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**Thirty-second Sunday in  
Ordinary Time**

November 12, 2023

**Parish Office**

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**Monday - Thursday**

9:30 am - 4:30 pm

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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

**Family Life & Faith Formation**

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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.

**Faith Formation & Family Ministry:** 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.

## THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME MASS INTENTIONS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2023

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| <b>Saturday</b><br>4:30 p.m.  | <b>November 11<sup>th</sup> – Vigil: 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday</b><br><b>Walter McLaughlin</b><br><i>req. by Angelo &amp; Maria Messina</i> |
| <b>Sunday</b><br>8:00 a.m.    | <b>November 12<sup>th</sup> – 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in OT</b><br><b>Dominick Carbone</b><br><i>req. by the Carbone Family</i>           |
| <b>10:00 a.m.</b>             | <b>Eugene V. Ferrara</b><br><i>req. by Vincent Ferrara</i>   |
| <b>12:00 p.m.</b>             | <b>Linda Whitmore</b><br><i>req. by Ron &amp; Jeanine Binaghi</i>  |
| <b>Monday</b><br>9:00 a.m.    | <b>November 13<sup>th</sup> – St. Frances Xavier Cabrini</b><br><b>John Kickham</b><br><i>req. by Paul &amp; Kathy Shields</i>           |
| <b>Tuesday</b><br>9:00 a.m.   | <b>November 14<sup>th</sup> – Weekday</b><br><b>Arlene Dalisan</b><br><i>req. by Lolita Lazaro</i>                                       |
| <b>Wednesday</b><br>9:00 a.m. | <b>November 15<sup>th</sup> – Weekday</b><br><b>Steve Beringer</b><br><i>req. by Tom &amp; Ginny Flood</i>                               |
| <b>Thursday</b><br>9:00 a.m.  | <b>November 16<sup>th</sup> – Weekday</b><br><b>Linda Smith</b><br><i>req. by Kathy &amp; Jack Sheridan</i>                              |
| <b>Friday</b><br>9:00 a.m.    | <b>November 10<sup>th</sup> – Saint Leo the Great</b><br><b>John Joe McMahon</b><br><i>req. by Kevin &amp; Mary Kelly</i>                |
| <b>Saturday</b><br>4:30 p.m.  | <b>November 11<sup>th</sup> – Vigil: 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday</b><br><b>Darren Drake</b><br><i>req. by Helen Wilkens</i>                   |
| <b>Sunday</b><br>8:00 a.m.    | <b>November 12<sup>th</sup> – 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in OT</b><br><b>For the People of the Parish</b>                                    |
| <b>10:00 a.m.</b>             | <b>Antonetta &amp; Vincent Ferrara</b><br><i>req. by the Ferrara Family</i>  |
| <b>12:00 p.m.</b>             | <b>Marilu George</b><br><i>req. by The Tama Family</i>   |

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

Coletti Aloï, Gary Bagnoli, Alice Bauer, Maria Burke, Matthew Cea, Claire Collins, Luciano Damato, Louie Damato, Laurie Deluca, Liam Dimmino, Timothy Goldsmith, Amy Hartwell, Kelly Hayes, Tamara Hee, Nazar Lesiv, Paulette Ley, Teresa & Michael Lotierzo, Michele McKeown, Donna Morris, Anne Newkirk, Danielle Newkirk, Albina Perez, Elissa Perrone, Jean Richardson, Marius Richardson, Joanna Smith, Eva Sweeney, Mia Tangredi, Stefan Wiklinski, and Berkley Williams.

Please pray for all our servicemen/women, including Christopher TenBroeck, Sean Keohane, ENS Sarah Ryan, Trooper Porcelli, Army Serviceman Benjamin Clemente, and Navy Serviceman Jonathan Clemente their families, and for the victims of terrorism and war.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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| <b>Sunday</b>    | Wis 6:12-16; 1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14; Mt 25:1-13   |
| <b>Monday</b>    | Wis 1:1-7; Lk 17:1-6   |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | Wis 2:23—3:9; Lk 17:7-10   |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | Wis 6:1-11; Lk 17:11-19  |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | Wis 7:22b—8:1; Lk 17:20-25   |
| <b>Friday</b>    | Wis 13:1-9; Lk 17:26-37  |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | Wis 18:14-16, 19:6-9; Lk 18:1-8 or,<br>for the Optional Memorial of the Dedication of the<br>Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul<br>Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Mt 14:22-33 |

### WEEKLY MASS OFFERING **November 11 - 17, 2023**

**The Sanctuary Candle, for the intentions of  
All receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation**

**The Bread and Wine, For the intentions of  
All those receiving First Holy Communion**

### OUR COLLECTION – NOVEMBER 12, 2023

|                        |                    |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| Envelope Collection:   | \$6,756.00         |
| WeShare Collection:    | \$2,300.00         |
| ParishSoft Giving:     | \$2,475.00         |
| All Saints Day         | \$1,045.00         |
| All Souls Day          | \$1,425.00         |
| Soup Kitchen:          | \$ 475.00          |
| Heritage Collection:   | \$3,607.00         |
| Assessment Collection: | \$1,110.00         |
| Utility Collection:    | \$ 229.00          |
| Devotional Candles:    | <u>\$ 10.00</u>    |
| <b>Total:</b>          | <b>\$19,432.00</b> |

**Thank you for your generosity and support!!!**



## A MESSAGE FROM FATHER KEVIN

My brothers and sisters in Christ,

I'd like to thank everyone who's already taken our parishioner feedback survey. We have over 150 responses! I'm hoping to have at least 200 responses from a variety of age groups and backgrounds so that we can get the best possible picture of our parish. Again, the survey is anonymous and is a great opportunity for your voice to be heard. The input that we receive will help me to better understand how this community wants to worship God in terms of the music style, song selection, instruments, incense, preaching style and effectiveness, as well as the overall sense of welcome and community. I hope to have enough data collected by the end of November so that we can form a committee to dive into it.

If you've not taken the survey yet, please do so by either visiting our parish homepage: [www.spxot.org](http://www.spxot.org), our app under the "Events tab," or by scanning the QR code below.



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I'd also like to thank all who showed up at our second annual fall clean-up at Good Counsel Homes on Saturday (November 11). A special thanks, in particular, to Kathy Shields who not only leads our Outreach Ministry, but also led this particular event. In the coming weeks, we will have a number of activities / events for "All Generations," including our Pot Luck Luncheon for Seniors, the Celebratory Diner at Florentine Gardens, a Scavenger Hunt for our upper grades in faith formation, as well as an Advent Wreath Experience for all students. Please pay attention to the app or our website for our most up-to-date information!

In Christ,  
Fr. Kevin Kilgore



# BUILDING COMMUNITY

Thank you to **Stokes Farms** for their generous donation of their homemade apple cider doughnuts for our reception following the All Souls Mass of Remembrance



## SPX PLAYTIME

*The SPX Playtime is calling all Pre-school aged children and their Moms, Dads, Aunties, Uncles, Grand-Mom's and Grand-Pop's are welcome to join us on Thursday mornings from 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Please sign up on our parish app.*



*If anyone has a wooden block set or magnetic tile set that their children have outgrown and are no longer using it, please consider donating it to our SPX Playtime Group for the children of the parish to enjoy.*



*Are you a new mom?*

### **Want to connect with other moms?**

Currently, we have SPX Playtime, an active community for parents and their children 2 and up, but we also want to build up the community of new moms. Please sign up on our Parish App as we begin our “Mommy and Me” ministry! All moms and children are welcome!!

*Use the [QR Code](#) below to download our parish app for the most up to date information about happenings in the parish.*

COMING  
SOON!

## **ST. PIUS CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE**



Tags will be available after all masses beginning the weekend of November 25-26. We will be collecting UNWRAPPED listed clothing and toiletries with the tag securely attached for the Bergen County Homeless Shelter, gift cards for “Center for Hope and Safety” (Formally “Shelter our Sisters” battered women's shelter) and Mother Teresa's soup kitchen in Newark. Please take a tag from the tree and replace it with another for fellow parishioners to select. Gifts must be back no later than 12/17 at 12:00. As always, Thank you in advance for your consideration and generosity. Any questions please call Patrice Rosato (201) 736-2380.

## **ST. PIUS 50 / 50 POWER RAFFLE**

50 / 50 Tickets are available at the Parish Office and after all the weekend Masses.

The drawing will be held on Wednesday, November 29<sup>th</sup> at the Estate at Florentine Gardens at our 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Kick-off dinner.

Each ticket is \$50, and the entire net proceeds are donated to St. Pius Church.

1<sup>st</sup> Prize 25% of the Gross Revenue

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize 15% of the Gross Revenue

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize 10% of the Gross Revenue

# WORSHIPPING GOD

## Parish Feedback Survey

We are interested in increasing our experience of worship together at Sunday Mass.

We need to hear from you. Please take our anonymous survey now! This will help to build a common vision for how we celebrate together on Sundays. The survey is available on our Parish APP , on our Website: [www.spxot.org](http://www.spxot.org) or by using the QR Code:



## MAKING DISCIPLES

### SAINT PIUS X FAITH FORMATION

Up next...

#### **Sunday, November 19 – Grades 1 – 8 Focus Experiences (Must be pre-registered)**

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| 9:15 – 10 AM     | Day by Day Singers Rehearsal Followed by Mass     |
| 11 AM – 12:30 PM | Advent Wreath Making Grades 1 – 8                 |
| 11 AM – 12:30 PM | Christmas Pageant – Costumes and Prep. Grades 1-8 |
| 1 – 2:20 PM      | Church and Campus Scavenger Hunt – Grades 5 – 8   |

#### **Sunday, November 19 – Confirmation Preparation Session**

|             |                                 |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| 7 – 8:30 PM | Session #4 – The Prayer Process |
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#### **Tuesday, November 21 – Grades 1 – 8 Focus Experiences (Must be pre-registered)**

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| 3:30 – 5 PM | Advent Wreath Making Grades 1 – 8               |
| 1 – 2:20 PM | Church and Campus Scavenger Hunt – Grades 5 – 8 |

#### **Sunday, December 3 – Grade Level Mass – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| 9:15 – 10 AM     | Day by Day Singers Rehearsal Followed by Mass  |
| 11 AM – 12:30 PM | <b>In Class Instruction – Grades 1 – 8</b>   |
| 1 – 2PM          | Christmas Pageant – Rehearsal – Grades 1 – 8   |
| 7 – 8:30 PM      | <b>Confirmation Preparation Session</b> - Session #5 – The Bible<br>What is your Confirmation name and who is your sponsor, and why? |

#### **Tuesday, December 5 – In-Class Instruction – Grades 1 - 8**

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| 3:30 – 5PM | <b>In-Class Instruction – Grades 1 – 8</b> |
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#### **Wednesday, December 6 – Focus Experience – Grades 1-8**

|             |                             |
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| 5 – 6:30 PM | Christmas Pageant Rehearsal |
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#### **Friday, December 8 - Focus Experience – Grades 1-8**

|             |                                   |
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| 5 – 6:30 PM | Christmas Pageant Dress Rehearsal |
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## SPX Dinner at Florentine Gardens

**When:** Join us on Wednesday, November 29, 2023 to celebrate St. Pius X Parish and fundraise for the future!

**Where:** *The Estate at Florentine Gardens*

**Cost:** \$150.00 per person

**Deadline:** Tickets must be purchased and paid for by Tuesday, November 14, 2023.

**Why:** We have been growing year by year! Proceeds from this elegant evening will fund our parish mission of Building Community, Worshipping God, and Making Disciples!

**Dress:** Business formal/cocktail.

**Style of event:** Enjoy a festive evening of camaraderie, great food, and music. A cocktail hour with open bar and passed hors d'oeuvres begins at 6:00 p.m. A three-course dinner will follow at 7:00 p.m. Festivities conclude by 9:30 p.m.

Come and see! Sign-up on the APP or on our Website



# UPCOMING EVENTS

## RECURRING SPX MINISTRIES & SPX EVENTS. COME & SEE!

**SOUP KITCHEN:** Every Monday, 7:00-9:00 a.m.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** First Tuesday of every month, 9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. & 5:00-7:00 p.m.

**BIBLE STUDY:** Every Tuesday, 5:30 p.m.

**PLAYTIME:** Every Thursday at 9:30 a.m.

**WOMEN'S CORNERSTONE ALUMNI:** Every Third Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

**BAKING CAFÉ:** Sign up on the App.



### POCKETBOOK BINGO

**SAVE THE DATE**

**March 1, 2024**

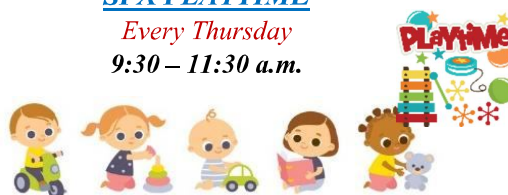


Donations of any new items especially designer pocketbooks would be appreciated. Please drop off at the Parish Office. More information to come!!!

### SPX PLAYTIME

*Every Thursday*

**9:30 – 11:30 a.m.**



### LAUNCHING ST PIUS X'S 70<sup>TH</sup> YEAR

**SAVE THE DATE!**

*DATE: Wednesday, November 29, 2023*

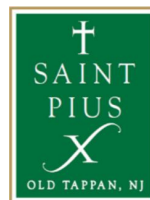
*DETAILS: Join us for a celebratory and fundraising dinner at the Estate at Florentine Gardens.*

*Sign-up and more details on our parish app, under "Events".*



*Every Sunday at the 10 am Mass*

*Follow St. Pius X Church on our Social Media platforms to stay up to date with our many events, read Father Kevin's "God minute" and more! Use QR codes below to download onto your mobile phone or tablet today!*



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