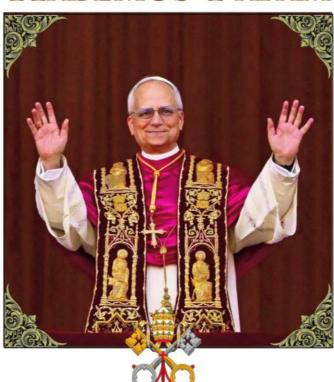


# St. Pius X Church

Archdiocese of New Orleans 6666 Spanish Fort Boulevard New Orleans, LA 70124-4324

# May 18, 2025 Fifth Sunday of Easter

# HABEMUS PAPAM



# POPE LEO XIV

O God, who chose your servant in succession to the Apostle Peter as shepherd of the whole flock, look favorably on the supplications of your people and grant that, as Vicar of Christ on earth, he may confirm his brethren and that the whole Church may be in communion with him in the bond of unity, love and peace, so that in you, the shepherd of souls, all may know the truth and attain life eternal. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

-Roman Missal

## **Mass Schedule**

Monday-Friday: 8AM Saturday:8AM, 4PM Vigil Sunday: 8AM, 10:30AM, & 5PM

Eucharistic Exposition Wednesday 6:00-7:00PM

#### Reconciliation

Tuesday: 7:15-7:45AM Wednesday: 6:00-7:00PM Saturday: 3-3:45PM

## **Adoration Chapel**

Monday 6am-10pm Tuesday 6am-10 pm Wednesday 6am-4pm Thursday 6am-10pm Friday 6am-10pm

#### **Parish Center**

504-282-3332 spxparish@arch-no.org M-TH 8:30AM-3:30PM FR 8:30AM-Noon **Emergency Line:** 504-500-7531

#### St. Pius X School

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#### **Mission Statement:**

As a parish of Roman Catholic believers inspired by the motto of St. Pius X, "to renew all things in Christ," we answer this call to holiness knowing, loving, and serving God and one another.

#### **CONTRIBUTION DETAILS**

#### WEEKLY OFFERTORY REPORT

**April 28- May 5, 2025** 

1st Collection: General Parish Support

Envelopes: \$ 2,702 Loose: \$ 1,930 Online: \$ 13,093 Total: \$ 17,725 **Weekly Goal:** \$ 20,335 Difference (+/-): \$ 2,610

Thank you for your support!

# CURRENT ANNUAL TOTALS July 1, 2024—January 31, 2025

Net Operating Loss: \$ (37,873)

#### As of March 7, 2025

Amount owed to Archdiocese for Insurance and Assessment:

\$ 125,204

#### **Upcoming Special Collections**

June 1: SPX Debt Reduction

June 29: Holy Father/ Peter's Pence

# 20 Stewardship Ideas

for the month of May

- Join or start a summer bible study group.
- Plan an outing with your family.
- Introduce yourself to a fellow parishioner with whom you are unfamiliar.
- Pray for peace on Memorial Day.
- Help a neighbor who is physically unable to clean their yard.
- Invite someone to attend a weekend liturgy with you.
- Make a blood donation.
- Show genuine hospitality to visitors at your church.
- Don't text when you drive.
- Reduce your stress by getting outside and getting some exercise.

- Drive courteously.
- Make contact with a relative you haven't seen in a long time.
- Take time to pray each day.
- Treat your family or loved one to a day at the museum.
- Volunteer to participate in a community cleanup effort.
- Make a gift to your diocesan annual appeal.
- Plant flowers, shrubs or trees in a park or other location.
- Collect stuffed animals from friends and neighbors, write messages to tie or clip onto the animals and give them to a local police department to use in comforting children.
- Don't drive while impaired by alcohol.
- Donate gently used clothing.

# HOW CAN YOU ASSIST IN THE MISSION TO SERVE THE PARISHIONERS AND FAMILIES OF ST. PIUS X?

Through Participation in our Ministries and Apostolates By Serving as a Reader or Usher at Holy Mass By Supporting St. Pius X Financially

#### Ways to give...

- · Sign up Online for your weekly offering
- Help us to CATCH UP on the amount owed to the Archdiocese
- · Support Debt Reduction effort
- · Give to St. Vincent de Paul to support the needy in our area
- · Make a donation to the Fr. Pat Endowment from our website
- · Join Pillars of Pius to support our teachers



GIVE ONLINE NOW At SPX Giving Page!



## NAIM

To support the spiritual and social well-being of widows and widowers by providing group support and fostering a nurturing community among St. Pius X parishioners.

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#### Pillars of Pius Winner

#### **Congratulations to:**

The Blanchard Family

May 11th winner \$250.00

The Pillars of Pius Endowment Fund is a program dedicated to maintaining and attracting committed teachers at St. Pius X School. It's important to our neighborhood, our community, and our students that we continue to provide an excellent academic environment that will foster each child's faith formation and instill in them lessons for life.

Tickets available at church entrances.

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#### Pope Francis' Intention for May For working conditions

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.

#### **Mass Intentions**

## May 17-24, 2025

## Saturday

**4:00 PM**: Johnny Provenza, Sara Provenza. Salvatore Provenza, Marilyn Rutecki, Sheila Provenza, Mary Virgil Ryan, Mimi Incaprera, Ruth Incaprera, John, Felicia & Randy Perrone, Borne P. Boudreaux, Sr., B.P. "Sonny" Boudreaux, Jr & Dr. Jack Boudreaux, Dr. Alfred & Jane Weidemann, Fred & Frances Schmeeckle, Dr. Vincent Culotta, Trey Culotta, Dc. Billy Glennon, Dr. Alvin & Arlene L. Richard, Dr. Lee Roy Morgan, Anna T. Medo, JoAnn Laforge, Ann Wink, Shirley Boudreaux, Robert Wise, Kelly Lockwood Alfortish, Adrienne Paciera, The Diaz Family and Kristine Mary Ofstad For the Living: Maria Garcia

## **Sunday**

**8:00 AM:** For the People of St. Pius X Parish

**10:30 AM:** James & Shirley Grevemberg, Michelle "Shelly" Haensel, Marion LaNasa, Jr., Jason Philip Franco, David Pippin, Clement Bepouey, III, Evelyn Alexander, Adrian Duplantier, Donald Duvigneaud, Peter Di-Maggio, and Michael A. Jung

For the Living: Dennis Foltz, and Virginia Tedesco

5:00 PM: Gwen G. Daigle

**Monday:** 8 AM Ada Tieman

**Tuesday:** 8 AM Marilyn Rutecki

Wednesday: 8 AM For the Living: Gut Mouledoux

**Thursday:** 8 AM Earl Fox

Friday: 8 AM Johnny Provenza

**Saturday**: 8 AM For the Living: Anita Hoyt

Mass Intention forms are located near church entries, on our website (https://parish.stpiusxnola.org), or in the Parish Office.

#### **Baptisms & Receptions**

**Recently Deceased** 

Rowan Becker Rolf Kenley Grace Shafirovich Niko Alexander Shafirovich Jacob-Paul Chisholm Schultz Barbara Recíle Dr. J. Donald Duvigneaud Peter DíMaggío Míchael A. Jung

# Baptism Seminars

Contact the church office to sign up. Saturday May 17, 10:00AM

Baptisms are held on Sundays following the 10:30 Holy Mass. If you are interested in having your child baptized at St. Pius X, please either go to our website <a href="https://parish.stpiusxnola.org/baptism">https://parish.stpiusxnola.org/baptism</a> or stop in the Parish Center to access our Baptism Policies document.

#### Gathering Hymn: Praise, My Soul, The King Of Heaven



#### **The Confiteor**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault. Therefore I ask Blessed Mary ever virgin, all the angels and saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.



## Gloria

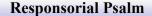


## **First Reading**

#### A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

14:21-27

After Paul and Barnabas had proclaimed the good news to that city and made a considerable number of disciples, they returned to Lystra and to Iconium and to Antioch. They strengthened the spirits of the disciples and exhorted them to persevere in the faith, saying, "It is necessary for us to undergo many hardships to enter the kingdom of God." They appointed elders for them in each church and, with prayer and fasting, commended them to the Lord in whom they had put their faith. Then they traveled through Pisidia and reached Pamphylia. After proclaiming the word at Perga they went down to Attalia. From there they sailed to Antioch, where they had been commended to the grace of God for the work they had now accomplished. And when they arrived, they called the church together and reported what God had done with them and how he had opened the door of faith to the Gentiles.







#### **Second Reading**

A reading from the Book of Revelation

21:1-5a

Then I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth. The former heaven and the former earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. I also saw the holy city, a new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, God's dwelling is with the human race. He will dwell with them and they will be his people and God himself will always be with them as their God. He will wipe every tear from their eyes, and there shall be no more death or mourning, wailing or pain, for the old order has passed away."

The One who sat on the throne said, "Behold, I make all things new."

#### **Gospel Acclamation**



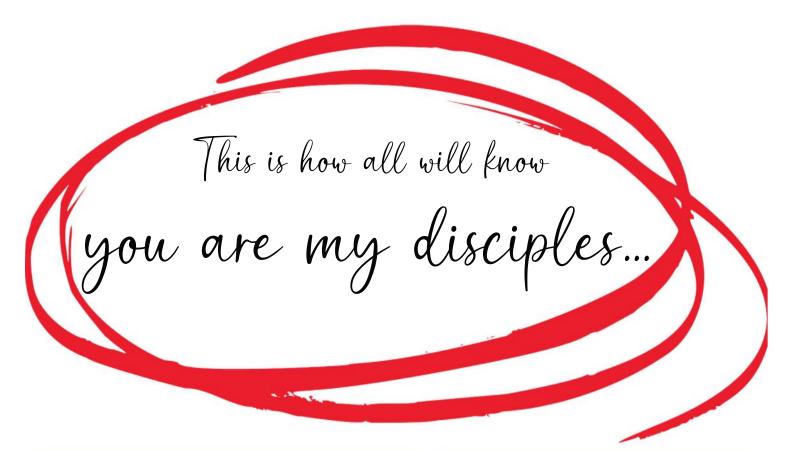
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#### **Gospel Reading**

A reading for the holy Gospel according to John

13:31-33a, 34-35

When Judas had left them, Jesus said, "Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in him. If God is glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself, and God will glorify him at once. My children, I will be with you only a little while longer. I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."



#### **Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, (bow)

#### who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,

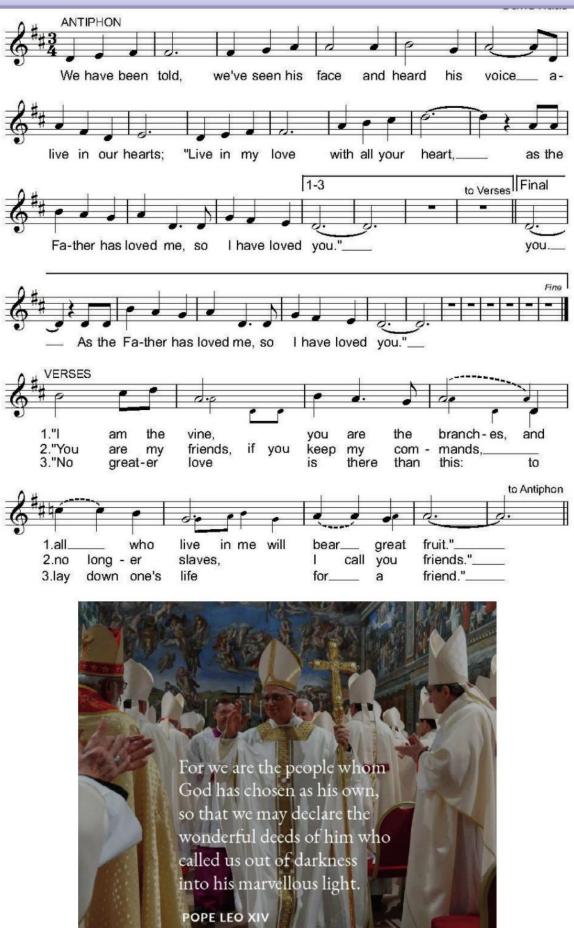
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

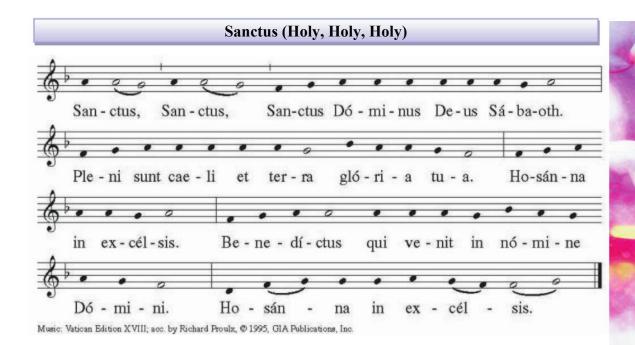
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.

## **Our Family Prayer**

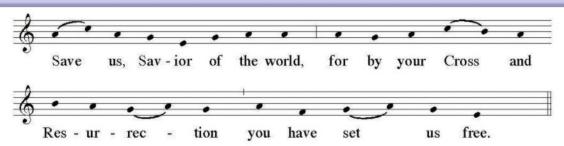
Loving and faithful God, through the years the people of our archdiocese have appreciated the prayers and love of Our Lady of Prompt Succor in times of war, disaster, epidemic and illness. We come to you, Father, with Mary our Mother, and ask you to help us in the battle of today against violence, murder and racism. We implore you to give us your wisdom that we may build a community founded on the values of Jesus, which gives respect to the life and dignity of all people. Bless parents that they may form their children in faith. Bless and protect our youth that they may be peacemakers of our time. Give consolation to those who have lost loved ones through violence. Hear our prayer and give us the perseverance to be a voice for life and human dignity in our community. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. Mother Henriette Delille, pray for us that we may be a holy family.

Presentation of the Gifts: We Have Been Told

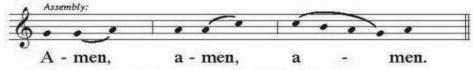




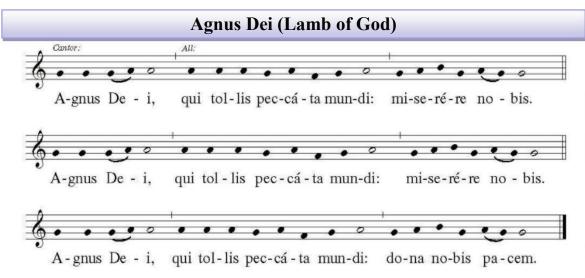








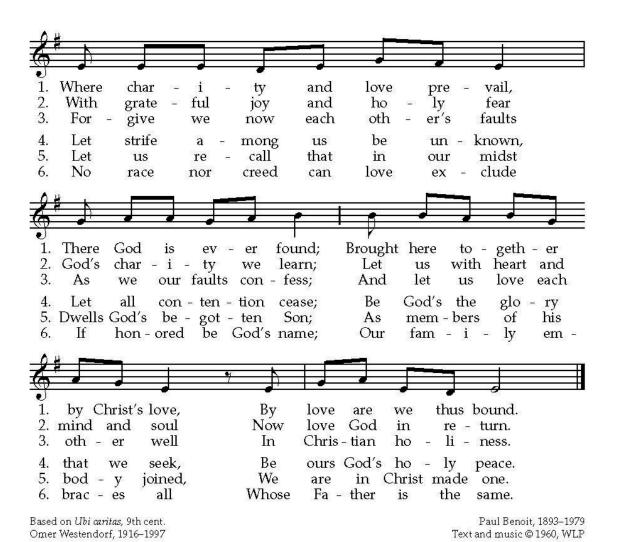
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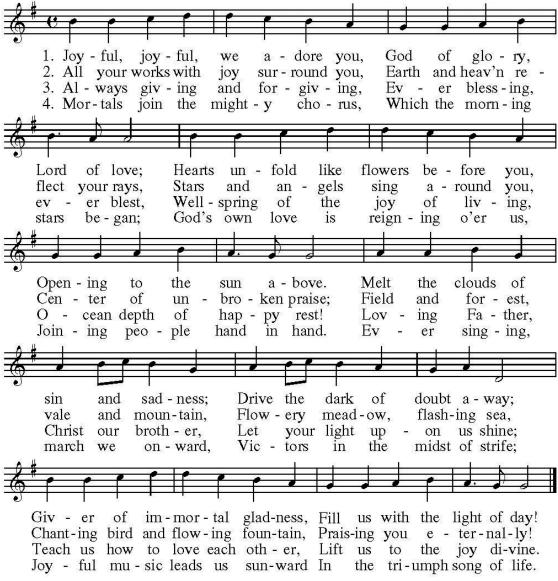
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#### Communion Hymn: Where Charity & Love Prevail



Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do Thou, Prince of the Heavenly Host by the Power of God cast into hell, satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen. Pope Leo XIII

#### Recessional Hymn: Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You



Text: Henry van Dyke, 1852-1933, alt Tune: HYMN TO JOY, 8 7 8 7 D; ar. from Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770-1827, by Edward Hodges, 1796-1867

# This Week at SPX:

- May 18 Holy Name Breakfast 9-10AM Multi-Purpose Room
- May 21 Holy Hour & Confessions 6-7PM Church SPX Dance Class for Adults 7-8PM Cafeteria
- May 22 **Thursday Morning Prayer Group** 10AM-Noon Church **Choir Practice** 7-9PM Church
- May 23 SPX Men of Prayer 6:30-7:30AM Parish Center Library
- May 24 St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 8:45-10:15 Parish Center Library

\*Dates/ times/ locations are subject to change before or after publication.

# News from the St. Pius X Grandparents Club

From the two Bake Sales sponsored by the Grandparents Club, they were able to present the school with a \$1000 check to be used to benefit the school children. Thank you to all of the grandparents who baked goodies and/or worked at the Bake Sales.



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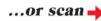
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