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SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2022

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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"I have given them the glory you gave me, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may be brought to perfection as one." - Jn 17:22-23a



Saturday, May 28, 2022 4PM SPV: Janet Collins 4PM HF: Juan Gauna Sunday, May 29, 2022 7:30AM SPV: Barbara Fallano 10AM HF: For the Parishioners of our Collaborative 11:30AM SPV: Will Porche Tuesday, May 30, 2022 7AM: Lisa Foley Wednesday, May 31, 2022 7AM: Don & Rena Bastarache Saturday, June 4, 2022 4PM SPV: In Appreciation of Paul Maestranzi 4PM HF: Josephine Marie Halbick Sunday, June 5, 2022 7:30AM SPV: Annie & Patrick Nagle 9AM SPV: Matthew Kurtz 10AM HF: For the Parishioners of our Collaborative 11:30AM SPV: Theresa Richard If you would like to request a Mass Intention, please, call 781-595-7487.

> Please pray for those who have died recently. Especially: Mary Stewart, Lucille Madden and all those who have died from the war in Ukraine. Pray also for the sick and their caregivers, for those who struggle to make ends meet, for a greater respect for the gift of human life and for peace in the world.



The Parish Offices will be

closed for Memorial Day, May 29 & 30, 2022. We will resume our normal office hours on Tuesday, May 31, 2022. Happy Memorial Day!

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Masses at St. Pius V: Saturday-4:00 PM Sunday-7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:30 AM Monday-Friday-7:00 AM Holy Day-as announced

Masses at Holy Family Parish: Saturday-4:00 PM Sunday-10:00 AM Holy Day-as announced

Confessions at St. Pius V and Holy Family: Saturday- 3:00-3:30 PM. Any time by appointment



thank you. As a reminder, the offertory basket will be located near the back of the church near the main entrance. Please leave your offertory gift in the basket as you enter church. Ushers will be there to assist you. There will **NOT** be a collection during the Preparation of the Gifts. You may also continue to make your offertory gifts through Online Giving or drop them off at or mail them to the Pastoral Center. Below is a summary of recent offertory and other donations:

May 16-22 (Masses May 14/15) St. Pius V Offertory: \$4188.00

Please also remember our St. Vincent DePaul Society and consider leaving a donation in one of the boxes as you leave the church. They serve those in need year round right here in our community. Thank you!!!

If you have any questions, please contact Mary Ellen Lepley at 781-595-7487 or e-mail at maryellenlepley@gmail.com.





The 2022 Catholic Appeal has officially begun here in our parish and across the Archdiocese. In addition to supporting the programs and operations of our parish, the Appeal also puts faith into action in our schools and in our broader communities. We invite you to prayerfully consider making a generous gift to this year's appeal. When our parish reaches its goal of **\$39,932.82** in paid pledges, a portion of the additional funds received will be returned to us for use in our parish. To make a gift online scan the QR code or visit <u>www.bostoncatholicappeal.org/donate-now</u>. Thank you!



THE Visitation

ST. PIUS V & HOLY FAMILY 2022 ALTAR BREAD, WINE & CANDLES AVAILABLE



The cost is \$138 each. If you are interested, please call the office at 781-595-7487 to see what months are available.

2022 ELEVATOR MAINTENANCE FOR ST. PIUS

To donate in honor of a loved one, please call the office at 781-595-7487



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WINNERS

The next drawing of the "V CLUB" will be held on **June 8**, **2022** at the St. Pius V Pastoral Center. Please make sure your dues are paid through <u>May 2022</u> to be eligible for the <u>June 2022</u> drawing. Memberships are available by calling the Parish Center at 781-595-7487.

The **May** drawing for our parish V Club was held on **Wednesday**, **May 11**, **2022** at the St. Pius V Pastoral Center. Thanks to Chrisanne and Sandy for assisting in drawing our lucky winners!

PRIZE	NUMBER	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY
\$1000	054	Mary Clancy		Lynn
\$300	559	Christopher Cusack		Lynn
200	755	James Harris		Lynn
100	824	Glenn Diamond		Lynn
50	523	Barbara Caughey		Byfield
50	627	Eileen Lessard		Kennebunk, ME
50	712	Howard Robertson, Jr.		Sarasota, FL
50	320	Thomas J Sullivan, Jr.		Lynn
50	365	Patricia Cavanagh		Amesbury
50	719	Diane M Gorman		Lynn
50	675	Elizabeth MacLean		Lynnfield
50	107	Mark & Carol Sullivan		Lynn

GOSPEL MEDITATION ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Unity and diversity can exist together. Our western minds have a grave difficulty seeing unity without conformity. We tend to believe that unless everyone believes the same thing, assents to the same body of truths, styles, and opinions, unity is not possible. Jesus, in today's Gospel, expresses a tenderness and an intimacy that the disciples actually can witness. This same tenderness and love are also reflected in his desire for unity and oneness. Jesus passionately wants all to be one. It is very clear that the success of Jesus' mission and the advance of the Gospel rises or falls with whether this unity is achieved. And it is a unity that is achieved around a person and not particulars.

Our church is extremely divided. These divisions all center on various theologies, philosophies, structures, and styles. We allow these particular concerns and Interpretations, valid as many can be, to drive wedges between us and put us at odds with each other. They enrage us and cause us to lash out at other members of the Body of Christ. Differences are bound to exist in any group. We are unique and diverse people. Staunchly clinging to particular agendas



and ideologies while waving the "we're right, you're wrong" banner as we forge ahead in battle does little to advance the real mission of Christ. We are perceived as weak, fractioned, self-focused and serving, and lacking empathy and love. How can the work of salvation be accomplished like this? We sacrifice our credibility. For what?

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." These words describe exactly who the glorified Christ really is. Jesus wants us to see this glory! Believe this! This is the unifying

Jesus prayed saying: "Holy Father, I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, so that they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us, that the world may believe that you sent me." - Jn 17:20-21

cerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD

principle that draws the Body of Christ together as one, not our particular preferences of worship! We give too much power to our preferences, and all too easily forget that the real mission of Christ is much more than that! If we can work at truly loving each other as members of Christ's Body despite the differences that can so quickly divide us, then maybe we'll a bit more convincing to those who do not believe. The Risen Christ comes to us through the Eucharist. It doesn't matter where or how. Gather wherever you can and receive. We cannot substitute Jesus' passion with our own. We are one.

SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS

Local businesses and sponsors that advertise on bulletins need you now more than ever before. Please encourage and remind others to show their support during this time.

MAY 29, 2022

HOST CATHOLIC FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM Mr. Andrew Genovese, Director of Religious Education Email- <u>andrewgenovese3@gmail.com</u> Phone- (781) 581- 3503

Faith Formation Updates

NOW IS THE TIME TO REGISTER!

We are looking for families to register TODAY. This will allow us to better prepare for the upcoming year to know the number of volunteers needed and materials. So please visit our website <u>hostcatholiclynn.org/faith-formation</u> to download and print the required forms. The forms should be signed on the back by the parent/guardian. Follow the directions for tuition and return the completed forms and tuition to the Faith Formation Office at the Pastoral Center. Thank You!

Congratulations

Congratulations to all of our Confirmation candidates who received the Gifts of the Holy Spirit this past Friday. Congratulations to all of our First Holy Communion children who received Jesus for the first time in the Eucharist.

Catechists Volunteers Needed for the 2022-2023 Year

Do you want to share Our Catholic Faith with the children and families of our parishes? Then sign up to volunteer in our program.

We need help with hall monitors, assistants, and small group leaders.

We have a particular need for volunteers in our upper levels that being grades six through Confirmation which are not weekly programs. So, there is some flexibility.

All materials and trainings are provided.

In addition, all volunteers MUST complete a year CORI (background check), receive a copy of the Code of Conduct, and complete VIRTUS training (once). A meeting would be set up with the Director of Religious Education to see what your gifts and talents are and interest.

Contact Mr. Andrew Genovese at andrewgenovese3@gmail.com





Jesus told his Father that he wants you to be one with him and his Father. Jesus wants all his followers to be one with him. When you do as Jesus did, you are being one with the Father and the Son. Jesus was kind to others. He helped them when they needed help. Jesus wants you to treat people like you would treat him. What you do to others, you do to him.

Circle the picture that is facing the wrong way. Then color in all the pictures.







PRAYER Jesus, help me be kind and loving to others. MISSION FOR THE WEEK I will show love and kindness to my family by taking out the trash.



SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2022 8:30 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M. TSONGAS CENTER AT UMASS LOWELL



ALSO FEATURING





Quality Catholic Prek-8 Education!

St. Pius V School is a co-educational Catholic PreK-8 elementary school located in Lynn, Massachusetts. As part of St. Pius V Parish, our school welcomes and educates children in the greater Lynn community. Education at St. Pius V School is a "Lived Experience" and focuses on developing the whole child according to the gospel of Jesus Christ. The school provides a unique, comprehensive, guality education with particular emphasis on Catholic values, fundamental skills, critical thinking, technology, and the fine arts. The administration and faculty are skilled, dedicated, and professional educators. The curriculum promotes personal responsibility, respect for diversity, family involvement, a spirit of unity, and Christian stewardship. The school environment is safe, clean, and comfortable. At St. Pius V School, we believe that our loving God blesses each child with special gifts and talents. Learning occurs in an atmosphere where each child is encouraged to do his/her best in order to reach his/ her full potential in school and in life. The school recognizes that parents are the primary educators of their children and encourages parental participation in the life and activities of the school community. The St. Pius V School Community adds immeasurably to the stability and integrity of our parish, the wider community, the city of Lynn, and beyond.

Enroll Now for the 2022-2023 School Year! For Further Information please call 781-593-8292 or email cfrederick@stpiusvschool.org

> Visit us at Stpiusvschool.org or Facebook @stpiusschoollynn





St. Pius V School

Do your best... Be kind to others...

Former Students, Colleagues and School Families...Please join us as the parish honors Mr. Paul D. Maestranzi as he prepares to retire after 22 years as principal of St. Pius V School. The 4pm Mass at St. Pius V Church on Saturday, June 4 will be in honor of Mr. Maestranzi and his service to the students

and families of the school, as well as, the Host Catholic Collaborative parish community.

Immediately **following Mass, an informal reception** with light refreshments will be held in the Lower Church Hall. Feel free to stop by and wish Mr. Maestranzi well.

Stand watch with the Knights of Columbus!

We will be hosting an all-night adoration vigil at **St. Pius V parish in Lynn, MA from 5pm on June 18th to 6:30am on June 19th.** Each volunteer is asked to sign up for a one hour shift and are welcome to sign up for multiple shifts. This is a fantastic opportunity to support the Pro-Life cause and set aside some time to spend in peace and quiet with Christ.

Over the course of the vigil, we will be praying the rosary and different hours of the Divine Office. Private prayer is of course encouraged at all times. Here are the scheduled prayers:

4pm - Opening Mass and Exposition 6pm - Rosary: Joyful Mysteries 9pm - Liturgy of the Hours: Extended Vigil Midnight - Rosary: Sorrowful Mysteries 3am - Divine Mercy Chaplet 6am - Solemn Intercessions with Benediction 7am - Sunday Mass

We will be looking for volunteers to lead the different prayers, so if you have a particular devotion to the rosary or pray the Divine Office, we would love to have you help out. If you are interested, please contact Jackson Tingle at <u>ictingle83@gmail.com</u> or at 978-500-4466.







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