

"I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep." John 10:11



Because of your continued charity and prayers, the *Msgr. David R. Funk Parish Family Center* will open its doors on December 9, 2018. Join us for its dedication, blessing, and grand opening. Photo: 11/26/18

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday from 4:00-4:45 PM, Wednesday from 12:00-1:00 PM during Holy Hour, and by appointment by calling the rectory office.

WEDDINGS - No date may be reserved until after an appointment with a parish minister at least four months prior to the desired date.

BAPTISMS - Baptismal preparation classes are held the first Sunday of each month following the noon Mass. Register with the rectory prior to the class. Baptisms are celebrated at the noon Mass on the first Sunday of the month and at 1:30 PM on the third Sunday of the month.

SICK CALLS - Any time day or night, (614) 367-1392. If you are homebound, please notify the rectory if you wish to receive Holy Communion.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP - New parishioners may stop at the rectory from Monday-Friday between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM to register. Parishioner registrations are held following all Masses on the third weekend of each month. You may also register directly from our website by completing a secure form or by downloading a registration form and returning it.

ST. PIUS X ENDOWMENT FUND #320CL - Please contact The Catholic Foundation at 614-443-8893 or visit <u>www.catholic-foundation.org</u> to learn how your bequest of cash, stock, real estate and/or insurance can help our endowment grow, giving our parish perpetual income.

ST. PIUS X CATHOLIC CHURCH

Celebration of Holy Mass

SUNDAY MASSES

SATURDAY 5:00 PM SUNDAY 8:30 AM, 10:15 AM & NOON

HOLY DAY MASSES

EVENING AS ANNOUNCED ON THE DAY AT 8:30 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:30 AM, ROSARY FOLLOWS

MAILING ADDRESSES

Rectory & Parish Business Office 1051 Waggoner Road, Reynoldsburg 43068 Email - <u>StPiusX@spxreynoldsburg.com</u>

St. Pius X Children's Center 1067 Waggoner Road, Reynoldsburg 43068

St. Pius X Elementary School 1061 Waggoner Road, Reynoldsburg 43068

PARISH OFFICE HOURS Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday by noon

PARISH PASTORAL STAFF

Dial (614) 866-2859 & extension:

Fr. David J. Young, Pastor	Ext 113
Fr. Milton P. Kiocha, (614) 8	66-2859
Parochical Vicar	
Deacon John Vellani	Ext 102
Deacon Jim Kelly	Ext 102
Brenda Brammer, Business Manager	Ext 116
John Beyer,	Ext 101
Asst Business Manager/Campaign Chai	r

We, the people of God at St. Pius X Parish, are a community of believers faithful to the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the Catholic Tradition. We seek holiness through prayer, worship and the sacramental life of the Church. Inspired by the fire of the Holy Spirit, we give witness to the Gospel through education, service and sharing of our time, talent and treasure so that God's kingdom may live and grow in our midst.

Third Sunday of the Season of Advent December 16, 2018 Great is the Holy One of Israel!

MASSES FOR DECEMBER 17-23, 2018

Monday		
8:30 a.m.	(FMK)	
		by Msgr. David Funk
Tuesday		
8:30 a.m.	(FMK)	Anna La Nguyen by Cuc Nguyen
Wednesday		
8:30 a.m.	(FDY)	🕆 Joseph Triet Pham by Q Pham
Thursday		
8:30 a.m.	(FDY)	Barb Carlo by The Carlo Family
Friday		
8:30 a.m.	(MPG)	🕆 Tom Gaus by The Family
Saturday		
5:00 p.m.	(FDY)	🕆 Vincent Lombardo
		by Stanley Allen
Sunday		
8:30 a.m.	(MPG)	Mary Stock by John Stock
10:15 a.m.	(FMK)	Living & Deceased
		Members of the Parish
12:00 p.m.	(FRM)	🕈 Carmen Lydia Antommarchi
		by Roberta Franz & Jim
		& Lynn Baum

IN OUR PARISH

RECTORY HOURS DURING THE CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY: The Rectory will be closed on December 24 and 25, and again on December 31 and January 1. There will be limited staff members working during these two weeks. WIDOW AND WIDOWER'S GROUP...FOR I SHALL SEE YOU AGAIN: For I shall see you again...John 16:22 will present "Surviving the Holidays" by Grief Share at our gathering on December 18th, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the Bride's Room located in the church. Anyone who has lost a spouse is welcomed and encouraged to come.

PSR CHRISTMAS CAROL AND PRAYER SERVICE: All parishioners and children of St. Pius X are invited to come for an evening of prayer and Christmas Carols as we welcome in the Christmas Season. The Sing-A-Long will be **December 16, from 6:00-6:30 p.m. in the Church**. What better way to remember the Christmas Story of Jesus' Birth!

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve, Monday, December 24: 4:00, 6:30 and 10:00 p.m. (Choir Begins at 9:25 p.m.) Christmas Day, Tuesday, December 25: 9:00 a.m.

CONNECTIONS, ST. PIUS NEWLETTER...The February 2019 edition of *Connections*, the parish newsletter, is being compiled. Please submit articles to Carol McGlone at <u>carol.a.mcglone@</u> <u>gmail.com</u> or to the rectory, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The deadline for the next issue is Friday, January 4, 2019.

COLLECTION COUNTER SCHEDULES for 2019 have been mailed or emailed. If you are a collection counter volunteer and have not received your new schedule, please call Christina at the parish office at (614) 866-2859 or email <u>czacovic@</u> <u>spxreynoldsburg.com</u>. Thank you for your continued help in this ministry.

THIS WEEK AT SAINT PIUS X – DECEMBER 17-23, 2018
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Monday Rosary for the Sick	Church	6:30 p.m.
TMIY! (Evening Session)	Parish Center, Meeting Room	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday		
Liturgy of the Hours Morning Prayer	Church	8:00 a.m.
K of C Business Meeting & First Degree	Parish Center, Meeting Room	7:00 p.m.
School Board Meeting	Rectory	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday		
Adoration	Church	7:30 a.m7:30 p.m.
Holy Hour with Reconciliation	Church	12:00-1:00 p.m.
Divine Mercy	Tabernacle	6:00 p.m.
Walking With Purpose Connect with Coffee	Cafe	7:00 p.m.
Choir	Church	7:15 p.m.
Thursday		
Men's Faith Sharing	Café	5:45 a.m.
Children's Choir	Church	5:15-5:45
New Creation	Bride's Room	7:00 p.m.
RCIA	PAC	7:00 p.m.
Saturday		
Men's FS/SS	Parish Center, Meeting Room	6:30-8:00 a.m.
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ST. PIUS X LENDING LIBRARY. Located in the south exit of the church (the exit door that comes out on the side of church at the driveway). Visit the library, Monday-Friday, during the day and on the weekends. New books are being added all the time...visit the lending library.

THE COLUMBUS DIOCESE is sponsoring the 20th Annual Clergy Appreciation Dinner on January 13, 2019 at the Villa Milano Banquet and Conference Center at 1630 Schrock Road. All are invited, the cost is \$35.00 per seat. There will be a cash bar starting at 6:00 p.m. and dinner promptly at 7:00 p.m. This event is our opportunity to thank all our clergy in the diocese for their hard work and dedication. Please contact Bill Richards at 614-861-0957 to make your reservation no later than January 3, 2019.

SPX ADULT BOWLING LEAGUE TO BEGIN ON JANUARY 3! Beginning January 3, 2019, at Holiday Lanes on Broad Street, Parish Council will be sponsoring a Parish Bowling League for members of the parish who are 21 years of age and older. This will be a 12-week league on Friday nights at 7:00 p.m. The cost is \$140.00 per person for the 12 weeks. These will be 4 person teams and should be a lot of fun and provide a great time for friends to gather and enjoy time together. If you would like more information or to sign up, please contact Brian Sauer at 614-649-0411 or at <u>bcsauer@gmail.com</u>. When signing up, please give him your name and contact information, as well as the number of people and their names that you wish to sign up.

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

	For the Month of December 2018:	
\$ 21,000.00	MTD Budget Requirements	\$ 42,000.00
\$ 12,596.78	MTD Actual Offertory Received	\$ 28,570.46
\$ (8,403.22)	MTD Surplus (Deficit)	\$(13,429.54)
\$ 826.00	YTD Budget Requirements	\$ 438,000.00
\$ 8,843.50	YTD Actual Offertory Received	\$ 454,778.09
\$ 2,927.28	YTD Surplus (Deficit)	\$ 16,778.09
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Capital Campaign Update - Total Numbers as of 12/12/18

Phase I Pledges	\$ 2,952,726				
Phase II Pledges	\$ 645,263	Goal	\$ 932,000	Balance Needed	\$283,134
Total all Pledges	\$ 3,597,989	Goal	\$ 3,881,123		
Total Cash Received	\$ 2,383,052				

Build Updates: The current build of Phase I of our New Build is 100% completed. We are adding some things to the build like a few extra pots for the kitchen, coat hooks and some shelving, and learning what our new AV system will do for us. Breakfast with Santa Saturday morning was a huge success. We served over 250 children and Cub Scouts with another 202 adults. The Knights of Columbus Christmas dinner Saturday night gave the kitchen a good shake down. Five turkeys and all the trimmings were served for over 135 people. Ministries are reviewing their plans to use the new Msgr. David R. Funk Parish Family Center. We are currently taking reservations for our Parish Family Center with rental contracts available and approved Caterer list for all interested families. We currently need \$283,134.00 to complete Phase II. This would amount to \$138.00 per registered family in our Parish. If we do not have these pledges by March 1, 2019, CONSTRUCTION WILL STOP! Please be generous with your continued pledges and gifts toward our Capital Campaign so we can expand the Narthex. We are so close! We have met 91% of our goal. The following we can anticipate with the Narthex expansion: Adoration Chapel, doubling the size of the open area to visit with friends, renovated Quieting Room, new Choir Room, new Bride's Room, new bathrooms and much larger resource racks and Lending Library. Please take the time to respond to the mailing we sent to all registered families. We have heard from 351 families of our 2,054 families here at St. Pius X for Phase II. If you have pledged toward Phase I, Thank-you. If you have pledged toward Phase II, Thank-you again. If you have not pledged, please prayerfully consider a sacrificial pledge for Phase II. If you are able to increase the length of time for your pledge, please respond via email to jbeyer@spxreynoldsburg.com or drop a note in the offertory. If you ever notice any issue with your Capital Campaign billing statement or update letter, please give John Beyer a call at the Parish Office and these will be updated immediately.

Please continue your support of our Church and School by your offertory tithing during our Capital Campaign build, thanksgiving for all that we have here at St. Pius X Church and School.

"Continuing To Renew All Things in Christ" Capital Campaign"

Father Dave and John Beyer are asking ALL families to return a pledge card. If you are unable to commit to a pledge at this time, please notate that on your pledge card and a date to follow up.

It is important to the success of our Capital Campaign that everyone who calls St. Pius X Church and School his or her home, to: • Pray for the success of the Combined Phases I and II of our Capital Campaign

- Be an Ambassador by becoming informed and involved, enthusiastically sharing this information with as many people as you can, and encouraging others to become involved.
- Make your sacrificial pledge. If you are unable to commit to a pledge at this time, return a pledge card noting this.

NEWLY REGISTERED: Karen Hardin



e Ministry Scheduling

Contact Us at schedule@spxreynoldsburg.com, 614-390-4718 for those who do not use MINISTRY SCHEDULER PRO internet/email. Contact <u>schedule@spxreynoldsburg.com</u> if you have any questions/need assistance. The next Schedule run will be the first week in March 2019 which will cover April 1 through June 30. Reminders will be sent out as the time approaches. Feel free to

enter your "can't serve times" for this time period at your convenience. If you are having issues signing into MSP, please do not remain frustrated, please contact Cyndi Williams at 614-390-4718 or email cyndiw2000@yahoo.com.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE: DECEMBER 22-23, 2018

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - H: (2) - Pulpit side/ H: (2) - Organ side C: (3) - Pulpit side/ C: (3) - Organ side

5:00 p.m.	Caroline Berger (PH-L), Carol Summa (PH), Duane Wikoff (PC-PC), Marilyn Wikoff (PC-PC), Diane Bailey (PC),
No Deacon	Mary Lynn Cummings (OH), Valerie Hannahs (OH), Lisa Herbert (OC), Jean Roberts (OC), Joseph Supino (OC)
8:30 a.m.	Denise Trusken (PH-L), Regina Baughman (PH), Scott Gallagher (PC-PC), Julie Gallagher (PC-PC),
No Deacon	Nancy Majerus (PC), Bob Briggs (OH), Linda Dlugiewicz (OH), Gerald Cooke (OC), Ann Cox (OC), Jeff Cox (OC)
10:15 a.m.	Joelea Kelley (PH-L), Daniel Gilmore (PH), Steve Riederer (PH), Karen Trainer (PC-PC), Karen Yarger (PC-PC), Gordon Burke (PC), Bernadette Lindquist (PC), Mindy Goetz (OH), John E. Goetz (OH), Paul Yarger (OH), Ann Alge (OC), Amy Barnhart (OC), Barb Martin (OC), Kevin Martin (OC)
12:00 p.m.	Tess Dusenberry (PH-L), Kim Connors (PH), Sandy Puet (PC-PC), Wayne Wingard (PC-PC), Jon Caruso (PC), Genet Redden (OH), Jeanne Swisher (OH), Dominic Nocera (OC), Randy Teynor (OC), Cyndi Williams (OC)

LINEN SCHEDULE: Shirley Fix

COLLECTION COUNTERS: Team 2 - Crawford, Kevin Crawford, Vicky Mercer

	Lectors	Servers	Gift Bearers	Greeters	Ushers
5:00 p.m. No Deacon	Gerard Crane Norbert Stalica	Andrew Bassetti Riley Mann Carla Pena	John Beyer Brenda Beyer	Chris Bailey	Mike Angle Jim Beck Tom Haddox Ken Marr
8:30 a.m. No Deacon	Tammy Baron Mary Ellen Theaumont	Chinedu Anigbogu Cara Luallen Megan Luallen	Patrick Hensel Sharon Hensel	Diane Cadegan	Joe Bauman Ed Krause Don McKenzie Richard VanHorn
10:15 a.m.	Susan Gilmore Tod Gilmore	Tommy Gilmore Samuel Gilmore Jack Gilmore Luke Gilmore	Nathan Ogden Steve Ogden Amy Ogden Piper Ogden Maleah Ogden	Charles Stevenson	John Callahan Ted Habak Gervase Ngalla Brian Sauer
12:00 p.m.	Tim Puet Melissa Silva	Jacob Brennan Elijah Cassidy Leah Redden	Betsy Schmitz (sub req.)	Sandy Puet	David Roby Mary Ann Wingard NOT FILLED NOT FILLED



Prepare the Way: An Advent Journey for Our Parish

FORMED.ORG PRESENTS TWO WAYS TO DEEPEN YOUR FAITH DURING ADVENT:

This week, login to formed.org, go to the "Community" section, and watch Prepare the Way, Session 5: "Who Is Jesus?" No one has had a greater impact on the world than Jesus of Nazareth, and the question of Jesus' identity is central to our faith. Watch on your own, with your family, or with a group of friends. Let's all make Christ a part of our Christmas preparations. There are accompanying discussion guides that help penetrate the truth and beauty of these topics.

This Advent, FORMED is offering daily Advent reflections for the whole family direct to your email inboxes. Participants will receive a daily video reflection from Dr. Tim Gray and can opt in to add children's reflections from beloved animated character Brother Francis. Login to formed.org to sign up. Haven't signed up for your free FORMED account? Register at spxreynoldsburg. formed.org.



PHONES

Rectory and Church Office,	
Fr. David J. Young, Deacon John Vellani, Deacon Jim Kelly (<u>deaconkellyspx@gmail.com</u>),	
Michelle Carey, Leah Kelly, Judy Miller and Christina Zacovic	
Rectory Fax	
Cafeteria, Kim Laret	
Latchkey, Beth Antommarchi	
School, Darren Smith, Principal	
Children's Center, Sharon Miller	
Music Director, John Pottkotter	
Pastoral Minister and RCIA, Sr. Maxine Shonk	
Religious Education and Youth Ministry, De Ann Bukowski and Judie Bryant	

SAINT OF THE DAY FOR DECEMBER 21

Saint Peter Canisius (May 8, 1521-December 21, 1597)

Saint Peter Canisius' Story: The energetic life of Peter Canisius should demolish any stereotypes we may have of the life of a saint as dull or routine. Peter lived his 76 years at a pace which must be considered heroic, even in our time of rapid change. A man blessed with many talents, Peter is an excellent example of the scriptural man who develops his talents for the sake of the Lord's work.

Peter was one of the most important figures in the Catholic Reformation in Germany. He played such a key role that he has often been called the "second apostle of Germany," in that his life parallels the earlier work of Boniface.

Although Peter once accused himself of idleness in his youth, he could not have been idle too long, for at the age of 19, he received a master's degree from the university at Cologne. Soon afterwards, he met Peter Faber, the first disciple of Ignatius of Loyola, who influenced Peter so much that he joined the recently formed Society of Jesus.

At this early age, Peter had already taken up a practice he continued throughout his life - a process of study, reflection, prayer, and writing. After his ordination in 1546, he became widely known for his editions of the writings of Saint Cyril of Alexandria and St. Leo the Great. Besides this reflective literary bent, Peter had a zeal for the apostolate. He could often be found visiting the sick or imprisoned, even when his assigned duties in other areas were more than enough to keep most people fully occupied.

In 1547, Peter attended several sessions of the Council of Trent, whose decrees he was later assigned to implement. After a brief teaching assignment at the Jesuit college at Messina, Peter was entrusted with the mission to Germany – from that point on his life's work. He taught in several universities and was instrumental in establishing many colleges and seminaries. He wrote a catechism that explained the Catholic faith in a way that common people could understand - a great need of that age.

Renowned as a popular preacher, Peter packed churches with those eager to hear his eloquent proclamation of the Gospel. He had great diplomatic ability, often serving as a reconciler between disputing factions. In his letters - filling eight volumes - one finds words of wisdom and counsel to people in all walks of life. At times, he wrote unprecedented letters of criticism to leaders of the Church - yet always in the context of a loving, sympathetic concern.

At 70, Peter suffered a paralytic seizure, but he continued to preach and write with the aid of a secretary, until his death in his hometown of Nijmegen, Netherlands, on December 21, 1597.

Peter's untiring efforts are an apt example for those involved in the renewal of the Church or the growth of moral consciousness in business or government. He is regarded as one of the creators of the Catholic press, and can easily be a model for the Christian author or journalist. Teachers can see in his life a passion for the transmission of truth. Whether we have much to give, as Peter Canisius did, or whether we have only a little to give, as did the poor widow in the Gospel of Luke (see Luke 21:1-4), the important thing is to give our all. It is in this way that Peter is so exemplary for Christians in an age of rapid change when we are called to be in the world but not of the world. Saint Peter Canisius is the Patron Saint of: Germany



