

**February 5, 2012**  
**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



**Monday, February 6, 7:30 am**

Cary Paineira

**Tuesday, February 7, 7:30 am**

Eugene Urocoli

**Thursday, February 9, 7:30 am**

Nancy Brooks

**Friday, February 10, 7:30 am**

Maribeth Hastings

**Saturday, February 11**

5:00 pm Rinaldi Family

**Sunday, February 12**

7:30 am Amato DelGuercio

9:00 am Felicia Reus

10:30 am Barbara Cassino

12:00 pm Antionette Tortorice

**Celebrant Schedule: February 11-12**

5:00 pm Fr. Mark

7:30 am Fr. Mark

9:00 am Fr. Mark

10:30 am Msgr. Mark

12:00 pm Msgr. Mark

**SHARING OF OUR TREASURE**

*Thank you for your support and generosity!*

January 30, 2011 \$15,454.00

January 29, 2012 \$16,969.00

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Catholic Schools Week \$ 3,022.00

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*This Weekend's Second Collection  
Is For Project Faith*

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Like St. Paul in the second reading, the good steward can say, "I do all that I do for the sake of the Gospel in the hope of having a share in its blessings."

**BAPTISM**

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

*Cameron Thomas son of Kyle & Daria*

*Lucas David son of David & Angela*

*Justin Robert son of Jason & Nicole*

**SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**First Reading: Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46**

The Lord tells Moses and Aaron about segregating those with infectious disease.

**Second Reading: I Corinthians 10:31-11:1**

Paul instructs the Corinthians to do everything for the glory of God, to avoid offending others, and to be imitators of Christ.

**Gospel: Mark 1:40-45**

Jesus cures a leper. The leper greatly publicized the healing, making it impossible for Jesus to enter the town openly.

**MINISTRY NEWS**

**ROSARY SOCIETY**

Next Meeting on **Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup>, 1 pm** at the Ministry House. For more information, please call Stephanie Travers at 973-227-4197.

**CARING CRAFTERS**

The next meeting of the knitters and crocheters will be held on **Tuesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am** at the Ministry House. We have yarn, patterns and ideas. Beginners welcome! For details or if you would like to donate yarn, please call Barbara Sanders at 973-334-6884.

**BEREAVEMENT GROUP**

Elaine Dudek, L.S.W. – Staff Therapist/Youth Specialist-Bereavement Group. Next meeting on **Wednesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 6:30-9:00 pm** at Ministry House. For special requests, please call 201-787-8623 or email at [scriptanalyst53@aol.com](mailto:scriptanalyst53@aol.com).

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**Next Meeting – Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>** at 8:00 pm in the Knights of Columbus Room. Visit our website at: <http://StPiusxKofC.org/>.

*This Weekend after all Masses Annual Right to Life Rose Sale in the Narthex.*

**Bingo Night, February 11, 7:00 pm, Parish Center.**

Donation \$30, includes game cards and food and drinks. For tickets call 973-334-3292.

**SCRIPTURE STUDY**

Join us for the book of Daniel. Shadrach, Meshach, Abednego, Nebuchadnezzar... Christians and the Lion's Den...all with God using Daniel to send the message to his people that here is hope...and the Messiah will be coming...more than 600 years later. Come join us for this fascinating book and story. No prior experience necessary. At the Ministry House, Tuesdays at 7:30 pm, followed by refreshments.



## How To Live A Balanced Life

Mend a quarrel.  
Search out a forgotten friend.  
Write a love letter.  
Share some treasure.  
Savor an ocean breeze.  
Enjoy a romantic sunset with your spouse.  
Give a soft answer.  
Listen, really listen.

Keep a promise.  
Find the time.  
Forego a grudge.  
Apologize if you were wrong.  
Try to understand.  
Examine your demands on others.  
Think first of someone else.  
Appreciate family.  
Be kind, be gentle.  
Laugh a little more.

Express your gratitude.  
Pray to God.  
Gladden the heart of a child.  
Pet a dog, any dog.  
Know that time is precious.  
Be in awe of the beauty and wonder of the earth.  
Speak your love.  
Give some joy.  
Live to share peace.

*Peace & Blessings,  
Fr. Mark*

## HOPE

*Hope is what leads us to desire and expect eternal life with God in Heaven. Hope gives us the strength to keep going when we are troubled, tired, overwhelmed or burdened. Hope is what makes us strong. Followers of Christ always have Hope.*

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**Antioch will be held on March 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> for all 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> graders. Please sign up now!**

### February

5 – Antioch Team Meeting 8:30-10:30 am Youth Room  
10 – Eric Johnson House, 3-5 pm  
11 – 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Retreat 2 pm Parish Center  
Concludes with 5 pm Mass with families  
12 – Antioch Team Meeting 8:30-10:30 am Youth Room  
14 – Homeless Solutions  
22 – Ash Wednesday  
26 – Antioch Team Meeting 8:30-10:30 am Youth Room

### March

2-3 – Antioch  
4 – Antioch Team Meeting 8:30-10:30 am Youth Room  
9 – Eric Johnson House, 3-5 pm  
13 – Homeless Solution  
24 – Labyrinth Retreat

### April

10 – Homeless Solutions  
13 – Eric Johnson House, 3-5 pm  
27 – SEARCH Weekend

**\*We are on FACEBOOK.** Please search for us under St. Pius X in Northern New Jersey. Additional updates will be sent every week from our page there.

*For information on how to join our Youth Ministry, please call Kurt Kilanowski at ext. 110 or e mail at [youth-ministry@st-pius-x.org](mailto:youth-ministry@st-pius-x.org) or visit our website at: [www.stpiusxym.com](http://www.stpiusxym.com).*

### EVANGELIZATION

Please e mail Kurt Kilanowski to obtain more information on how to become a Greeter for our new Hospitality Ministry, [youth-ministry@st-pius-x.org](mailto:youth-ministry@st-pius-x.org).

### PRAYER GROUP

St. Pius X Spirit of Love Prayer Group meets semi-monthly on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month at 7 pm in the Quiet Room. Please enter through the School lobby. What do we do? We praise God in song and prayer. We thank Him for His many blessings. We seek guidance and comfort in Scripture. We offer prayers for our parish family including those listed in the bulletin and for the petitions written in the book in the Deacon David Library. No need to join, come when you can and experience God's love and peace. For immediate, urgent prayer, you may call 973-227-9234 or 973-575-9570.

### R.C.I.A.

Four letters that stand for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. It is a process where non-Catholics explore our faith and are invited to become members of our Church. It is also open to Baptized Catholics who were never educated in the faith. If you, or anyone you know may be interested in joining us, please contact the Ministry House. We would be excited to journey with you as we explore the faith together.

## **Saint Pius X School**

*Saint Pius X School is now accepting appointments for 2012-2013 registration. Please call the office at 973-335-1253 if you would like to make an appointment to tour our school.*

St. Pius X School is participating in the Teens For Jeans sponsored by Aeropostle. The school that collects the most gently worn jeans will win \$5,000. The deadline is February 12<sup>th</sup>. We ask that all St. Pius X parishioners bring in their gently worn jeans, any brand, any size, for homeless teens and place them in the bin in the Narthex. *Help us help people in need.* Thank you.

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### **SAVE THE DATE**

#### **CASINO NIGHT 2012**

“Celebrating the Kentucky Derby”

**MARCH 23, 2012 @ 6:30 p.m.**  
THE VILLA @ MOUNTAIN LAKES

TICKETS ON SALE NOW

For more information, go to: [SPXNJ.ORG](http://SPXNJ.ORG)  
Or Call: Maureen Stinson 973-335-1301

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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 Concurso, John Farkas, Carol Geers, Fred Dunlea, Maryann Vanderyst, Lilliana Elyse Mahan, Dawn Pandorf, Leslie Kondek, Corey Fortenza, Debbie Imhoff, Frank J. Somsy, Pattie Prezioso, Marie Cavallero, Eileen Scharwath, John & Marilyn DeSantis, Ann Dimaira, Susan Lundy-Maute, Paul Tortorella, Victor Marmo, John & Mary Sessa, Jason McGaha, Marilyn Geffken, Tom Clayton, Eileen & Michael Boos, Barbara Capsouras, Elizabeth Krone, Frank & Kay Ferrugia, Christine Paglia, Ragan Kilkell, Adrian Simone, Paul Perrone, Lucille Conkright, Janet Babbitt, Rocco Trifari, Daniella Menillo, Bruno Stillo, Jacqueline Panico and Michael Mascari.*

Please remember to notify the office when your family member has recovered.

## **OTHER OPPORTUNITIES**

### **World Day For Consecrated Life**

Bishop Serratelli will celebrate World Day For Consecrated Life on Sunday, February 19<sup>th</sup> at St. Philips Church in Clifton at 4:00 pm. All are welcome.

### **Pizza Night**

Bishop Serratelli will hold the annual Pizza Night for young men interested in exploring a calling to serve the Diocese of Paterson as a priest on March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:30 pm at St. Peter the Apostle Parish, Parsippany.

### **Children's Items Needed**

Clothing needed for 10 year old fraternal twins. Please call 973-334-9880.

## **Music Ministry News**

### **Religious Formation**

Below is the second music schedule for this year for Grades 1-4. Students will begin their classes in Church, have a short music rehearsal, and then help lead music at Mass on their scheduled day. Students will be learning the same music, so they are more than welcome to participate twice if they would like.

#### **Praise**

**Rehearsals are after 9:00 & 10:30 am Masses**

Sunday, February 5  
Sunday, February 26  
Sunday, March 11

**Mass - Sunday, March 25 at 10:30**

#### **Glory**

**Rehearsals are after 9:00 & 10:30 am Masses**

Sunday, February 12  
Sunday, March 4

**Mass - Sunday, March 18 at 9:00**

Pastoral Minister/Music – Stephen Powers – Extension  
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## **Religious Formation**

### **Schedule of Classes for February 12, 2012**

#### **Glory Middle School**

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

#### **Glory Elementary School**

Kindergarten – Class 9:00 – 9:50 am

Grades 1, 4 & 5 – 9:00 am Mass; Class 10:00–11:00 am

Grades 2 & 3 – 10:30 Mass; Class 11:30 am – 12:30

#### **Confirmation-Grade 10**

Grade 10 – 12:00 pm Mass; Class 1:00-2:00 pm

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#### **All Sixth Grade Students, Parents & Teachers 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Tour of a Synagogue, Pine Brook Jewish Center—Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, from 7:00-8:15 pm**

Parents are encouraged to stay and learn about the

Jewish tradition, which is the foundation of our Catholic Faith.

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#### **All 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Students, Parents & Teachers**

**9<sup>th</sup> Grade Retreat—Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2 pm** in the Parish Center. Retreat concludes with 5 pm Mass. All families are invited to attend Mass.

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**All Second Grade Parents & Teachers**  
**First Eucharist Retreat—Weekend of March 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>,** Please mail or drop off permission forms to the Ministry House.

#### **First Eucharist Parent Meetings**

**Praise, Sunday, March 11<sup>th</sup>**

**Glory, Sunday, March 18<sup>th</sup>**

**11:30-12:30 pm, Knights of Columbus Room**

The purpose of this meeting is instruction, education and spiritual renewal. *Parents must attend one of these meetings.*

