

SEPTEMBER 6, 2015
TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Monday, September 7, 7:30 am
People Of The Parish

Tuesday, September 8, 7:30 am
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Thursday, September 10, 7:30 am
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Friday, September 11, 7:30 am
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Saturday, September 12
5:00 pm Richard Ryan

Sunday, September 13
7:30 am Sandra Traina
9:00 am Lucia Russo
10:30 am Adalgiza Serafim
Jack Cavanaugh
12:00 pm Paul E. Tortorella

Celebrant Schedule – September 12-13

5:00 pm Fr. Peter
7:30 am Fr. Dan
9:00 am Fr. Peter
10:30 am Fr. Peter
12:00 pm Fr. Peter

In observance of Labor Day, Parish Offices will be closed
Monday, September 7th.

SHARING OF OUR TREASURE

Thank you for your support and generosity!

August 31, 2014	\$ 12,552.00
August 30, 2015	\$ 13,093.00

*This Weekend's Second Collection is for
Project Faith*

Prayer Memorials 2015 Mass Book

The 2015 Mass Book is available. The Graces of the Mass and the Blessings of Prayer are infinite. The Eucharist is offered for ALL of the faithful departed at each celebration. A memorial gift or offering allows a special acknowledgment which goes to God's work on earth as we honor those now with the Lord.

BAPTISMS

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

*David Bastos son of Eric & Vivian
James Carl son of Christopher & Carla*

BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study is on summer break and will reconvene in October. Details to follow.

MINISTRY NEWS

ROSARY SOCIETY

All are welcome to our next meeting on **October 7th, 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 16th at 9:00 am** at the Ministry House. 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. For more information, call Barbara Sanders at 973-334-6884.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Next Meeting – Monday, September 7th at 8:00 pm in the Knights of Columbus Room. Visit our website at: <http://StPiusxKofC.org/>

BEREAVEMENT GROUP

Ron Owens, Bereavement Facilitator. **Bereavement Meeting Wednesday, September 16th, 7-9 pm, Ministry House.** For special requests, please call 973-335-2894, Ext. 123.

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.

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.

Prayer For The World Meeting Of Families

*God and Father of us all,
In Jesus, your Son and our Savior,
You have made us yours sons and daughters
In the family of the Church.
May your grace and love
Help our families
In every part of the world
Be united to one another
In fidelity to the Gospel.
May the example of the Holy Family,
With the aid of your Holy Spirit,
Guide all families, especially those most troubled,
To be homes of communion and prayer
And to always seek your truth and live in your love.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.
Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us!*



Labor Day

Will Rogers said: "This weekend we observe Labor Day, I suppose set by an act of Congress. How Congress knew anything about labor is beyond me."

Top ten qualities today's workers want:

1. Work with people who treat me with respect.
2. Interesting work.
3. Recognition for good work.
4. Chance to develop skills.
5. Work for people who listen if you have ideas about how to do things better.
6. A chance to think for myself.
7. Seeing the end results of my work.
8. Working for efficient managers.
9. A job that is not too easy.
10. Feeling well-informed about what is going on.

Labor Day Quotes

The end of labor is to gain leisure. *Aristotle*

Heaven is blessed with perfect rest but the blessing of earth is toil. *Henry van Dyke*

God sells us all things at the price of labor.
Leonardo da Vinci

Work isn't to make money; you work to justify life.
Marc Chagall

Without labor nothing prospers. *Sophocles*
Peace and Blessing,
Father Mark



@Mass Schedule

Next Weekend, September 12-13

Saturday 5 pm; Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am, 12:00 pm

Religious Formation

Did you register your children for Religious Formation Classes yet?

If you have not, please contact the Religious Formation Department as soon as possible.

2015/2016 Family Mailing

All registered families should receive a mailing including class information and starting dates by the middle of September.

All Volunteers

Are invited to pick up their teaching materials **Sunday, September 13th** after the 9 am Mass.

"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 7th**, from 7:00 to 10:00 pm in the Parish Center.



Ways To Be Involved

We are in desperate need of teachers for Grades 1, 6, 7 and Kindergarten and teacher's assistants in all grades. We would like to have more hall monitors as well as more office help. Please call the Ministry House for details.

On Line Religious Formation Registration 2015/2016

How To Register On Line

1. Visit the parish website at www.st-pius-x.org.
2. Click on the *Religious Formation* tab.
3. Click on *Registration Forms*.
4. If your family was part of our program last year, please click on *Re-Registration Form*.
5. If you are a new family registering for Religious Formation for the first time, please click on *The New Family Registration Form*.
6. Please complete the form.
7. You will have the opportunity to pay on line. The same company that handles Automated Giving for the parish will be handling the Registration Fees.

How To Volunteer On Line

Please follow Steps 1, 2 and 3 under **How To Register On Line**. Click on the appropriate *Volunteer Form*. Please complete the form. Our office will contact you and *Thank You* for volunteering!

Saint Pius X School

We are all on a journey. School is not a parking lot, it is a meeting place along the way.

Pope Francis

God Bless each child and adult on this journey to grow in faith, to educate the mind and replenish one's spirit.

Sister June and Staff



Saint Pius X School is running a 50/50 All proceeds will go to the enrichment of the students. Tickets will be on sale in the Narthex after all Masses and are \$10 each or \$100 for a book. The winner will be announced September 17th (You do not need to be present to win.)

Music Ministry

St. Pius X Choir

It is nearly time for the St. Pius X Choir to start the fall season! Have you considered singing? Now is the perfect time to join the choir. Come to a Thursday rehearsal to see how it all works.

Youth Ministry

September

- 20 – Confirmation Student & Parent Meeting
Following 12:00 Mass
- 21 – Search
- 27 – 9th Grade Confirmation Class
- 28 – Search

**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.*



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, Lilliana Elyse Mahan, Dawn Pandorf, Leslie Kondek, Corey Forlenza, Frank J. Somsky, Pattie Prezioso, Marie Cavallero, Eileen Scharwath, Marilyn DeSantis, Ann Dimaira, Victor Marmo, Jason McGaha, Marilyn Geffken, Tom Clayton, Barbara Capsouras, Elizabeth Krone, Christine Paglia, Ragan Killkell, Adrian Simone, Paul Perrone, Janet Babbitt, Bruno Stillo, Michael Mascari, Marjorie McArthur, Charlie Auskings, Eileen Kapotes, Stephen Koczo, William Schicke, Remedios Gatuz, Annarita Gardinella, Linda Bitetto, David Tafe, Gregory Sugra, Jose Nunez, Kevin Deege, Pasquale Amoresano, Jason Fass, Nikki Basil, Terry Cox., Al Beatrice, Daniel DePaul, Giovanna Mele, Pasquale Mastriani, Christina Adamski, Dolores Patrisso, Gary Nagurka, Tina Kenning, Françoise Wagener, Brooklyn Auskings, Raymond Ervey and Paul DiPiazza..

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

Diocese For Catholic Filipino Ministries

Two Filipino saints, St. Lorenzo Ruiz and St. Pedro Calungsod, will be honored on Saturday, September 19th, at Our Lady of the Valley Church, Wayne. This year's theme is "Pamilyang Pilipino, Nagkakaisa Kay Kristo" (Filipino Family United in Christ). Bishop Serratelli will be the principal celebrant at the Holy Mass at 1 pm. Please come at 12:30 pm for the Rosary and Novena. Fellowship will follow at the Parish Hall.

Catholic Charities

Please help support food pantries and our many other programs by donating clothing, shoes, toys and household items in our donation bin located in the parking lot. Your continued generosity is appreciated. If you have any questions, need a tax receipt or would like to schedule for a larger pick up (sorry no furniture) please call 877-343-3651.

Employment Needed—Parishioner

Real Estate Executive in search of position. Will take temporary position in any field. Please call Ken at 973-906-0176.

Parishioners Need A Ride To Mass

Long-time parishioners living in Riverdale need a ride to weekend Mass. If you are available, please call Maryann at the Ministry House at 973-335-2894.

Office Work Needed

Unemployed parishioner looking for office work—secretary, clerical, receptionist—in any field, temporary or full time. Please call 862-254-1226.

Feast of San Gennaro

Montville Unico Foundation will present its annual San Gennaro Festival starting September 10th-13th, at 90 Horseneck Road (behind the Montville Township Public Library). Again this year there will be food, rides, games and live entertainment. Plenty of parking is available. Discount wristbands are available for the rides on Thursday 6-10 pm and Saturday & Sunday, 1-6 pm. No admission charge. Bring the whole family.

Alzheimer's Association

The Basics: Memory Loss, Dementia and Alzheimer's Disease, will be offered at The Church of The Saviour in Denville on Saturday, September 19th, 10-11 am. This program is designed to provide basic information that everyone needs to know about memory loss issues and what they mean for all of us. For more information or to register, call 24/7 Helpline at 1-800-272-3900.

Morris Catholic High School

Morris Catholic High School will be hosting our annual College Night on Thursday, September 24th. Many wonderful colleges and universities will be present to give all parishioners information and answer their questions. Interested students and parents from high schools throughout the area are invited to take advantage of this excellent opportunity affecting their future. Any questions, please call 973-627-6674 ext. 135.

Mary Help of Christians Academy

75th Anniversary Alumnae Reunion

On May 13, 2016, Mary Help of Christians Academy will be celebrating its 75th Anniversary with a homecoming reunion of all its alumnae. For more information, please call us at 973-904-0102.