin a three week preaching series on the Eucharist. This is intended to help us focus and deepened our understanding of the Great Gift of the Eucharist.

**Prayer Foundation**—there has been a good amount of interest expressed in this endeavour. We hope all good people of prayer in the parish will participate, holding our Divine Renovation intentions and general intentions for the parish daily before God.

Ideas so far have included a prayer vigil, a prayer chain, and handing on a rosary like a 'baton', parishioner to parishioner. A meeting is being organised for anyone interested.

**Alpha**—a parishioner has kindly opened up her home to facilitate a small Alpha over the summer. We hope that this initiative will continue, as the 'house' meeting is so welcoming. Numbers will necessarily be limited, so watch this space. We will be holding another, bigger Alpha when the schools go back. Alpha encourages people to step into ministry and leadership roles, and this 'pipeline' is working. Praise be to God.

**New Parishioners.** If you are new to our community, welcome! Please introduce yourself to the clergy, and join us for coffee after Sunday Mass. We'd ask you to fill out a parish registration form too, either online at [www.falkirkcatholics.org](http://www.falkirkcatholics.org) or using a registration form which can be found in the porch. For any **Safeguarding** issues, please contact the Parish Priest/see safeguarding contacts in porches.

**Live streaming of Mass:** <http://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-francis-xavier/>

	St Anthony's	St Francis Xavier
Offertory	£545.28	£1984.34

## NEWS & EVENTS

**Pentecost Prayer Vigil**—heartfelt thanks to everyone who worked so hard in the Spirit to create such a beautiful, prayerful liturgy. The prayer group led us so well, and Sr Kathleen's scripture and music choices moved us into prayerful stillness. We look forward to its fruits.

**Prayer foundation** Please pray for this intention for our parish, organised, ongoing prayer as we move forward from maintenance to mission. We would love you to get involved. Please speak to one of the priests, or Anne, or phone 623567.

Thurs 20th is **World Refugee Day**. We ask that you hold the refugees of our planet deeply in prayer. Though it is difficult to accurately state how many refugees there are in the world at a given time, the UNHCR statistic reported last month was 15,874,208. It is important to realize that this excludes 640,982 individuals currently in a refugee-like situation. And let's pray for ourselves, that we are inspired to action to help them.

**Fr Jamie asks every group to please let the office know all dates they have scheduled from August this year through to next summer.** These will form the 'bones' of a parish calendar so it's very important that everyone send in their dates to avoid any major clashes!

The **Prayer Group** will meet in Denny on Monday June 17th at 7pm.

**Children's Bulletin.** The bulletin is available from the back of the churches.

The **Thanksgiving Celebration** for all the children who have recently received the Sacrament takes place next **Sunday 23rd, after 12 Mass.** Please warmly invite any parents

you know whose child received the sacrament to come along, so we can continue to welcome them into our community.

**Altar servers - if you've made your First Holy Communion, you are now able to become an altar server!** Please join the existing altar servers on Sat 22nd at 11.30 am at St FX for training. This includes St Anthony's children.

**Baptism Preparation Classes** will take place on 1st, 8th, and 15th of July at 7:00pm in St Francis Xavier's house. Please register with the parish office.

**UCM Members** going to AGM in Edinburgh today - the minibus will leave the church house carpark at 11.45.

Anyone wanting to attend **Willie McQuillan's ordination** please sign up in the porches—Dunfermline, 3rd July. Willie is our soon to be assistant priest.

The **Lunch Club Summer Lunch** on Wed 19th June 2015 at 12.30pm is unfortunately fully booked.

**One Hope Project**, a brilliant praise and worship band, are holding a concert on Friday 28th June in Christ the King Hall in King's Park, Glasgow. Tickets £10, under 16s £5. We are taking the minibuses—please sign up in the porches. Good family night!

**'Courage to Proclaim the Gospel in Difficult Times.'** Please sign up for this talk at Gillis, (100 Strathearn Rd, Edinburgh, EH9 1BB) given by Dr Janet Smith on the 20th June at 7.30pm. Book via Eventbrite on [eventbrite.co.uk](http://eventbrite.co.uk)