



Church of St. Pius X

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October 11, 2009

Next Sunday
October 18, 2009



Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Last November I was privileged to become the Chair of the Bishops' Committee for the Office of International Justice and Peace. This function of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has afforded me the opportunity to become better acquainted with the conditions under which much of the Church's evangelization efforts take place. While not directly concerned with evangelization, my work with the USCCB International Justice and Peace Office helps me to understand the dire political, economic and cultural milieu within which our sisters and brothers in the Missionary Church must minister.

We cannot separate the preaching of the Gospel from the context of that preaching. While the Gospel, and indeed Church teaching, often does not dictate specific solutions to many of the complex issues missionaries face, nevertheless the Gospel precepts of justice, peace, and respect for human life and dignity must become the foundation for any solution. World Mission Sunday affords us the opportunity to reflect on the importance of standing in solidarity with those who preach and minister in circumstances that need to be influenced by that message.

Whenever you and I go out of our way to promote support for the Missions of the Church, we become one with the missionaries who labor in the fields of the Lord. Just as I feel that evangelization is important for our own diocese, so too I want to stand with you in solidarity with missionary efforts around the world. Please support generously this appeal that enables Pope Benedict XVI to assist the missions in the work of evangelization.

Faithfully yours in Christ,
Howard J. Hubbard, Bishop of Albany

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

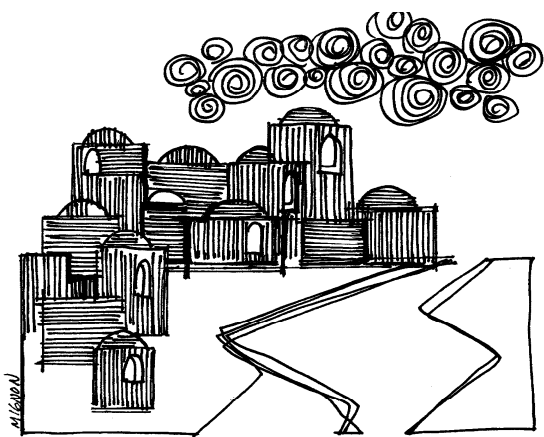
CATHOLIC BURIAL

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

TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Come and follow

THE RICH YOUNG MAN AND ME

One way to enter into a particular passage from the Bible is to put ourselves in the place of one of the characters. Try doing that today with the character of the rich young man in today's Gospel. We have all asked the kind of ultimate question posed by the young man: "What must I do to inherit eternal life?" (Mark 10:17). So often we focus on other kinds of questions that have to do with our lives here on earth, questions like "What percentage of my salary should I dedicate to my 401(k) plan in order to retire comfortably?" While considerations such as these are important to ensure a comfortable future, today's Gospel challenges us to ask the question that matters so much more.

FORETASTE OF THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN

Jesus' response to the rich young man reveals an understanding of what God's kingdom is all about. What we do here on earth is simply a rehearsal for the life to come. In God's kingdom, there is no suffering, no poverty, no injustice. What we do with the gift of our earthly lives must focus on doing our part to establish that kind of kingdom here on earth. We do not have to look far to realize that this world is in need of change. Like the rich young man, we all strive to keep the commandments. Like him, we, too, are asked to do much more, most of the time in small ways, in our families, neighborhoods, schools, and workplace. The first step is to live a life of awareness—we need to attune ourselves to opportunities for doing our part to alleviate suffering and injustice. We live in hope that when we arrive at heaven's door, what awaits us there will not be something completely surprising. What we hope to find is a kingdom of which we had a foretaste while we were here on earth.

PARISH CONVENING Saturday, November 7, 2009:

Please plan to join Bishop Hubbard for the annual Parish Convening - a day of renewal and nourishment for **all** who minister in the parish: lectors, Communion ministers, RCIA teams, ministers to the elderly and sick, catechists, youth ministers, music ministers, outreach ministers, Catholic school teachers and staff, pastoral council members, pastors, associate pastors, parish life directors, deacons, leaders and coordinators of ministries, and more! **Highlights of the day will include:** a joyful gathering celebration, inspiring keynote by Father Gerald Fagin, SJ from Loyola University, New Orleans - "**Ministering with the Heart of Christ,**" workshops and exhibits.

Pancake Breakfast

Please join us for a Harvest Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, October 18th from 8:00 am - 12:00 pm in the Parish Center. A gathering of food, friends and fun to usher in the autumn season. Bring your appetites for pancakes, sausages, fruit, cider, coffee and fun. We strongly encourage you to make reservations by signing up at one of the back entrances starting Sunday, October 4th. The Cost

will be adults, \$5.00, children and seniors, \$3.00 and a family max of \$15.00 to be paid at the door. Hope to see you there!



MEMORIAL MASS

All parishioners are invited to participate in the special "All Souls' Day" Memorial Mass. It will be celebrated on Monday, November 2nd, 2009 at 7:00 PM. At the mass we will read the names of those who have been buried from St. Pius X Church since last October. We have written to family contact persons for each

of the deceased, requesting that they participate by placing a flower in the memorial vase in the sanctuary.

Any parishioner who has suffered the loss of an immediate family member, (e.g. parent, grandparent, sister, or brother), who was buried from another church during the past year, is welcome to have their name read out during the Mass. Also a flower will be provided to place in the memorial vase. Simply call Jeanne Pitkin in the Pastoral Care Office, 462-1336, and give the name of the deceased person and the name of the person who will place the flower in the memorial vase.

This special "All Souls' Day" Mass is a wonderful way to remember those with whom we have shared life. At the same time, it is unique opportunity for us to come together to pray for and support one another in our grief. As in the past, the choir will assist us in our worship and enhance this beautiful celebration and sacred memorial for our loved ones. All are welcome. For more information and to call to reserve a flower for your loved one, call Jeanne at 462-1336 by Monday October 26th.



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.



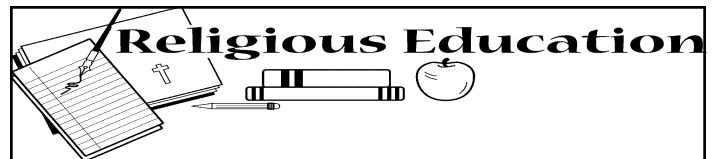
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| Karen Szesnat | Colleen Clapper |
| Dominick DeFilippo | Lorie Clapper |
| Jeanne Fairchild | John Szesnat |
| Mark Farrell | Joseph Pepe |
| Lisa Pilla | Robert Owens |
| Robert Campbell | James Gaetani |
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| Iris Marini | John Massimilian |
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| Patrick Lennon | Jizziyah Skelly |
| Miriam Kleinberger | Charlotte Anne Wolfstich |
| Bob Raffaele | Frank Lent |
| Gertrude Abele | John Agrusti |
| Jennifer Garland | Marilyn Gradoni |
| Anne Egan | John Tomchik |
| Kym Hynes | Nathan Natale |
| Judy Delaney | Ed Burnham |
| Phyllis Cullen | William Stephans |
| Joseph Wrobleski | Elaine Lubiniecki |
| Maura Mendel | Terrance O'Donnell |
| John Scheckton | |



Coordinator: Brian Evers
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Altar Server Training
Wed., Oct. 28th 6:00 pm
Thurs, Oct. 29th 4:00 or 6:00
 Training is open to all those in grades 5 and up.



Sunday School: Opening Day for the Sunday School Program for Grades K-8 was held on Sunday, September 20 from 9:00 until 9:50 am in St. Pius X School. On the **first day**, children were given their book/bible, and a Dear Parent **letter** that contains guidelines/procedures for the Sunday School Program, and the **calendar** for the 2009-2010 school year.

Reminder: At dismissal, children in grades K – 4 must be picked up at the classroom door by a parent or older brother/sister. Thank you.

Sunday School Sessions: Classes for the month of October are: Oct. 18 #4, and Oct. 25 #5 (Parent Open House). There are no classes on Oct. 11 – Columbus Day Weekend.

Sunday School Teacher's Meeting: Our Sunday School Teacher's Meeting will be held on October 18 at 8:25 am in the Teacher's Lunch Room. We will be discussing Parent Open House.

Parent Open House: Our Parent Open House for the Sunday School Program will be held on **October 25** at 9:00 am. Your children will be in their classrooms. This Open House will give parents the opportunity to meet their child's Teacher and to discuss what their child will be learning for the coming year. This Open House is important for both lower and especially upper grade classes. The schedule for Open House is:

- 9:00 am – Parents will gather in the Parish Center for Fr. Farano's Presentation.
 - 9:15 – 9:30 am – Parents can visit grades 5-8
 - 9:35 – 9:50 am – Parents can visit grades K-4
- Hope to see you at our Open House!

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Love is in the Air. Capture the beauty of the fall season and *fall* in love again with your spouse on a Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekend is **November 6-8** in Latham. Call Ed & Rhonda Staats at 518-279-3243 or email MEabany@juno.com for more information.

The **Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat** is hosting a women's breakfast for all interested in women's issues. Our speaker will be Kathleen Pultorak. The breakfast will be held on Saturday, **October 17** in The McCormick Center at St. Ambrose Church, 347 Old Loudon Road, Latham, NY, from 9 AM-12 PM. For info, call Lenora at 664-4374. **Reservations due by October 9.** For more information regarding the Magnificat Ministry to Catholic Women, visit our website at www.magnificatalbany.org.

The monthly **DSC Healing Mass** will be held on Wednesday, **Oct. 14** at 7:30 PM, at St. Ambrose Church, Latham. Fr. Joseph Angelini is the celebrant. Prayer and praise begins at 7 PM and healing prayer to follow the liturgy.

PASTORAL CARE NEWS

Indeed the word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edge sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart."

+ In the reading from Wisdom the author prays for prudence and understanding. Seeking wisdom he begs for priceless virtues instead of human pleasures. *For what do you prayerfully plead?*

Today's letter from Hebrews searches the weary hearts of all Christians and urges them to let the word of God penetrate their beings holding them accountable for all that they do. *Does the word of God challenge you to change? Does your spirit appeal for graces to carry on rather than to give up?*

Mark's gospel narrative speaks of a young man seeking wisdom and trying to live according to God's word. Jesus affirms him with a loving look and challenges him to greater holiness. The rich young man struggles because he is attached to his possessions. The desire for wealth has too much power in his life. Jesus urges him to sell all to free him from its grasp by truly caring for and about those around him. *What keeps you from being free to give your all to the Lord and others?*

This week together let's work on becoming better disciples for the Lord! Let go of your attachments and grasp Christ's hand.

**Will you commit yourself to be
faithful to the Lord
even in the difficult areas of your life?
Ask the Spirit for help!**

GOOD NEWS: Thank you to all the St. Pius X parishioners who participated in "*The Spirituality of Pastoral Care*" program with Sr. Kitty Hanley, CSJ at St. Ambrose last week. Your willingness to serve in the parish and continue to learn and grow in this ministry is a model for all us as disciples of the Lord. Thank You!

MINISTERS OF PRAYER: In **OCTOBER** please pray **THAT WE MAY EMBRACE OUR CHRISTIAN RESPONSIBILITY TO LIVE OUT AND CELEBRATE OUR FAITH WITH MISSIONARY ZEAL. (Papal Intention)**

UNDERSTANDING GRIEF AND LOSS, our Eight-Week Educational Bereavement Support Group continues this Tuesday October 13, 2009 at 10:15 AM at Our Lady of Assumption Parish, Latham. The weekly theme is "How Will I Know When I Am Better?" For more information. call Jeanne Pitkin at 462-1336.

Our Women's Scripture Study/Faith Sharing Group continues Wednesday October 14th, 2009. The weekly theme will be "Dreams in Scripture". To prepare for our October 14th meeting, read the following scriptures Gen:1-7; Esther A:1-11, F:1-10; Jer. 29:20-23; Joel 3:1-5 and Daniel 2:1-49.

NEEDED: BLANK Note Cards for those involved in the Ministry of Caring to use for condolences to the bereaved and for notes to our sick and hospitalized. Please call the Pastoral Care Office at 462-1336 if you would like to volunteer.

At the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center

"Personal Harvest", a Day of Retreat with Claudia Gregoire will be held today Sunday October 11, 2009 from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Cost: \$30.

Soup with the Saints "St. Augustine of Hippo", with Sr. Carol Davis OP will be held Tuesday October 13, 2009 from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. Cost: \$15.

"Evening of Reflection for Eucharistic Ministers" with Rev. Joe Busch will be held Wednesday October 14th, 2009 from 6 to 9:15 PM. Cost: \$25.

"Retreat for Women Concerned with Alcoholism", a Weekend Retreat with Sr. Maurice Doody OP will be held Friday October 16th to Sunday October 18th, 2009. Cost: \$185 (\$170 for seniors).

Soup with the Saints "St. Monica", with Sr. Susan Zemgulis OP will be held Tuesday October 20, 2009 from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. Cost: \$15.

"Storytelling: Mining the Spiritual Gold Within" A Retreat for Men and Women with Marni Gillard will be held Friday October 23rd to Sunday October 25th, 2009. Cost: \$185 (\$170 for seniors). For more information and to register call 393-4169.

From the Consultation Center:

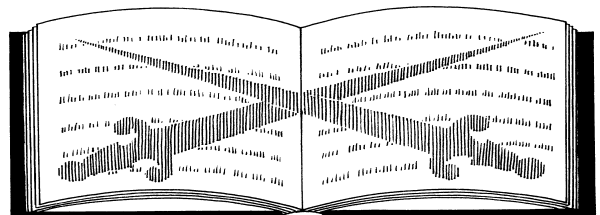
Prayer with a Work of Art with Joanne St. Hilaire, CSJ will be held Wednesday October 14th, 2009 from 7 to 8:30 PM at the Pastoral Center. Cost: \$12.

De-Clutter De-Stress Your Life with Helen Volk will be held Monday Oct. 19, 2009 and Feb 11, 2010 from 6:30 to 9 PM at the Pastoral Center. Cost: \$10 (\$12 after 10//12).

Anger: The Misunderstood Emotion - Understanding and Managing It with Donna Lochner will be held Thursday October 22nd, 2009 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM at the Pastoral Center. Cost: \$10 (\$12 after 10/15). For more information or to register for these programs call 489-4431.

FROM GRIEF TO GRACE: This Wednesday October 14, 2009 from 7 to 8:30 PM St. Pius X Church will begin the two part Bereavement Series, "*From Grief to Grace*" in the Parish Chapel. The evening will follow the theme, "FREEDOM TO GRIEVE" and consists of prayer, a presentation, small group sharing, refreshments and fellowship. The program is open to all parishioners, their guests, and the community. There is no fee. For more information call Jeanne Pitkin at 462-1336.

Are you a Pastoral Care Minister or considering volunteering as a visitor to the homebound, sick, elderly or hospitalized? Join us for three Wednesdays October 21 and 28 and November 4, 2009 at Our Lady of Assumption Parish from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. Everyone is invited to these free training sessions presented by the Catholic Colonie Cluster. For more information ... Call Jeanne Pitkin at 462-1336.





Eucharistic Adoration

If you, O Lord, laid bare our guilt, who could endure it? But you are forgiving, God of Israel. *Psalm 129*

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.



DIOCESAN MARRIAGE JUBILEE:

The 37TH Annual Marriage Jubilee Celebration sponsored by the Office of Evangelization, Catechesis and Family Life will be held **Saturday, October 17th at 1:00 p.m. at St. Clare's Church**, Central Avenue, Colonie New York. Couples celebrating their **25th, 40th 50th** or other special wedding anniversaries are invited to attend this celebration. Bishop Hubbard will celebrate the Liturgy at 1:00 PM and greet couples and their guests at a reception in the Parish Center immediately following. Please register at the parish office.

Virtus Training Schedule

All employees of the Diocese and all volunteers who have contact with children must attend the program as a condition of employment or service.

The following Virtus presentations have been scheduled for the coming months. More sites will be added to the list in the near future. Please check with the Diocesan website periodically for an updated schedule. New Feature: Pre-registration for Virtus @ www.virtusonline.org

- Oct. 13, 2009 Pastoral Center, Albany 1:00 pm
- Oct. 27, 2009 St. Pius X, Loudonville 7:00 pm
- Nov. 10, 2009 Pastoral Center, Albany 1:00 pm
- Dec. 08, 2009 Pastoral Center, Albany 1:00 pm

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St. Pius X PSA Fundraiser



Blood Drive: Thank you to everyone who participated in the annual Blood Drive on October 3rd from the St. Pius Girl Scout Troop 1663. We had 31 donors – 5 of them first time donors! You are all heroes!



Donate Materials to Habitat for Humanity and put your faith into action.

Shelter from rain, wind and sun is a basic human need. Habitat for Humanity provides decent, affordable houses to families in need. Habitat homeowners gain self-respect as they work alongside volunteers to construct their own homes. Since 1976, this ministry has built over 300,000 houses worldwide for more than 1.5 million people.

Establishing partnerships with local and community programs is part of the outreach that St. Pius X Church has been proud of over the years. We would like to make you aware of an opportunity to serve a need in our community while at the same time providing numerous other advantages.

The Habitat ReStore is a home improvement resale store. We take in donations of new and gently used building materials such as cabinets, windows, doors, lighting, appliances, lumber, electrical & plumbing. Items are then sold to the public at our store with all proceeds going to support the important work of Habitat in this community. The Habitat ReStore diverts tons of useable building materials from the landfill while making home improvements much more accessible to people of all income levels. Capital District Habitat for Humanity is looking for donations for their ReStore on 454 No. Pearl St. Albany, NY. Please consider donating items which would qualify for this program.

The benefits of this program include

- * Donations that are tax deductible
- * Pick-ups for your convenience
- * Reduction of materials entering our landfills
- * Assisting Habitat build more homes

To donate, to volunteer, or for any more information on how you can help call Emily @ 275-6638.

Store hours are Thursday 2:00 pm -7:00 pm and Fridays and Saturdays 9:00 am-5:00 pm.

Catholic Central High School will host a sixth grade visitation day on Wed., Oct. 21 from 9:00am – 1:00pm, an eighth grade visitation day on Thurs., Oct. 22 from 9:00am – 1:00pm and an open house on Sun., Oct. 25 beginning at 1:00pm in the Monsignor Burns Gymnasium. Come spend a day at Catholic Central and catch the CRUSADER SPIRIT! For further information, please call 235-7100 ext.224. Please visit our website at www.cchstroy.org.

Catholic Central High School will host an open house on Sun., Oct. 25 beginning at 1:00 pm in the Monsignor Burns Gymnasium. Come spend a day at Catholic Central and catch the CRUSADER SPIRIT! For further information, please call 235-7100 ext.224. Please visit our website at www.cchstroy.org.

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar: In our family we are taught to respond to the needs of each other. But it does not stop there. Today's gospel reminds us we have responsibility to our brothers and sisters across the world who are not from our immediate family. Families are designed to be launching pads, not dead ends.

Rite of Christian Initiation (R.C.I.A.)

The new RCIA Process began meeting starting September 13th 2009. It is not too late to join us if you haven't signed up yet. We will meet every Sunday following the 10AM Liturgy in Conference Room A from 11:15 until 12:45. In the beginning we will spend a few weeks inquiring about the Catholic Religion, our beliefs, and how our Faith guides us. We then will move on to discussing Scripture, Faith, and how we come to know God in our life.

Anyone who is interested in becoming a Catholic or who has been Baptized but never received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation are invited to join the RCIA Process. You may register by calling Maureen F Kelly 458-7048. I look forward to hearing from you.

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.

**October Food Collection
October 17/18**



The October food collection is next weekend. The frost certainly is on the pumpkin! It's that time of the year again when we all look for hot and hearty comfort foods that warm our bodies as well as our souls. Suggested items are stew, soup, chili, ravioli, macaroni and cheese, spaghetti, pasta, sauce, hamburger and tuna helper meals. Other needed items are peanut butter and jelly, hot and cold cereals, tuna, mayo, canned fruits and veggies, hot chocolate, coffee and tea. Also paper products and personal care items. Your generosity is always appreciated.

IRISH VARIETY SHOW

St. Michael's Church in Troy is sponsoring the 2nd Annual Irish Variety Show" to raise funds for the following worthy organizations: Roarke Center, St. Colman's Daycare, Clothe-a-Child, the Catholic Charities Transportation Ministry, and the St. Michael's Outreach Committee. Please join us on Wednesday, 10/21, at 7pm for a fun night of entertainment. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$10 for children under 12. The performers from Ireland have a brand new show planned and will draw you into their singing, comedy, dancing, etc. Refreshments at the intermission are included in the price of your ticket...wine and Irish beer will be for sale. Raffles include: 50-50, Irish Pendant (worth \$100), Irish sweater, and a signed Waterford Crystal cross. Tickets are on sale now.

**ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT NEWS
CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION NIGHT**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2009 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM GYM

This program is for boys and girls from grades 5th through 8th. You must be a registered St. Pius X Parishioner before 12/31/08 or registered in St. Pius X School to participate.

All children must be registered on Friday, October 16, 2009 to participate in our CYO Basketball Program. Sorry, no early registrations (sent in by any means) will be accepted. Parents must be present to register their children on the evening of the October 16th. We will have a brief Sports Information Meeting prior to registration to explain the goals and objectives of our CYO Basketball Program.

SPECIAL NOTE: PLEASE ONLY PARENTS NEED TO ATTEND THIS MEETING. Registration Fee is \$30.00/Child - (payable in cash or a check made out to ST. PIUS X).

CYO BASKETBALL TRYOUTS:

BOYS: Grades 5 & 6 (Biddy Boys)

Tuesday, Oct. 20th @ 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM
Saturday, Oct. 24th @ 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM
Tuesday, Oct. 27th @ 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Grades 7 & 8 (Junior Boys)

Tuesday, Oct. 20th @ 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM
Saturday, Oct. 24th @ 10:30 AM – Noon
Tuesday, Oct. 27th @ 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM

GIRLS: Grades 5 & 6 (Biddy Girls)

Wednesday, Oct. 21st @ 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM
Saturday, Oct. 24th @ 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Wednesday, Oct. 28th @ 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Grades 7 & 8 (Junior Girls)

Wednesday, Oct. 21st @ 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM
Saturday, Oct. 24th @ 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM
Wednesday, Oct. 28th @ 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:

To be eligible to participate on the above teams Diocesan Rules state: Players must be registered members of St. Pius X Parish prior to December 31, 2008 or registered in St. Pius X School. Important: Boys and Girls are required to attend all tryouts listed for their respective teams.

If there are any parents interested in coaching or assistant coaching, please call Lou Klender at 782-0989 for more details. All coaches and assistant coaches are required to have the Virtus training. Please consult the bulletin for additional information.

SAINT PIUS X IS LOADING UP THE SLEIGH!!!!

Parish Trip to New York
Calling all elves and their friends! The annual Saint Pius X Parish Trip is coming soon.
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2009
We leave Saint Pius X at 7:00 am
We leave NYC at 8:00 pm
Enjoy a fun day with lots to do on your own in the City.
Bus fare is \$35 per person
Please mail your checks made out to St Pius X to:
Jackie DeSanti 2 Joy Drive Loudonville, NY 12211

Mass Intentions for the week

OCTOBER 12- OCTOBER 18

Mon	6:30	No Early Mass
	9:00	Michael & Hannah Ryan req. James G. Brennan Gustav Hufland req. Marge Ryan Bob Gallagher req. Family& Friends
Tues	6:30	Victims of the recent Natural Disasters
	9:00	Jeanne O'Donnell req. Her Family Marguerite Hamel req. Bryan Sheppeck Richard Loiselle req. Bryan Sheppeck
	7:00	Norma H. Anthony req. Her Family Marilyn Y. Burns req. St. Pius X Choir
Wed	6:30	William Waleski req. Bob & Betty Raffaele
	9:00	Elsie Schmidt req. Joe Schmidt Mary R. Brennan req. Her Family Stanley Kozielski req. The Williamson Family
Thur	6:30	Sr. Irene Kruse CSJ req. Her 6:30 am Mass Friends
	9:00	Evelyn Cusak req. Dr. & Mrs. Joseph Crisafulli Kevin Clemente req. Dr. & Mrs. Joseph Crisafulli Mary Delacruz req. Dr. & Mrs. Joseph Crisafulli
Fri	6:30	Shelia Kohli req. Rosemary & Richard Grimmer James McDonald (9th Anniv.) req. Paul & Lori McCoy
	9:00	Mr. & Mrs. Cavan Kelsey Sr. req. The Kelsey Family Angela R. Mason req. The Mason Family James Schmidt req. Joe Schmidt
Sat	9:00	William Peters Jr. req. His Family Mildred A Galante (Anniv.) req. Her Family Wilhelmina Mencucci req. Her Family
	5:00	Vigil
Sun	8:00 am; 10:00 am; 12:00 Noon	

Eucharistic Ministers & Greeters - Team 1

SERVERS FOR October 17/18

5:00 PM	B. Rucinski, M. Mininberg, K. McDonald, C. Pavelec, M. Pasinella
8:00 AM	B. Crawley, Q. Gleason, V. Bulson, C. Astemborski, K. Blake
10:00AM	M. & B. McQuade, C. McCarthy, M. Bonanni, M. Percy
12:00PM	A. Tanski, K. Blake, C. & E. Tebbetts

**READINGS FOR OCTOBER 18, 2009
TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

First: Isaiah 53:10-11
Psalm: Psalm 33
Second Reading: Hebrews 4:14-16
Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

WEEKLY PARISH CALENDAR

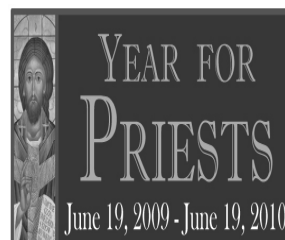
DAY	DATE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE
SUN	10/11	Sunday Eucharist RCIA Coat Collection	8, 10, 12 11:00 am	Church Conf A Church
MON	10/12			
TUE	10/13	AA Meeting Mass and Marian Devotions Youth Choir 4:15 pm & 6:15 pm Chime Choir	5:30 pm 7:00 pm 3:30 pm	Church Chapel Church Church
WED	10/14	Women's Bible Study Group Children's Choir Finance Committee Meeting Bereavement Program Cub Scout Den Meeting	10:00am 4:15 pm 5:30 pm 7:00 pm 6:30 pm	Conf B Church Conf B Chapel P. Hall
THU	10/15	AA Meeting Adult Choir	7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Conf B Church
FRI	10/16	Renew Eucharistic Adoration	7:00 am 9:30 am	Conf A Chapel
SAT	10/17	Vigil Monthly Food Collection	5:00 pm	Church Church

Music for Weekend of October 10/11

Gathering: 643- This Day God Gives Me
Preparation: 537- Holy Wisdom, Lamp of Learning
Communion: 445- Seek Ye First
Recessional: 416- I Sing the Mighty Power of God
Adult Choir: O How Amiable



Just a reminder that the School and Parish Offices will be closed on Monday, October 12th in observance of Columbus day. Also, there is no 6:30 am on that Monday. Have a nice weekend.



For our Priests

Lord, we thank you for choosing these men to minister among us. Renew in them daily the gifts of your Holy Spirit so that they may faithfully serve your children with the love and mercy that is so intimately a reflection of you.