

FROM THE OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION



NEEDED: Volunteers with computer skills to help create schedules, memos, etc. – Mon. through Thurs. morning.

SOLICITAMOS: Voluntarios con habilidades en computadoras para ayudar a crear calendarios, memos, etc. – Lunes a Jueves por la mañana.

CCE students&parents– / Estudiantes de CCE & sus Padres – Important Dates! / ¡Fechas importantes!

NOclass / NO hay clases: NextSun./Dom. próximo, 4/26: Parish Festival! // ¡Festival Parroquial!

LAST DAY of class / ÚLTIMO DÍA declases:

Sun./Dom.5/3 – Mon./Lunes5/4 – Wed./Mier. 5/5 – Thurs./Jueves 5/6

Thank you for your help in making Saint Pius V Festival a Success

Gracias por ayudarnos en hacer un Éxito nuestro Festival en San Pio V

Please pray for our adults preparing for Confirmation and First Communion and for our children celebrating First Communion during May!

¡Favor de orar por nuestros adultos que se preparan para la Confirmación y la Primera Comunión, y por nuestros niños que celebrarán su Primera Comunión durante el mes de Mayo!

May our Risen Lord bless you with the joy and peace of this Easter season!

¡Que nuestro Señor Resucitado les bendiga con la alegría y la paz de este tiempo de Pascua!

St. Pius V Women's Club Calendar - 2015

Our last meeting of the season will be on Thursday, May 14. Our meeting, officer installation and luncheon will take place at the Golden Corral on Spencer Highway at 10:30 a.m..

Our last bus trip of the season will take place on May 26. We will visit the Mercer Gardens and Arboretum followed by lunch at the Potato Patch Restaurant. Join our group anytime and join us for our trips!

Prayer blankets are always available. Call Grace at 713-645-2987. All ladies of the parish are invited to join our group!

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, The members of Recycled Teens at Our Lady of St John have invited **Fr Paschal** to serve as Spiritual Director on The Houston Catholic Churches Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, Nov 6-16. This is a top of the line all inclusive package that 950 other parishioners from various churches (including Fr Oscar and St Pius) have already taken. It features 8 days of touring, 3 meals a day, 4 star hotels and much more at a special Houston Catholic Churches ministry price. We have held a few spots open for St Pius, but its filling quickly. Please call Darlene 832-434-6736 ~ God bless you.

Marriage Banns / Amonestaciones

Prematrimoniales—Marina Perez & Efrain Lopez, Chau Luu & Daniel Cieley, Maria Moreno & Leon Banca, Maria Gallegos & Martin Navarro, Terna & Manoke Ekemike, Miriam Jimenez & George Martinez



Scripture Study in English—has returned to THURSDAY EVENINGS at 7pm in the Parish Life Center Living room...Join us any time.

BBQ dinner,
Games, prizes,
Kids area, Arts &
Crafts, Live Music



St. Pius V Spring Festival
Today, Sunday, April 26th—11 to 7pm

Raffle prizes

- 1st Prize: \$4,500 Gift Card
- 2nd Prize: \$2,000 Gift Card
- 3rd Prize: \$1000 Gift Card
- 4th Prize: 42" LCD T.V.
- 5th Prize: iPad Mini
- 6th Prize: 78pc 9 Drawer Tool Box

***Join us for a fun filled day on the field
and in the Cafeteria.***



***Juegos & Premios,
Antojitos, Postres,
Bebidas, Area para
Niños, Manualidades,
Musica en Vivo***

Dear friends,

This week I continue to write to you about the Sacraments we celebrate with a focus on Marriage.

Catholics can only marry validly in the Church in the presence of a priest or deacon and two witnesses. It is not required that Marriage be celebrated within Mass, but it usually is, as a sign of our union with the whole Church in Christ. It is only required that ONE of the partners be a baptized Catholic. Confirmation and 1st Communion are NOT required for Marriage, although the Church strongly urges Catholics seeking Marriage to receive these Sacraments.

For those who have never been married and are seeking marriage the process of preparation begins 6-12 months before the date of the wedding with a visit with a priest or deacon. Unlike the law in other countries, under the law in the United States, Marriage in the Church is recognized as a civil marriage.

For those who are civilly-married (by court) and have never been married before, the process of preparation is similar, but may be of shorter duration. The celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage with those who are already civilly married is known as "Convalidation". (The same holds true for Catholics who were married in a non-Catholic church without permission of the bishop.)

Those who have been married previously (and divorced) whether by Church, Civil Law, or Common Law, must petition for a Decree of Nullity (Annulment) before they can enter into a new marriage. I will write about Annulments next week.

More information on Marriage is available on the parish web-site (<http://www.stpiusvchurch.com>) or you may call the office (713-473-9484) to talk with a priest.

In Christ,
Fr. Joe

Queridos amigos,

Esta semana sigue escribiendo con usted sobre los sacramentos que celebramos enfocando en el matrimonio.

Los católicos sólo pueden casarse válidamente en la Iglesia en la presencia de un sacerdote o diácono y dos testigos. No es necesario que el matrimonio se celebre dentro de la Misa, pero generalmente es, como un signo de nuestra unión con toda la Iglesia en Cristo. Sólo se requiere que uno de los comprometidos sea un católico bautizado. La Confirmación y La Primera Comunión no son necesarias para el Matrimonio, aunque la Iglesia les pide encarecidamente a los católicos que buscan matrimonio para recibir estos sacramentos.

Para aquellos que nunca se han casado y están buscando el matrimonio el proceso de preparación comienza 6-12 meses antes de la fecha de la boda con una cita con un sacerdote o diácono. A diferencia de la ley en otros países, según la ley en los Estados Unidos, el matrimonio en la Iglesia es reconocida como un matrimonio civil.

Para aquellos que están casados por civil y nunca se han casado antes, el proceso de preparación es similar, pero puede ser de menor duración. La celebración del Sacramento del Matrimonio con los que ya están casados por civil se conoce como "convalidación". (Lo mismo pertenece a los católicos que se casaron en una iglesia no católica sin el permiso del obispo.)

Los que han estado casados anteriormente (y divorciado) si por la Iglesia, por civil, o por la común, deben pedir un Decreto de Nulidad (Anulación) antes de que puedan entrar en un nuevo matrimonio. Voy a escribir sobre las anulaciones la próxima semana.

Más información sobre el matrimonio está disponible en el sitio web de la parroquia (<http://www.stpiusvchurch.com>) o puede llamar a la oficina (713-473-9484) para hablar con un sacerdote.

En Cristo,
Padre Joe

Karaoke night...

On Saturday, May 9th, the Pastoral Council is sponsoring a Karaoke night to raise money for the new property: 'St Pius' Corner'... 7pm til 12am—Adults are \$5 and Children under 12 are free. Celebrating Mothers Day & selling Mexican food: pozole, menudo, flautas and more.

(Please disregard last weeks bulletin information for this event—this is the corrected information.)

Noche de Karaoke—Patrosinado por: Consejo Pastoral—May 9th 7—12am—\$5; Ninos menores de 12 años gratis!!! Ricos Antojitos Mexicanos, flautas, pozole, menudo.

First Reading Acts 4:8-12

Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said: “Leaders of the people and elders: If we are being examined today about a good deed done to a cripple, namely, by what means he was saved, then all of you and all the people of Israel should know that it was in the name of Jesus Christ the Nazorean whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead; in his name this man stands before you healed. He is the stone rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone. There is no salvation through anyone else, nor is there any other name under heaven given to the human race by which we are to be saved.”

Responsorial Psalm Ps 118 (OC#882) R. The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

Second Reading 1 Jn 3:1-2

Beloved: See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God.

Yet so we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God’s children now; what we shall be has not yet been revealed. We do know that when it is revealed we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

Gospel Jn 10:11-18

Jesus said: “I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own, sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them. This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep.

I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one shepherd. This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down on my own. I have power to lay it down, and power to take it up again. This command I have received from my Father.”

Primera lectura Hch 4, 8-12

En aquellos días, Pedro, lleno del Espíritu Santo, dijo: “Jefes del pueblo y ancianos, puesto que hoy se nos interroga acerca del beneficio hecho a un hombre enfermo, para saber cómo fue curado, sépanlo ustedes y sépalo todo el pueblo de Israel: este hombre ha quedado sano en el nombre de Jesús de Nazaret, a quien ustedes crucificaron y a quien Dios resucitó de entre los muertos. Este mismo Jesús es la piedra que ustedes, los constructores, han desechado y que ahora es la piedra angular. Ningún otro puede salvarnos, pues en la tierra no existe ninguna otra persona a quien Dios haya constituido como salvador nuestro”.

Salmo Responsorial Salmo 117 (OC#882) R. La piedra que desecharon los constructores es ahora la piedra angular.

Segunda lectura 1 Jn 3, 1-2

Queridos hijos: Miren cuánto amor nos ha tenido el Padre, pues no sólo nos llamamos hijos de Dios, sino que lo somos. Si el mundo no nos reconoce, es porque tampoco lo ha reconocido a él. Hermanos míos, ahora somos hijos de Dios, pero aún no se ha manifestado cómo seremos al fin. Y ya sabemos que, cuando él se manifieste, vamos a ser semejantes a él, porque lo veremos tal cual es.

Evangelio Jn 10, 11-18

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a los fariseos: “Yo soy el buen pastor. El buen pastor da la vida por sus ovejas. En cambio, el asalariado, el que no es el pastor ni el dueño de las ovejas, cuando ve venir al lobo, abandona las ovejas y huye; el lobo se arroja sobre ellas y las dispersa, porque a un asalariado no le importan las ovejas.

Yo soy el buen pastor, porque conozco a mis ovejas y ellas me conocen a mí, así como el Padre me conoce a mí y yo conozco al Padre. Yo doy la vida por mis ovejas. Tengo además otras ovejas que no son de este redil y es necesario que las traiga también a ellas; escucharán mi voz y habrá un solo rebaño y un solo pastor. El Padre me ama porque doy mi vida para volverla a tomar. Nadie me la quita; yo la doy porque quiero. Tengo poder para darla y lo tengo también para volverla a tomar. Éste es el mandato que he recibido de mi Padre”.

Note from Music Office: SAVE THE DATE: SPV Musicians are hosting “SPV @ PLT!!!” Thursday May 7th—Plan now to join us for 7:30pm “Sound of Music” (and 6pm dinner!) at Pasadena Little Theatre!!! Tickets available after Festival weekend...

Pray for Peace ~ & Remember in your Prayers — Recuerda en sus oraciones

Sandra Aguilar, Sylvia Lovell, Jorge Luis Solis, Alan & Ellaine Martinez, Anthony Fineo, Jose Gonzalez, Sophia Sereni, Angela Garcia, Paula Gann, Mike Coman, Dula Olvera Fernandez, Delores Stasney, Ivan Zavala, Sr. Mary John Trevino, Sr. Krysia Pillon, Danny Corleto, Joel Arias, Sr., Petra Rodriguez, Alberta Welch, Larissa Ramos, Raymond Romero, Gary Sanders, Joyce Gholson, Bernice Derrough, Jose Aldo Ramon, Cynthia Mendoza, Cecilia Eckenrode, Ida Guerra, Febronio J Rangel, Jr., Febronio J Rangel, III, Jalisa M Guerra, Philip Hebert, Gary Smith, Diane Edwards, Patsy Ramos, Mary Henson, Chanté Moore, Sebastian Galvan, Denna Edwards Herreth, Valeriano Leija, Joe Rubio, Melissa Sisti, Fidencio Ruiz, Maggie Hernandez, Jessie Cruz, Jody Palacios, Martha Lucio, Jaine Guerrero, Isabel Rodriguez, Mary Miller, Betty Finn, Vicente Flores, Dennis & Kathlene Bendeke, Lalo Resendez, Julia Ortega, Frank Cruz, Celia Galvan, Frances Montalvo, Jesse Hernandez, Jr., Al Clausen, Jr., Nathan Gaither, Matthew Hall.

For repose of the soul of Jo Joosephson

4th Sunday of Easter

Mass Intentions, Schedule for this Week

Saturday, April 25—St. Mark, Evangelist

8:00 p.m. — Colleen Lightfoot

5:30 p.m. — Joseph Roussa †

7:00 p.m. — Presiders' Intention

Sunday, April 26—4th Sunday of Easter

8:00a.m. — James Konieczny †

10:00a.m.— For the People of the Parish

12:00p.m.— Matilde & Gavino Montero †

1:30p.m.— Juventino Valdez †

7:00p.m.— Daniel Cervantez †

Monday, April 27—Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. — Ruth O'Kane †

Tuesday, April 28—Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. — Peter Troung & All Souls †

7:00 p.m. — Ivan Zavala

Wednesday, April 29—Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. — Ruth O'Kane †

7:00 p.m. — Maria E Angiano †

Thursday, April 30—Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. — Jose Alatorre †

Friday, May 1—Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. — James John †

Saturday, May 2—

8:00 p.m. — Seminarians in Nigeria

5:30 p.m. — Ruth O'Kane †

7:00 p.m. — Rafael T Garcia †

Faith Commitment Contribution

Weekly Contributions for church Support

For weekend—April 19, 2015

Mass time	1st Collection	2nd collection—Prop
5:30pm	\$ 1,460.00	\$ 72.00
7:00pm	\$ 671.00	\$ 145.00
8:00am	\$ 1,691.00	\$ 335.00
10:00am	\$ 2,622.00	\$ 283.00
12:00pm	\$ 1,257.00	\$ 330.00
1:30pm	\$ 969.00	\$ 240.00
7:00pm	\$ 754.00	\$ 143.00
Total	\$ 9,424.00	\$1,548.00
Property Fund	\$ 1,548.00	
Baptisms	\$ 100.00	
School Mass 4/17	\$ 54.00	
Grand total	\$11,126.00	

Budgeted 1st Collection: \$12,000.00

Upcoming 2nd Collections:

April 26—Home Missions

May 3 — Parish Social Ministry

May 10—DSF

May 17—Catholic Communications

May 24—Property Fund

May 31—Property Fund

Readings for the week of April 27th

Monday: Acts 11: 1-18; Jn 10: 1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11: 19-26; Jn 10: 22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12: 24-13:5a; Jn 12: 44-50

Thursday: Acts 13: 13-25; Jn 13: 16-20

Friday: Acts 13: 26-33; Jn 14: 1-6

Saturday: Acts 13: 44-52; Jn 14 7-14

Sunday: Acts 9: 26-31; 1 Jn 3: 18-24; Jn 15: 1-8



2015

Our goal this year is \$61,000.00 As of April 14th:

Amount pledged: \$30,534.00

Amount Paid: \$15,497.75

Number of participants: 113

DSF 2nd Commitment weekend: May 2 & 3

Immigration Charla (English/Spanish) / Charla de Inmigración

St. Pius V Cafeteria – Thursday, April 23, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

Immigration Charla (English) // Charla de Inmigración (Español)

Date and Time // Fecha y Horario:

April 23, 2015—7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.—Cafeteria

Services offered at event // Asistencia disponible:

Charlas-presentations on immigration law with brief counsel

Presentaciones sobre las leyes de inmigración y breves consejos legales

Language Access // Asistencia disponible en: English, Español

What materials or documents attendees should bring? // Hay documentos o materiales que aplicantes deben de traer?

Card if Residence, Driver License or Texas ID & Social Security Card

Host Organization(s) // Organizador(es):

St. Pius V Office of Parish Social Ministry. Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

For more information, contact // Para más detalles, comuníquese con:

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