

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 - <u>StPiusX@spxreynoldsburg.com</u>

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday by noon

PARISH PASTORAL STAFF

Dial (614) 866-2859 & extension:

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Fr. Milton P. Kiocha,(61	14) 866-2859
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Deacon Joseph Lemay	Ext 102
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Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 22, 2020

Rejoice Jerusalem, and all who love her!

MASSES FOR MARCH 23-29, 2020

ALL MASSES HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Fr. Dave, Fr. Milton and Deacon Eugene Joseph will continue to offer a morning Mass and an evening Mass privately. They will pray for the Mass Intentions listed below in the morning and will pray for all St. Pius X parishioners in the evening. All Mass Intentions that have been scheduled will be prayed for.

Monday

8:30 a.m. (FMK) & Fr. Even Harkins by Maria Harkins

Tuesday

8:30 a.m. (FJK) ♥ Walter Early by Eloise Early

Wednesday

8:30 a.m. (FDY) Catherine; Lisa/David;

Ann/Wes by Mother

Thursday 8:30 a.m.

Living & Deceased (FDY)

Members of the Parish

Friday

(FDY) † William Sedlock 8:30 a.m.

by Pamela Craycraft

Saturday

5:00 p.m. (FMK) † Lilly Brousasard by Gerard & Angelina Broussard

Sunday

8:30 a.m. (FDY) & Giuseppe Babusci

by Cecelia Babusci

(FDY) & Eileen Moore 10:15 a.m.

by Joe & Theresa Moore

Living & Deceased 12:00 p.m. (FDY) Members of the Parish THIS WEEK AT ST. PIUS X -MARCH 23-29, 2020

All activities have been canceled until further notice

IN OUR PARISH

WHILE MASSES ARE SUSPENDED, A BULLETIN WILL CONTINUE TO BE PUBLISHED AND POSTED TO ST. PIUS X'S WEBSITE. PLEASE CONTINUE TO ACCESS OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION.

Thank you for supporting Helping Hands Food Pantry in February. Due to your generosity, 70 bags and boxes of food and toiletries were collected!



Helping Hands is requesting following items for March:

- Soup All varieties.
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Toilet paper, Deodorant, Shampoo, Conditioner and other toiletries are always needed.

Due to the Coronavirus emergency, donations cannot be left at the church or rectory. Please consider taking your donations directly to Helping Hands Food Pantry, 7356 E. Main Street, Reynoldsburg. Their hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, from 10:00 a.m. until noon. The food pantry phone number is 614-868-9394. Your donations are greatly needed at this time. Thank you and God bless you!

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

For the Week of March 15, 2020		For the Month of March 2020:	
Budget Requirements:	\$ 20,000.00	MTD Budget Requirements:	\$ 60,000.00
Actual Offertory Received:	\$ 13,384.00	MTD Actual Offertory Received:	\$ 37,746.72
Weekly Surplus (Deficit):	\$ (6,616.00)	MTD Surplus (Deficit):	\$ (22,253.28)
**EFT (Debit) Program:	\$ 8,511.50	YTD Budget Requirements:	\$ 716,000.00
Envelope Offering:	\$ 3,773.00	YTD Actual Offertory Received:	\$ 685,072.16
Cash Offering:	\$ 1,099.50	YTD Surplus (Deficit):	\$ (30,927.84)
Total Offering:	\$ 13,384.00		
Debit Program Participants:	155		
Envelopes Used:	100		

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES RICE BOWL: Maria Ana and her brothers receive one meal a day at school, so that they can focus on achieving their dreams. How was education important for your future? How can we ensure that all young people have a chance to be educated? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

ST. PIUS X AND K OF C LENT FISH FRYDAYS! - Canceled

PARISH MISSION - Postponed

LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS AND HOLY SPIRIT VIDEO SERIES - Canceled

CARRY THE CROSS - Canceled

2020 POST-CONFERENCE REPLAY AND REFLECTION BREAKFAST – Postponed

"UNPLANNED," The Movie - Postponed

MILITARY OUTREACH - POSTPONED: The Military Outreach Program has postponed their Spring Drive until further notice; all updates will be communicated through the bulletin. We will re-evaluate in 3 weeks and consider kicking off the Drive in late April or early May.

POSTPONED UNTIL A LATER DATE

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.

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. No action is required if you wish to remain in these Ministries.

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

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CUSTODIAN/MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN OPENING AT ST. PIUS X

Location: Saint Pius X Status: 40 hours per week Position: 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.-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 résumé and references to Scott Marsh, Maintenance Manager, at smarsh@cdeducation.org.

PHONES

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - "COATS FOR KIDS"

COAT DRIVE: The St. Pius X Knights of Columbus Council 5253 is again heading up the "Coats for Kids" Coat Drive benefiting the St. Francis Evangelization Center in McArthur, Ohio. We are requesting new and/or "slightly/gently" used and clean coats for children of all ages and sizes. If you are cleaning out your children's closets, please consider saving the coats that do not fit any longer. If you wish to purchase a new coat, you may be able to get one at a deep discount in stores or online as they are selling off last year's inventory at the present time.

Please keep your coats at home until the church reopens. There will be a box outside the choir room in the vestibule to put donated coats in. The Knights will then collect and sort the coats through the summer and will deliver the coats to the St. Francis Center in October just in time for winter.

Due to your generosity, last year St. Pius X delivered 140 coats to an area of Ohio that desperately needs them for winter. We are hoping to exceed that number this year. The Knights appreciate any help you are able to give to this worthy endeavor for the children of Perry County. Thank you. Knights of Columbus Council 5253.

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.



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Capital Campaign Update - Phase II -Total Numbers as of March 16, 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.

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 \$500.00 or \$1,000.00. If 176 families did a new pledge or extended their current pledge by \$1,000.00, we could start building. If 352 families did a new pledge or extended their current pledge by \$500.00, 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	1,322,814
Total all Pledges	\$ 4,274,994
Total Cash Received	\$ 3,290,809
Balance Needed	\$ 175,926
Goal	\$ 4,450,920

Total new Pledges received since August 28, 2019 are \$367,789.

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.

SAINT OF THE DAY FOR MARCH 21



Blessed John of Parma (1209–1289)

Blessed John of Parma's Story:

The seventh general minister of the Franciscan Order, John was known for his attempts to bring back the earlier spirit of the Order after the death of Saint Francis of Assisi.

He was born in Parma, Italy, in 1209. It was when he was a young philosophy professor known for his piety and learning that God called him to bid good-bye to the world he was used to and enter the new world of the Franciscan Order. After his profession, John was sent to Paris to complete his theological studies. Ordained to the priesthood, he was appointed to teach theology at Bologna, then Naples, and finally Rome.

In 1245, Pope Innocent IV called a general council in the city of Lyons, France. Crescentius, the Franciscan minister general at the time, was ailing and unable to attend. In his place he sent Friar John, who made a deep impression on the Church leaders gathered there. Two years later, when the same pope presided at the election of a minister general of the Franciscans, he remembered Friar John well and held him up as the man best qualified for the office.

And so in 1247, John of Parma was elected to be minister general. The surviving disciples of St. Francis rejoiced in his election, expecting a return to the spirit of poverty and humility of the early days of the Order. And they were not disappointed. As general of the Order, John traveled on foot, accompanied by one or two companions, to practically all of the Franciscan convents in existence. Sometimes he would arrive and not be recognized, remaining there for a number of days to test the true spirit of the brothers.

The pope called on John to serve as legate to Constantinople, where he was most successful in winning back the schismatic Greeks. Upon his return, he asked that someone else take his place to govern the Order. At John's urging, Saint Bonaventure was chosen to succeed him. John took up a life of prayer in the hermitage at Greccio.

Many years later, John learned that the Greeks who had been reconciled with the Church for a time, had relapsed into schism. Though 80 years old by then, John received permission from Pope Nicholas IV to return to the East in an effort to restore unity once again. On his way, John fell sick and died.

He was beatified in 1781.

In the 13th century, people in their 30s were middle-aged; hardly anyone lived to the ripe old age of 80. John did, but he didn't ease into retirement. Instead he was on his way to try to heal a schism in the Church when he died. Our society today boasts a lot of folks in their later decades. Like John, many of them lead active lives. But some aren't so fortunate. Weakness or ill health keeps them confined and lonely - waiting to hear from us.



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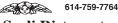
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