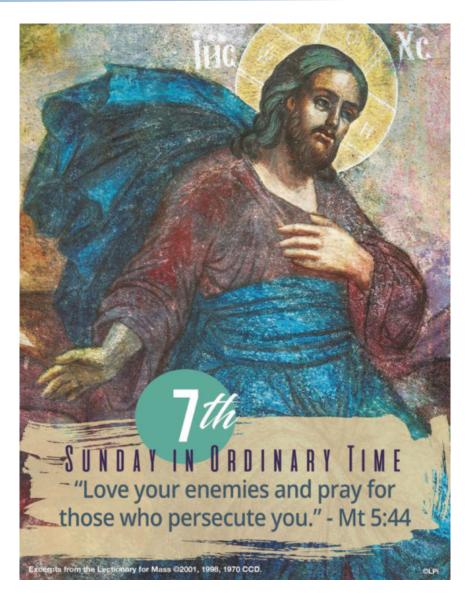


St. Pius X Catholic Church

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM Friday 8:00 - 11:30 AM

> Office Closed for Team Prayer: Monday - Friday 11:30 AM - Noon

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturdays: 4:00 PM Sundays: 8:30 AM 10:30 AM 6:00 PM Visit our website or YouTube channel for all Online Masses.

DAILY MASSES

MONDAY: 8:00 AM
TUESDAY: 5:30 PM
WEDNESDAY: 8:00 AM
THURSDAY:
8:00 AM & 5:30 PM
FRIDAY: 8:00 AM
SATURDAY: 8:00 AM

WEEKLY CONFESSION

Tuesdays:
4:30 PM - 5:20 PM
Thursdays:
7:20-7:50 AM
Saturdays:
8:40 AM - 10:00 AM

TEAM MESSAGE

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

Our Wednesday night Youth Group is in full swing and jam packed with fun!

This past week, we enjoyed sharing a meal of our "favorite things" and playing dodgeball in the gym.

The meal included mac n cheese, fried chicken, snicker apple salad, fruit snacks and lots of dessert (just to name a few). Oh to be young again!

Anyone in grade 5 and up is invited to join in the fun on Wednesday nights from 5:30-6:30 PM. Dinner is always served first and then followed by some fun activities. Don't forget to invite a friend, all are welcome!

We also still have 7 spots open for our Steubenville Youth Conference taking place July 14-16. The cost of the trip is \$470 and there are several fundraising opportunities available!

Please contact Jennifer Buelow if you would like more information or want to sign up!



WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES FEBRUARY 12, 2023

First Reading:

"Take no revenge and cherish no grudge against any of your people. You shall love your neighbor as yourself. I am the LORD." (Lv 19:18)

Psalm:

The Lord is kind and merciful. (Ps 103)

Second Reading:

All belong to you, and you to Christ, and Christ to God. (1 Cor 3:22-23) **Gospel:**

"You have heard that it was said,

You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.

But I say to you, love your enemies

and pray for those who persecute you." (Mt 5:43-44)

WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 (8a)/

1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48

Monday: Presidents' Day

Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday: St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/

Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: Ash Wednesday

JI 2:12-18/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17/

2 Cor 5:20-6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: St. Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr

Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19/Mt 9:14-15 Saturday: Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 5:27-32

Next Sunday: 1st Sunday of Lent

Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17 (see 3a)/

Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11

MASS INTENTIONS

	18 Saturday	4:00 PM	+ Bill Peplinski
	19 Sunday	8:30 AM	Iwona & Joel Downs 16th Wedding Anniversary
		10:30 AM	Schumacher Family
		6:00 PM	L/D Mbrs. of St. Pius X
	20 Monday	8:00 AM	+ William Fischer Sr. and Jr.
	21 Tuesday	5:30 PM	+ Tom Dlugopolski
	22 Wednesday	7:00 AM	+ Dominic Hall
		9:00 AM	+ Virginia Aragon
		12:10 PM	Special Intention
		6:40 PM	For our Faith Formation students and their families
	23 Thursday	8:00 AM	+ David & + Matthew Harrison
		5:30 PM	+ Fred Verdi
	24 Friday	8:00 AM	+ George Siciliano
	25 Saturday	8:00 AM	L/D Mbrs. Thiel & Kees Families
L/D - Living and Deceased		eceased	+ - Deceased

ST. PIUS X FAMILY LIFE

LET US PRAY

Chapel of Divine Mercy

We are blessed to have a 24-hour adoration chapel at our parish. Everyone is welcome. To sign up for a one-time, weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly hour or to sign up as a substitute, just go to

stpiusx.weadorehim.com, or the link on the St. Pius X website. You can also call (920) 310-3660 or e-mail

spxdivinemercy@stpiusxappleton.com



St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta told us, "If you really want to grow in your ability to love, come back to the Eucharist, come back to that Adoration."

"Every Holy Hour we make so pleases the Heart of Jesus that it will be recorded in Heaven and retold for all eternity. It opens up the floodgates of God's merciful Love upon the world. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will spend on earth."

There are 168 hours in each week. How do you spend your hours? Perhaps this Lent will be different?

Open Hours BOLD Indicates Urgent Need

Sunday: 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 6-7 PM Bi-weekly Tuesday: 2-3 AM, 9-10 PM, 11 PM-12 Midnight

Wednesday: 1-2 AM, 8-9 PM Thursday: 3-4 AM, 10-11 PM

Friday: 12 midnight-1 AM, 7-8 PM Bi-weekly, 8-9 PM

2-3 PM, 4-5 PM, Saturday:

6-7 PM, 8-9 PM, 9-10 PM 10-11 PM

FROM THE OFFICE



2023 BISHOPS APPEAL BEGINS



Why Give to the Bishop's Appeal?

And the king will say to them in reply, "Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these

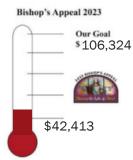
least brothers of mine, you did for me." -Matthew 25:40

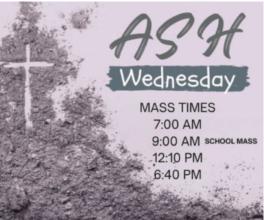
Your gift to the Bishop's Appeal will help in countless ways. Care ministers are trained to go out and share the Gospel with the homebound and sick. Children and families are able to attend lively, interactive education programs learning the Word of God. A young woman in an abusive relationship is able, through counseling with Catholic Charities, to stand on her own feet. Married couples struggling with infertility are able to become parents through Adoption Services. Your gift to the Bishop's Appeal makes happy endings possible.

91-93% of every dollar raised goes to Diocesan ministries and services right here in northeast Wisconsin.

How much you give is less important than the spirit in which you give. Even small donations add up to large donations. To make a gift today, contact your parish, visit the Bishop's Appeal website at

www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give, or call Tammy toll-free at 877-500-3580, ext. 8123







LENTEN FISH FRY SAVE THE DATE AND HELP NEEDED March 24

Our annual Fish Fry will be taking place on March 24! We are in need of helpers on both the 23 and 24. This is a great opportunity to serve your parish and have some fun!

March 23: 4-7 PM student help for food prep

March 24: 4-7 PM student help for miscellaneous duties

March 25: 9-11 am adult help clean out fryers

SEEKING TENT SPONSORS

Planning for this summer's Summer Festival is in full swing! We are again seeking sponsors for our tents so that we can all remain dry and free from the scorching sun! If you would like to be a part of sponsoring the tents, please contact Donna in the Parish office at (920) 733-0575. The Summer Festival will be taking place August 25-27.

QUARTERLY CHURCH CLEANING

We will be doing our quarterly church cleaning on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>March 8, 2023 from 1 to 3 pm</u> inside the church. Please bring any of the following if possible: a vacuum (with attachments), heavy duty extension cord, an iron, or window cleaner. Or just bring yourself!

We added five wonderful new members to our group in December and we welcome anyone who is interested in helping us. Our 2023 schedule is the second Wednesday of each quarter: March 8, June 14, September 13 and December 13, from 1 to 3 pm. Questions? Contact Kelly at 920-851-1578. Thank you to all of our cleaning angels!

HELP FOR THE HOMELESS HYGIENE DRIVE



The Help for the Homless Hygiene Drive is once again in full swing. Through March 5, you can donate items that will go to twenty local fox Cities Area Shelters & Crisis Programs for Those at risk. Most needed items include:

Cleaning Supplies Dental Care
Feminine Needs Body Lotion
Bathroom Tissue Laundry Soap
Diapers/Baby Care Kitchen Trash Bags
Hair Care Paper Towels
Deodorant Face/Bath Soap

Donations boxes are placed in the Narthex. Thank you for helping our community!

USHERS NEEDED TO SERVE GOD'S PEOPLE AT MASS

We are looking for people who wish to serve through the wonderful Usher Ministry. You will get to serve God and His servants at His most Holy Mass. The pay is great! Your reward comes later though! If you are interested, please reach out to Mary Wirth in the Parish Office at 920-733-0575 ext 307 or at volunteer@stpiusxappleton.com. A 4 PM ushers and rotating usher are especially needed.

GROW IN FAITH AND COMMUNITY AT ST. PIUS X



50 years and up after the 8:00AM Mass on Friday
February 24th. We will have coffee and treats. We
will be showing the second episode of season 2 of The
Chosen after some time to socialize. Come meet new
friends or reconnect with old ones. Hope to see you
there!





JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT ADULT FORMATION OPPORTUNITY

St. Pius X Parish invites you to:

Divine Mercy – The Second Greatest Story Ever Told,
a 10-week study with Fr. Michael Gaitley
Mondays at 8:45 PM OR Thursday at 6:30 PM



- In 10 captivating episodes, Fr. Gaitley shows how amazing historical events of the past 500 years connect to reveal the deeply personal spiritual reality of God's merciful love culminating now, in our lifetime.
- It is a breathtaking journey combining history, Scripture, prophecy, and the lives of the saints to show God's merciful love for you.

Starting Monday, February 20th or Thursday, February 23rd

BEYOND GRIEF: Journeying from Loss to NEW LIFE



The Healing Ministry of St. Pius X Parish invites all who are grieving the loss of a loved one to join its **Beyond Grief** nine-week sessions. At the end of the nine weeks, through scripture reading, discussion,

journaling, readings, and prayer, you will have begun the journey through the difficult work of grief into the start of your NEW DAY

A large part of healing is the community that will accompany you along the way. Group members are also grieving. They can offer insights into what you are experiencing and share common loss issues and the enormous changes loss brings. The program follows *The New Day Journal* leading you through the four tasks of mourning that begins your road to healing. Please share this information with your family.

We are ready to make this journey with you.

- Nine Sessions Tuesdays, February 21 April 18
- 10:00-11:30 a.m.
- Fr. Keller Room St. Pius X Parish
- Limited to a small group experience
- The New Day Journal
- An open heart

Sign up in the Parish Office.

HEALING THE HEART

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Monday, February 27 at 6:30 PM



Did you know Jesus wants to heal your heart of grief, anxiety, depression, lonliness and anger?

THE EVENING WILL INCLUDE:

- · Witness Video
- · Explanation of healing of the heart
- Adoration
- · Prayer teams
- Benediction



COMMUNITY EVENTS

9th Annual - In Mary's Footsteps Women's Conference March 11, 2023



Get re-energized! Find out why you are **Called & Chosen!** Speakers include Curtis and Michaelann Martin, co-founders of FOCUS (Fellowship of Catholic University Students), Sister Alicia Torres, F.E. (a winner on Chopped Champion), Fr. Mike Lightner (priest

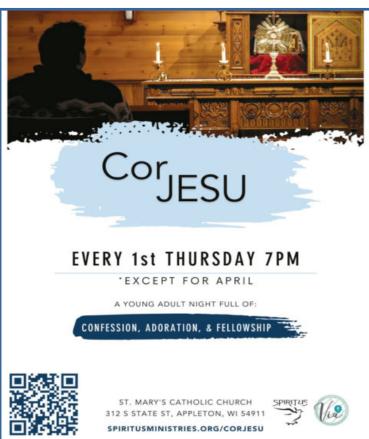
in the Diocese of Green Bay) and our MC extraordinaire – Rose Sullivan (Executive Director of the NCDVD).

Stay for 4:00 PM Mass with Bishop David Ricken.

- *To register, visit <u>inmarysfootsteps2023.eventbrite.com</u>
- *7:00 AM 5:00 PM
- *Good Shepherd Parish, 54 E Main St, Chilton, WI 53014

COMMUNITY EVENTS





WEEKLY SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Year to date Income as of 12-30-22 \$1,168,283.32 Year to date needed \$1,163,670.97 Year to date ahead \$ 4.612.35

Sacrificial giving received as of 01-17-23 - 01-23-23 \$83,517.97 Sacrificial giving received as of 01-24-23 - 01-30-23 \$30,198.99 Sacrificial giving received as of 01-31-23 - 02-06-23 \$25,807.07 Sacrificial giving received as of 02-07-23 - 02-13-23 \$20,166.32

Calendar Raffle Winners

Please allow 3 to 4 weeks for processing your check, it will arrive in the mail. Any questions please email Kathie at bookkeeper@stpiusxappleton.com or call her she is in the office on Tuesday and Wednesday weekly.

2/09/23	Donated to SPX	\$25.00
2/10/23	Tom Murphy	\$25.00
2/11/23	Glenn Wire	\$25.00
2/12/23	Georgia Miller	\$25.00
2/13/23	Rosemary Kamps	\$25.00
2/14/23	Lenore Domers	\$25.00
2/15/23	Patrick Nahm	\$25.00

KWIK TRIP

For the Week Ending 2/13/2023

Weekly Sales \$300 Weekly Profit \$12 YTD Profit \$4.065







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Shirley Riley, Faith Formation Secretary	Ext 200

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the parish office when you find out you are pregnant to schedule your new baby's Baptism. Per canon law, "parents must take care that their baby is baptized in the first few weeks after birth". Classes are held on the first Tuesday of the month.

Sacrament of Marriage

We share your happiness! Please contact the Parish Office to reserve a tentative date 6-12 months prior to your wedding and to begin the process of marriage preparation.

Bulletin/Priest Announcements

For planning purposes and to meet publishing deadlines, we require bulletin/priest announcements be sent two weeks prior. **Send to**: communications@stpiusxappleton.com

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confessions are heard:

Tuesdays: 4:30 PM until 5:20 PM Thursdays: 7:20 AM until 7:50 AM Saturdays: 8:40 AM until 10:00 AM

Ministry to the Sick

Times of illness are stressful. We wish to visit with you at your home or in the hospital. Please notify us of your desire for prayers, visits, Holy Communion, Confession, Anointing of the Sick, or other needs.

Welcome/Membership

We are happy that you have joined us in worship! If you would like to become a member of St. Pius X Catholic Church, please contact our Parish Office for more information, or visit: www.stpiusxappleton.org.

MIDDAY PRAYER TIME:

Come and re-center your mind and heart by joining the St. Pius X Staff in the church for daily prayer. We pray Monday through Friday from 11:30 - 12:00 noon in front of the Blessed Sacrament. This time includes 20 minutes of silent prayer and 10 minutes of group prayer using the Liturgy of the Hours and the Angelus.



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