



ST. PIUS X

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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.

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 www.catholic-foundation.org to learn how your bequest of cash, stock, real estate and/or insurance can help our endowment grow, giving our parish perpetual income.

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 - StPiusX@spxreynoldsburg.com

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) 866-2859

Parochial Vicar

Deacon Joseph Lemay Ext 102

Deacon Jim Kelly Ext 102

Brenda Brammer, *Business Manager*..... Ext 116

John Beyer,..... Ext 101

Asst Business Manager/Campaign Chair

Third Sunday of Lent**March 15, 2020****"I will give you a new Spirit," says the Lord****MASSES FOR MARCH 16-22, 2020****Monday**8:30 a.m. (FMK) ✠ Mary Hensel Ireland
by Patrick & Sharon Hensel**Tuesday**8:30 a.m. (FJK) Tom, Sue & Patty
by Mary Girard**Wednesday**8:30 a.m. (FDY) Michael/Tracy, Mark, David/
Tia by Mother**Thursday**8:30 a.m. (FDY) Senior Fellowship Group
by All Members**Friday**

8:30 a.m. (MPG) ✠ Mary Gaughan by Family

Saturday

3:30-4:45 p.m. Confessions

5:00 p.m. (FMK) ✠ Dominic Carlo
by Carlo Family**Sunday**8:30 a.m. (FDY) K of C Charter Anniversary
by K of C10:15 a.m. (MPG) Living & Deceased
Members of the Parish12:00 p.m. (FDY) Joseph Klare b
y John & Barb Kondziela**COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS****For the Week of March 8, 2020**

Budget Requirements:	\$ 20,000.00
Actual Offertory Received:	\$ 10,987.05
Weekly Surplus (Deficit):	\$ (9,012.95)

**EFT (Debit) Program:	\$ 1,025.00
Envelope Offering:	\$ 7,606.00
Cash Offering:	\$ 2,356.05

Total Offering:	\$ 10,987.05
Debit Program Participants:	45
Envelopes Used:	233

For the Month of March, 2020:

MTD Budget Requirements::	\$ 40,000.00
MTD Actual Offertory Received:	\$ 24,362.72
MTD Surplus (Deficit):	\$ (15,637.28)

YTD Budget Requirements:	\$ 696,000.00
YTD Actual Offertory Received:	\$ 671,688.16
YTD Surplus (Deficit):	\$ (24,311.84)

SCHOOL NEWS

On March 2nd, the SPX Blue Choir, made up of 6th, 7th and 8th graders, participated in the 13th Annual Diocesan Honor Choir event and concert at St. Matthew Church. The Honor Choir is made up of over 225 singers ranging from 4th-8th grades, with 14 different elementary schools participating in the event. The conductor and clinician was Sheila Cafmeyer, graduate of the Conservatory at Capital University and choir director at Ohio Dominican University. The concert program included selections that took listeners on a journey through Lent, Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday. We are extremely proud of all our students who worked hard to prepare and participate in this event.

NEWLY REGISTERED: Jeremy & Amanda Thomas; John, Heather & Jazek Beavers; Melissa Pratt; David Alianiello

NEWLY BAPTIZED: Olivia Reese Staten, daughter of Christopher & Hilary

IN OUR PARISH**COLD AND FLU SEASON:**

If you have cold or flu symptoms, a fever, or indications of any other type of contagious illness, please know that you are dispensed from your Sunday Mass obligation. If you are unsure about whether you are healthy enough to attend Mass, even that sincere uncertainty is sufficient reason for missing Sunday Mass. It is a true act of charity and virtue, when those with a contagious sickness forgo attending Mass, out of consideration for others! Frequent hand-washing, covering of mouth and nose when coughing and sneezing, and good habits of hygiene are all ways that express respect for others. If you come to Mass and realize that you are feeling ill (or think you may have been exposed to a virus), it is best to refrain from receiving the Blood of Christ from the chalice. In the same way, at the Sign of Peace, it is best for you to offer a wave or nod of the head, rather than a handshake or a hug. Likewise, if you are not comfortable sharing the Sign of Peace or receiving the Precious Blood at Holy Communion, for fear of infection, you should feel no pressure to do so. All parishioners should be aware of such sensitive matters in the life of our parish community, and expect that when some people refrain from the Sign of Peace and/or the Precious Blood, it is done out of care for our well-being (and not out of discourtesy or a lack of piety). With these things in mind, should you be unable to join us for Mass, I want you to know that Mass is broadcast live, every Sunday at 10:30 a.m., from St. Joseph Cathedral in Columbus, on St. Gabriel Radio: AM 820. Mass is also aired every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. on broadcast television (WWHO network), as well as on all local cable and satellite providers, on the CW Television Network. Thank you, Fr. Dave



THIS WEEK AT ST. PIUS X - MARCH 16-MARCH 22, 2020**Monday**

Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Bible Timeline (Morning)	Parish Center - Room C	9:30-11:00 a.m.
Divine Mercy Chaplet	Church	6:00 p.m.
Rosary for Sick	Church	6:30 p.m.
TMIY (Evening Session)	Parish Center - Room A	7:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Choir	Church	6:00-9:00 p.m.
Grief Support Meeting	Bride's Room	6:30 p.m.
K of C Business Meeting	Parish Center - Meeting Room	7:00 p.m.
School Board Meeting	Parish Center - Room A	7:00 p.m.
Bible Timeline (Evening)	Parish Center - Room C	7:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Adoration	Church	7:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.
Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Holy Hour with Confession	Church	12:00-1:00 p.m.
WWP	Parish Center	7:00 p.m.

Thursday

TMIY	Parish Center - Room A	5:30 a.m.
Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Children's Choir	Church	5:15-5:45 p.m.
Soup Supper	Parish Center - Room A	6:30-8:30 p.m.
RCIA	Parish Center - Meeting Room	7:00 p.m.
New Creation	Church-Bride's Room	7:00 p.m.

Friday

Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Fish Fry	Parish Center	5:00-7:30 p.m.
Stations of the Cross	Church	6:00 p.m.

Saturday

Men's FS/SS	Parish Center - Meeting Room	6:30-8:00 a.m.
Church Cleaning	Church	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Anointing of the Sick	Church-During Mass	5:00 p.m.
K of C Sale of Charity Tickets	Church	After Mass

Sunday

Anointing of the Sick	Church-During Mass	8:30 a.m.
K of C Sale of Charity Tickets	Church	After Mass
PSR	School	5:00-6:30 p.m.
WWP with Children	Parish Center - Meeting Room	5:00-6:30 p.m.

PHONES

Rectory and Church Office,

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Michelle Carey, Leah Kelly, Judy Miller and Christina Zacovic 614-866-2859

Rectory Fax 614-866-1499

Cafeteria, Kim Laret..... 614-866-1282

Latchkey, Beth Antommarchi..... 614-866-1848

School, Darren Smith, Principal..... 614-866-6050

Children's Center, Sharon Miller 614-577-0826

Music Director, John Pottkotter 614-501-0104

Pastoral Minister and RCIA, Sr. Maxine Shonk..... 614-866-2859

Religious Education and Youth Ministry, De Ann Bukowski and Judie Bryant 614-864-3505

EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS: Easter flower donations and names must be received by the parish office by Monday, March 30. The Easter bulletin will be submitted to the printing company on Friday, April 3. If you donate by Faith Direct, please put an envelope in the collection basket with the names you wish to be put in the bulletin as we will NOT receive this information before the bulletin deadline. Thank you.

EASTER BULLETIN DEADLINES: Articles for the April 5 (Palm Sunday) bulletin should be submitted by March 23 to the Rectory. Articles for the April 12 (Easter Sunday) bulletin should be submitted by March 30 to the Rectory.

ANointing OF THE SICK: Anointing of the Sick will take place on Saturday, March 21 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass and at the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, March 22.

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES RICE BOWL: Meet Yvone from Kenya. She learned proper nutrition and hygiene practices to help keep her healthy and in school. Yvone now has a chance to dream and the strength to follow those dreams. How can you ensure that young people in your community receive proper nutrition? Visit csrcebowl.org for more.

PARISH MISSION: We welcome back former parishioner Dan DeMatte as our Mission Director this year. Mark your calendars for March 29-31 and "Be Transformed!"



MILITARY OUTREACH:

This year, the Military Outreach Program will be sending care packages to deployed family members and relatives from St. Pius, Seton, Messiah Lutheran and the VFW Post 9473. The USO has requested that we adopt the USO Korea where they have soldiers stationed in remote and isolated locations with harsher conditions. Our donations will be greatly appreciated by those soldiers. The spring drive also supports various veteran and active military programs throughout the year. Slips of items to buy will be located on the bulletin board in the church vestibule. Items will need to be purchased and **returned before the 12:00 Mass on April 5.** We will have a plastic bin located in the main entrance vestibule to collect all of your military outreach donations. After the March 14 and 15 Masses, we ask that all cash donations be put into an envelope labeled "Military Outreach Program," then mailed to the parish rectory or put into the collection baskets at Mass. Just make sure to include them in an envelope with the name of our program. Cash donations will go towards care packages and shipping costs year round, and towards the local veteran programs we provide throughout the year. Do you have a military family member or relative deployed overseas? Do you have a veteran family member that you would like to honor, or do you have any questions regarding our program? Please contact Krista Schumacher at 614-323-7048 or delroshoe@yahoo.com. Thank you!

CANCELED! The Knights of Columbus Hohman Council 5253 Membership and Benefit Drive, Sunday, March 15 has been canceled.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: St. Pius X Grief Support Ministry, For I shall see you again.... John 16:22, will meet Tuesday, March 17, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the Bride's Room of the church. It is open to anyone who has experienced loss whether spouse, parent, child, sibling, relative or friend. It is a time for sharing with each other and helping each other in the pain of loss. It is open discussion and prayerful reflections.

NEW Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: If you are interested in becoming a NEW Lector or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, now is the time to sign up on the lists found on the table in the back of church. There will be two training sessions for each ministry. You will be required to attend **ONE** training session. Teens wishing to become an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion must be confirmed. The list will remain available until Monday March 30. Watch the bulletin for the dates and times of the upcoming training sessions in April. If you have any questions, contact Leah Kelly at 614-866-2859.

CURRENT Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: It is time to be recommissioned for these ministries for the next two-year period. If you **NO LONGER** wish to be a lector or extraordinary Minister of Communion, please indicate that intention on the sheets on the table in the back of church. Your name will be removed from the list! No action is necessary if you wish to remain in these ministries! The list will remain available until Monday, March 30.

CARRY THE CROSS:

"Iron sharpens iron, and one man sharpens another"
Proverbs 27:17 (RSVCE).

Calling all men of St. Pius X! On Holy Saturday, April 11th from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. the Armory (St. Pius X Men's Ministry) has organized a unique praying of the Stations of the Cross carrying a 10X6 foot cross made of 4x4 Cedar over an 8 mile round trip course along bike trails and streets of Reynoldsburg. If you feel you are up to the challenge for a morning filled with prayer, hymns and fellowship then please mark your calendars now. If you have any questions, please contact John Zacovic, jzacovic@insight.rr.com or 614-322-9473. *More to follow...*

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TO GIVE AWAY \$108,000.00:

On March 1, the Knights of Columbus launched their annual Super Cash Bonanza Charity Ticket Campaign for Charitable Causes. Tickets are \$5.00 each and will be available at Parish Fish Fry's, Night in Green and after all Masses on March 21/22. **Prizes awarded will be:** 1st Prize is \$414.00 a month for 10 years; 2nd Prize \$313.00 a month for 5 Years; 3rd Prize \$212 a month for 5 Years. There will be 22 additional cash prizes that will be given away, 25 Prizes in all! **Will you be one of the winners?**

2020 POST-CONFERENCE REPLAY AND REFLECTION

BREAKFAST: Did you miss this year's Catholic Women's or Men's Conference? or Would you like to share and reflect on the impact the conference had on you with others? Join the SPX Women's Ministry and the Armory for the **5th Annual Post-Conference Replay and Reflection Breakfast, Saturday, March 28th from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.** We will begin with adoration in the Church, followed by breakfast and plenty of time to replay/reflect or perhaps learn what was discussed at your conference in the Parish Family Center. There will be breakout sessions for the men and women and at the end we will come together as a combined group and share what was learned at each conference. There is no cost to attend. For more information, please contact John Zacovic at 614-322-9473 or jzacovic1@gmail.com

WOMEN - MARK YOUR CALENDARS! ST. PIUS X KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WOMEN'S CLUB...CARDS AND GAMES NIGHT. THEME: "SOCK IT TO ME." This event will be held on Tuesday, April 21, from 7:00-10:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Presale tickets will be sold at the Fish Frydays on March 20 and April 3. Table of 4 is \$35.00 and a table of 6 is \$50.00. Single tickets \$10.00. Watch future bulletins for more information on this fun evening for women!

WHAT SHE SAW CHANGED EVERYTHING

IN THEATERS EVERYWHERE MARCH 29
UNPLANNED
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"UNPLANNED," The Movie: The SPX Respect Life Group and Greater Columbus Right to Life will present the movie "UNPLANNED" on Wednesday, March 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the Msgr. Funk Parish Center. "UNPLANNED" highlights Abby Johnson's transition from Pro-Choice, and a former Planned Parenthood Director, to Pro-Life and a national spokesperson for the unborn. The movie is recommended for adults and older teens however, anyone under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Come and celebrate, with us, the Feast of the Annunciation (when Mary said "yes" to become the mother of Jesus) by opening up important family conversations about "life and death choices." Popcorn and lemonade will be provided throughout the evening.

ST. PIUS X AND K OF C LENT FISH FRYDAYS! Please come join us for our Lent Fish Frydays in the Msgr. David R. Funk Parish Family Center. Friday March 20 and April 3, from 5:00-7:30 p.m. Featured on the menu is Icelandic cod that is prepared breaded and fried or un-breaded and baked. Panko breaded shrimp, with fries, fresh batter hushpuppies, fresh Cole-slaw, peaches/applesauce, rice pilaf, and golden corn are the sides. Cheese pizza will also be served. Come and enjoy a Lenten tradition here at St. Pius X. Pricing is: Adults, \$11.00; Seniors, \$9.00; Children, \$6.00 and Family pricing \$35.00. Credit cards will be accepted.

CUSTODIAN/MAINTENANCE**TECHNICIAN OPENING AT ST. PIUS X:**

Saint Pius X, 40 hours per week. Custodian/Maintenance Technician. Qualifications for the position: The Custodian/Maintenance Technician is responsible for performing general cleaning and upkeep of assigned areas within the school facilities to include minor maintenance tasks. This includes hard floor cleaning, carpet vacuuming, cleaning and sanitizing all surfaces, waste removal, and some exterior maintenance, such as snow removal, and other related tasks as needed. Applicants must be able to work independently, paying close attention to detail, and perform all physical aspects of the job duties. Previous custodian or maintenance experience preferred but not required.

This is a full-time position with a work schedule of Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. At certain times, flexibility, and overtime may be required.

Must have on file or be able to pass a BCI/FBI Background Check prior to start date and completion of the VIRTUS "Protecting God's Children" training session.

Hourly rate is commensurate with education and experience. Benefits are according to Diocesan policy. If you are interested in the position, please send your resume and references to Scott Marsh, Maintenance Manager, at smarsh@cducation.org.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING FOR 2020 AND REFRESHER TRAINING:

Altar Server training is about to begin for this year! SPX school and PSR have handed out the applications to students in grades 3, 4, 5 and 6. Older children may obtain an application from the school office, PSR Directory, De Bukowski or from the Rectory. **These applications are due Friday, March 20.** Training will begin the first week of April. Applications will not be accepted once training has started. Children must attend all training sessions. Questions, call the Rectory at 614-866-2859. If you are a current altar server and would like to attend for a refresher in serving, please contact David Roby at david_robby@att.net.

CHURCH SIDEWALK UNDER REPAIR: Our sidewalk coming in and out of the Church will be repaired soon when the weather breaks. There has been some lifting by some old tree roots. Please be careful.

LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS**AND HOLY SPIRIT VIDEO SERIES:**

The Parish will be holding Lenten "Soup Suppers" on the Thursday's in March. Thursday, March 19 and 26 at 6:30-7:30 p.m. in Room A in the Parish Center (1-hour event). Come share a good and simple meal of homemade soup, crackers, bread and bottled water at 6:30 p.m. Then at 7:00 p.m., we will watch a half hour video from the "The Wild Goose" series about the Holy Spirit - produced by Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR. This is a free, family event -all ages welcome! Donations are accepted and 100% of the donations will go to the Parish Capital Campaign. Questions or to volunteer to make soup -please call/text/email Jeanne Swisher at swisherjf@gmail.com or 614-314-2428.

LENTEN REFLECTIONS

EXPERIENCE THE CATHOLIC FAITH IN A WHOLE NEW WAY

Set yourself up for a transformative 40 days with FORMED Lenten Reflections. Get daily videos from esteemed Scripture expert, Dr. Tim Gray, delivered right to your inbox. Don't miss a day of growing closer to our Lord. You don't have to be a Formed subscriber to view these short 3-minute videos. Simply register at formed.org/lent.

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AROUND TOWN

JOSEPHINUM SEMINARY

TO HOST SPRING "LIVE-IN" WEEKEND:

The Pontifical College Josephinum (www.pcj.edu) will host a spring live-in weekend from 4:00 p.m. Thursday, March 26, through 12:00 Noon Saturday, March 28, for young men of high-school and college age, along with men who already have their undergraduate degrees who are discerning a vocation to the priesthood. The live-in weekend is designed for participants to discuss and experience various aspects of seminary life – prayer and spirituality, academic classes, liturgies and communal life – and to speak with formation faculty, seminarians and staff. Discussions on human, spiritual and pastoral dimensions of seminary formation are part of the live-in experience. There is no cost associated with the live-in experience, however registration is required. For more information, please contact Father Michael Lumpe, Vice-Rector, at mlumpe@pcj.edu, or Arminda Crawford at acrawford@pcj.edu; both can also be reached by calling the Josephinum at (614) 885-5585. The Pontifical College Josephinum is located at 7625 North High Street, Columbus, 43235.



Capital Campaign Update - Phase II - Total Numbers as of March 10, 2020

Thank you to everyone who have participated in our Capital Campaign through pledges, prayers or both. Our goal, throughout this project, has been to build up our community, to strengthen the personal connections that unite us together, as a parish family, and to provide new ways to grow closer to Christ Jesus. Please join me in praying for God's continued blessings on our parish.

– Fr. Dave

Now we are moving forward into Phase II, which brings its own excitement and anticipation. In a culture of "go, go, go," the different aspects of Phase II invite us to slow down, to take a breath, and to rest in God's goodness: So, as you can see, the entire Phase II project is focused on building-up our parish: as a community of friendship with Christ, and as a communion of faith in Christ, with every person valued, and every family involved. Please...

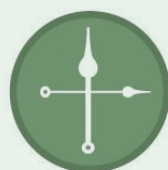
1) Continue to pray for the successful completion of Phase II of the Capital Campaign

2) Consider making a Phase II pledge, or possibly extending your pledge for a couple more years by \$500 or \$1000. If 176 families did a new pledge or extended their current pledge by \$1,000, we could start building. If 352 families did a new pledge or extended their current pledge by \$500, we could start building. It is up to all of you if we start the Phase II build next month or next year. Please review what you can do to make this happen soon. The Diocesan rules on Capital Campaigns states before we can start our build we must have 50% in cash, which we have, and 100% in pledges, which we are still collecting.

Phase I Pledges	\$ 2,952,180
Phase II Pledges	\$ 1,322,561
Total all Pledges	\$ 4,274,741
Total Cash Received	\$ 3,288,305
Balance Needed	\$ 176,179
Goal	\$ 4,450,920

Total new Pledges received since August 28, 2019 are \$367,536

Please consider a New Sacrificial Pledge or an extension of your pledge period. This is how we will complete Phase II. Pledge forms are in the pews and in the back of the Church at the Pledge Table. Please take a pledge form home and take some time to decide on your Sacrificial Pledge and return Next Weekend and put in the offertory basket or stop by and talk to John in the Rectory. Thank-you.



MINISTRY SCHEDULER PRO

Effective Ministry Scheduling

Contact Us: schedule@spxreynoldsburg.com; 614-390-4718 for those who do not use Internet/email. Contact schedule@spxreynoldsburg.com if you have any questions/need assistance. 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. Please do not respond to emails from the ministry scheduler. This is an automatic email.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE: MARCH 21-22, 2020

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – H: (2) – Pulpit side/ H: (2) – Organ side C: (3) – Pulpit side/ C: (3) – Organ side

5:00 p.m.	Dean Miles (PH-L), Cyndi Williams (PC-PC), Duane Wikoff (PC-PC), Judy Cafmeyer (PH), Mary Lynn Cummings (PC), Nancy Himmelsbach (OH), Donna Nesbitt (OH), Megan Berger (OC), Andrew Berger (OC), Valerie Hannahs (OC)
8:30 a.m.	Joyce Guth (PH-L), Gerald Cooke (PC-PC), Ann Cox (PC-PC), Karen Trainer (PH), Jeff Cox (PC), Ifeoma Uzoh-Anigbogu (OH), Regina Baughman (OH), Lorrie Croswell (OC), Sara Croswell (OC), Katherine Croswell (OC)
10:15 a.m.	Mary Girard (PC-PC), Valerie Bryan (PC-PC), Maggie Del Rosario (PH), Ed Holliday (PH), Amy Whetzel (PC), Susan Bryan (PC), Dorothy Ficocelli (OH), Vince Ficocelli (OH), Bob Briggs (OH), Shirley Callahan (OC), Rose Sauer (OC), De Ann Bukowski (OC), Denise Colucci (OC)
12:00 p.m.	Tim Puet (PH-L), Genet Redden (PC-PC), Sandy Puet (PC-PC), Juanita Rickman (PH), David Roby (PC), Carol Shown (OH), Jeanne Swisher (OH), Kim Connors (OC), Jon Caruso (OC), Daniel Gilmore (OC)

LINEN MINISTRY: Nancy Majerus

	5:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	10:15 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Lectors	Michael Berger Regina Courey	Michael Paszkiewicz Tammy Baron	Tod Gilmore Susan Gilmore	Tim Zack Ron Shown
Servers	Caroline Berger Ryan Bassetti Adam Fairchild	Cameron Hartley Nolan Hartley Cara Luallen	Tommy Gilmore Samuel Gilmore Luke Gilmore Jack Gilmore	Dominic Louiso John Cassanos Savannah Rowsey
Gift Bearers	Linda Marcum	Patrick Hensel Sharon Hensel	Mario Piciuccio Teresa Piciuccio	NOT FILLED
Greeters	Family Berger	Diane Cadegan	Family Gilmore	Vicky Mercer
Ushers	Jim Beck Bob Munjas Mike Angle Ken Marr	Richard VanHorn Ed Krause Joe Bauman Don McKenzie	John Callahan Brian Sauer Barb Fersch Gervase Ngalla	Wayne Wingard Mary Ann Wingard John Swisher John Kloch
Sacristan	Cyndi Williams	Cheryl Krolikowski Michael Krolikowski	Mary Girard	Mary Ann Wingard Wayne Wingard
Romans 12:13				

2010

ST. PIUS X

2020

★ MILITARY OUTREACH ★



Adoptee: USO Korea

Pick up a Full List in the Church Vestibule.

*Toiletries
Baby Wipes
Hand Sanitizer
Sunblock & Lip Balm
Eye Drops
Playing Cards
Ball Gloves & Balls
Protein Bars
Wrapped Candy & Gum
Flavored Beef Jerky
Small Wrapped Snacks
Sunflower Seeds
Microwave Food
Powder Drink Mix
Dry Soup (no pork)
Vitamins & Tylenol
Throw Blankets
Gel Shoe Insole
Small toys or games
Hand or Feet Warmers
Crossword / Sudoku*

SOME REQUESTED ITEMS

Our mission is to provide our deployed soldiers with support and the simple comforts of home, and to honor our veterans.

This program originated in 2005 by Seton and was expanded by St. Pius in 2010.

For more info. see the bulletins or contact Krista Schumacher at 614/323-7048.



2019 SORTING DAY

CASH DONATION PAYS FOR SHIPPING COSTS, CARE PACKAGES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, & OUR VETERAN OUTREACH PROGRAMS.

FINAL TURN IN OF ITEMS IS APRIL 5.

- Adopted soldiers at the USO Al Assad
- Shipped goodie boxes & Girl Scout cookies to deployed soldiers from SPX, Seton, & the VFW
- Worked with St. Vincent de Paul to provide local veteran homes with a food basket and Christmas gifts
- Partnered with Joseph's Coat & the Knitting & Crocheting Ministry to support Central Ohio Stand Down
- Worked with SPX Boy Scouts to create a Memorial Day Weekend flag display honoring our military and veterans
- Provided a gift of appreciation to our local veteran homes on Veteran's Day
- Shipped care packages created by Brownie troops & SPX Home & School
- Assisted SPX school in their Veteran's day event
- Assisted at the Buckeye Blue Star Mother's annual sorting event
- Provided grocery assistance to local veterans in need

2019 - A YEAR IN REVIEW

SAINT OF THE DAY FOR MARCH 17

Saint Patrick (c. 386-461)

Saint Patrick's Story:

Legends about Patrick abound; but truth is best served by our seeing two solid qualities in him: He was humble and he was courageous. The determination to accept suffering and success with equal indifference guided the life of God's instrument for winning most of Ireland for Christ.

Details of his life are uncertain. Current research places his dates of birth and death a little later than earlier accounts. Patrick may have been born in Dunbarton, Scotland, Cumberland, England, or in northern Wales. He called himself both a Roman and a Briton. At 16, he and a large number of his father's slaves and vassals were captured by Irish raiders and sold as slaves in Ireland. Forced to work as a shepherd, he suffered greatly from hunger and cold.

After six years Patrick escaped, probably to France, and later returned to Britain at the age of 22. His captivity had meant spiritual conversion. He may have studied at Lerins, off the French coast; he spent years at Auxerre, France, and was consecrated bishop at the age of 43. His great desire was to proclaim the Good News to the Irish.

In a dream vision it seemed "all the children of Ireland from their mothers' wombs were stretching out their hands" to him. He understood the vision to be a call to do mission work in pagan Ireland. Despite opposition from those who felt his education had been defective, he was sent to carry out the task. He went to the west and north—where the faith had never been preached—obtained the protection of local kings, and made numerous converts.

Because of the island's pagan background, Patrick was emphatic in encouraging widows to remain chaste and young women to consecrate their virginity to Christ. He ordained many priests, divided the country into dioceses, held Church councils, founded several monasteries and continually urged his people to greater holiness in Christ.

He suffered much opposition from pagan druids and was criticized in both England and Ireland for the way he conducted his mission. In a relatively short time, the island had experienced deeply the Christian spirit, and was prepared to send out missionaries whose efforts were greatly responsible for Christianizing Europe.

Patrick was a man of action, with little inclination toward learning. He had a rock-like belief in his vocation, in the cause he had espoused. One of the few certainly authentic writings is his *Confessio*, above all an act of homage to God for having called Patrick, unworthy sinner, to the apostolate.

There is hope rather than irony in the fact that his burial place is said to be in County Down in Northern Ireland, long the scene of strife and violence.

What distinguishes Patrick is the durability of his efforts. When one considers the state of Ireland when he began his mission work, the vast extent of his labors, and how the seeds he planted continued to grow and flourish, one can only admire the kind of man Patrick must have been. The holiness of a person is known only by the fruits of his or her work.

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