



SEPTEMBER 16, 2018
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saint Pius X

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St. Pius X Parish Mission Statement

- We are called to continue the mission of Jesus.
- As a people we are called by virtue of our Baptism to minister to one another and to the world.
- As a parish we strive to form a loving community through ongoing formation, hospitality, worship and justice.

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MASS SCHEDULE

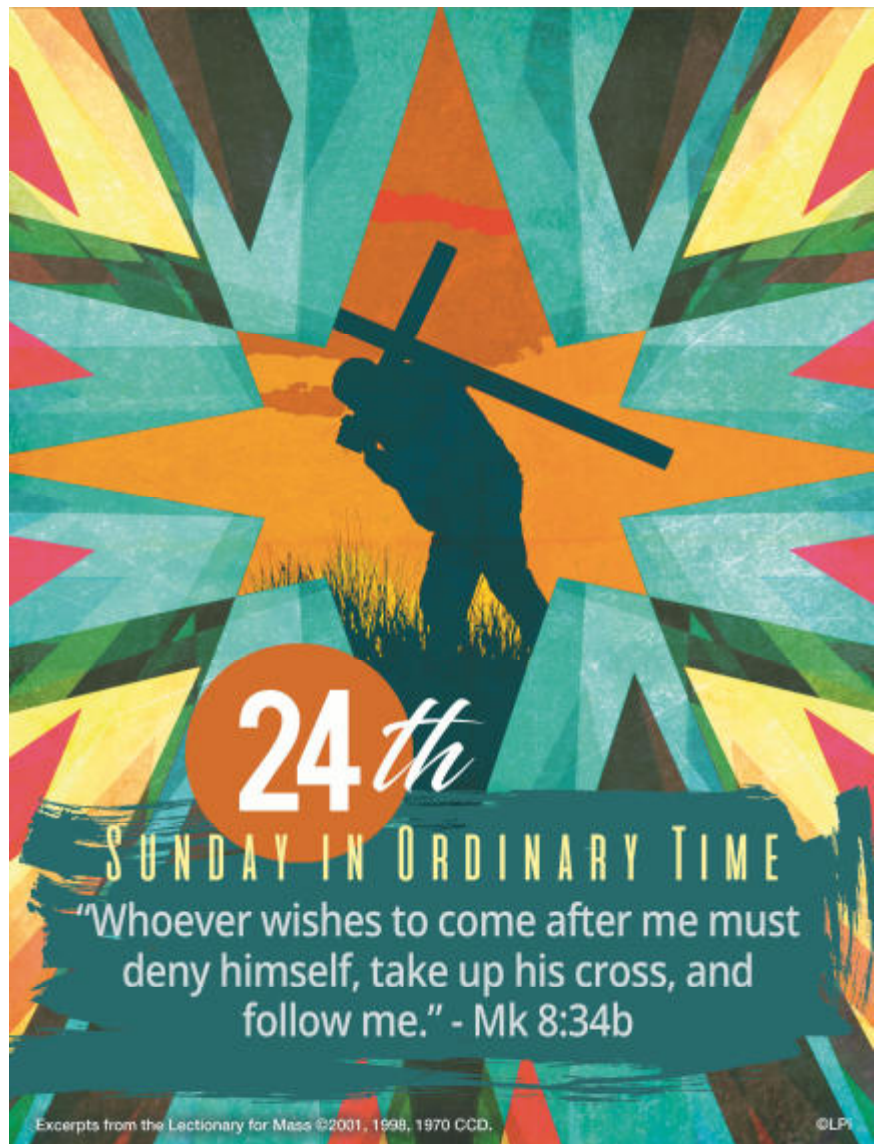
Saturday 4:30 pm; Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 am
 Monday 8:10 am (Communion Service)
 Tuesday-Friday 8:10 am
 First Saturday 8:10 am
 Holyday: 8:10 am & 7:00 pm

ROSARY: Monday-Friday 7:45 am

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (Confessions):
Saturday 3:30-4:15 pm or anytime by appointment.

NOVENA: Tuesday following 8:10 am Mass.

BAPTISM: Call parish office regarding Baptismal program.



Bulletins are available on-line by going to...

www.parishesonline.com or by going to our website, www.spxmission.org.

To keep up to date on activities at SPX, join our FaceBook group, St. Pius X Parish!

PARISH/COMMUNITY NEWS

WOMEN'S CLUB NUT SALE (NUTS!)

It's that time of year again when we will be having our nut sale. There are two sale dates at St. Pius and two at Security Bank in Mission. Please note we have added several new items this year. All preorders will receive a discount of 25 cents per package if turned in by October 21. The order forms will be in next week-end's bulletin and will soon be online at spx.mission.org. Extra forms will be provided at both gathering spaces if needed.

For any questions please call:

Janice 913-362-8920; Sheila 913-722-0957

Joan 913-722-0099; Marci 913-579-1929

SPX FEAST DAY

Please join us as we celebrate our Parish Remodel and thank everyone for all their help, support, and prayers! Parish Feast Day will be on Saturday, September 29th. We will begin the celebration in our newly remodeled church at 4:30 Mass. After Mass head down to the Parish Hall for an open bar. Dinner will begin at 6pm. Please bring a side dish to share (Last Name A-M Side Dish, N-Z Dessert). Please sign up through the signup genius link (<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508094aaca82da5f85-spxfeast>) or after the Masses this weekend and next. The Parish Council will provide fried chicken. Be sure to stay after the dinner for a dance. Please RSVP to Marisa Snook 913-244-5732, marisa.r.snook@gmail.com or to the Parish Office 913-432-4808. You can also sign up after Mass this weekend. When RSVPing please let us know how many people are coming, so that we know how much chicken to order.

RCIA INQUIRY SESSIONS HAPPENING NOW!

Are you someone or do you know someone who...

- Has an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation?
- Is just curious about the Catholic Faith?

Inquiry sessions offer an opportunity to explore and ask questions. There is no commitment involved. This year, Inquiry will be in conjunction with the School of Faith course, at 7 pm on Thursdays, Sept 13 - Oct 4. After each SOF class, we will move to the Inquiry session where we talk about such things as the Catholic approach to the Bible and to prayer, Mary, the Saints, Holy Days, sacramentals and relics, the Pope, the afterlife—anything you find perplexing or unfamiliar about the Catholic Church. For information please contact Beth Vance.

Home: 913/677-5045. Cell: 913/915-3831.

Email: bethavance4@gmail.com.

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Shirley Corbin, long time parishioner and wife of Bruce Corbin. May she enjoy eternal life in the Lord's sweet embrace.

CAMPAIGN/REMODEL UPDATE!

They continue to work on the demolition of the 55th Street wing. As of the writing of this column, they have knocked down the circle drive structure and the first section (old kindergarten room and office).

The new floors in the bathrooms are finished and a lot of the tile is up. They look great and should be so much easier to keep clean.

Lights are going up throughout the Woodson wing. Lights in the New Glowacki Room are being installed this week. They look very nice.

If you have any questions about any of the work being done, please be sure to reach out to one of our facilities committee members.

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JOYFULLY RENEWING



OUR PARISH HOME

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK...

Doug Blattman, Beth Blessington-Conrad, Marge Bugler, Jeff Goldsmith, Howard Gustafson, Suzanne Hobson, Fr. Ken Kelly, Jeanie Luchi, Jan Marr, Joyce McGough, Mary Nigh, Rosemary Pappert, Marilyn Rieger, Curtis Ryan, Edna Taylor, Duane Vock, Marc Warden

MORE PIUS & COMMUNITY NEWS!

FALL BLOOD DRIVE IS COMING SOON!

FALL BLOOD DRIVE, Monday, October 1, from 2:00 to 6:30 pm at Queen of the Holy Rosary. Your donation is needed and appreciated by many. Sign Up after all Masses next weekend, September 22-23. You may also sign up by going to esavealifenow.org Sponsor code is queenholynosary. If you have questions, you can call or email Joyce Dorssom 816-877-4609 or sdorssom@kc.rr.com.

THE CHRISTMAS SHOPPE

"The Christmas Shoppe" will be back again this year Saturday December 8th from 9am - 6pm and Sunday December 9th from 7:30am - 3pm in the QHR Parish Hall. Santa will make an appearance on Saturday, December 8th! To reserve your spot, please call Julie Hauber 913-269-1163 or Ruth Herrold 913-406-0259. There are registration forms available at SPX. The cost per table is \$25 and electricity cost is \$5. Proceeds benefit John Paul II School!

EVERY DAY STEWARDSHIP—RECOGNIZING GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

I must confess. I have not always prayed for someone if I told him or her I would. I have fallen victim to making the phrase, "You are in my prayers," a sentence void of real emotion or intent. It is like asking the question, "How are you?" Do I always want to know how you are at the time? Then follows the most common responses of "fine" or "good." I could have had the worst day, but I still utter a response that does not reflect my true state. Many of us say things to be nice without really thinking about it. At least, I hope I am not the only one.

The truth is that words are meaningless without action. We sometimes make ourselves and others feel better by saying we will do things only to provide no action at all. Offering best wishes to those in real need without any action is worth little. Even if we think we are sincere, true faith without works is dead.

Good stewardship requires us to say what we mean and mean what we say. Stewardship is a way of living. It does ask for sentiments of love. It asks for profound actions of love. We need to offer our gifts, talents, time, and prayers to one another and then follow through. This means we need to be more mindful of what we are saying, more committed to following through, and more accountable for our actions if we fail. If we practice this way of living, not only will we be able to say we are doing the right thing, but our integrity will be intact and we will bear witness to the transforming power of Jesus Christ.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SEPTEMBER 22-23, 2018 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Lectors

4:30 PM Ed Pilarz, Chris Coffman
8:30 AM Dorothy Chamblin, John Fox
11:00 AM Janie Snead, Erlene Goff-Lewis

Altar Servers

4:30 PM Acolytes
8:30 AM Tiffany Cloo, Olivia Burchstead,
1 volunteer
11:00 AM Jack & Wyatt Owen, 1 volunteer

Eucharistic Ministers

4:30 PM Laurie Hess, Phil Hafler, Zita Riedel,
Becky Duckers, Steve Hegstrom, Donna Carril, Ted Riesinger
8:30 AM Dick Wellenstein, Sara Mullen, Judy Shaw, Carl & Linda Weaver, Patty Mack, Marirose Larson,
11:00 AM Marci & Steve Abels, Bob Cushing, Marcia Fairclough, Juanita Stiles, Kathy Bauer, 1 volunteer

Hospitality Ministers

4:30 PM Linda & Mary McMenemy, Maureen Cain, Wanda Vaughn
8:30 AM Dick Vogt, Rosemary Callahan, Sheila Egan, Danika Flax
11:00 AM Tim & Anne Hannon, Kevin Hannon, Pam Seufferling

Cantors

4:30 PM EJ Gardner DiGiorgio
8:30 AM Mary Jo Mahoney
11:00 AM Kevin Smith, Lou Anne Wagner

Children's Liturgy

8:30 AM Cindy Frink, Madalyn Austin
11:00 AM Carolyn Moon, Abby Schwabauer

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 17

8:10 am Communion Service

Tuesday, September 18

8:10 am Bruno Finocchario/SPX

Wednesday, September 19

8:10 am SPX Parish Intentions

Thursday, September 20

8:10 am Dorothy Lowe/SPX

Friday, September 21

8:10 am Robert P. Miller/SPX

Saturday, September 22

4:30 pm Jack & Mary Ellen Sands/SPX

Sunday, September 23

8:30 am JoAnn Lynch/SPX

11:00 am Robert & Juanita Stiles, Thanksgiving/
Family

JP II NEWS!

PTO Clothing Drive - 9/16-9/23

Mark your calendars! The JP II Clothing Drive fundraiser will be September 16-23rd. We can accept all clothing, shoes, and accessories from all seasons. Items can be dropped off at any time - the truck will be parked in the lot east of the school during the drive and a trailer parked at the SPX parking lot. Hold on to those clothes and shoes that your family has outgrown - we can take them off your hands!

CYO Raising Money for Uniforms, Etc.

Our CYO kiddos are in dire need of replacement basketball uniforms and our gym is in need of new fans and improvements to manage the temperature in the space. Please consider making a donation to help support our sports program at JP II! Go to www.gofundme.com and search for "JP II CYO Uniforms & Gym Improvement".

50/50 Raffle

Have you heard about the 50/50 Raffle? Ten dollars buys a chance at winning the grand total (split 50/50 with the school) collected in the pot between now and November 10th. The more tickets sold, the more the pot grows! JP II families will be selling tickets after Masses in September, October and November.

Upcoming Events

9/16-23/18

PTO Clothing Drive

9/21/18

8:15 AM All School Mass-QHR

9/24/18

8:45 AM Windy City Players (PK-8)-JP II GYM

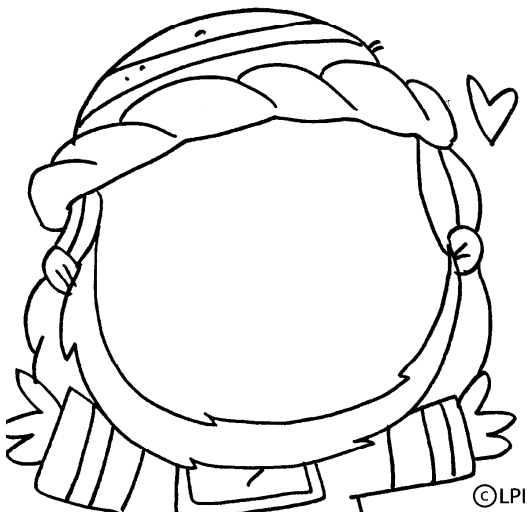
9/28/18

8:15 AM All School Mass-QHR



Puzzle

Draw the disciple's face!



Sharing the Gospel

If you have a little brother who asks you to tie his shoes six times, it is easy to get angry and say, "NO. Tie it yourself." However, God wants you to help others with a smile. He wants you to tie shoes for others. He wants you to open doors for others. He wants you to sweep the floor for others. God wants you to treat others with kindness as a favor to him.

Prayer

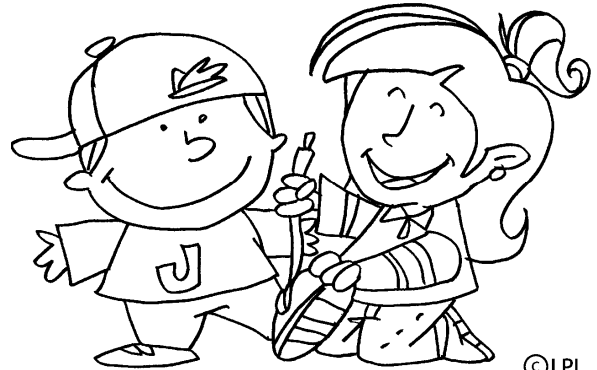
Show me how to treat others with kindness for you, Lord.

Something to Draw

Draw a picture of yourself helping a friend look for his lost dog.

Mission for the Week

When my parents ask me to help, I will jump to it right away.



SOR/SACRAMENTAL PREP NEWS!

SCHOOL OF RELIGION (SOR) CLASSES ARE FORMING NOW!

School of Religion (SOR) classes are forming now. All children of the parish in grades kindergarten through 8 who are not enrolled in Catholic School are encouraged to participate. For information on enrollment, please contact Kathy O'Bryan at 913-709-1717 or email her at kathleen@obryan.net.

Classes for grades K-8 will begin Sunday, September 23rd, 9:30-10:45 am, in Kelly Hall. We will meet in Kelly Hall until renovations are complete in the Woodson wing. Our first meeting will be a breakfast for students and their families at which we will introduce the theme for the year, the catechists, and calendar. Children who wish to prepare for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation are required to be enrolled in Catholic School or in SOR. There are still opportunities to participate in SOR as a catechist or catechist aide. Training is provided for these positions. Contact Kathy O'Bryan for more information.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd will begin classes as soon as renovation in the Woodson wing is complete and the Atrium is open, hopefully in October or November.

BOWTIES FOR BABIES

Have you known or do you know someone who may be pregnant and know their baby will die during pregnancy or soon after birth due to an adverse prenatal diagnosis, or has a newborn and has received a terminal diagnosis? Are you a family who has experienced an unexpected loss of a child due to miscarriage, fetal demise, stillbirth, SIDS, or any cause? There is a place in Kansas City known as Alexandra's House and offers healing and support for parents and families, free of charge, during pregnancy and after the death of a child. To help support this nonprofit and its services, the Friends of Alexandra's House hosts a gala called Bow Ties for Babies. This year's event will be held on October 5 at the "The Venue" in Leawood with a silent and live auction and dinner. Tickets are \$150 per person. For more information visit bowtiesforbabies.com or call 913-486-9788. To learn more about this special ministry, please visit, www.alexandrashouse.com

HOLY HOUR AND ROSARY FOR CHURCH HEALING AND GUIDANCE

Archbishop Naumann will celebrate two Eucharistic holy hours for the healing of all affected by sexual abuse in the Church as well as for wisdom and guidance for the Church's leaders in response to the sexual abuse crisis. On October 7, at 2 p.m. at Queen of the Holy Rosary in Overland Park, and at 7 p.m. at Most Pure Heart of Mary in Topeka, the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be accompanied by the Rosary as well as a brief catechetical talk on Mary as Mother of the Church. All who have suffered abuse and all who wish to join together in prayer for the purification and healing of the Church are encouraged to attend. Mary, Help of Christians and Mother of the Church, pray for us!

FAMILY DAY AT PRAIRIE STAR RANCH

Prairie Star Ranch is offering you the chance to step away and enter into a day of prayer, adventure, outdoor activities, and time to reconnect. Families, friends, and communities are invited to join us on September 23rd from 9am to 5pm! Opportunities include Horseback Riding, Canoeing, Ropes Activities, and time for prayer. The experience will culminate with the celebration of the Holy Mass in our beautiful St. Kateri Chapel. Let us journey together on this day of Christ-centered adventure! Register online now or contact the Team at Prairie Star Ranch. www.archkck.org/ranch -- 785-746-5693 -- psrministry@archkck.org

What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? (Jas 2:14)

MONKRUN 2018

Are you ready? It's time, once again, to run for a monk! Join the monks of St. Benedict's Abbey September 22, 2018, for the MonkRun 5K and 1-Mile Walk. Go to <https://www.kansasmonks.org/calendar>, and find the MonkRun to register! Entry fee is \$20 (\$10 for kids 14 & Under) until September 15 then \$25 the week of the race. A gathering will be held with the monks immediately following the run for awards and fellowship. All proceeds go to the One Legacy · One Future fund, providing for health care and retirement needs of our older monks and the education and formation of our newest monks.

MonkRun Schedule:

8:00 a.m. - Mass

8:30 a.m. - Check-in

9:30 a.m. - Race begins (those participating in the 1 mile walk should begin at the rear of the race field)

If you have any questions feel free to reply to this message. It's not too late to sign up (click here to register), so be sure to forward this e-mail to your friends and family, we'd love to have a record attendance!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

Sunday: Is 50:5-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [9]/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35

Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [1 Cor 11:26b]/ Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [3]/Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31--13:13/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22 [12]/Lk 7:31-35

Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28 [1]/Lk 7:36-50

Friday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14 [14]/Lk 8:4-15

Next Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 [6b]/Jas 3:16--4:3/Mk 9:30-37

SPX PARISH EVENTS CALENDAR

Tuesday, September 18

7:00 PM Knights of Columbus-PMR

Wednesday, September 19

6:30 PM Tiger Cubs-PMR

7:00 PM Choir-church

7:00 PM Women's Bible Study-PL

Thursday, September 20

7:00 PM Why God? Why Jesus? Why the Church? KH (all parishioners encouraged to attend)

Friday, September 21

10:00 AM Stewardship Committee-PL

10:00 AM Rosaries-PMR

Saturday, September 22 JP II Auction Raffle tickets

4:30 PM Mass-church

Sunday, September 23 Auction Raffle Tickets

8:30 AM Mass-church

9:30 AM First SOR-KH

11:00 AM Mass-church

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