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Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 21, 2022

Parish Office

268 Old Tappan Road Old Tappan, NJ 07675

*Monday - Thursday* 9:30 am - 4:30 pm

*Phone:* 201-664-0913 *Website:* www.spxot.org

#### Parish Staff

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#### Schedule of Liturgies

Saturday (Anticipated Mass) ------4:30 pm Sunday ------8:00, 10:00 am & 12:00 noon Weekdays -----9:00 am Holy Days-----9:00 & 7:30 pm

#### Religious Education Center

Maria Charowsky, Director

Christine Arthur, Secretary

Phone: 201-664-0927

Email: ReligiousEd@spxot.org

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*Rite of Baptism:* Parents should make arrangements by contacting the Parish Office.

*Rite of Reconciliation:* Saturday, 3:45 - 4:15 pm or anytime by appointment.

**Marriages...** Joined Together in Christ: Arrangements one year in advance according to common policy preparation by contacting the Parish Office.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Please notify us if a family member is ill at home or in the hospital.

*New Parishioners:* Please visit the Parish Office at 268 Old Tappan Road to register at your earliest convenience.

**Religious Education:** Classes for grade levels (1-9) are conducted September through May. Religious Education Center is open from 9:30 am - 4:30 pm, Monday through Thursday.

*Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction:* Every first Tuesday immediately following the 9:00 am Mass.

### TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME MASS INTENTIONS

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 21, 2022** 

Saturday Aug. 20<sup>th</sup> – Vigil: 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 p.m. John M. Flanagan, Jr.

req. by Elaine Flanagan

Sunday August 21<sup>st</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Lila Horvath

req. by Joe & Ann Marie McCarthy

**10:00 a.m.** People of the Parish

req. by

**12:00 p.m.** Agnes Kickham

req. by Paul & Kathy Shields

Monday August 22<sup>nd</sup> – The Queenship of the Blessed

Virgin Mary

9:00 a.m. Mary Piccinich

req. by Alphonso & Caroline Piccinich

Tuesday August 23<sup>rd</sup> – St. Rose of Lima

9:00 a.m. Ana Skrivanic

req by John & Joann Scrivanich

Wednesday August 24<sup>th</sup> – St. Bartholomew, Apostle

9:00 a.m. Ralph Naimou

req. by Joe & Ann Marie McCathy

Thursday August 25<sup>th</sup> – Ss. Louis & Joseph Calasanz

9:00 a.m. Tom Welby

req. by Rosemarie DePhillips

Friday August 26<sup>th</sup> – Weekday

9:00 a.m. Bob Searson

req. by Terry Searson

Saturday Aug. 27<sup>th</sup> – Vigil: 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 p.m. James A. Scotti

req. by Alphonse Scotti

Sunday August 28<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Ermenia Tosti

reg. by Gabriella Ferrara

10:00 a.m. Robert Searson

req. by Louise & Jim Januzzi

**12:00 p.m.** People of the Parish

req. by

#### Please Pray for the Sick of the Parish

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL & THEIR CARETAKERS

Gary Bagnoli, Alice Bauer, Maria Burke, Matthew Cea, Claire Collins, Mike Comstock, Laurie Deluca, Maura Duffy, Timothy Goldsmith, Kelly Hayes, Paulette Ley, Teresa & Michael Lotierzo, Michele McKeown, Donna Morris, Albina Perez, Jean Richardson, Marius Richardson, Joanna Smith, Eva Sweeney, Mia Tangredi, and Baby Berkley Williams.

Please pray for all our servicemen/women, including Christopher TenBroeck, Sean Keohane, and ENS Sarah Ryan, their families, and for the victims of terrorism and war.

#### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

St. Pius X parishioners are very fortunate to have the opportunity to experience the warm and welcoming presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament on the first Tuesday of every month following the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be on **Tuesday**, **September 6**, 2022.



All are invited to join us during this special time!

"The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will spend on earth. Each moment that you spend with Jesus will deepen your union with Him and make your soul everlastingly more glorious and beautiful in Heaven, and will help bring about everlasting peace on earth."

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta



#### **WEEKLY MASS OFFERING**

August 20 - 26, 2022

The Sanctuary Candle, In Memory of: The Deceased Members of the Parish

OUR COLLECTION - JULY	<u> 31,</u>	<u> 2022</u>
Envelope Collection:	\$	2,988.00
We Share:	\$	2,465.00
Parishsoft Giving:	\$	1,560.00
Assessment:	\$	590.00
Heritage:	\$	250.00
Utility:	\$	50.00
Soup Kitchen:	\$	75.00
Total:	\$	7,978.00

OUR COLLECTION - AUGUST	<u>7,</u>	<u> 2022</u>
Envelope Collection:	\$	4,840.00
Parishsoft Giving:	\$	100.00
Assessment:	\$	340.00
Heritage:	\$	730.00
Soup Kitchen:	\$	420.00
Total:	\$	6,430.00

Thank you for your generosity and support!!!

#### A MESSAGE FROM FATHER KEVIN

My brothers and sisters in Christ,

I would like to use my column this week to devote to our new ministry with Good Counsel Homes. Below is a letter from Nanette, the Director:



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August 10, 2022

St. Pius R.C. Church 268 Old Tappan Road Old Tappan, NJ 07675

To the Members of St. Pius R. C. Church

On behalf of the moms and babies in the Good Counsel Home, words cannot express our appreciation for your generosity. We can only say thank you a million times over for your kind donation of a new clothes dryer for the home. It will make a great difference in the everyday lives of the mothers and children in the home that are always washing clothes (because of little ones).

There is no doubt in my mind that you could have look to help another shelter, but God guided you to us and we will be forever grateful for that.

I know that I keep saying these words "Thank you" again for your compassionate support, your kind hearts, and your giving spirit

Blessing,

Nannette Morris

Nannette Morris Good Counsel Homes, House Manager

God bless you,

Fr. Kevin Kilgore

#### BUILDING COMMUNITY

#### ICE CREAM SOCIAL & AND SOCK HOP

Whether you traveled, spent time down the Jersey shore or enjoyed a staycation, September is the month when we go back to our more routine activities. And to celebrate that "home



coming", the Beyond Soup Kitchen Ministry is inviting our seniors to get a little kookie! Yes "kids", what could be better than ice cream and doo-wap? Get your bobby socks on and see you at the hop!

<u>Wed., September 7, 2:00 p.m</u>. Sign Up on the **Parish App!** Please let us know if you have any allergies!

#### **BEREAVEMENT GROUP**

Meets at St. Pius X, 268 Old Tappan Road, Old Tappan, NJ in the Chapel on Wednesday evenings from 7:00-8:00 p.m. starting on **September 7**, **thru October 26**, **2022**.

Jesus says in the Beatitudes, "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted."

Everyone will experience grief at some point in their life and it can be overwhelming. If you are grieving the loss of a spouse, parent/s, child/children, siblings, or friends, you are not alone in your grief.

Eight Wednesday evenings is a short time to hopefully feel a lot better. Grieving can be difficult and is meant to be a shared experience. Come join us. Contact Lorraine Delling, at <a href="mailto:lldelling@gmail.com">lldelling@gmail.com</a> or 201-722-0982 or just come and register at the first meeting.

#### ST. PIUS X BOOK GROUP



Out next Book Group meeting will be on Monday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, in the chapel. Our group chose the book, "A Man Called Ove," by Fredrik Bachman.

Please join us, bring a friend, all are welcome!

"Books allow you to see the world through the eyes of others. Reading is an exercise in empathy; an exercise in walking is someone else's shoes for a while."

#### NEW PARISHIONER WELCOME LUNCHEON

All parishioners are invited as we welcome our New and Returning Parishioners at our Second Annual New Parishioner Welcome Luncheon on **Sunday**, **October 16<sup>th</sup>**, **following the noon Mass**. This will take place in the Narthex and will be hosted by the St. Pius X Hospitality Ministry. Please sign-up on our app or call Valeri Parker at 201-248-5629.

#### <u>OLD TAPPAN TOWN DAY</u>

St. Pius X will be hosting a table at this year's Town Day on <u>Saturday</u>. September 10, 2022, from 1:00-5:00 p.m. at Stone Point Park in Old Tappan. Volunteers are needed to give 1 hour of your time and join Fr. Kevin at this event to Meet and Greet the townspeople at the St. Pius X Table. Please go to our **Parish App** to sign up for a one-hour time slot for that day.

#### **ROSARY MAKING WORKSHOP**

#### Corded Rosary Making Class

The rosary is one of the most cherished collection of prayers in our Catholic faith. Its origins date back to the Middle Ages when people used "prayer beads" to keep track our their Our

Father's and Hail Mary's; and was refined by St. Dominick who was moved by a vision of Our Lady during his missionary work (www.catholiceducation.org)



Rosaries can be found made out of a variety of materials for a variety of prices. Corded rosaries are durable, contain no metal, and can be made anywhere as they require no special tools. We will be hosting a corded rosary making session in the fall. If you would like to learn how to make a corded rosary, please sign up on our Parish App or contact Milissa Plescia at <a href="milissamay@yahoo.com">milissamay@yahoo.com</a>. This workshop is recommended for adults and children 10 and over. (All minors must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

#### WORSHIPPING GOD

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

If you have not registered your child for the 2022-2023 school year, please do so asap! You can now complete your Religious Education form and pay online by visiting our website at **spxot.org**, then go to **Forms**.



In-Person Religious Education Classes will begin on Catechetical Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, and Tuesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>.

We need volunteers to teach and aide in our upcoming Religious Education classes. Please consider volunteering your time and talents!

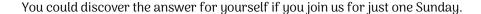
If you have any questions, please call the Religious Education Office at 201-664-0927 or email at <u>ReligiousEd@spxot.org</u>

God Bless,

Maria Charowsky

#### MUSIC MINISTRY NEWS

Why do we call ourselves the Fellowship Choir?





As some of you may know, I first joined the adult choir as a child back in 1997 when my family moved to Old Tappan. We lived just a block from the "old church." Middle school is tough enough without having to move, but St. Pius X was a bright light for me. Having attended Catholic school and been raised on church music by great aunts and my grandfather, I immediately felt at home in the choir of St. Pius X. Many of the members from the 1997 choir are still in our choir today. Who remembers celebrating Mass in the auditorium of NVOT? That was my first time serving as cantor - I was so nervous! I even had note cards to remember the parts of the Mass! Little did I know what a support group the choir would turn out to be for me along my musical and faith journey. Some of them traveled around the country for my performances, and they brought with them the love and support of the entire SPX family. I have witnessed the formation of lifelong friendships within our ranks, thanks be to God.

The music ministry went through a period of beautiful and stunning growth while I was away, and I inherited and am now custodian of an abundance of talent and passion.

We are fellows on this faith journey. We have in common a love of music, a love of the Lord, and a love of serving. Amanda Cummings, our devoted cantor, can attest to the constancy of this love and the insatiable desire to serve through music. She's a living example! We work hard, we play hard.

Furthermore, we pray that our shared experience in rehearsal and Mass brings us into a nearer, dearer fellowship with God. There's just nothing like standing in the Lord's house, shoulder-to-shoulder with your faith brothers and sisters, singing His praises.

Come visit us at our first rehearsal **September 25, 11am**. You won't meet a stranger.

Your songful sister, Sara Armstrong

Music Ministry Director





# AN INVITATION TO THE FIFTH ANNUAL SAINT PIUS X CHURCH GOLF EVENT

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 26<sup>™</sup>, 2022

#### OLD TAPPAN GOLF COURSE

83 Dewolf Road Old Tappan, NJ

#### 12:00 NOON

Barbecue Lunch

#### 1:00 PM

Shotgun Start / Scramble Format / 18 Holes

#### 6:00 PM

"19<sup>th</sup> Hole" Awards Ceremony and Dinner at The Tap at Old Tappan Please join us for the FIFTH ANNUAL SAINT PIUS X GOLF EVENT, a fundraiser to support our parish community.

You don't have to be a Saint Pius X Parishioner to join in the fun!

Sign-up to play, enjoy lunch, dinner and participate in the awards ceremony at
6:00 pm and a chance for some great prizes. You can golf as an individual
(and we'll match you with a foursome) — or you can create your own foursome.

- INDIVIDUAL PLAYER \$190 includes Barbecue Lunch, Golf, Dinner
- DINNER ONLY \$50
- FOURSOME \$760 includes Barbecue Lunch, Golf, Dinner

If you cannot attend, we hope you can sponsor a hole!

• HOLE SPONSORSHIP ONLY \$100

Questions? Contact Tom Quinn at tomquinn19@gmail.com

- Please make check payable to Saint Pius X
- Mail it to Saint Pius X Church, 268 Old Tappan Road, Old Tappan, NJ 07675, Attn: Janet Natale, Parish Office. All proceeds will go to Saint Pius X Church.



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#### **GOLF EVENT DETAILS:**

- WHEN: Monday, September 26th, 2022
- WHERE: Old Tappan Golf Course at 83 DeWolf Road, Old Tappan
- TIME: 12 Noon until dark
- If you'd like to join in the fun and golf with us, please contact Tom Quinn at tomquinn19@gmail.com
- Make check payable to Saint Pius X and mail to Saint Pius X Church,
   268 Old Tappan Road, Old Tappan, NJ 07675, ATTN: Ms. Janet Natale
- All proceeds will go to benefit the Saint Pius X Community Parish
- Please provide a PDF of your business logo via email to MarkF@QuinnFable.com and scottlitchfield@verizon.net
- Questions? Contact Scott Litchfield via phone at 201.913.6275, or via email at scottlitchfield@verizon.net

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