

OCTOBER 22, 2017
29TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



Monday, October 23, 7:30 am

People Of The Parish

Tuesday, October 24, 7:30 am

Louis Neri, Jr.

Thursday, October 26, 7:30 am

People Of The Parish

Friday, October 27, 7:30 am

Tracey O'Keefe

Saturday, October 28

5:00 pm Mauro Tucci

Sunday, October 29

7:30 am Mary Pat Paris

9:00 am Crescenzo Dentato

10:30 am Mary S. Ryzuk

12:00 pm Rose Marie Aquilio

Celebrant Schedule – October 21-22

5:00 pm Fr. Martin McDonnell

7:30 am Fr. Martin McDonnell

9:00 am Fr. Martin McDonnell

10:30 am Fr. Dominik

12:00 pm Fr. Dominik

SHARING OF OUR TREASURE

Thank you for your support and generosity!

October 16, 2016 \$ 14,037.00

October 15, 2017 \$ 13,824.50

Next Weekend's Second Collection Is For

The Beacon Newspaper

Auto Contribution

Please sign up for automatic giving, visit our website at
www.st-pius-x.org, click on Donate. Thank you!

BAPTISMS

We welcome a new member born of water and the Holy Spirit:

Gianna Marie daughter of Joseph & Lisa

MEMORIALS

Bread & Wine in memory of Matthew Regan requested by the
Catanzaro Family.

Polish Mass

Saturday, November 11th, 6:30 pm
Every Second Saturday Of The Month
All are welcome!

*"Zapraszamy wszystkich na modlitwę
w języku polskim."*

St. Pius X Parish Pilgrimage to Poland 2018

July 24-August 3, 2018

Travel to Poland with Fr. Dominik, Paul Carroll and Kurt Kilanowski. For more information, please attend an information meeting on Sunday, October 29th after the 10:30 am Mass in the Church or on Thursday, November 2nd at 7:30 pm in the Ministry House. Visit www.st-pius-x.org for a complete brochure.

MINISTRY NEWS

ROSARY SOCIETY

Please join us for our next meeting on **Tuesday, October 31st, 1 pm** at the Ministry House. All are welcome.

CARING CRAFTERS

The next meeting of the knitters and crocheters will be held on **Wednesday, October 25th at 9:00 am** at the Ministry House. For more information, call Barbara Sanders at 973-334-6884.

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.**

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. 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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Next Meeting – Monday, November 6th at 8 pm in the Knights of Columbus Room. Visit our website at: <http://StPiusXKofC.org/>.

Save The Dates: Communion Breakfast, Sunday, November 5th, after the 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 am Masses.

Santa Breakfast, Saturday, December 16th, more info to follow.

Fatima Centennial Celebration

The Knights wish to thank everyone who helped us in our celebration of 100 years since the appearance of the Blessed Mother at Fatima in Portugal. A special thank you to the men who helped with the decorations, donations and preparation of food, to parishioners who joined in our celebration and the beautiful children whose antics brought joy to the festivities and even the men who came early Sunday morning to clean up. Please be assured this was not a one-time event. I am certain that some of those who enjoyed the event will be back for the 200th year celebration. Of course, I was disappointed that I couldn't find a Hula Hoop big enough to go around me, and also a little disappointed that the turnout wasn't larger. Not only did some of my friends miss a good opportunity to be a part of a great event, but also an opportunity to support our school. St. Pius X School is an important part of our community and needs our enthusiastic support.



Please join the Knights of Columbus and Rosarians after the 9:00 am Mass in the Cry Room, **Sunday, October 29th**, to pray the Rosary.

Basketball Drill Night

Boys & Girls of St. Pius X Parish & School-Grades 6-8

Friday, November 17th, 6:30 or 7:45 pm

Interest or Inquiries Please Contact Chrissy Deary at
cdeary@optonline.net

Cost & Registration Information To Follow



Anyway

People are often unreasonable, illogical and self-centered.

Forgive them anyway.

If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish ulterior motives.

Be kind anyway.

If you are successful, you will win some false friends and some true enemies.

Succeed anyway.

If you are honest and frank, people may cheat you.

Be honest and frank anyway.

What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight.

Build anyway.

If you find serenity and happiness, they may be jealous.

Be happy anyway.

The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow.

Do good anyway.

Give the world the best you have and it may never be enough.

Give the best you've got anyway.

You see, in the final analysis it is between you and God; it was never between you and them anyway.

Found on Mother Teresa's Wall

Seminarian Corner

In this week's Gospel, we see that the Pharisees plotted to entrap Jesus. In our everyday lives, we can turn into Pharisees and try to ensnare the Lord. Today's culture also tries to bury Jesus away. Culture tells us to keep Jesus to ourselves, but we know as Christians we cannot do this. We are called as Saint Francis of Assisi said: "Preach the Gospel at all times, and use words if necessary." Let us also remember that whatever box society wants to put Jesus in, He will once again roll back the stone from the cave we put Him in. Let us go into our workplaces, our families and be living witness to Christ and bring the joy of the Gospel to all with our actions and love first, and then if necessary, with words. May our Blessed Mother accompany you this week and always.

Frank Lennie, Seminarian

Vocation Office Fundraiser

A dinner dance will be held on Sunday, November 12th at 5:30 pm at The Brownstone Restaurant, Paterson. The proceeds of the event will go towards the upkeep of the Domus Bartimaeus House of Discernment in Boonton as well as to help the Diocese in defraying the expense of the formation of our seminarians. Cost is \$70 per person. For ticket information, please contact the Vocations office at 973-777-8818 Ext. 711 or mnunez@patersondiocese.org.

Mt. St. Dominic

Open House, Wednesday, October 25th, 6:30 pm. Call 973-226-0660, Ext. 1122, for questions or visit www.msdcademy.org.

Seton Hall

Open House, Sunday, October 29th, 12-3 pm. For more info, please call Michael Zinsmeister at 973-325-6640.

Blessed Mother Memorial Garden



In order to commemorate and honor a loved one that has passed, the "Blessed Mother Memorial Garden" has been built alongside the Blessed Mother's Rosary Prayer Garden. This Memorial Garden will be dedicated to all your loved ones and all the parishioners who have given so much to St. Pius X Church and have passed.

Every time you come to Church, there will be a convenient opportunity to pray for them. This Memorial Garden will give you the opportunity to honor and remember a loved one simply by purchasing a Memorial Brick. The cost of each brick is \$500.00.

It's simple to do. Please complete the form that is available in the vestibule of the Church or on our website and return it to the Ministry House. For more information or if you have questions, please contact the Ministry House.

Religious Formation

Attention All 2nd Grade Parents

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

Praise: Sunday, October 22nd, 10 am

Schedule of Classes for October 22, 2017

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 9th & 10th Grades

CROP Walk.

Schedule of Classes for October 29, 2017

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 9th Grade

Please check schedule for times.

Music Ministry

St. Pius X Choir

Have you considered singing? Now is the perfect time to join the choir. Contact Paul Carroll at the Ministry House or pcarroll@st-pius-x.org for more information.

Parish Children's Choir

Now calling all singers in Grades K-5 and 6-8 for the Parish Children's Choir. To sign-up and to see a complete list of fall dates, visit www.st-pius-x.org/music-ministry. Contact Paul Carroll at the Ministry House or pcarroll@st-pius-x.org for more information.

High School Ensemble

All high school aged singers and instrumentalists are invited to attend rehearsals on Thursday's at 6:15-7:15 pm in the Church. Please contact Paul Carroll at the Ministry House or pcarroll@st-pius-x.org for more information.

Save The Date

Christmas Concert, December 10th, 3 pm

More info to follow

Catholic Schools

... Faith, Academics, Service. †

Registration

St. Pius X School is registering for the 2017/2018 school year. We have openings in all grades and would welcome any inquiries either by phone 973-335-1253 or in person. Please call for a private tour of our school. Come in and talk to us about our Pre-K 3 and Pre-K 4 Programs to see what wonderful things are going on in our classrooms.



Upcoming Events

Halloween Dance – October 27th
Trunk or Treat – October 31st
5th Annual Beefsteak – November 11th
Casino Night – February 23rd



Calling all ShopRite customers!! If you have a ShopRite Price Plus Card, and it's not already linked to a school, St. Pius X school would love your support. Linking your card will allow ShopRite to automatically credit the school for some of your purchases. It's a great way for St. Pius X School to earn money for the students. You can link your card at www.shopriteformyschool.com. If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Kate Baron at katebaron04@gmail.com or 973-265-4362.

ST. PIUS X SCHOOL 5TH ANNUAL BEEFSTEAK DINNER

Saturday, November 11th, Parish Center
Brownstone Antipasto, Pasta, Beefsteak, Fries, Desert
Tricky Tray Baskets, Silent Auction,
Raffles, Games, Mystery Prize,
Live Music by *Midnight Blue*

Tickets \$70, Table of 10 Can Be Reserved For \$650
For tickets, please contact Marie Hayek, 201-707-7318

DONATIONS NEEDED

Sports, Movie or Theatre Tickets,
Hair Salon/Spa or Restaurant Certificates,
Gift Cards, Jewelry, Handbags
Please contact Marie Hayek, 201-707-7318.
Thank you for your generosity!



Calendar Raffle 2017

Congratulations to last week's Calendar Raffle Winners. Raffle Winnings will be mailed to the address provided on your raffle stub.

Monday, October 9	\$25	Ann Marie Drzymkowski
Tuesday, October 10	\$25	Frank Coppola
Wednesday, October 11	\$25	Lauren Gersten
Thursday, October 12	\$25	Maria Luisi
Friday, October 13	\$25	Dan & Peg Sullivan
Saturday, October 14	\$25	Mary Sue Diver
Sunday, October 15	\$50	Bob McGreevy

We are picking winning tickets through December 31st, so there is still plenty of time to win! Tickets are still available by contacting the school at 973-335-1253. Thank you!

Youth Ministry

Please email if you plan on attending any of the following events at youth-ministry@st-pius-x.org

Spiritual & Social Nights

Come hang out in the Youth Room. Play ping pong, watch a movie, build our community. Bring a friend; make a new one. All young people in grades 9 -12 are welcome.

November 7th – 7 - 8:45 pm; Ministry House

December 5th – 7 - 8:45 pm; Ministry House

Youth Council Monthly Meetings

These meetings will be held once a month for leadership training and planning of parish events.

8th, 9th & 10th Graders

November 14th – 7 - 9 pm, Ministry House

December 12th – 7 - 9 pm, Ministry House

11th & 12th Graders

November 5th – 9 - 10:30 am, Ministry House

December 3rd – 9 - 10:30 am, Ministry House



CROP WALK – Sunday, October 22nd

All 9th & 10th grade students and parents, please attend the 12:00 pm Mass. Parents will drive their children to St. Joseph's Church in Lincoln Park. We would also like for parents to participate in this important event. Walk begins promptly at 1:30 pm, adjourns approximately at 2:30 pm. All are welcome! Thank you for your participation!

Homeless Solutions & Eric Johnson House

Volunteers are needed to serve at Homeless Solutions on November 14th and December 12th. Volunteers are need to serve at the Eric Johnson House on November 10th and December 8th. Please e mail Kurt Kilanowski to volunteer, youth-ministry@st-pius-x.org.

Diocese of Paterson Presents Catholic Youth Lounge

Saturday, November 4th, 7 pm, St. Joseph's Church, 7 Parker Ave., Passaic. For more info, please search on Facebook "Catholicyouthlounge" or visit <https://catholicyouthlounge.org>.

Pray for the Sick

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.

*Lilliana Elyse Mahan, Dawn Pandorf, Leslie Kondek, Corey Forlenza, Frank J. Somsy, Marie Cavallero, Eileen Scharwath, Ann Dimaira, Victor Marmo, Jason McGaha, Marilyn Geffken, Tom Clayton, Barbara Capsouras, Christine Paglia, Ragan Kilkell, Adrian Simone, Paul Perrone, Janet Babbitt, Bruno Stillo, Michael Mascari, Marjorie McArthur, Charlie Auskings, Eileen Kapotes, Remedios Gatuz, Annarita Gardinella, Linda Bitetto, David Tafe, Gregory Sugra, Jose Nunez, Kevin Deege, Jason Fass, Terry Cox, Giovanna Mele, Pasquale Mastriani, Christina Adamski, Françoise Wagener, Brooklyn Auskings, David Douglas, Walter Sedlacik, David Dery, Joseph Horvath, Sr., Gayle Sullivan, Nicky Miller, Peter Henschel, Richard Dickau, Anthony Speciale, Jr., Zachary Miller
Lauren Grace Jarman and Joseph Egan.*

2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal, In Giving, We Receive

Did you know that this year our Diocese had the largest number of men ordained to the priesthood in the country? There are currently over 50 men now enrolled in seminaries to prepare for priestly life in the Paterson Diocese. That is a tremendous blessing, but one that comes with a significant cost for room, board, tuition and other related expenses. Your support of the Bishop's Annual Appeal helps meet the annual expenses for seminarian education. It is a gift that will enhance the faith life of our Diocese for years to come. Please make a pledge today! For your convenience, you can make an online gift or pledge at www.2017appeal.org. Thank you!