

SEPTEMBER 18, 2016
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Monday, September 19, 7:30 am

Kellie Burns

Tuesday, September 20, 7:30 am

Ann Barret

Adrian Watson

Laurence Downey

Thursday, September 22, 7:30 am

James Joseph McHugh

Joseph & Margaret O'Dowd

Friday, September 23, 7:30 am

Carlos Sinnung

Saturday, September 24

5:00 pm Costos Lambros & Family

Philomena & Joseph Soranno

Christopher Walsh

Sunday, September 25

7:30 am Joanne Smith

9:00 am Michael Lawlor

10:30 am William Regan

Steven Lombardi

12:00 pm Sam Cali

Celebrant Schedule – September 24-25

5:00 pm Fr. Jakub

7:30 am Fr. Jakub

9:00 am Fr. Jim Termyna

10:30 am Visiting Priest

12:00 pm Fr. Jakub

SHARING OF OUR TREASURE

Thank you for your support and generosity!

September 13, 2015 \$ 15,472.00

September 11, 2016 \$ 18,169.00

*This Weekend's Second Collection is
St. Pius X Mission*

St. Pius X Mission Envelope

Your generosity to the St. Pius X Mission Envelope is deeply appreciated. This second collection is to support our local mission of helping people in need in our general area. We have helped hurricane victims, those affected by the economic downturn and those with physical problems. We also use this collection to subsidize local Catholic education. Thank you for your continued generosity and support.

BAPTISMS

We welcome new members born of water and the Holy Spirit:

Jason Richard son of Brett & Chary

Russell Timothy son of Anthony & Erica

MINISTRY NEWS

ROSARY SOCIETY

All are welcome to our next meeting on **October 5th, 1 pm** at the Ministry House. Please join us on Sunday mornings after the 9:00 am Mass in the Cry Room to pray the Rosary. For more information on the Rosary Society please call Stephanie Travers at 973-227-4197.

CARING CRAFTERS

The next meeting of the knitters and crocheters will be held on **Wednesday, September 28th at 9:00 am** at the Ministry House. For more information, call Barbara Sanders at 973-334-6884. What do we do? We use our talents primarily to craft hats and scarves to provide comfort and support to chemotherapy patients. We also assist and donate to other charitable causes and their needs. Yarn donations are always appreciated.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Next Meeting – Monday, September 19th at 8:00 pm in the Knights of Columbus Room. Visit our website at: <http://StPiusxKofC.org/>.

PRAYER GROUP

St. Pius X Spirit of Love Prayer Group meets semi-monthly on the **second and fourth Wednesdays of the month at 12:45 pm in the Chapel at the Ministry House**. What do we do? We offer prayers for our parish family including those listed in the bulletin and for the petitions written in the Book of Intentions in the Deacon David Library.

2016 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Be Rich In Good Works

As you consider your pledge to the 2016 Bishop's Annual Appeal, it is important to know that the Partners in Faith campaign conducted in 2013 and the Bishop's Annual Appeal are different drives serving different needs. The Partners in Faith campaign raised funds for ministries outside the Diocese's general operating funds and included some endowments with an eye toward future needs. The Bishop's Annual Appeal, on the other hand, helps fund immediate, day-to-day operations of four important ministries and programs: Catholic Charities, seminarian education, our diocesan priests' retirement residence and our inner-city schools. With this in mind, please be as generous as possible to this year's Bishop's Annual Appeal. If you have received the Bishop's letter, please prayerfully respond today.





Fr. Mark will be out of the office for the next two weeks—vacation and structured Convocation with the priests of the Paterson Diocese.

HOPE

By Father James Keller

Hope looks for the good in people instead of harping on the worst.

Hope opens doors where despair closes them.

Hope discovers what can be done instead of grumbling about what cannot.

Hope draws its power from a deep trust in God and the basic goodness of human nature.

Hope “lights a candle” instead of “cursing the darkness.”

Hope regards problems, small or large, as opportunities.

Hope cherishes no illusions, nor does it yield to cynicism.

Hope sets big goals and is not frustrated by repeated difficulties or setbacks.

Hope pushes ahead when it would be easy to quit.

Hope puts up with modest gains, realizing that “the longest journey starts with one step.”

Hope accepts misunderstanding as the price for serving the greater good of others.

Hope is a good loser because it has the divine assurance of final victory.



Several Sources Shelters

Representatives of Several Sources Shelters are visiting St. Pius X Parish this weekend. Several Sources Shelters has four prolife shelters for mothers who seek to give God’s blessed gift of life to their children rather than sacrifice them through abortion. We can help save the life of a child. Jesus said of children, “Their angels do behold the Face of God in heaven daily.” Can you be a child’s earthly Guardian Angel? Thank you for your support!

Driver Needed

Parishioner attending DePaul Catholic High School needs a ride home to Montville from school 3-4 afternoons a week (2:30 pm). We will pay per ride. Anyone interested please contact June, 201-787-7261.

Youth Ministry

September

25 – 10th Grade Confirmation Class

October

9 – 9th Grade Confirmation Class

11 – Homeless Solutions

14 – Eric Johnson House

16 – 10th Grade Confirmation Class

23 – Crop Walk

30 – 10th Grade Confirmation Class

November

6 – 9th Grade Confirmation Class

8 – Homeless Solutions

11 – Eric Johnson House

13 – 10th Grade Confirmation Class

20 – 9th Grade Confirmation Class

Please contact Kurt Kilanowski at youth-ministry@st-pius-x.org for more information.

Religious Formation

Attention All 2nd Grade Parents

Please plan on attending one **Parent Reconciliation Meeting** in the Knights of Columbus Room.

Praise: Sunday, October 9th, 10 am

Glory: Sunday, October 16th, 10 am

“Protecting God’s Workshop”

If you have not attended a workshop, it is a mandatory experience for all volunteers in the Religious Formation Program and those working with the youth of the parish. The next workshop offered at St. Pius X will be **Wednesday, October 5th**, from 7:00 to 10:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Schedule of Classes for September 18, 2016

Parent Mtg. in Church after Mass for All Praise Parents

Praise Middle School –

Grades 6, 7, 8 – 7:30 am Mass; Class 8:15 – 9:30 am

Praise Elementary School –

Grades 1 – 5 – 9:00 am Mass; Class 10:00 – 11:00 am

Schedule of Classes for September 25, 2016

Glory Middle School –

Grades 6, 7, 8 – 7:30 am Mass; Class 8:15 – 9:30 am

Glory Elementary School –

Grades 1 – 5 – 9:00 am Mass; Class 10:00 – 11:00 am

Confirmation –

Grade 10 – Check Schedule For Times

Schedule of Classes for October 2, 2016

No Religious Formation Classes Are Scheduled

Schedule of Classes for September 9, 2016

Praise Middle School –

Grades 6, 7, 8 – 7:30 am Mass; Class 8:15 – 9:30 am

Praise Elementary School –

Grades 1 – 5 – 9:00 am Mass; Class 10:00 – 11:00 am

Confirmation

Grade 9 – Check Schedule For Times

Come Join Our Bible Study

Bible Study-Unlocking The Mystery Of The Bible

Our new Bible Study program is titled **Unlocking The Mystery Of The Bible**. It includes 8 half-hour videos presented by Jeff Cavins. These videos also feature footage from the Holy Land, animated maps, useful charts and graphics, and beautiful art, which add to the overall experience of the study. Each video will be followed by a lively group discussion.

This study helps uncover the story woven throughout Scripture so that you can get the big picture of the Bible and understand what it is all about. The Bible is a story of the Father's unfailing love for you—a love that you are now called to share with others. Make sense of the Bible and see how it relates to your everyday life. Discover the remarkable connections between the Old and New Testaments. See how the Sacraments, the Church and our entire Catholic Faith are rooted in Scripture.

The first class is Tuesday, September 20th, 7 pm at the Ministry House. All are welcome!

To register for the class, please type the following address in your browser:

- <http://study.ascensionpress.com/pick/montville-nj-st-pius-x-church-1>
- Click on "Studies I Am Taking."
- Click on "Join A Study."
- Create an account.
- Type in our zip code "07045." Click on the Red Balloon on the map for St. Pius X.
- Click Register. Complete information. Cost is \$19.95 for a student workbook, timeline and bookmark. This also allows you access to the videos online if you need to miss a class.

If you need help registering, please contact Maryann at the Ministry House at 973-335-2894, or office@st-pius-x.org.



Praying for fellow parishioners who are sick is an important component to our Faith. Due to privacy issues, however, people do not always appreciate their names being published. Requests for published names will only be taken from a family member accompanied by a phone number.

Alvira Conduurso, John Farkas, Lilliana Elyse Mahan, Dawn Pandorf, Leslie Kondek, Corey Forlenza, Frank J. Somsy, Pattie Prezioso, Marie Cavallero, Eileen Scharwath, Ann Dimaira, Victor Marmo, Jason McGaha, Marilyn Geffken, Tom Clayton, Barbara Capsouras, Elizabeth Krone, Christine Paglia, Raqan Kilkell, Adrian Simone, Paul Perrone, Janet Babbitt, Bruno Stillo, Michael Mascari, Marjorie McArthur, Charlie Auskings, Eileen Kapotes, Stephen Koczko, William Schicke, Remedios Gatus, Annarita Gardinella, Linda Bitetto, David Tafe, Gregory Sugra, Jose Nunez, Kevin Deege, Pasquale Amoresano, Jason Fass, Terry Cox, Al Beatrice, Daniel DePaul, Giovanna Mele, Pasquale Mastriani, Christina Adamski, Gary Nagurka, Françoise Wagener, Brooklyn Auskings, Raymond Ervey, Paul DiPiazza, David Douglas, Walter Sedlacik, Joseph Egan, David Dery, Joseph Horvath, Sr., and Gayle Sullivan.

Saint Pius X School

Calendar Raffle

St. Pius X School Calendar Raffle is back by popular demand this fall! The proceeds of this fundraiser will help ensure our School continues to thrive academically and financially. Here's how it works: Each day during the months of October, November and December 2016, a winning ticket will be drawn. That ticket will then be returned to the drum for continued chances to win! There are 92 chances to win! Weekday prizes are \$25.00, Sundays are \$50.00 and Holidays (Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas) are \$200.00! Tickets are available after all Masses. For extra booklets or questions please contact Jen Davis at: jendavis13@yahoo.com. Thank you for your support!

Save The Date!

Golf Outing, October 17th
More information to follow!

RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is the process the Roman Catholic Church has for the introduction of the faith and the formation of new adult members. During the year process, the candidates will learn about their spiritual path in Christ culminating at the Easter Vigil. If you are an adult seeking Baptism, Confirmation or Eucharist, please contact Peter O'Brien at the Ministry House.

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

Diocesan Men's Conference

The Diocese of Paterson Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, October 15th at St. Paul Inside The Walls in Madison. Join us from 8:30 am–1:00 pm. for the opportunity to enhance men's spirituality and encourage them to be more involved with their parishes. Former NFL receiver, Danny Abramowicz; Peter Herbeck, Director of Renewal Ministries; and Pete Burak, Director of Young Adult Outreach for Renewal Ministries will make presentations. The conference will conclude with Mass celebrated by Bishop Serratelli. Visit insidethewalls.org for more information.

Free Alzheimer's Programs For Caregivers

We are pleased to inform you that Alzheimer's New Jersey will be offering several free and local education programs for caregivers who have a loved one with Alzheimer's Disease or other forms of dementia: *Early Stage Alzheimer's Disease: An Intensive for Caregivers* is a comprehensive 2-part series being held on Wednesday, September 21st and Wednesday, September 28th from 6-8 pm at Morristown Medical Center's Outpatient Medicine Building (435 South Street). *Coping With Caregiver Stress* will be offered on Thursday, September 29th from 6:30-7:30 pm at the Morris County Library in Whippany. Please call 1-888-280-6055 to register or for more information.

