

Church of St. Pius X

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January 24, 2010

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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS AND SACRAMENTS

SUNDAY - THE LORD'S DAY

VIGIL: SATURDAY 5:00 PM

SUNDAY: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON

WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY - FRIDAY: 6:30 AM & 9:00 AM

TUESDAY EVENING: 7:00 PM

SATURDAY: 9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents must be active, registered members of St. Pius X parish. Arrange preparation for baptism by calling the Parish Office for an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Either the bride or the groom must be a registered, active parishioner of St. Pius X parish. Please make an appointment with one of the priests at least six months before the desired date.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:15 - 4:45 PM

Seasonal Communal Celebrations

By appointment anytime

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Upon request and communally twice a year. Please notify the parish office if anyone in your family is hospitalized, homebound or in a nursing home.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

For men interested in priesthood, please call 518-312-9397 or visit www.albanyvocations.org

CATHOLIC BURIAL

For Catholic Burial Information contact the Diocesan Cemetery Office at 463-0134



A HOLY TIME

For those of us who live farther north, it is now the heart of winter. And for all of us, north and south, the holidays are over. We may sense the start of a long, hard stretch of blank time. These opening Sundays of "Ordinary Time" reflect this feeling of beginning.

Today's reading from the book of Nehemiah tells with great drama how the people gathered to hear, as though for the first time, a solemn reading of God's word. As they listened, they fell to the ground and wept. But the prophet said, "Today is holy to the LORD your God. Do not be sad, and do not weep" (Nehemiah 8:9).

Today's Gospel tells a similar dramatic tale. We are presented with the very beginning of Jesus' public life. The people gathered to listen, and Jesus proclaimed the fulfillment of the prophet's words. To his listeners—and to us—he announced "a year acceptable to the Lord" (Luke 4:19).

Albany Diocese to participate in "Postcard Campaign"

The Diocese of Albany will participate in the U.S. Bishops' Justice for Immigrants postcard campaign soon after Pope Benedict's message on migration and while the image of Jesus the Immigrant is still fresh in our minds. Parishioners are invited to sign postcards to our U.S. representatives and senators that call on them to adopt legislation that keeps families together, creates a legalization process for undocumented immigrants and employs humane border enforcement strategies. The postcards will be sent in a large batch with others from parishes throughout the diocese to the U.S. Bishops' Justice for Immigrants Campaign, and staff will distribute them to legislators en masse during a special event in D.C., to demonstrate widespread support for comprehensive immigration reform.

The Catholic Church has historically held a strong interest in immigration and how public policy affects immigrants seeking a new life in the United States. Based on Scriptural and Catholic social teachings, as well as her own experience as an immigrant Church in the United States, the Catholic Church is compelled to raise her voice on behalf of those who are marginalized and whose God-given rights are not respected.

The Church believes that current immigration laws and policies have often led to the undermining of immigrants' human dignity and have kept families apart. The existing immigration system has resulted in a growing number of persons in this country in an unauthorized capacity, living in the shadows as they toil in jobs that would otherwise go unfilled. Close family members of U.S. citizens and lawful permanent residents must wait years for a visa to be reunited. And, our nation's border enforcement strategies have been ineffective and have led to the death of thousands of migrants.

The Church has a responsibility to shine the message of God on this issue and help to build bridges between all parties so that an immigration system can be created that is just for all and serves the common good, including the legitimate security concerns of our nation.

The date of this postcard campaign will be announced in an upcoming bulletin.

Disaster Relief

Second Collection this weekend for Haitian Earthquake Relief



Catholic Relief Services (CRS), the official international humanitarian agency of the U.S. Catholic Church is responding to victims of the massive earthquake in Haiti. To donate, please place your contribution in the second collection basket today or you may

send a check to Catholic Charities, 40 North Main Avenue, Albany, New York 12203. In the memo portion of your check, please write: **Haiti Earthquake**. 100% of donations go to CRS. If you have any questions you may contact Catholic Charities -518-453-6650

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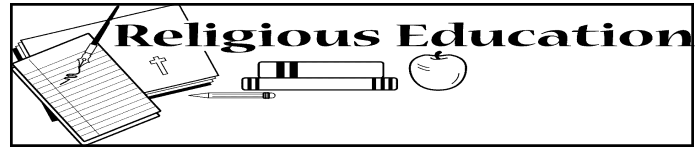
If you had your picture taken, please stop by the Parish Office to pick up your copy of the Parish Directory.

A Call to Communal Prayer

In order to respond more consistently with compassion and prayer beyond our Sunday commitment, the names of those who are seriously ill are printed below.



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| Marilyn Brizzell | Michael Smith |
| Richard Shade | Stephen Mink |
| Richard Malinowski | Nicholas D'Alleva Valas |
| Paul Sullivan | Abey Varghese |
| Rose Laiacona | Joseph Schmidt |
| Karen Szesnat | Colleen Clapper |
| Dominick DeFilippo | Lorie Clapper |
| Jeanne Fairchild | John Szesnat |
| Mark Farrell | Joseph Pepe |
| Lisa Pilla | Robert Owens |
| Robert Campbell | James Gaetani |
| Lauren Dapice | John Scheckton |
| Iris Marini | John Massimilian |
| Edward Kosier | Catherine Reynolds |
| Joan Morrison | Judy Delaney |
| Patrick Lennon | Jizziyah Skelly |
| Miriam Kleinberger | Charlotte Anne Wolfstich |
| Bob Raffaele | Henry Slesman |
| Gertrude Abele | John Agrusti |
| Jennifer Garland | Marilyn Gradoni |
| Anne Egan | John Tomchik |
| Kym Hynes | Nathan Natale |
| Ed Burnham | Sarah McDonough |
| Phyllis Cullen | William Stephans |
| Elaine Lubiniecki | Jean Platt |
| Maura Mendel | Marie Hallock |
| Sandra Farrell | Carmella & Aidan Childs |
| Garrett Garrity | Heather Hayes |
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Sunday School Classes: Our next class will be held on January 31 #14. Sunday School classes for the month of February are: Feb. 7 #15 and Feb. 28 #16. There are no classes On Feb. 14 and Feb. 21 due to Winter Recess from school.

Teacher's Meeting: Our next Teacher's Meeting will be held on February 7 at 8:25 AM in the Faculty Lunch Room.

First Reconciliation: For those parents who could not attend our Parent Meeting on Jan. 12, an Informational Folder about your child's First Reconciliation was handed out. Folders will be sent home with your child on Jan. 14 for the St. Pius X School children and on Jan. 31 for the Sunday School children because we do not have classes for the next two weeks.

Sunday School parents will want their folders before this date because there are important papers that need to be sent in plus your child needs to complete their cross to hang on our Reconciliation Tree. I will put folders in the Gathering Area of Church with your child's name on it so that you can pick them up earlier than Jan. 31. If you have any questions, please call Judy Ranalli at 465-8068. Thank You.

Progress Report #1 for our Sunday School Program will be handed out on February 7. Parents, please sign the report and return it to your child's Teacher by Feb. 28. Thank You.

The Sacrament of First Reconciliation: There are 117 children in our Sunday School Program and St. Pius X School who will be receiving their First Reconciliation on Wednesday Evening, February 3 at 6:30 pm in St. Pius X Church. As a Parish Family, let us keep these children and their families in our prayers as they prepare to receive this Sacrament of love and forgiveness for the first time. Children should arrive at church by 6:15 pm. Name Tags will be in the front entrance of the church. Children, don't forget to finish your cross and send it in to your teacher: Sunday School children by Jan. 31 and S.PX School children by Feb. 1.

First Communion Mass Time: Parents, the deadline for choosing your Mass Time for First Communion is February 8. Please send your Request Form in to your child's Teacher or to Mrs. Ranalli in the Religious Ed. Office. There is a limit of 60 children at each Mass. Request Forms are in your First Reconciliation Parent Folder.

Coordinator: Brian Evers
Phone: 462-1336
E-Mail: spx youth@hotmail.com



St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry – Are you a liturgical minister, catechist or volunteer? Would you like to enrich your understanding of our faith tradition? St. Bernard's School of Theology & Ministry offers master's degrees and professional certificate in spring, early summer & fall semesters. For information, call 453-6760 or e-mail stbernards@rcda.org.

ANNUAL COLLECTION OF FIRST AID SUPPLIES FOR OUR SISTER PARISHES

On the weekends of January 30/31 and February 6/7 we will be collecting over-the-counter first aid supplies for our Sister parishes. Father John Brown and Sister Mary Bordelon minister to the many guest workers who will be arriving in Georgia. Beginning with the picking of the Vidalia onion crops, there will be many people who need help. Please donate any first aid creams or ointments, band aids, aspirin, Chap Stick, insect repellent wipes and hand wipes BUT, please remember that we can not send anything liquid (peroxide) down there. Smaller sizes are better so they can make up mini first aid kits. Just look for the red containers at all Church entrances.

PASTORAL CARE NEWS

“He unrolled the scroll and found the passage where it was written: ‘The Spirit of the Lord is upon me because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord.’”

+ In the first reading from Nehemiah, Ezra proclaims the scriptures moving the Israelites to tears. Their hearts are now ready to let God’s law guide them in living out His will. Ezra urges them to rejoice in the Lord’s strength that will see them through in His mission for them. *Do you rely on God’s strength to do what is right and just? Are you happy and thankful for His help?*

In the second reading St Paul writes to the Corinthians that everyone’s gifts and talents are needed to live out God’s will within the structure of the Christian Community. The diverse gifts of all when shared under the Spirit’s direction bring unity to the church allowing it to function with the greatest efficiency. *Do you allow the Spirit to lead you in the gifts you share? Can you let the Spirit be the conductor of God’s greatest symphony, the song of kingdom living?* Letting go of our pride and ego is a good place to start!

Luke’s gospel narrates Jesus’ proclamation of His mission to usher in the Kingdom of God. He has been anointed to liberate the oppressed and to embrace the marginalized with the Father’s compassionate love.

Today the church calls each of us to recognize we too have been anointed to continue Jesus’ mission fulfilling it together as one body. No one can do it alone. Yet we must each do our part. *How are you bringing the healing presence of Jesus to our world? Are you setting people free through your forgiving and reconciling heart? Have you embraced the marginalized in your life? Do you welcome all with Christ’s compassionate presence?* God’s people are in need of YOU! May Christ’s words be fulfilled in YOU hearing and living out your “anointed” mission.

**Take on Humility.
Welcome the Spirit’s direction and
Live with Kingdom Vision!**

GOOD NEWS: Thank you to the Sunday School Students who made Christmas cards for those visited during the week between Christmas and New Year’s Day. They were shared by the Pastoral Care Office with parishioners in area hospitals, and nursing homes. What a joy it was for them to be remembered in such a compassionate way! Thank you!

MINISTERS OF PRAYER: In JANUARY please pray **THAT THE FAMILY MAY BECOME MORE AND MORE A PLACE OF TRAINING IN CHARITY, PERSONAL GROWTH AND THE TRANSMISSION OF THE FAITH (Papal Intention)**

**Give the Gift of Prayer for 2010
Become a Minister of Prayer!**

Our Women’s Scripture Study/Faith Sharing Group will meet Wednesday January 27th, 2010. If you are interested in joining us on Wednesdays from 10 to 11:30 AM please call the Pastoral Care Office at 462-1336. The weekly theme is *“Relating to Others as Jesus Would”*. To prepare for our January 27th meeting, read the following scriptures: Luke 5:27-32; 7:36-50 John 8:2-11; and Luke 23:32-43.

At the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center:

“Monthly Dream Group” with Sr. Carol Davis OP will be held Monday January 25, 2010 from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. Cost: \$25.

“Chicken Soup for Body and Soul” an Evening Presentation with Marni Gillard will be held Tuesday January 26th, 2010 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. Cost: \$20 (includes bread and soup, supplies and snacks).

“Peace is my gift to you” a Weekend Retreat for Women with Fr. Steve Moore will be held from Friday January 29th to Sunday January 31st, 2010. Cost: \$185 (\$170 for seniors).

“Life in a Fishbowl: Married to Ministry” a Morning of Encouragement for Wives of Deacons and Pastors with Sr. Susan Zemgulis, OP will be held Tuesday February 2nd, 2010 from 10 AM to 12 PM. Cost: \$20.

“Peace is my gift to you” a Weekend Retreat for Women with Sr. Kay Kanick, RSM will be held from Friday February 5th to Sunday February 7th, 2010. Cost: \$185 (\$170 for seniors).

For more information and to register call 393-4169.

CAREGIVER SEMINAR: *“Shaking Off the Winter Blues”* will be held from 5 to 6 PM on Thursday February 4th, 2010 at Atria Crossgate Advanced Registration is requested by calling 869-0211.

Extra Helpings

The Regional Food Bank Extra Helpings program is a community food-buying club. You can purchase nutritious foods at lower-than-retail costs. There is no age or income limit. For just \$20 you receive a variety of meats and fresh produce, plus there are additional specials every month. Everyone is welcome to join and save. For more information call 459-5051.

Benefit Assistance Programs at the Beltrone: Medicaid, Food Stamps, Veterans Assistance, Medicare Buy-In Program, Prescription Drug Counseling and HEAP (Home Energy Assistance Program). Call to make an appointment for Friday February 12th between 1:30 and 3:30 PM. Call the Town of Colonie Senior Resource Department at 459-5150

The Holy Spirit does not always move your desire for action, but he does always enlighten your reason. Hence, in order to practice virtue, do not wait until you feel like it, for your reason and intellect are sufficient.

Seniors: Colonie Senior Service Centers offers *“Umbrella of Colonie”* which helps seniors (55 and older) and the disabled with the cost of minor (but often costly) repairs. They will make it easier for you to live independently in your homes. For more information call 459-7152.



Eucharistic Adoration

Sing a new song to the Lord! Sing to the Lord all the earth. Truth and beauty surround him, he lives in holiness and glory.

Come join us for **Eucharistic Adoration** every **Friday** after the 9:00 a.m. mass up through closing prayer at 7:00 p.m. All our

welcome. For more information about how to become a weekly or substitute adorer, contact Peter Ranalli at 482 - 9087 or Margaret Purcell at 453 - 9302.

The St. Pius X Parish School Board invites you to become a sponsor of their annual event "A Winter's Night Out," being held on February 6th at the Wolferts Roost Country Club.

It is the hope of the Parish School Board to provide an opportunity for our church community to come together for an evening of entertainment while raising money for our parish school. The theme this year is **HOLLYWOOD!**

Look for event invitations in the bulletin during the first week of January! Come walk the red carpet and join the fun! We hope to see you on February 6th.

LIVING AS THE BODY OF CHRIST

Some of Saint Paul's best known and most beloved imagery is contained in the passages from First Corinthians that we have heard last week and this week: the many gifts granted by the one same Spirit and the many members making up the one Body of Christ. Few passages from sacred scripture more accurately sum up how Christian vocations work together.

Unlike some of Paul's other writings, which are a product of the social and religious conventions of his time, these enable us to look at our own lives and the lives of those around us to discern what gifts, what vocations the Holy Spirit has given for the good of all. We can likewise know the joys and sorrows of the other members of the Body and share in them for the strengthening of the whole Body of Christ.

SAVE THE DATE! On Saturday, March 6, 2010 (snow date March 13) the St. Pius X Choir is hosting "Murder at the Kit Kat Club", a murder mystery dinner theater. The evening will include appetizers, a full dinner, wine, dessert, coffee and tea. Tickets will be available beginning in February. This is a fundraiser for the choir's tour in 2011. Thank you for your support. Watch the bulletin for more information.

- **Sisters Care** - Sisters Care of the Sisters of St. Joseph helps to meet the needs of the low-income elderly and people with disabilities by providing companionship, transportation, to doctor appointments, light housekeeping, grocery shopping and respite care. For information, call 783-4578.

St. Pius X School

Open House

New Year's Greetings! St. Pius X School will hold its **OPEN HOUSE** for prospective families on Sunday, January 24th from 1:00-3:00 p.m. (Snow-Date January 31st). Please invite your friends and neighbors to see our parish school and meet our dedicated faculty and staff.

The families who become a part of our school and prayer community through your invitation will thank you for the difference it makes in their child's life. For more information about our school please call us at 465-4539, email us at stpiusxschool@nycap.rr.com, or visit our website at stpiusx.nycap.rr.com.

Yours in Christ,
Dennis Mullahy, Principal



IN MEMORY OF THE CHILDREN

On Tuesday evening, January 26, 2010, a special liturgy will be celebrated to remember children who have died. The Mass is offered for parents ... and others - who have suffered the loss of a child through miscarriage, abortion, accident, illness, murder or suicide. The loss may be recent or long past, the child, young or older.

The liturgy, with special scripture readings of hope and comfort, will be celebrated in the St. Pius X Chapel at 7:00 PM.

The following letter was received in the Parish Office this past week.

Dear Parishioners of St. Pius X,

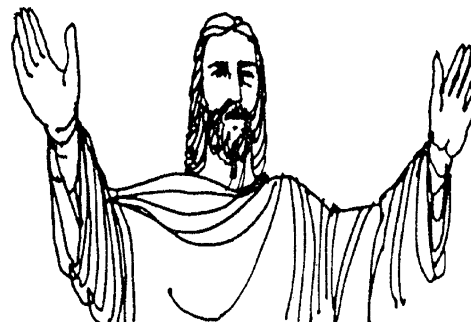
On behalf of the children and families served during the Christmas season at Community Maternity Services, I would like to thank you for your generous response to our annual appeal.

What a gift you are to our agency. Each year, many of our clients present themselves to us with needs for Christmas, and each year, loving and caring people like you call and say, "How can we help?" I am overwhelmed and grateful for your kindness, compassion and sharing. Your unconditional love truly reflects the true spirit of giving. Because of you, children and families were able to celebrate a Christmas they will always remember.

This year at Christmas, our residential programs were full with children and adolescents. Due to your generosity, every one of them received Christmas gifts. Our Christmas party was a joyous occasion and all were overjoyed by the donations. Some of our parents were moved to tears. All of them were appreciative for the wonderful gifts purchased for them or their child. Thank you again for your thoughtfulness and dedication. It is people like you who make our world a better place. I will remember you in my thoughts and prayers. Happy New Year.

Michele Pasquarriello, CMS Residential Director
Sister Mary Ann LoGiudice, CMS Executive Director

Family Perspectives by Bud Ozar: The bondage of a stressful schedule and the time-devouring demands of multi-tasking can “blind” you to the needs of your loved ones. Jesus tells us in the gospel: “Today the scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.” Perhaps you are “the captive who needs to be set free.” Come Lord Jesus, set us free!



The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor.



We respectfully remind everyone to observe the **No parking** areas on the parish grounds. These areas provide for everyone’s safety, and in case of emergency they provide access for emergency vehicles. Also, please park only within the lines designated as parking spaces. Areas outside of those lines are for emergency access. Thank you.

REMINDER ~ If you have or are recovering from a cold or the flu, please remember the appropriate precautions at the Sign of Peace and refrain from receiving from the cup or on the tongue.

Free Income Tax Preparation Starts in February

Once again, Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Albany will prepare your 1040A or 1040EZ short forms free of charge. In order to use this service, your combined income must be less than \$39,000.00 and you must qualify to file the **1040A or 1040EZ** short forms.

PLEASE NOTE: We cannot prepare 1040 long forms with itemized deductions.

Tax preparation will be available in February at the Pastoral Center, 40 N. Main Ave, Albany NY 12203. **Appointments are required. Call 518-453-6650.**

You must bring the following items to your appointment:

- Original Social Security cards for self and dependents
- Last year’s tax return
- All W-2 forms
- All 1099 forms
- Voided check if you want to receive your refund through direct deposit
- Savings account routing number for direct deposit

**Ash Wednesday Evening of Reflection
“Soften Our Hearts”**

February 17, 2010 6-9:15 pm

DOMINICAN RETREAT & CONFERENCE CENTER

Guest Director: Rev. Bill Sheehan, OMI, a member of the Oblate Contemplative Mission Center, has been involved with Contemplative outreach since 1983 and is an experienced national retreat director. Through prayer, reflection, and action, Lent offers us a time to explore the depths of our hearts - to stand before God as we are and ask that God cleanse and soften that which has begun to grow hard through the course of the year. \$25.00.

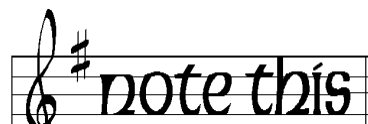
Info/reservations call Dominican Retreat & Conference Center, 518-393-4169 Monday through Friday, 8:30 am-4:30.

On Sunday, January 31, 2010, the Center for Disability Services will be conducting their annual Telethon on WXXA/FOX 23 (channel 8). Parishioners are asked to consider a contribution to this worthwhile cause. The Center provides programs and services to 15,000 infants, children, adults and seniors with various types of disabilities. The proceeds from the annual telethon are essential for the continuation of these programs and services which help all “people get better at life”

Brett Gardner, starting left fielder with the World Champion New York Yankees and Hakeem Nicks, wide receiver with the New York Giants, will be special guests at the 50th Center for Disability Services Telethon from 12 p.m. to 7 p.m., at the Holiday Inn Albany. Both players will appear in the sports area and will meet fans and sign autographs. The specific times and details of their appearances will be announced soon.

The loving care of a competent staff, professionalism of the Center’s leadership and the wide spread respect of the business and private sector community all testify to the worthiness of this cause. Whatever you can do to help the Center for Disability Services will be greatly appreciated.

Watch as the telethon kicks off at noon for a familiar and beloved friend.



Carondelet Music Center

Register now for the Second Semester at Carondelet Music Center which begins on Monday, January 25, 2010. Sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph, the Center provides music instruction for private lessons and group classes including piano, guitar, voice, woodwinds, brass, strings and percussion. Specializing in early childhood music and movement, Carondelet Music Center offers Kindermusik classes for the following levels: *Village (Birth-18 months)*, *Our Time (18 months- 3)*, *Imagine That! (3-5 years)*, and *Young Child (5-7 years)*. All lessons and classes are held at St. Joseph’s Provincial House in Latham. For more information call: Dr. Patricia St. John, CSJ, Executive Director at 783-3608.

Mass Intentions for the week

JANUARY 25- JANUARY 31

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| Mon | 6:30 | William Waleski req. Bob & Betty Raffaele Thomas O'Connell req. Janet & Patrick Fitzgerald |
| | 9:00 | Michael Bernat req. His Family Keith Mackey req. His Family William Mackey req. His Family |
| Tues | 6:30 | Mary Lou Kelleher req. Tony Hunter |
| | 9:00 | Sarah Green req. Jane & Jim Ryan Thomas O'Connell req. Ladies of Charity Karin Tozzi req. Tom & Mary Fallati |
| | 7:00 | Elinor O'Brien req. Her Daughter Peter Parry req. Ray and Sheila Stross Edna & Jerry Devine req. The Thayer Family |
| Wed | 6:30 | Victims of Haitian Earthquake |
| | 9:00 | Rafael & Esperanza Agtarap req. Their Family Jessica Holthenrichs req. Perian Jelstrom Joseph Murphy req. Margie Witko |
| Thur | 6:30 | Roman Zeman req. P. Haley & M. Murphy |
| | 9:00 | Sylvia Bauersfeld req. Janet & Patrick Fitzgerald Austin Rose req. Janet & Patrick Fitzgerald Agnes & Joseph Polanski req. Mr. & Mrs. A. Smolinski |
| Fri | 6:30 | Thomas O'Connell req. Michael & Mary Mastropietro Marilyn Angelo req. Her Son, Alan |
| | 9:00 | Joseph Murphy req. Jeanne Selkis Anna & Joseph Sherry req. Their Family Warren & Teddy Abriel req. Their Family |
| Sat | 9:00 | Thomas O'Connell req. Joyce Potenza Dawn Burnham req. Jackie Harte & Cindy hauting Helen Harder req. Bernie Tholl |
| | 5:00 | Vigil |
| Sun | 8:00 am; 10:00 am; 12:00 Noon | |

Eucharistic Ministers & Greeters - Team 1

SERVERS FOR January 30/31

| 5:00 pm | 8:00 am | 10:00 am | 12:00 pm |
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| B. Fitzgerald | E. Nicol | M/ B McQuade | J. Tarantino |
| S. Vonstetina | R. Derocher | M/M Percy | L. Paterson |
| A. Allocco | D. Derocher | M. Behrman | M. Bonanni |
| K. Brock | L. Kipper | Tyler Lyons | L. Hans |

READINGS FOR JANUARY 31, 2010

First Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19

Psalm: Psalm 71

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:31, 13:13

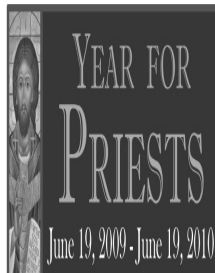
Gospel: Luke 4:21-30

WEEKLY PARISH CALENDAR

| DAY | DATE | EVENT | TIME | PLACE |
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| SUN | 1/24 | Sunday Eucharist No Religious Ed. RCIA St Pius X School Open House | 8, 10,12 9:00 am 11:00 am | Church School Conf A |
| MON | 1/25 | | | |
| TUE | 1/26 | AA Meeting Youth Choir 4:15 pm & 6:15 pm Chime Choir | 5:30 pm 3:30 pm | Church Church Church |
| WED | 1/27 | Bible Study Children's Choir Adult Confirmation | 10:00 am 4:15 pm 7:30 pm | Conf B Church Conf A |
| THU | 1/28 | AA Meeting Adult Choir | 7:00 pm 7:00 pm | Conf B Church |
| FRI | 1/29 | Renew Adoration | 7:00 am 9:30 am | Conf B Chapel |
| SAT | 1/30 | Vigil | 5:00 pm | Church |

Music for Weekend of January 23/24

Gathering: 558- Glory and Praise to Our God
Preparation: 591 - We Are Many Parts
Communion: 546 - Christ Be Our Light
Going Forth: 573 - All The Ends of the Earth
Adult Choir: Teach Us, O Lord



Most gracious Heavenly Father, We thank you for our faithful priests and bishops, whose spiritual fatherhood and example of fidelity, self-sacrifice, and devotion is so vital to the faith of your people.

May our spiritual fathers be guided by the examples of Saints Peter and Paul, all the Apostles and their saintly successors. Give them valiant faith in the face of confusion and conflict, hope in time of trouble and sorrow, and steadfast love for you, for their families, and for all your people throughout the world. May the light of your Truth shine through their lives and their good works.

Assist all spiritual fathers, that through your Grace they may steadily grow in holiness and in knowledge and understanding of your Truth. May they generously impart this knowledge to those who rely on them, through Christ our Lord. Amen.