

Welcome to 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.

CELEBRATION OF HOLY MASS SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 4:30 PM • Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

HOLY DAY MASSES

Evening vigil as announced • On the day at 8:30 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Saturday 7:00 AM
8:30 AM, Rosary follows

CONFESSIONS

Monday-Friday 8:00-8:20 a.m. • Wednesday 12:00-1:00 PM • Saturday 3:00-4:00 PM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Monday-Friday from 8:00-8:20 AM, Wednesday from 12:00-12:45 PM during Holy Hour, Saturday from 3:00-4:00 PM, and by appointment by calling the rectory office.

WEDDINGS

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

BAPTISMS

Baptismal preparation classes for parents are held quarterly. Please register with the rectory for a class. Baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sundays of the month after Mass at 11:30 AM. Please call the rectory to schedule a date for baptism.

SICK CALLS

Please call the rectory office, (614) 866-2859, and follow the prompts. If you are homebound, please notify the rectory if you wish to receive Holy Communion.

ST. PIUS X OFFERTORY

Please complete and return in the offertory basket or church business office. Or you can register with Faith Direct to make recurring offertory or special gives by using the QR code to the right, or go online to membership.faithdirect.net/enroll/OH679/9. Thank you for your generosity!



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Faith Direct

PARISH PHONE NUMBER

(614) 866-2859

(614) 866-1499 – Fax

MAILING ADDRESSES

Rectory & Parish Business Office

1051 Waggoner Road, Reynoldsburg 43068

Email – StPiusX@spxreynoldsburg.com

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

PARISH PASTORAL STAFF

Dial (614) 866-2859 for

Rev. Fr. Patrick Watikha, AJ, PastorExt 104

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MBerger@columbuscatholic.org

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JcLemay@sbcglobal.net

Brenda Brammer, Business Manager Ext 116

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

SEPTEMBER 14, 2025

MASSES SEPTEMBER 15-21

Monday, September 15

8:30 a.m. Special Intention for all Members
of the St. Pius X Confraternity of
Christian Mothers by CCM

Tuesday, September 16

8:30 a.m. +Deceased Members of The
Swisher Family by Jeanne and
John Swisher

Wednesday, September 17

8:30 a.m. +Thomas Harkins
by Maria Harkins

Thursday, September 18

8:30 a.m. + Deceased Members of The Fabian
Family by Jeanne and
John Swisher

Friday, September 19

8:30 a.m. +Frank Lefebvre by Deacon
Michael and Megan Berger

Saturday, September 20

7:00 a.m. +Ron Girard by Mary Girard
4:30 p.m. +Msgr. David R. Funk
by the Ujcz Family

Sunday, September 21

8:00 a.m. Living and Deceased Members of
St. Pius X Parish
10:00 a.m. +Deceased Members of the Merz
Family by Bob and Lisa Outlaw

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

For the Week of September 7, 2025:

Budget Requirements:	\$ 18,000.00
Weekly Offertory Received:	\$ 8,236.07
Weekly Surplus (Deficit):	(\$ 9,763.93)
Debit Program:	\$ 416.00
Envelope Offering:	\$ 6,542.00
Loose Offering:	\$ 1,278.07
Total Offering:	\$ 8,236.07

For the Month of September 2025

MTD Budget Requirements:	\$ 18,000.00
MTD Actual Offertory Received:	\$ 8,236.07
MTD Surplus (Deficit):	(\$ 9,763.93)
YTD Budget Requirements:	\$ 193,000.00
YTD Actual Offertory Received:	\$ 163,498.72
YTD Surplus (Deficit):	(\$ 29,501.28)
Debit Program:	25
Envelopes Used:	123

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, September 15

Confessions	Church	8:00 a.m.
Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Women Ablaze (Morning)	Parish Center	9:00-11:00 a.m.
Rosary	Church	9:15 a.m.
Divine Mercy, Rosary for the Sick	Church	6:00 p.m.
That Man Is You	Parish Center, Mtg. Rm.	7:00-8:30 p.m.
Women Ablaze Fall Wine & Cheese Social	Parish Center	6:30-8:30 p.m.

SVDP Meeting

Church

7:00-8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 16

Confessions	Church	8:00 a.m.
Liturgy of Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Rosary	Church	9:15 a.m.
Youth Choir	Music Rm.	5:30-6:30 p.m.
K of C Fraternal Meeting	Parish Center, Mtg. Rm.	7:00-8:30 p.m.
Adult Choir	Music Rm.	7:00-8:30 p.m.
School Board Meeting	Library	7:00-8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 17

Confessions	Church	8:00 a.m.
Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Adoration	Sanctuary/Chapel	9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
Rosary	Church	9:15 a.m.
OCIA Team Meeting	Parish Center	4:30-5:00 p.m.
OCIA	Parish Center	5:00-8:00 p.m.
Praise & Worship Adoration	Church	7:00-9:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 18

That Man Is You	Parish Center, Rm. A	6:00-7:30 a.m.
Confessions	Church	8:00 a.m.
Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Rosary	Church	9:15 a.m.
Eucharistic Missionary Formation	Parish Center, Rm. A	9:30-11:00 a.m.
Blood Drive	Parish Center	12:00-6:00 p.m.
Mass (Columbus, OH)	Cherry Blossom	1:00 p.m.
Eucharistic Missionary Formation	Parish Center, Rm. A	7:00-8:30 p.m.
New Creation Practice	Music Room	7:00 p.m.

Friday, September 19

Confessions	Church	8:00 a.m.
Liturgy of the Hours	Church	8:00 a.m.
Rosary	Church	9:15 a.m.
Friends Across Time	Parish Center	10:30-11:30 a.m.

Saturday, September 20

Women's Retreat	Church/Parish Center	7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
FIAT Mothers Group	Church	8:00 a.m.
K of C Mexican Dinner	Parish Center	After Mass

Sunday, September 21

OCIA Script. Studies	Parish Center, Mtg. Rm.	10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Rosary after 10:00 a.m. Mass	Church	11:30 a.m.
Vespers	Church	4:00 p.m.
Youth Ministry	Gym	6:00 p.m.



VOCATIONS PRAYER

In every age, Lord, You raise up women and men who are strong in their faith and bold in their actions to give witness to the Gospel. Fill St. Pius with Your Spirit and give us a burning desire to make a difference in our world because of our love for You. Bless our Church with holy and courageous priests, deacons, religious sisters and brothers, devoted married couples, dedicated single men and women and enthusiastic youth. We ask in Jesus' name. Amen.

PARISH INFORMATION

Newly Joined Members:

Austin, Jennifer, Samuel, Henry and Charles Schorr

Updating Our Parish GuideBook & Directory!

It's that time again...our **St. Pius X GuideBook & Directory** is getting a fresh update for 2026! Help us keep our parish family connected by making sure your information is accurate and up to date.

- ✔ **Have you moved or changed your phone number?**
- ✔ **Do you have children who are now over 21 or no longer living at home?** (They should register on their own as adults.)
- ✔ **Do you know a parish family that has recently moved?**
- ✔ **Are you a chairperson of a parish ministry or group?** Please review your listing to be sure the **chairperson's name, contact information, and a clear description of your ministry's mission and work at St. Pius X** are correct and up to date.

Deadline: All updates must be received by Friday, October 10, 2025.

If you have updates, please call our **Parish Business Office/ Rectory** at **614-866-2859, ext. 102** or email **KChilicki@spxreynoldsburg.com**.

Let's work together to keep our parish directory a true reflection of our vibrant, faith-filled community! ❤️💛

Church Flooring Project Update

We are excited to share that planning for our new church flooring is underway. At this stage, we are meeting with flooring companies and determining the best selection for the church based on parishioner survey results. We will keep you updated as the project moves forward.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation during these next few months as we work through this process.

All our best,
Parish Office

THE APPEAL 2025, Your Gift Makes a Lasting Impact

Thank you to all who have already given so generously to this year's Diocesan Appeal! If you haven't had the chance yet, it's not too late to join us in making a difference. Together, our support touches countless lives through ministries and services that bring hope, healing, and faith to those in need.

Our parish goal is **\$166,773.26** – and when we work together as one parish family, we can reach it! Even better, every dollar we raise over our goal comes directly back to St. Pius X. This year, those funds will help us enhance our church by installing comfortable padded kneelers, improving the worship experience for everyone.

Please prayerfully consider how you can be part of this important mission. Every gift matter and brings us closer to our goal. Thank you for your kindness, your prayers, and your unwavering support of our parish and the broader Church.

St. Pius X Goal: \$166,773.26

Pledged: \$89,610.00

Paid to date: \$66,506.81

Paid Amount Remaining to Goal: \$100,266.45

Pledged Amount Remaining to Goal: \$77,163.26

If St. Pius X does not meet the goal set for us by the diocese, the difference yet to be owed will be an additional expense assessed to our Church.



WAYS TO GIVE

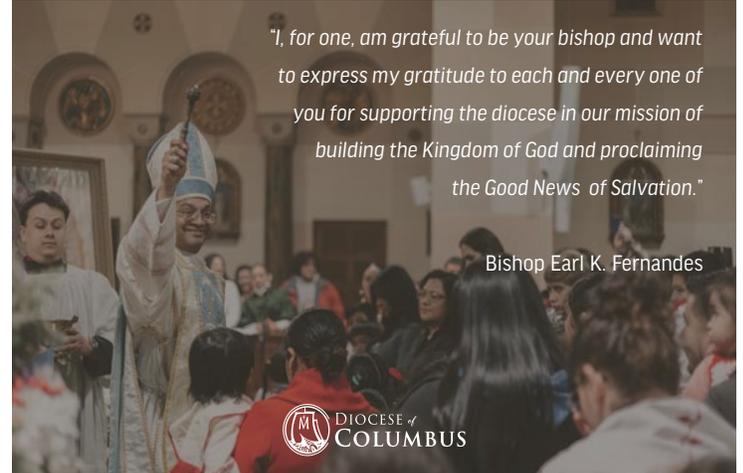
PARISHES THAT EXCEED THEIR PARISH GOAL WILL RECEIVE 100% OF EXCESS FUNDS.

ONLINE
Visit www.columbuscatholicgiving.org/appeal or scan the QR code.

MAIL
Complete the pledge envelope and mail it to The Appeal, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio, 43215. Please make checks payable to "The Appeal - Parish Name".

AT YOUR PARISH
Place your pledge envelope in your parish's offertory and your parish leadership team will ensure it is sent to the diocese. When giving through your parish, please make checks payable to "(Parish Name) - Appeal."

QUESTIONS
Please contact Sue Roberts at 614-241-2550 or sroberts2@columbuscatholic.org or Kelly Cooley, kcooley3@columbuscatholic.org.



"I, for one, am grateful to be your bishop and want to express my gratitude to each and every one of you for supporting the diocese in our mission of building the Kingdom of God and proclaiming the Good News of Salvation."

Bishop Earl K. Fernandes



FEAST DAY FESTIVAL APPRECIATION

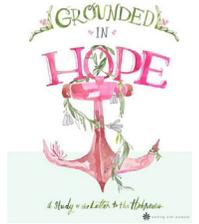
This event wouldn't be possible without all of YOU! Thanks to all who helped out in any capacity. You truly make a difference!!

THANK YOU
TO ALL OF OUR VOLUNTEERS WHO HELPED MAKE THE FEAST DAY FESTIVAL A GREAT SUCCESS AND SO MUCH FUN! WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOU!

Hilary	Lisa	Zee	Clayton	Colleen	Mrs. Z.
Ashley	Olivia	Jessica	Logan	Joe	Mrs. Ruth
Emma	Eleanor	DeAnne	Leah	David	Mrs. Canfield
Jeff	Matteo	Leslie	Emily	Lindsey	Mrs. B
Ca'Rita	Tim	Edith	Emmett	Nate	Mrs. Leon Banos
Issy	Kole	Gary	Caitlin	Matt	Mrs. Farrell
Mary	Ryan	Tod	Rachelle	Donna	Mr. Frase
Shelley	Scott	Jennifer	Chandler	Koyla	Mr. Marsh
Ashley	Amara	Valerie	Jeremy	Hannah	Mrs. Miller
Rebecca	Patricia	Gillian	Abigail	Jared	Mr. Miller
Killian	Avery	Faten	Jessica	Dennis	Mr. Haas
Rocco	Zeena	Crystal	Abbie	Anthony	Mrs. Laird
Sara	Merissa	Grethel	Jensen	Tommy	Mrs. Hilyer
Ben	Krista	Abby	Faye	Nash	Hartley
Payton	Tina	Tiffany	Laura	Adrian	Soccer
Keegan	Nina	Christina	Joey	Michael	Noah
Benny	Danielle	Emmanuel	Skylar	Mr. Sharpe	Tom
Ron	Brooklyn	Corinne	Kim	Tim	Vacations Fair
	Joe	Chiamaka	Regina	Mr. Kehres	Mark
	David	Tie Dye	Ifeoma	Mrs. Hayson	Volunteers
	Bridget	Jason	Station	Mrs. Trainer	Girl Scout
	Jamie	Volunteers	Shane	Eddie	Savannah
				Megan	The Scharr's
					Cake Decorators

****EVENING SESSION****

Have you grown weary as you run your race and need encouragement to persevere? Join us for the Walking with Purpose Bible Study, *Grounded In Hope*. We will journey through the book of Hebrews, where we will encounter some of the most beautiful passages in Scripture. If your deepest desire is to know Jesus with greater intimacy and trust Him as your true source of hope, this Bible Study is for you!



September 22, 2025 – Lent 2026
7:00-8:30 p.m. in the Msgr. Funk Parish Center
Book Title: *Grounded In Hope*
Purchase at the Walking with Purpose Website.

REYNOLDSBURG HELPING HANDS

Reynoldsburg Helping Hands Food Pantry is very grateful to St. Pius X Parish for your continued support. Your donations provide many meals for our families each month.



For the month of August, we received 29 bags and 2 boxes of food from St. Pius X! Thank you!

The following items are requested for September:

- Chunky soups – all varieties
- Canned Pasta – no meat
- Instant Oatmeal – individual servings
- Canned Beef Stew or Chicken and Dumplings
- Boxed Jello or Pudding

Our collection weekend will be September 27th-28th. Thank you and God Bless You!

SPX MUSIC MINISTRY

Youth Choir

Join Grades 1-8 in song!

Our first rehearsal is
9/16/25 5:30-6:15pm

We will:
Sing at mass monthly
Practice weekly
Learn about music in the liturgy

Sing different styles of music

Make announcements
Have fun!

Contact Mrs. V!
kvichinsky@spxreynoldsburg.com
for more information

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

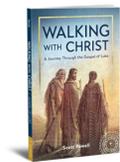
September 14th –
Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross



Today's Gospel reminds us of God's great love for each of us, a love so great that He sent His son not to condemn the world, but to save it, so that we might have eternal life. **Is there a neighbor or friend of yours who is in temporary need because of a loss of job or an illness? Please contact the church office...the St. Vincent de Paul Society wants to help!** In the month of August, through your gifts of \$1,943.00, our ministry brought the love and care of Jesus to the poor by assisting families providing \$400.00 in food, \$1,434.84 for utility assistance, \$750.00 to avoid evictions and \$658.49 to local food pantries, etc. *Lord Jesus, You willed to become poor, give us eyes and a heart directed toward the poor; help us to recognize you in them in their thirst, their hunger, their holiness, and their misfortune. Amen.*

Bible Study Group Fall Events

Questions? Contact: Jeanne Swisher, 614-314-2428 or email, swisherjf@gmail.com or Tina Banaski, 614-296-4965 or email, banaskit@gmail.com.



We invite you to take this journey with us, as we study together the book, *Walking with Christ: A Journey Through the Gospel of Luke*, by Scott Powell. We hope that this book study will help enhance your knowledge and develop your own personal insights on the key parables, events, and themes in the

Gospel of Luke through reading, reflection and group discussion. Join us as we walk with Christ through His birth and early years, through His public ministry, Passion, death, and triumphant Resurrection. Be awakened by the truth of how Jesus, the Messiah, fulfills the Old Testament prophecies and become fully aware of how the Holy Spirit is working in our lives as he did in the life of Jesus. Gain a deeper understanding of who He is, and how He calls us to follow in His example and invites us into a meaningful relationship with Him. (There will be light reading involved, but no other homework.)

September 22, 2025-January 19, 2026, with holiday breaks. 10:00-11:30 a.m. – 13 sessions – in the Msgr. Funk Parish Center. Book Title: *Walking with Christ: A Journey Through the Gospel of Luke*. Purchase at the Ascension Press website or on Amazon – \$15.00.





St. Pius X Men’s Ministry



“To Restore All Things in Christ”

THAT MAN IS YOU!

Monday 09/15, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

In the Family Center: Blessed Mother Room

Worthy of the Call

Session 2: Worthy of the Call

Speaker: John Sablan

*Am I living a life worthy of the call...am I prepared for the battle
Christ is our example of true manhood*

Thursday 09/18, 6:00 to 7:30 AM

In the Family Center: Room B

Apostles of the New Springtime

Session 2: Reasons for Hope – Mysteries of the Rosary: Glorious

Speaker: Mark Hartfiel

*The Cross appeared as a failure...now over a billion Catholics
There are good reasons to believe...must have a reason for our hope*

Questions, contact John Zacovic: jzacovic1@icloud.com.

To register visit: www.paradisusdei.org/that-man-is-you

Men’s Scripture Study and Faith Sharing

Saturday 09/20 - 7:30 to 9:00 AM (every other Sat)

In the Family Center: Blessed Mother Room

A continental breakfast is offered

Questions, contact Mike Paszkiewicz: mpptip@twc.com



Knights of Columbus®

Parish [Fiesta!] Mexican Dinner -Saturday, SEPTEMBER 20th...
Please join the fun!

- The Parish and Knights of Columbus are celebrating a Fiesta by hosting a delicious Mexican meal on Saturday, September 20th from 5:30-7:30 p.m. in the Parish Center.
- The menu consists of chicken or beef tacos, enchiladas, refried beans, chips, sala, guacamole and hot/cold beverages.
- \$12.00/adult, \$5.00/kids, and \$40.00/family.
- Cash/check/credit cards are all accepted. Dine-in or Take-out

All invited! All welcome! Bring the whole family!

COATS FOR KIDS’ DRIVE



HOSTED BY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 5253



**BENEFITING: ST. FRANCIS EVANGELIZATION CENTER
— McARTHUR, OHIO**

GOAL: COLLECTING 200 CHILDREN’S COATS BY OCTOBER

WE’RE COLLECTING:

- NEW OR GENTLY USED
- CLEAN, COLD-WEATHER COATS
- ALL SIZES — FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES



DROP-OFF LOCATION: PLACE COATS IN THE COLLECTION BIN AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH, THROUGH THE DOUBLE DOORS NEAR THE HOLY FAMILY STATUE



THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!

**Scott Banaski
614.565.4815**

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION REGISTRATION:

Grow in Faith with SPX PSR!

A new year of the Parish School of Religion has started for students in Pre-K through 8th grade! Registration packets are available in the rectory, and you can also register online at our parish website. Our **Director of PSR, Joe Filous**, is excited for his second year leading this program and will be glad to answer any questions: JFilous@spxreynoldsburg.com or **614-866-2859, ext. 127**.

We need YOU**✦Support J.O.I.N. – Serving Families Across the Diocese✦**

Did you know that J.O.I.N. (Joint Organization for Inner-City Needs) provides vital emergency assistance to families all throughout the Diocese of Columbus? Operating under the Office of Catholic Charities, J.O.I.N. offers compassionate help when it is needed most.

Their assistance includes support with prescriptions, personal care and household items, diapers, birth certificates, and even utility expenses. This ministry is a lifeline for so many in our community.

We at St. Pius X are proud to partner in this mission! 🙌 You can help by donating items such as:

- Personal care products (soap, shampoo, toothpaste, deodorant, etc.)
- Household goods (cleaning supplies, laundry detergent, paper products)
- Diapers and wipes
- Other basic necessities for daily living

All donations may be placed in the marked bins at the back of the church 🏠. Every item collected goes directly to J.O.I.N., located downtown at **578 East Main Street, Columbus, OH 43215**.

🙏❤️ Thank you, parish family, for your continued generosity! Together, we can make a difference and shine the light of Christ in the lives of those who need it most.

EXTENDING CHRIST'S LOVE:**Monthly Senior Living Communities Masses & Ministry to the Homebound**

St. Pius X is blessed to extend the Eucharist and pastoral care beyond our church walls to those in local senior communities. Each month, our parish presides at Mass in four area residential care facilities, offering comfort, connection, and the presence of Christ to our faith-filled brothers and sisters who are no longer able to attend parish Mass in person.

Monthly Senior Living Mass Schedule:

- **First Thursday of every month – 1:00 p.m.** – *Wesley Ridge*
2225 Taylor Park Drive, Reynoldsburg – lec.org
- **Second Thursday of every month – 1:15 p.m.** – *Tuscany Gardens*
7400 Hazelton Etna Road, SW, Pataskala – tuscany-gardens.net
- **Third Thursday of every month – 1:00 p.m.** – *Cherry Blossom Senior Living*
79 Blossom Field Boulevard, Columbus – continentalseniorcommunities.com
- **Fourth Tuesday of every month – 1:00 p.m.** – *Inn at Summit Trail*
8115 Summit Road, Reynoldsburg – innatsummittrail.com

These Masses are a cherished part of our parish's mission, reminding us that no member of the Body of Christ is ever forgotten. Sharing the Sacraments with our elderly and homebound parishioners brings immeasurable joy and spiritual nourishment to all involved.

If you have a Catholic family member, friend, or neighbor who is hospitalized, recovering from surgery, homebound, or residing in a skilled nursing or assisted living facility and cannot attend Mass, please contact the parish office at **614-866-2859**. We will reach out to schedule a visit and bring them Holy Communion regularly. Our ministry team can also arrange for a priest to offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick.

Even when not physically present at Mass, these individuals remain an essential part of our parish family, and we are committed to ministering to them with compassion and care.

If you feel called to serve or want to learn more about the **St. Pius X Homebound and Sick Ministry**, please reach out to **Deacon Michael Berger** at mberger@columbuscatholic.org or contact the parish rectory. Let us continue to be a parish that brings the light and love of Christ to every corner of our community.

JOSEPH'S COAT: COOKIE SALE HELP!

🍪 **COOKIE SALE TO BENEFIT**

JOSEPH'S COAT 🌲

It'll be here before we know it! The planning begins for our beloved holiday tradition of the **St. Pius X Cookie Sale** to support **Joseph's Coat**.

Do you hear what I hear?! It's the joyful jingle of Christmas bells and the sweet aroma of cookies baking in the oven – and that means it's almost time for our annual cookie sale!

This cherished event can only happen with the help of many caring hands. This year, we are in need of:

- **A new parish coordinator** to serve as the main contact person.
- **Cookie bakers** willing to share their favorite holiday treats.
- **Volunteers** to assist with baker sign-ups, packing, putting boxes together, and selling after Masses.

👉 **Sign-ups to bake cookies will be held the weekend of November 22–23 after all Masses.**

Our **sale weekend is December 20 & 21, 2025**. Your generosity not only spreads Christmas cheer but also helps us continue to serve families in need through Joseph's Coat. Whether you can bake a batch, pack a box, or step up as the event coordinator, your time and talent will make a difference!!

✦ If you're interested in helping, please contact the parish office. Together, we can make this year's cookie sale the sweetest success yet!

**St. Pius X Catholic Church and Hallow Partnership**

Our Parish has partnered up with Hallow to unite our community together in prayer. We are excited to have a Launch Event coming soon and commit our parish to various Prayer Challenges throughout the year. The Hallow partnership also gives access to our Custom Parish Page that will include our Parish Wide Prayer Challenges, small groups, giving campaigns, and Broadcast Messages. Look forward to more details about this Partnership with Hallow as we launch next month, but for now join our Hallow Parish Page.

Our Hallow parish page is now launched! To join our parish page, download the Hallow app and then click on the Community Tab at the bottom. Select "Find a Church" and search for our parish by zip code/name (43068/St. Pius).



EVENINGS WITH THE MERCIFUL JESUS

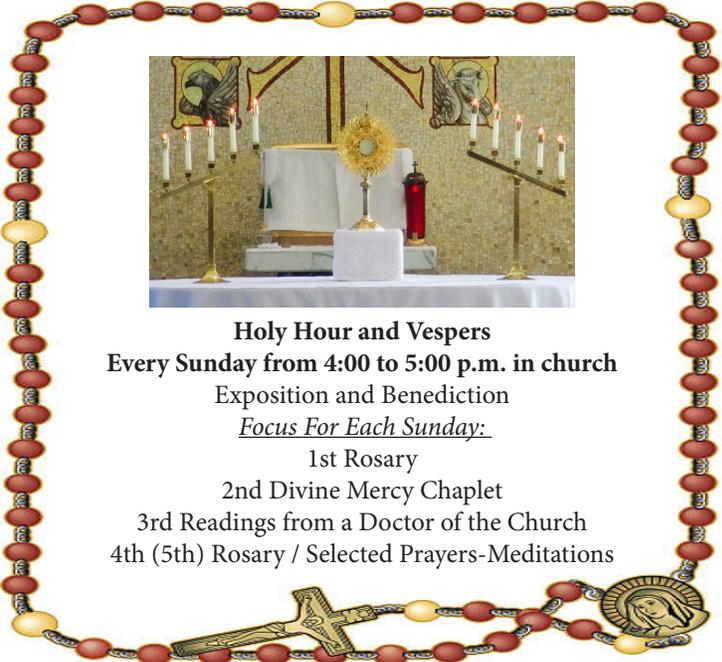
PRAISE & worship

ST. PIUS X CATHOLIC CHURCH
7PM-9PM
SEPTEMBER 17TH
OCTOBER 22ND
NOVEMBER 19TH
DECEMBER 18TH

JANUARY 21ST
FEBRUARY 25TH
MARCH 18TH
APRIL 22ND
MAY 20TH



JOIN US AT ST. PIUS X FROM 7PM-9PM FOR AN EVENING OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP WITH EUCHARISTIC ADORATION, THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET, AND GUEST SPEAKERS LIKE SR. FELICITY WOLF, OP, SR. MARY GRACE LANGRELL, SV AND MORE.




Holy Hour and Vespers
Every Sunday from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. in church
Exposition and Benediction
Focus For Each Sunday:
1st Rosary
2nd Divine Mercy Chaplet
3rd Readings from a Doctor of the Church
4th (5th) Rosary / Selected Prayers-Meditations

OCIA

“Is God Touching Your Heart?” Do you want to learn about the Catholic faith? Do you want a deeper understanding of your faith? Are you a baptized Catholic yet have not received all the sacraments? Do you have a family member or friend you would like to introduce to the Catholic faith? Have you been thinking about joining the Church? Interested or want more information? **Contact Deacon Joseph LeMay at jclemay@sbcglobal.net or 660-233-2289.**




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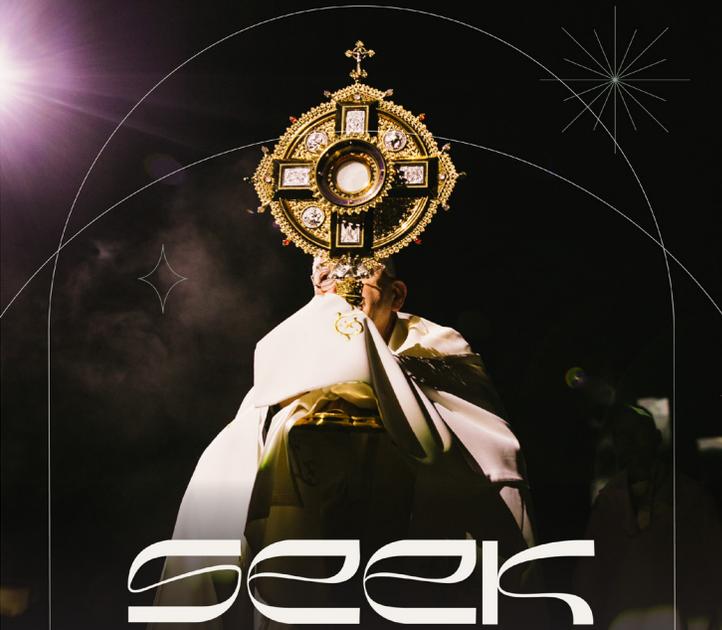
Register by August 18 to grab an Early Bird discount



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MASS + ADORATION + CONFESSION

TOGETHERINHOLINESS.ORG/COLUMBUS



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January 1-5, 2026



seek.focus.org

Learn More & Register Now



ST. PIUS X CATHOLIC CHURCH

1051 S Waggoner Rd.
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THIS AND THAT

“The Word Among Us” (\$2.00) and “Living Faith” (\$1.00) publications are available in the Rectory Office.

All Donation Bins are now located at the side entrance (back of church through the double doors by the Holy Family statue. Please do not leave donations in the Narthex/Vestibule). The donation bins are for very specific causes that are most likely mentioned in the bulletin. It has come to our attention that random items are being left in the bins that should be given to St. Vincent de Paul, which has a box at the back of the parking lot. If you are not donating to the Food Pantry, Coats for Kids (new or gently used and laundered), Adopt-A-Child School Supplies, JOIN or Military Outreach (when requested). **PLEASE, DO NOT** leave your random bags of clothing or housewares in these bins for us to move; take them to the back of the parking lot for SVDP. Thank you.

Lost & Found is located in the Narthex/Vestibule near the Quieting Room.

SCAMMERS AT IT AGAIN... Emails/Text Messages from Fr. Patrick Scamming emails have started again, this time with Fr. Patrick. If you receive an email from Fr. Patrick asking you to contact him, asking you for a favor or asking you for gift cards of any sort, please do not answer these emails. As much as everyone wants to please the pastor, Fr. Patrick **WOULD NEVER** and **WILL NEVER** send an email out to you for these things. Scammers are using bogus email addresses to pose as him. Please pay attention to the email address that the email is coming from. If or when you receive an email from Fr. Patrick, please call the Business Office right away and give the office the specific email address that the email was sent from so that we can report it.

Donation Envelopes: Please, please **DO NOT** leave your donation envelopes in the big white mailbox in the parking lot at any time of the day. The locked black mailbox is located on the railing of the front porch next to Rectory’s front door that you can use. We are not responsible if the mailman gets your money!

New Parishioner Registration: Register online from SPX website or visit the Rectory for a registration form. We encourage all who attend Masses to formally register with St. Pius X Church to become a member.

JOIN Donations: Any small-size items, such as toothpaste, toothbrushes, mouthwash, soap, shampoo, and lotions, are always needed and appreciated for the needy. Please use the JOIN donation bin to put your items in.

JOSEPH’S COAT: Please consider volunteering your time with this organization to help the needy. Household goods & mattresses, etc., are in great need. Please be a benefactor to Joseph’s Coat by visiting www.josephs-coat.org for additional information on how to donate or call 614-863-1371.

Lending Library: This library of books is located in the Vestibule/ Narthex of the church on the bookcases. Please feel free to take a book to read and return it when finished.

St. Pius X Church Prayer Chain: Still active and operating. Overseen/handled by Christina Zacovic. Please send intentions or requests to Christina via email at CZacovic@spxreynoldsburg.com or phone at 614-866-2859, ext. 112.

St. Pius X Church & School
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Thursday, September 18, 2025
12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

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Can't get to Mass on a regular basis?

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Bulletin Deadline to the Business Office:

Monday at Noon.

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AROUND TOWN**RADIO FUN THAT WILL LEAVE YOU SMILING (September 17th-19th).**

Fr. Gotfried Emmanuel Mulisa will be on the radio on **Friday, September 19, 2025 at 11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.**

Fr. Gotfried Emmanuel will be on AM 820 rallying support for our local Catholic radio station while competing in a live radio game. For every donation made in his name prior to or during the **AM820** radio event, Fr. Gotfried Emmanuel's team will receive additional shots.

If you donate prior to September 17th you will be entered into a special pre-event drawing to win **two (2) OSU Football Tickets!**

To make a donation, call **614-459-4820** or go online to StGabrielRadio.com.

SURVIVING DIVORCE

Saint Peter Saint Joan of Arc Parish is starting a video series titled "Surviving Divorce" this fall. Surviving Divorce is for men and women seeking healing from separation and divorce. This twelve-week series can help bring healing for newly separated and those still struggling with issues years later. The first session will be **Thursday, September 18 from 7:00-9:00 p.m.** We will gather at the Saint Joan of Arc Campus in Rooms 11 and 12. For more information or to sign up, please contact survivingdivorce@spsjoa.org.

SACRED MUSIC CLASSES

You are invited to an introduction to Sacred Music offered by Dr. Nicole Simental at the St. Thomas More Newman Center on The Ohio State University campus. Classes are offered **each Wednesday, through November 19, 2025, from 6:30-7:30 p.m.** Have you ever wondered why certain music is sung at Mass as opposed to other types of music? Then this class is just for you! Some of the topics will include: What is Sacred Music and why it is important; what is our role in the Liturgy in regard to music; sacred music in practice and why we should care. This will be supported by taking a deeper look at the treasures of the Church all supported by Church documents on Sacred Music in the Liturgy. This course will also help us to unite our prayers through music more fully in the Mass. This class is for all – no musical experience necessary. Email Dr. Nicole Simental at @NicoleSimental.

St. Mary Magdalene Church Athletic Assoc in Columbus is sponsoring a one-day bus trip to South Bend, Indiana for the Notre Dame vs. North Carolina State football game on **Saturday, October 11th at 3:30 p.m.**

Cost is \$275.00 per person which includes bus, ticket, sandwiches, snacks, soft drinks.

Children accompanied by parent are welcome. Less than 20 spots still available.

If you are interested in the Notre Dame trip, contact Julius Palazzo at Jmpalazzo@juno.com or 614-946-5729.

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH PASTA DINNER

Holy Family Catholic Church invites you to their annual Pasta Dinner Parish Fundraiser on **Saturday, October 11, 2025, from 6:00-8:00 p.m.** Mass will be offered at 4:00 p.m., followed by a talk from Fr. Michael. Dinner is served at 6:00 p.m. in the undercroft. Tickets can be purchased through the parish office. Contact: holyfamilyccm@gmail.com or call 614-221-4323.

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MINISTRY SCHEDULE: SEPTEMBER 20 & 21

For all parishioners who are involved in the Mass on the weekends, we have begun using Ministry Scheduler Pro, as we did several years ago before Covid. The weekly schedules will now be in the bulletin each week. It is requested that you always use the Sub Request feature if you are unable to honor your scheduled time AND that you **continue to enter your unavailable times in MSP**. Any questions, please email Teresa Iannaggi at teresaispx2024@yahoo.com.

	SACRISTAN	LECTOR	EMHC	SERVER	THURIFER	USHER
Saturday, September 20 4:30 p.m.	Carol Summa	Donna Nesbitt (1) Ashley Schmelzer (2)	Patty McMenemy – Ambo Host (EMHC 1) Meghan Swails – Organ Host (EMHC 1)	Lillian Guifoyle Sean Swails Jennsen Swails		Mike (3) Angle Ken (4) Marr Chris (6) Bailey Mike (9) Holt
Sunday, September 21 8:00 a.m.	Michael Paszkiewicz	Linda Dlugiewicz (1) Mary Vail (2)	Paul Bratz, Jr. – Ambo Host (EMHC 1) Rick Terranova – Organ Host (EMHC 1)	Dean Himmelberg Ethan Miller Klara Tolkendorf		David Dlugiewicz Michael Krolikowski Cheryl Krolikowski NOT FILLED
Sunday, September 21 10:00 a.m.	Mary Girard	Yolanda Holliday (1) John E. Goetz (2)	April Heydinger – Ambo Host (EMHC 1) Gary Heydinger – Organ Host (EMHC 1)	Alex Frase Justin Frase Elle Frase	Sammy Gerardi	Steven Frase Ted Habak Gervase Ngalla Bob Outlaw
Sunday, September 21, 11:00 a.m. (Church Linens) Shirley Fix (1)						
Sunday, September 21 4:00 p.m. (Vespers and Holy Hour)	John & Jeanne Swisher			Deryn Summers	Lynden Summers	

PHONES

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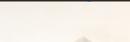


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