

APRIL 14, 2019
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

Mass Schedule

Monday, April 15, 7:30 am

People Of The Parish

Tuesday, April 16, 7:30 am

James & Helen Vollmayer

Holy Thursday, April 18

8:00 pm Patricia Kruger

Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

Quiet Adoration

Good Friday, April 19

3:00 pm Celebration Of The Passion Of The Lord

8:00 pm Family Stations Of The Cross

Holy Saturday, April 20

Blessing of Easter Food, 12, 2 & 4 pm, Narthex

Holy Saturday, April 20

8:00 pm Martin Weiss

The Vigil of Easter

Easter Sunday, April 21

7:30 am People Of The Parish

9:30 am Phyllis Aquino

11:30 am Maria Sauer

(Church) Theodora Abdinor

Claire Duffy

11:30 am People Of The Parish

(Parish Center)

(No 7:00 pm Mass On Easter Sunday)

Easter Monday, April 22

7:30 pm Polish Easter Mass

SHARING OF OUR TREASURE

Thank you for your support and generosity!

April 8, 2018 \$14,408.50

April 7, 2019 \$12,691.00

*This Weekend's Second Collection is for
Catholic Campaign For Human Development*

Auto Contribution

Please sign up for automatic giving, visit our website at
www.st-pius-x.org, click on Donate. Thank you!

Shop Rite Gift Cards

Shop Rite Gift Cards are available for sale at the Ministry House. You can purchase for yourself or donate to the Montville Food Bank. Please call Lisa Kardell at the Ministry House, 973-335-2894.

Treasure Box (Indoor Yard Sale)

New and slighted used "treasures" to be offered for a fraction of the price of the item. Items include household décor, toys, kitchen items, some clothing, costume jewelry, etc. Conducted by the Montville Township Women's Club. April 27th, 10 am – 3 pm, Montville Senior House, 365 Main Road, Montville. Any questions, please e mail at montvilletownshipwomensclub@gmail.com.

Dear Friends in Christ,

As part of our Lenten call to almsgiving, I invite Catholics throughout our Diocese to support the collection for the Church in the Holy Land which takes place on Good Friday. Our scriptural home—the places where our Savior taught, died and rose again to new life, deserves our support.

The collection for the Church in the Holy Land supports the work of the Franciscans who are responsible for the care of the Holy Places as well as the Christians living in the area. Their work is vital in securing a Christian presence in the Holy Land. In addition to helping maintain sacred places the Collection for the Church in the Holy Land also helps fund schools, provides housing for needy families and staffs parishes throughout the area.

Please join with your fellow Catholics during this Lenten season by supporting this special collection and the places that are so dear to our faith.

Faithfully yours in Christ,

Most Rev. Arthur J. Serratelli, S.T.D., S.S.L., D.D.

Bishop of Paterson

Operation Rice Bowl

Many thanks to all who participated in Operation Rice Bowl this year. Please bring your Rice Bowl to Church or to the Ministry House before Easter Sunday.



Good Friday, April 19 – 8:00 pm, Family Stations Of The Cross, Kurt Kilanowski & Paul Carroll

St. Pius X Summer Bible Camp 2019

July 15-19, 9 am-1 pm

Participants - Children, Grades K-5

Register at st-pius-x.org, click on Religious Formation, click on Summer Bible Camp

Volunteers needed - High School students and older

Interest or inquiries?

Contact Chrissy Deary at cdeary@optonline.net

Monthly Holy Hour At St. Pius X

"Devotion to the Eucharist is the most noble, because it has God as its object; it is the most profitable for salvation, because it gives us the Author of Grace." (Pope St. Pius X)

Our parish will be hosting a monthly Eucharistic Holy Hour on the first Saturday of the month from 3:30-4:30 pm. There will be time for quiet prayer and adoration as well as the opportunity to attend Confession. Let us all take the opportunity to spend some time with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament on Saturday, May 4th.

BAPTISMS

We welcome a new member born of water and the Holy Spirit:

Luciana Florence daughter of Fred & Kimberly

From the Pastor



To The Newly Confirmed

Congratulations to our 10th Graders who completed their initiation into the Catholic Church with the Sacrament of Confirmation. May the Spirit continue to guide you all the days of your life. We encourage all of you to be involved in the parish and share your gifts with us.

Peace & Blessings,
Fr. Mark



Divine Mercy Celebration

Sunday, April 28th, 3-4 pm

(2-3 pm Confessions & Silent Eucharistic Adoration)

Our Lord said to Sister Faustina: "The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on Divine Mercy Sunday will obtain complete forgiveness of sin and punishment."

"Tell people, my daughter, that I am love and mercy itself. When a soul approaches Me with trust, I fill it with such an abundance of graces that it cannot contain them within itself but radiates them to other souls." (Jesus to St. Faustina)



Palm Sunday

*Palm donated in memory of
George William Dangler
by Darren & Mellen.*

Polish Mass

Every Second Saturday Of The Month, 6:30 pm

All are welcome!

"Zapraszamy wszystkich na modlitwę
w języku polskim."

Polish Easter Mass on Monday, April 22nd at 7:30 pm

The Easter Triduum The Three Most Sacred Days

The Easter Triduum (Latin: three days) is the most ancient and central celebration of the Church's liturgical year. The Church no longer considers these days as a part of Lent but instead has made them into a special liturgical season all its own. The three days recall Jesus' Last Super with his Disciples (Holy Thursday), his crucifixion and death (Good Friday) and his resurrection (the Easter Vigil and Easter Day). Then for the 50 days of the Easter Season we bask in the joy of Christ's resurrection and the promise that the relationship with God begun on earth cannot be stopped by death but will be transformed into new life with God forever.

During these three days, we immerse ourselves at home and at Church in the most sacred memory of our relationship with God. The paschal mystery of Christ's passion, death and resurrection is the heart of what God wants to tell us about God's own self and about ourselves in relation to God. As we remember Jesus' passion, death and resurrection, we come face to face with the mystery of our own dying and rising.

Holy Thursday

On Holy Thursday the Church celebrates Jesus' final meal with his disciples and the institution of the Eucharist. The regular Eucharistic ritual is enhanced by the rite of foot-washing, recalling how Jesus washed his disciples' feet. After the liturgy, the consecrated bread is transferred and kept in a tabernacle for adoration.

Good Friday

Good Friday is the only day of the year on which Mass is not said. The altar is bare and the liturgy consists of proclaiming the passion story from John's Gospel, intercessions, veneration of the cross and a Communion service with bread consecrated on Holy Thursday.

The Great Vigil of Easter

The Easter Vigil echoes the early Christian ritual that lasted through the night to celebrate the Eucharist at dawn. Only the Eucharist itself is older than the Easter Vigil liturgy. This service re-enacts the passage from death into life. On this night we celebrate our deliverance by Christ and look forward to the day when we shall see him face to face. Its four parts are: the lighting of the Easter candle, the Scripture readings recounting the story of our salvation, the initiation of new converts, culminating in the celebration of the Eucharist.



**Music Ministry
Organ Project Update**

Our organ project continues to gain momentum each week. As we have been announcing, the design of the new instrument will utilize both pipe and digital sounds in order to best serve a Church of our size. If you haven't done so already, please consider supporting this exciting project. Families who donate \$500 or more will receive an inscribed brick in the Memorial Garden outside the Church. Brochures are available in the Narthex of the Church and more information is available on the St. Pius X website, www.st-pius-x.org. As always, I'm happy to talk about the organ project either at the Ministry House or pcarroll@st-pius-x.org.



Seminarian Corner

This Sunday is the start of something very special, and no I don't mean the beginning of Season 8 of Game of Thrones. We begin Holy Week on this Sunday called Palm Sunday. During this week, we prepare ourselves for Easter by prayerful reflection upon the events of Jesus' passion and death. We are challenged to examine our own lives in the light of some of the characters in the story like Peter who denied Jesus, Judas who betrayed Jesus, Pilate who acted against his conscience, Herod who ridiculed Jesus. As pilgrims on this Lenten journey, we have devoted the last five weeks to intentionally imitating Christ, repenting, coming together, and embracing the new thing that God is doing within us. It has been a season of turning our hearts over to God. Jesus invites us all to spend this week with Him as He makes His way to his passion and death and resurrection. Why not attend as much of the liturgies of this sacred week as you can? Let us hold each other in prayer during this holiest week of the year.

Frank Lennie, Seminarian



Praying for fellow parishioners who are sick is an important component to our Faith. Due to privacy issues, however, people do not always appreciate their names being published. Requests for published names will only be taken from a family members.

Lilliana Elyse Mahan, Dawn Pandorf, Leslie Kondek, Corey Forlenza, Frank J. Somsky, Marie Cavallero, Eileen Scharwath, Victor Marmo, Jason McGaha, Marilyn Geffken, Tom Clayton, Barbara Capsouras, Christine Paglia, Ragan Kilkell, Adrian Simone, Paul Perrone, Janet Babbitt, Bruno Stillo, Michael Mascari, Marjorie McArthur, Charlie Auskings, Eileen Kapotes, Remedios Gatuz, Annarita Gardinella, Linda Bietto, David Tafe, Gregory Sugra, Jose Nunez, Kevin Deege, Jason Fass, Terry Cox, Giovanna Mele, Pasquale Mastriani, Christina Adamski, John Wagener, Brooklyn Auskings, David Douglas, Joseph Horvath, Sr., Gayle Sullivan, Nicky Miller, Peter Henschel, Richard Dickau, Zachary Miller, Lauren Grace Jarman, Kathy Compiello, Anthony Zegarell, Wayne Tanchak, Catherine Lendino, Margy Dixon, Nico Amadio, Regina Accaria, Kyle Gauweiler, Walter Kamienski, Sr., Patricia McCarthy, Kyle Cooney, Irving Levine, John Inglese, Jocelyn Mozak, Tobias Duran, Maryann Halleran, Elizabeth Schenk, Catherine Mitchell, Art Marinoni and Carol Bamert.

Please remember to notify the office when your family member has recovered.

Ministry News

ROSARY SOCIETY

End of Year Luncheon May 2nd at High Societea Tea House. For more information, please call Marie Driscoll, 973-476-7610 or Anne Kveglis, 973-227-4814.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Next Meeting – Monday, April 15th at 8 pm in the Knights of Columbus Room. Visit our website at: <http://StPiusxKofC.org/>.

AFTERNOON PRAYER GROUP

St. Pius X Spirit of Love Prayer Group meets semi-monthly on the *second and fourth Wednesdays of the month at 12:45 pm in the Chapel at the Ministry House.*

CARING CRAFTERS

The next meeting of the knitters and crocheters will be held on **Tuesday, April 23rd at 9:00 am** at the Ministry House. For more information, call Barbara Sanders at 973-334-6884.

SENIOR SINGLES

Anyone interested in any of our social gatherings, cards, mahjong, game night, dinners out, movies, plays, etc., please call Rae at 973-479-1185. Please advise if you can attend our meetings or call to get on our mailing list.

EVENING PRAYER GROUP

First Tuesday of each month, next meeting May 7th, 7:30 pm in the Parish Ministry House. All are welcome! *Any questions, please contact Catherine 201-618-3161, MaryAnne 973-632-7763*

Religious Formation

Schedule of Classes for April 28th, 2019

Glory Middle School –

Grades 6, 7, 8 – 7:30 am Mass; Class 8:30 – 9:30 am

Glory Elementary School –

Grades 1– 5 – 9:30 am Mass; Class 10:30–11:30 am

Glory Confirmation

All 9th Grade **Glory** classes will meet this weekend for class. Check with your teacher for times.

Schedule of Classes for May 4, 2019

Praise Middle School –

Grades 6, 7, 8 – 7:30 am Mass; Class 8:30 – 9:30 am

Praise Elementary School –

Grades 1– 5 – 9:30 am Mass; Class 10:30–11:30 am

Praise Confirmation

All 9th Grade **Praise** classes will meet this weekend for class. Check with your teacher for times.

Youth Ministry

Spring 2019

Please email Kurt directly for additional details on any of these events: youth-ministry@st-pius-x.org

April

- 19 – Family Stations of the Cross 6:30 - 8:30 pm includes rehearsal, pizza, Stations and clean-up!
- 28 – Divine Mercy Sunday 3 pm volunteers needed
- 30 – Youth Council Meeting 7 - 8:30 pm in Youth Room

May

- 5 – Youth Pilgrimage at St. Elizabeth's College depart St. Pius X at 1:30 pm event 2 – 6 pm
- 14 – Homeless Solutions - volunteers needed 4:30 - 7:30 pm
- 18 – Peer Leadership Retreat
- 19 – NJ Catholic Youth Rally at Six Flags 9 am - 8:30 pm
- 21 – Youth Council Meeting 7 - 8:30 pm in Youth Room

Organ Donations



For any Organ Donations of **\$500** or above, patrons will receive an inscribed brick in the Memorial Garden outside St. Pius X Church to recognize all those who contributed to the building of this magnificent instrument of praise.

Complete the form below and return it to the Ministry House along with your organ donation check. You may list an individual or a family. Each line consists of 16 characters including spaces with a maximum of 2 lines. (Only 1 letter per box.)

If you would like a cross or heart in the front of the name then you must account for 3 spaces for the Cross and 4 spaces for the heart.

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Here are some examples:

In Loving Memory
Rose Davi

The Davi Family
In Thanksgiving

God Be The Glory
Davi Family



Joseph & Rose
Davi



Joe & Rose
Davi

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Ministry House at 973-335-2894.

St. Pius X Organ Fundraiser



The pipe organ, like a congregation, is composed of many unique voices. Singing together they create harmonies that lift us to a worthy praise of God.

The Problem

It has been apparent for some time that our current electronic organ console's electronics has served our church to its' extent. The current instrument has been inoperable since June 2018. The music ministry's ability to support our liturgy relies on an instrument that can properly enliven our worship as we look toward building a better future in our Church.

The Solution

The Peragallo Organ Company of Paterson has designed a new organ to serve as a cornerstone for our music ministry, envisioning an instrument capable of fulfilling the many varied needs of liturgy throughout the year. The instrument is a hybrid combination of pipes and digital technology which combines the centuries' history of the Church with 21st technology.

How You Can Help

By contributing to this project, you will have the opportunity to support the every day life of the parish through musical support of the liturgy.

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For more information, please visit www.st-pius-x.org or call the Ministry House at 973-335-2894.