



XXIX Sunday in Ordinary

October 21, 2018

ST. PIUS X PARISH

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“Mission revitalizes faith”

Every man and woman *is* a mission; that is the reason for our life on this earth. To **be attracted** and to **be sent** are two movements that our hearts, especially when we are young, feel as interior forces of love; they hold out promise for our future and they give direction to our lives. More than anyone else, young people feel the power of life breaking in upon us and attracting us (...) The fact that we are not in this world by our own choice makes us sense that there is an initiative that precedes us and makes us exist. Each one of us is called to reflect on this fact: “**I am a mission on this Earth**; that is the reason why I am here in this world” (*Evangelii Gaudium*, 273).

The Church, by proclaiming what she freely received (cf. *Mt* 10:8; *Acts* 3:6), can share with you young people the way and truth which give meaning to our life on this earth. Jesus Christ, who died and rose for us, appeals to our freedom and challenges us to seek, discover and proclaim this message of truth and fulfillment. Dear young people, do not be afraid of Christ and his Church! For there we find the treasure that fills life with joy. I can tell you this from my own experience: thanks to faith, I found the sure foundation of my dreams and the strength to realize them. I have seen great suffering and poverty mar the faces of so many of our brothers and sisters. And yet, for those who stand by Jesus, evil is an incentive to ever greater love. Many men and women, and many young people, have generously sacrificed themselves, even at times to martyrdom, out of love for the Gospel and service to their brothers and sisters. From the cross of Jesus we **learn the divine logic of self-sacrifice** (cf. *1 Cor* 1:17-25) as a proclamation of the Gospel for the life of the world (cf. *Jn* 3:16). To be set afire by the love of Christ is to be consumed by that fire, to grow in understanding by its light and to be warmed by its love. At the school of the saints, who open us to the vast horizons of God, I invite you never to stop wondering: “**What would Christ do if he were in my place?**” (...)

The spread of the faith “by attraction” calls for **hearts that are open and expanded by love**. It is not possible to place limits on love, for love is strong as death. And that expansion generates encounter, witness, proclamation; it generates sharing in charity with all those far from the faith, indifferent to it and perhaps even hostile and opposed to it. Human, cultural and religious settings still foreign to the Gospel of Jesus and to the sacramental presence of the Church represent **the extreme peripheries**, the “ends of the earth”, to which, ever since the first Easter, Jesus’ missionary disciples have been sent, with the certainty that their Lord is always with them (cf. *Mt* 28:20; *Acts* 1:8).

(Excerpts from Pope Francis’ *Message for the World Mission Day* 2018)

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. English Anticipatory
7:00 p.m. en Español

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10 a.m. English
12:00 p.m. en Español

Daily Mass

Monday through Friday at 8:00 a.m.

Holy Days

7:00 p.m. Anticipatory, Bilingual
8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Confessions

Wednesday 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Silent Adoration

Wednesday 9:00 a.m. to
7:00 p.m. - Blessed Sacrament Blessing
1st Friday of the month
6:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.

MASS OFFERINGS

Saturday, October 20, 2018

5:00 James & Matilda Schuard † By Jeanne Fox

Sunday, October 21, 2018

8:00 Ted Forsythe † By his Family

10:00 Nita Peters † By Kathy Murzyn

Monday, October 22, 2018

8:00 3rd Anniversary Tom Houser †

By Clay & Doris Williams

Tuesday, October 23, 2018

8:00 Ralph Nigro †

By the Martin Family Pat , Pat, Jeff & Stacey

Wednesday, October 24, 2018

8:00 Ralph Nigro † By Don & Jeaneel Lovelace

Thursday, October 25, 2018

8:00 Francisco Navarrete † By Kathy Murzyn

Friday, October 26, 2018

8:00 Thomas Parra † By the Parra Family

Saturday, October 27, 2018

5:00 Michael Kavanagh † By Mike & Dorothy

Sunday, October 28, 2018

8:00 Ted Forsythe † By his Family

10:00 Eufemia Queddeng † By Lucrecia & RJ Holmes

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

*We pray for all those who are sick or
in need of our prayers:*

Helen Longi, Lexi Knutson, Leroy Ensley, Ross Bensman, Angela Nieto, Fred Smith, Quinn Peather, Olivia Payne, Chevy White, Paul Sanchez, Sue Conners, Tony Giardina, Steven I. Anson, Mike Satz, Caden Joseph Keating, Georgia Amy Cordova, Patrick Martin, Chris Young, Daniel West, Suenga Kasiano, John Kish, Lorna Browner, James & Ron Sanchez, Patricia Marie Agunos, Charles Untiedt, Wayne Hawks, John Vrtis, Matthew Hover, Helen Zajac, Deacon Dusty

PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

RALPH NIGRO

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Mission Sunday

Monday: St. John Paul II

Tuesday: St. John of Capistrano

Wednesday: St. Anthony Mary Claret

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

Through his suffering, my servant shall justify many.

— Isaiah 53:11b



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We need volunteers

Altar Servers to serve at the Saturday, 5:00 pm Mass; Bring Communion to our homebound parishioners; Care for and launder our altar linens.

If you would like to volunteer, please call Maureen, in the Church Office.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MON	Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 12:13-21
TUE	Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-14; Lk 12:35-38
WED	Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 12:39-48
THURS	Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
FRI	Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
SAT	Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 13:1-9
SUN	Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct 23	Adult Faith Formation - 7 pm
Oct 25	Middle School Youth Group - 7 pm
Oct 26	Halloween Party
Oct 28	High School Youth Group - 7 pm



COFFEE AND DONUTS

Coffee and Donuts will be served following the 8 and 10 a.m. Masses on Sunday in the church basement.



Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Silent Adoration

6:00 pm to 12:00 am
1st Friday of the month

Wednesday

Silent Adoration

9:00 am to
7:00 pm - Blessed Sacrament Blessing

MARRIAGE & FAMILY

Take time out for your marriage with a ½ day enrichment retreat

"Love Your Marriage"

Saturday Nov. 3rd

Risen Christ Catholic Church in Denver

Learn *"How to Have an Emotionally, Spiritually, and Physically Thriving Marriage."* The retreat is \$40, includes lunch, materials, and childcare. For more information and to register now, go to: www.archden.org/loveyourmarriage.

ST. PIUS X SCHOOL NEWS

We have been very busy at St. Pius X Catholic School! Our 8th graders attended their annual retreat at the JPPI Outdoor Lab where they spent time in God's creation connecting faith and reason. Many of our classes have been attending field trips, including the Museum of Nature and Science, Miller Farms, and FOCUS 11 where they learn about vocations. We just wrapped up parent teacher conferences, because we are already half-way through the first trimester! Please keep us in your prayers and we look forward to All Saints Day!

Teacher Feature: Kendra Bissonnette is our second grade teacher, and she has been teaching here for eleven years! She has a bachelor's degree in speech communication from Colorado State University, and her teaching licensure in elementary education through the University of Northern Colorado. She has taught both elementary and middle school here. She is wonderful in second grade because she does an excellent job preparing the students for the sacrament of Reconciliation. She also has helped to coordinate our student council here. She is married to her husband Jeff, and has two children. We are very blessed to have Mrs. Bissonnette here!

Eileen Michalezyk, Principal



SUNDAY HIGH SCHOOL
YOUTH GROUP

6:30 PM

FAMILY LIFE CENTER



THURSDAY MIDDLE SCHOOL
YOUTH GROUP

6:30 PM

FAMILY LIFE CENTER



Are you a Young Adult
(less than 40 years of age)?

We are looking
for you!

We meet every first & third Saturday night
at 8:00 PM in the Family Life Center

HALLOWEEN PARTY

October 26

6:30 - 9:30 PM



COSTUME CONTEST



HALLOWEEN PARTY

October 26 - 6:30 - 9:30 PM

We Need Volunteers

If you wish to volunteer to decorate the trunk of your car and distribute candy, please sign up at the parish office or call 303-364-7435. We need at least 20 cars to make this event successful.

We Need Candy Donations

Be on the lookout for Halloween Candy deals! As always, our annual Halloween Event will have Trick or Treating for the kiddies, so we are asking our parishioners to help us through donations of candy. Please bring your candy donations to the office between now and Oct. 25th.

ALL SAINTS DAY

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

ANTICIPATORY MASS

Wednesday, October 31st

7:00 pm (Bilingual)

ALL NIGHT
ADORATION VIGIL
8:00 pm - 8:00 am

Sign up for a time

MASS

Thursday, November 1st

8:00 am (English)

7:00 pm (Bilingual)

ALL SOULS DAY MASS

Not a Holy Day of Obligation

We invite you to attend our
All Souls Day Mass on
Friday, November 2, 2018 at
8:00 am (English Mass)
7:00 pm (Bilingual Mass)



MEMORIAL TABLE



It is our custom at St. Pius X to bring in photos of our deceased loved ones during the month of November. This is our way of acknowledging that the veil between this life and the next is thin and that these people have gone on to their eternal reward – which will also be our reward someday. So we invite all to bring in their photos for our display area in the Narthex. Please have your pictures in stand-up frames with your name and phone number on the back so we can return them.