

# Church of Saint Pius X

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## MASS SCHEDULE:

### Daily Masses (Monday to Friday)

8:00 AM & 11:30 AM – In-Person & Livestream Mass  
(Registration Not Required for In-Person)

### Saturday

9:00 AM – In-Person & Livestream Mass  
(Registration Not Required for In-Person)

### Saturday Vigil Mass

5:00 PM – In-Person & Livestream Mass  
(Registration Required for In-Person)

### Sunday Mass

8:00AM – In-Person Only, no music

9:15 AM, 10:30 AM (Family Mass/Children's Homily) & 12noon  
In-Person & Livestream Mass  
(Registration Required for In-Person)

## DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION (OUTDOOR)

Saturdays at 6:15PM & Sundays at 1:15PM  
(Under the glass canopy)

Your health and safety are our first priority so even though in-person Sunday Masses are resuming, His Eminence Timothy Cardinal Dolan continues to dispense you from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. If you are at greater risk of COVID-19 or simply do not feel comfortable attending Mass in person at this time, you do not need to attend Mass in person.

**Adoration:** Temporarily cancelled

**Reconciliation:** By appointment only

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**Reverend Francisco Sebastian Bacatan, Jr., Ph.D., A.M.**  
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**Reverend Raymond Vijandre, A.M.**  
Parochial Vicar

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Weekend Associate

**Deacon:** Rev. Mr. Theodore Gaskin

**Trustees:** Christopher Saenger and Nicholas Brusco

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November 22, 2020

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## November 22 – Lord Jesus Christ the King of the Universe

### Mass Intentions

#### **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21**

9:00 Marie & Francis Wagner, *by the Wagner Estate*  
5:00 Michele, Giuseppina & Gerard Fredella, *by Blaise & Kathi Fredella*

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22 – LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

8:00 Pedro Celi & Salvador Ranin, *by Yolanda Ranin Redencion Castellano*  
9:15 Albertina Vallar, *by Lucy & Vincent Maraldo & family*  
10:30 Dominic Tambini, *by Nancy Tambini*  
12:00 Carmella & Peter Paterno, *by Pam Raniolo*

#### **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23 – St. Clement I, St. Columban**

8:00 Gregorio dePerio & Sabira Caasi dePerio,  
*by Yolanda Ranin & Redencion Castellano*  
11:30 Paul Montalbano, *by Vivian Zukovich*

#### **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24 – St. Andrew Dũng-Lac**

8:00 Francisco dePerio & Bonifacio dePerio,  
*by Yolanda Ranin & Redencion Castellano*  
11:30 Anthony, Sal & Andrew Gerardi, *by Anne Pietrangolare*

#### **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25 – St. Catherine of Alexandria**

8:00 Elisa Campanile, *by the Campanile Estate*  
11:30 Dr. William Barrett, *by Venice Barrett*

#### **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26 – THANKSGIVING DAY**

9:00 Bernard Kenny, *by Rose Kenny*

#### **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27**

NO MASS

#### **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28**

9:00 Hugh Philip Flanagan, *by Angela & Bryn Macom*  
5:00 Augusto & Luisa Montalti, *by Gaetano & Ines Scutaro*  
Laura Buckdinder, *by Mark Fitzsimmons*  
Intentions of Ralph Belotti, *by Maria Posey*

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29 – 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

8:00 Fedelita Cabanayan dePerio & Juanita dePerio  
Santos, *by Yolanda Ranin Redencion Castellano*  
9:15 Pasquale Occhicone, *by Rose Occhicone*  
10:30 Chita Quintanilla, *by Brad & Aileen Burke*  
12:00 Agostino Faustini, *by Dr. and Mrs. Robert Brittis*  
Adelaida Villa, *by Stella Eurofan*  
Guiliana & Dr. Antonio Cavalli, *by Maria Posey*

### Parish Stewardship

**God bless you warmly & often for your support!**

**If you do not attend Mass in-person, please mail in  
your weekly envelopes to the rectory, or consider  
signing up for online donations with WeShare.**

**November 15, 2020 Collection:** available next week

**October 2020:** \$42,533.76 (\$15,747.00 from WeShare)

**September 2020:** \$36,424.56 (\$17,612 from WeShare)

**August 2020:** \$28,459.47 (\$14,952 from WeShare)

**July 2020:** \$39,671 (\$16,747 from WeShare)

**We Share Active participants (May – October 2020):**

May: 96 June: 85 Aug.: 86 Sept.: 87 Oct.: 88

888 Registered in the Parish, 731 Families receiving  
envelopes, 87 active givers using WeShare.

Ways you can give:

1. Use weekly envelopes for your donations.  
*(please mail in, if possible during Mass suspensions.)*
2. WeShare is an automated means to support our  
parish through monthly contributions from your  
checking, savings or credit/debit card account.  
Visit <https://saintpiusxchurch.churchgiving.com/>.
3. Please remember the church in your estate planning by  
including Church of St. Pius X in your will.

*Make a bigger impact by donating long-term appreciated  
securities, including stock, bonds, and mutual funds, directly  
to the Church of St. Pius X. Compared with donating cash, or  
selling your appreciated securities and contributing the after-  
tax proceeds, you may be able to automatically increase your  
gift and your tax deduction. To participate, contact Elizabeth,  
our parish secretary, at (914) 725-2755.*

#### **Special Collection Dates for 2020**

Campaign for Charity and Justice (Catholic Charities) . . . . . November 22  
Retirement Fund for the Religious . . . . . December 13

#### **Reserving Announced Masses for 2020-21**

To request a Mass be offered for a loved one, please  
contact the parish office at (914) 725-2755.  
A Mass offering is \$20. The Mass book is  
also available for 2021 intentions.



Dear Parishioners,

We are living in unprecedented times that have upended our lives and created new challenges. In order to maintain our parish's vibrancy, I have been meeting with our Parish Council and other parishioners virtually and, in some cases, by appointment in person with social distancing, to seek new ways to continue our parish's outreach and other programs safely in accordance with the NYS and ADNY regulations. As a result of these meetings, our parish has been able to restart many of our programs, albeit, sometimes in new, creative ways.

We organized a Father's Day food drive where parishioners drove their cars to the church entrance and popped their trunks, so that volunteers could retrieve grocery donations without any personal contact; conducted our Bag 2 School outreach by collecting backpacks and school supplies as well as donations to purchase tablets to help needy children; held our annual baby shower outreach to collect baby and maternity items for Good Counsel Homes and the Elinor Martin Residence for Mother & Child; supported the Sisters of Life in their service to pregnant women; held our annual coat drive for St. Joseph's Church and St. Gabriel's Church in New Rochelle; assembled for the annual blessing of our pets; commenced our Bible study classes via Zoom; participated in Walking with Purpose, a Bible study class designed to transform the hearts and lives of women; started reaching out to parishioners via telephone calls to check in to let them know we are here to support them during this difficult time with our prayers and to attend to their other needs; and set up our church building for safe, socially distanced Masses in accordance with NYS/ADNY regulations. I meet with our parish's safety committee on a weekly basis to review our parish's safety protocols.

As you may know, we resumed in person weekday and weekend Masses, but continue to offer streamed Masses for especially vulnerable parishioners and for those who are not comfortable attending Mass in person yet. We are offering Communion outside under the glass canopy to parishioners who are not comfortable attending Mass. Some of our second graders made their first confession and received their first Holy Communion at our weekend Masses. Bishop Sullivan anointed our 2019-2020 Confirmation Candidates with the Holy Spirit at the end of October. We had our annual backpack blessing and Mary under the Stars birthday celebration outdoors; held "Open Wide Our Hearts, an outdoor spiritual gathering with reflections, to support social justice and the Black community; celebrated Mass outdoors; have been praying the Rosary via Zoom and phone; and have been holding our religious education classes via Zoom. We held our Halloween Trunk or Treat event for costumed children to collect treats from the trunks of cars in our parking lot; played Bingo via Zoom; and have been enjoying yoga virtually.

Unfortunately, our annual Luncheon for Persons with Disabilities was cancelled for 2020, but we have planned other events to assist the needy in our community, as well socially distanced social events. We will be conducting our Thanksgiving Food Drive in November. In addition to dropping frozen turkeys and other non-perishable food items at the church, our youth ministry will be picking up food donations left outside your front door if you sign up for this service. Our parish also will continue our Adopt-a-Family Christmas outreach and the St. Patrick's Nursing Home Wish List. We hope to bring Christmas joy to our seniors and homebound parishioners by delivering home baked cookies and a plant to them. Our youth are planning to volunteer at Meals on Wheels by delivering hot meals to the elderly and persons recovering from surgery.

We are planning to adjust some events, including: our children's Christmas pageant which will be prerecorded; our annual adult Christmas luncheon which will be a "cookie exchange" instead of a luncheon; our Breakfast/Brunch with Santa which will be a socially distant Saturday with Santa in the parking lot with hot donuts, hot cocoa and hot coffee; our Angel Giving Trees will be set up in the Narthex rather than in the main building; and our annual Christmas caroling will be our first Annual Christmas Tree Lighting Celebration in the front of the church decorated with personalized ornaments that our parishioners can sponsor.

We hope that you will continue to share your time, talents and treasure with your fellow parishioners and community. If you would like to participate in virtual events but are having technical difficulties, please reach out to Fr. Raymond at [raymond\\_vijandre@yahoo.com](mailto:raymond_vijandre@yahoo.com) for assistance. If you have a need that we have not addressed, please reach out to the Parish office at 914-725-2755 and we will do our best to assist you.

Our parish continues to pray for an end to this pandemic, our frontline workers, an effective vaccine and for everyone's safety.

May God bless you and keep you.

Yours faithfully in Christ,



Fr. Sebastian



## Coronavirus Instructions Moving Forward

We hope that you and your family are safe. We continue to pray for all affected by COVID-19 and for an end to this pandemic. As always, we remain available by phone at 914-725-2755 or email at [saintpiusx@optonline.net](mailto:saintpiusx@optonline.net) to speak with you for any reason.

### **Signing Up to Attend Mass:**

**YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER FOR SPECIFIC MASSES** by going online to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084BA4AB2DABFC1-mass> or by calling the parish house at 914-725-2755.

Your health and safety are our first priority so even though Sunday Masses with participants present are resuming, His Eminence Timothy Cardinal Dolan continues to dispense you from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. You may continue to view weekday and Sunday Masses online at <http://saintpiusxchurch.com> or directly via *Boxcast* at <https://boxcast.tv/channel/jligfbyu65onyetkfoih>. Recordings can be viewed anytime via these links.

### **Attending Mass:**

**The NYS and ADNY guidelines for attending Mass require persons in the church building to wear facial coverings, sanitize their hands upon entering the building and maintain six-foot distance from any person not in their own household other than to receive communion.** In order to comply with social distancing requirements, we may accommodate only 50-60 persons at each Mass.

**PLEASE PLAN TO ARRIVE AT LEAST 15 MINUTES BEFORE THE MASS** – latecomers are not guaranteed seats, even with reservations. We try our best to accommodate, but in the case that we reach our capacity, it is required by the State and the ADNY, that we ask you to return for the next Mass.

Entry to the church building will be through one designated door, and departure will be through another door. Upon entering, please use hand sanitizer placed at the entrance.

At the end of each pew, use the spray sanitizer and paper

towels to clean the area where you will be sitting and place the used paper towels in the brown paper bag. Please do not change seats during the service.

### **Receiving Communion:**

- Approach the altar via the side aisles by row.
- Use the floor markers as guides for social distancing.
- Sanitize your hands at the station on the window sills.
- DO NOT remove your facial covering.
- Extend your hand to receive the Host, move six feet towards the center aisle before removing your facial covering to consume the Host.
- Replace your facial covering and sanitize your hands before returning to your seat.

### **Leaving Mass:**

At the conclusion of Mass, we ask that you sanitize all surfaces that you touched, including the kneeler. Please take the brown paper bag with your used paper towels to the Narthex for disposal. Please do not congregate in the Narthex.

### **Receiving Communion without attending Mass:**

We will distribute communion outside the Narthex on Saturdays at 6:15PM and Sundays at 1:15PM. All precautions are the same as if you were entering the church for Mass.

**If you have a fever, are ill or have been exposed recently to someone who is ill, please do not come to the parish office or to the church building. Our first priority is the safety of everyone.**

### **Visiting the Church Building and Grounds on Weekdays:**

The Chapel of Mary will continue to be open daily from 10am to 12pm for private prayer. (The main church will remain closed except for Masses.) When coming to the Chapel:

- Please maintain social distance, wear a facial covering and use the hand sanitizers placed at the entrance to the Chapel.
- We recommend that you sign in to the book at the entrance, in the event that contact tracing becomes necessary.
- A parish staff member or volunteer will be stationed outside.

We encourage you to take advantage of our outdoor devotions by praying the rosary or the Stations of the Cross in your car or by sitting on the benches in our Meditation Garden.

### **TIPS FOR VIEWING MASS ON STREAMING**

#### **Ahead of time:**

- Set up your connections for an online St. Pius X Mass.
- Consider setting up chairs for your "pews."
- Get dressed up as if you were going to Mass.
- Place holy water out for your family to use before Mass.
- Mark the readings in your Bibles to follow along.
- Offer up your Mass for your family's intentions and for the needs of the world.

#### **As Mass begins:**

- Light a candle, a reminder of Jesus, the Light of the World.
- Participate by singing, saying the responses, standing, sitting, and kneeling as if you were in a church.
- Pray a spiritual Communion during the Eucharist. (right)
- Serve donuts or some special treat after Mass.

### **AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

**Your support to our ministries is still needed!**

Support our church today using your debit or credit card or checking or savings account.

- 1 Visit our church website and click **Give Online**.
- 2 Set up your account.
- 3 Choose a payment option and customize your donation.



Contact our Customer Support Team at [weshare@4lpi.com](mailto:weshare@4lpi.com)

## November 22– 28, 2020

### *Saints & Special Observances*

Sunday: Our Lord Jesus Christ the King  
Monday: St. Clement I, St. Columban  
Tuesday: St. Andrew Dũng-Lac & Companions  
Wednesday: St. Catherine of Alexandria  
Thursday: Thanksgiving Day

### *Saint Columban (543 – November 21, 615), November 26*



Columban was the greatest of the Irish missionaries who worked on the European continent. As a young man who was greatly tormented by temptations of the flesh, he sought the advice of a religious woman who had lived a hermit's life for years. He saw in her answer a call to leave the world. He went first to a monk on an island in Lough Erne, then to the great monastic seat of learning at Bangor.

After many years of seclusion and prayer, he traveled to Gaul with 12 companion missionaries. They won wide respect for the rigor of their discipline, their preaching, and their commitment to charity and religious life in a time characterized by clerical laxity and civil strife. Columban established several monasteries in Europe which became centers of religion and culture.

Like all saints, he met opposition. Ultimately he had to appeal to the pope against complaints of Frankish bishops, for vindication of his orthodoxy and approval of Irish customs. He reproved the king for his licentious life, insisting that he marry. Since this threatened the power of the queen mother, Columban was deported back to Ireland. His ship ran aground in a storm, and he continued his work in Europe, ultimately arriving in Italy, where he found favor with the king of the Lombards. In his last years he established the famous monastery of Bobbio, where he died. His writings include a treatise on penance and against Arianism, sermons, poetry, and his monastic rule. The Liturgical Feast of Saint Columban is November 23.

### *Reflection*

... Now that the comfort-captured Western world stands in tragic contrast to starving millions, we need the challenge to austerity and discipline of a group of Irish monks. They were too strict, we say; they went too far. How far shall we go?

Ref: <https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-columban/>

Photo: <https://prieststuff.blogspot.com/2011/11/rule-of-st-columban-of-ireland.html>

## Church of Saint Pius X 2020 Advent & Christmas Schedule

### November 28 and 29, 2020 — Advent begins

Blessing of Advent Wreath and beginning of Building the Manger,  
Angel Giving Tree and St. Patrick's Nursing Home Wish List

### December 5, 2020, Saturday

Pre-recorded Children's Christmas Pageant released

### December 6, 2020 — Second Sunday of Advent

### December 11, 2020, Friday

Christmas caroling and tree lighting outdoors, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

### December 12, 2020, Saturday

Santa event outdoors, 10:00 am

### December 13, 2020 — Third Sunday of Advent, Gaudete Sunday

St. Patrick's Nursing Home Wish List ends

### December 20, 2020 — Fourth Sunday of Advent

Last day of Angel Giving Tree

### December 21, 2020 — Advent Reconciliation Monday (Confession)\*

4:00 pm—8:00 pm (Main Church)

### December 24, 2020, Thursday

10:00 am—11:00 am Reconciliation (Confession)\* (Main Church)

\*For your safety and the safety of others, confessions will take place on the main altar with a clear plexiglass screen separating the priest and penitent and you will be required to wear a face mask covering your mouth and nose. You also will need to sanitize your seat prior to and after your confession.

### December 24, 2020, Thursday — Christmas Eve

#### Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord

12:30 pm, 2:00 pm & 3:30 pm (Family Masses — Homily for Children),  
5:00 pm & 6:30 pm Masses, 10:00 pm Mass for Midnight

### December 25, 2020, Friday — Christmas Day

#### Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord

9:00 am, 10:30 am (not a Family Mass) and 12:00 noon Masses

### December 26, 2020, Saturday

5:00 pm Vigil Mass, (NOTE: No 9 am Mass)

### December 27, 2020, Sunday

8 am, 9:15 am, 10:30 am and 12 noon Masses

### December 31, 2020, Thursday — New Year's Eve

#### Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

4:00 pm Vigil Mass

### January 1, 2020, Friday — New Year's Day

#### Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

11:30 am Mass

### January 2, 2020, Saturday

5:00 pm Vigil Mass, (NOTE: No 9:00 am Saturday Mass. Parish Office closed.)

Please note that due to Covid19 regulations, **ADVANCE REGISTRATION** for all in-person Christmas and Sunday Masses is required. We can accommodate only 50-60 people per Mass. Once your reservation is confirmed, please arrive at least 15 minutes before Mass to allow time to be seated safely while social distancing. We may not be able to honor reservations for late arrivals.

Persons without reservations may not be seated if the capacity recommended by NYS and the ADNY has been reached. In this event, we suggest that you view Mass via livestream at home or in your car or return for the next Mass to see if you can be accommodated. Please call the Parish Office at 914-725-2755 or click on the link below to register:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084BA4AB2DABFC1-church4>

All persons attending Mass in person will be required to wear a face mask that covers their mouth and nose at all times (other than to consume the host), sanitize their hands upon entering the building and maintain six-foot distance from any person not in their own household (other than to receive communion).



*To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven, A time to be healed ... Please remember to pray for:*

Paul Angiolillo	Gil Fisher	Susanita Mariano	Elizabeth Ross
Manolita Antoja	Fionn Foley (toddler)	William McCue	John Rossitto
Milka Ashley	Kenneth Frawley III	Daniel McEvily	Rose Marie Rossitto
Robert Ashley	Anna Fusita	Anne Mendoza	Olivia San Antonio
Elisa Alcontin Atienza	Frank Gagne	Dominic Merlucci (toddler)	Roderic Salazar
Francisco B. Barbin	Jeffrey Gaskin	Lauren & Bill Meyer & family	Laurie Sattin
Lucy Barone	Romel Gatinao	William Meyer	Samantha Schlein
Dr. Chris Belardi	Jon Ghiozzi	Restie Miranda	Lois Schmidt
Ralph Belotti	Robert Golan	Christopher Moger	Wendy Sgobbo
John Burnett	Weda Gresset	Fidel Ordon	Jay-John Soliongco
Mary Cantalice	Siony Guinto	Maria Mercedes Pabon	Marianne Stineman
Baby Antonia Carpentieri	James Hunter	Estelito Pataksil	Len & Marie Tallevi
Anne Marie Cassarini	Minda Imperial	Romeo Patricio	Nida Flor Tamidles
Helen Centorrino	Baby Sloane Ava Jordan	Sr. Teresita Perez, MM	Santi Basil Arthur Tamidles, Jr.
Shire Chafkin	Kevin Krazit	Frank Perri	Pedro Tassari
Gerard Conklin	Alfonso Latorre	Douglas Pick	Gabriel Torrecampo
Joan Coviello	Mary Jantzen Lopez-Lardizabal	Florence Antoja Plantilla	Helena A. Trinidad
Iena Custodio	Bernabe Luna	Craig Plunkett	Jennie Wagner
Jeannette Davis	Joan O'Grady	Vincent Raffaele	Brad Widulski
Christina Del Pin	Teddy Mancini	Anne Reichling	Bernadette Windsor
Felisa Diomaro-Agerskov	Mary Love Mapa	Joel Rivera	Nanette Windsor
Mark Driscoll	Sarah Marolda	Susan Rosenhan	Baby Gabriel Wolpert
Lorraine Eaione			

To add a name please contact (914) 725-2755 or [stpiusxbulletin@aol.com](mailto:stpiusxbulletin@aol.com). Please confirm person consents to having their name published.



*In the charity of your prayers please remember the souls of our faithfully departed.*

**Angelina Monforte**  
(long time parishioner)

May they enjoy a place of light, happiness and peace.



## November 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 <b>NO RE KDG</b> <b>All Saints Day</b>	2 Parish Council-Finance Joint Meeting, 8pm	3 <b>NO RE</b> <b>Election Day</b>	4 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b> Musical Chair Yoga, 2:00pm (Zoom)	5 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b> Bible Study, 7-8pm (Zoom)	6	7 7th Grade Ministry Sunday & Commitment Blessing, 5pm
8 <b>RE KINDERGARTEN</b>	9 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b> 7th Grade Pre-Confirmation Interview (Classtime)	10 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b>	11 <b>NO RE</b> <b>Veteran's Day</b> Chair Yoga, 2:00pm	12 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b> Bible Study, 7-8pm (Zoom)	13	14 Christmas Pageant Video Recording (Parish Hall)
15 <b>RE KINDERGARTEN</b> Wreath Sale Online: Deadline	16 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b>	17 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b>	18 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b> Musical Chair Yoga, 2:00pm (Zoom)	19 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b> Bible Study, 7-8pm (Zoom)	20	21 <b>THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE, 4:45PM-6PM</b> YM Food Drive-by Volunteers, 2-3pm
22 <b>RE KINDERGARTEN</b> Birthday Blessings, 10:30am Mass <b>THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE, 7:45AM-1:15PM</b>	23 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b> Adopt-A-Family Kick-off (7th Grade)	24 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b>	25 <b>NO RE</b> Musical Chair Yoga, 2:00pm (Zoom)	26 <b>NO RE</b> NO Bible Study <b>Thanksgiving Day</b> 9am Mass only	27	28 Manger Setup Blessing of Advent Wreath & Building of Manger <b>St. Patrick's Nursing Home wish list</b>
29 <b>NO RE KDG</b> Blessing of Angel Tree, Advent Wreath & Manger 8th Gr. Spirit Mass, after 12noon Mass Boy Scout Advent Wreath Pickup	30 <b>RE ONLINE CLASSES</b> <b>Angel Tree Collecton until December 20</b>					

**ALL SATURDAY VIGIL & SUNDAY MASSES:**  
Available In-person (registration required) and livestreaming online!

## Parish Announcements

The Saint Pius X Parish family welcomes the newly baptized

**Luc Joseph Rosenfeld**  
(parent: Matthew and Christina)

**Olivia Arrebela Perez**  
(parent: Christian and Macarena)

Luc and Olivia are welcomed into  
the Gateway of Life in the Spirit

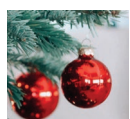


### **AAG Event: Christmas Cookie Exchange**

Since we can't gather for our Christmas December luncheon due to COVID, the parish is hosting a cookie exchange. Please bring three dozen of your favorite Christmas cookies (only one type) in a disposable container to St Pius X Parish Office on December 7th or 8th, 9am – 5pm. The cookies will be assembled in boxes (following COVID safety guidelines – wearing mask and gloves and observing safety distance) on December 10th by 6 volunteers in the Parish Hall. In exchange you'll get a box filled with an assortment of festive homemade cookies (pick-up at the parish hall December 12th). Prizes will be given to the yummiest and the best decorated cookies.

To sign up, please visit: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4baea723a7f94-stpius2>

Any questions, call Kathy Cripps 914-683-6830 or email [saintpiusxparishcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:saintpiusxparishcouncil@gmail.com) (Subject: Cookie Exchange).



### **Sponsor an Ornament for Outdoor Christmas Tree**

This year we are excited to announce our **First Annual Outdoor Christmas Tree and Lighting Celebration on December 11 at 7pm**. Help us to decorate the tree by sponsoring a personalized ornament for \$25, with your name, family name or name of a loved one you wish to remember. Please sign up and include the name you wish to appear on the ornament. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0A4EACA92BA5FF2-christmas1>

Checks made to Saint Pius X with "Christmas Ornament" on the memo line or venmo @SaintPiusX-ParishCouncil. Contact Carrie Parker [carriea831@gmail.com](mailto:carriea831@gmail.com).



**11/22/20**  
\$100 Maureen Medl  
\$50 Charles Wilson  
\$25 Megan & Steve Nietupski

**THIS WEEKEND!**



### **Thanksgiving Food Drive**

**On Saturday, November 21 and Sunday, November 22** the Parish Family of St. Pius X will be collecting frozen turkeys and non-perishable food items to donate, so that the working poor in the parishes of St. Peter's and St. Denis' in Yonkers and Sacred Heart of Jesus in Manhattan can enjoy a Thanksgiving dinner. So many families are struggling this year due to COVID-19. More than ever your help can make a real difference to them.

#### **This year we have three options for donating:**

1. If you live within 15 minutes of St. Pius X and would like youth ministry students to pick up frozen turkeys and non-perishable food items from your home, leave your food donations outside your front door and they will pick them up on Saturday, November 21 starting at 2pm. **Click on this link to sign-up for a pick-up:** <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfeyZSHt5PpMwMxMgMhbftadI4IUMzriAiML7DuSs7fojp8PA/viewform?gxids=7628>.
2. Drop off your food donations at St. Pius X on Saturday, November 21 from 4:45pm to 6pm or on Sunday, November 22 from 7:45am to 1:15pm.
3. Give a monetary donation:
  - In the form of a check written out to St. Pius X with the memo line stating *Thanksgiving Food Drive*.
  - Venmo to @SaintPiusX-ParishCouncil

**\*Please DO NOT donate any perishable food (other than frozen turkeys) or any items in glass jars\***

We are also looking for volunteers to help pack cars during the 12pm mass on Sunday, November 21 and/or drive the donations to St. Peter's and Sacred Heart of Jesus at 1:30pm. Please contact Mary T. Ingriselli at (914) 472-8095 or [ingrimt77@gmail.com](mailto:ingrimt77@gmail.com) with any questions or to volunteer.

**Thank you for your generosity!**



### Christmas Outreach:

#### Adopt-A-Family

In December, Parishioners have an opportunity to help a family that does not have the financial ability to exchange Christmas gifts. We will be donating gifts to neighboring churches with families in need, as well as local home bound households. Please stay tuned for more information!

If you would like to participate in this ministry, please contact Marie-Hélène McAndrew at [mhmccandrew@gmail.com](mailto:mhmccandrew@gmail.com).



Thank you and God bless.

#### St. Patrick's Nursing Home Collection

Our annual Collection of new, unwrapped Christmas gifts for St. Patrick's nursing home in the Bronx will begin Saturday, November 28 and continue through Sunday, December 13. A closet will be designated for St. Patrick's or you may purchase your items online and mail them directly to:

St. Patrick's Nursing Home, Attention: Janet Kibassa  
66 Van Cortlandt Park South, Bronx, NY 10463

There will be an option for a gift card. You can sign your name if you wish but please also include Saint Pius X Church.

*Suggestions: Clothing:* Sweaters, hats, scarves, closed back slippers, T-shirts, sweatshirts, socks, knee-high stockings, etc. Men's sizes are medium through XXL and women medium and larger.

*Recreation supplies:* Crayons, washable marker, pencils, pens, construction paper, coloring books, crossword puzzle books, and word search books etc.

*Miscellaneous suggestions:* US postage stamps, lined writing paper, tissues, candies, pretzels, chips, playing cards, lipstick, dusting powder, nail polish, pocketbooks, wallets, Jewelry, combs, brushes, shampoo, conditioner, cologne, aftershave lotion, keychains, picture frames, etc.

Gift boxes, gift bags, wrapping paper etc. are also appreciated.

Thank you so much for your continued generosity. This pandemic has affected the elderly disproportionately and we know this will cheer them up greatly.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to call Beth Rosen 914-725-4471.



#### Angel Giving Tree

Beginning November 29, we invite our Parish's children, and their families, to purchase new gifts (no violent toys or games) for less fortunate children.

This year we have several options for donating:

1. *Place the gifts under the "Angel tree" and hang an "Angel" on the tree.* Wrap the gifts up, mark them with GIRL or BOY, and the appropriate age of the child (between 2 and 12 years old). Because of COVID-19 we will not be asking children to come to the altar during mass to bring up gifts –we will instead set up two trees in the Narthex as Angel trees. As children and families come in, they can leave their gifts under a tree and hang an Angel ornament. We will not set up an Angel tree inside the church this year.

2. *Purchase your gifts online and mail it to us.* Please send them to Marina Cardillo, 26 Jefferson road, Scarsdale NY 10583. Please specify Angel tree in the "gift" option. We will wrap the gifts up and hang an Angel for you!

3. *Make a monetary donation.* Make a check to St Pius X and send it to St Pius X, 91 Secor road, Scarsdale, NY 10583, with the memo line stating Angel tree. Or VENMO to @SaintPiusX-Parish Council (specify Angel tree). We will purchase the toys for you, wrap them up and hang an Angel on the tree!

Any questions, please contact Marina at [mammadoc@gmail.com](mailto:mammadoc@gmail.com).

The Angel tree will be available until December 20.



# Religious Education

## IMPORTANT DATES:

11/23	Adopt-A-Family Kick-off (7th Grade)
11/25-26	Thanksgiving Recess – No RE
11/29	8th Grade Spirit Mass(Students Only – Activity and Sharing in the Parish Hall after the 12pm mass)
11/29	Thanksgiving Weekend – No Kindergarten



### ***Socially Distant Saturday with Santa*** **Saturday, December 12, 10am-11am in the St. Pius X Parking Lot**

Join us for a Socially Distant Saturday with Santa! *Glazed and Confused Donut Truck* will be on site to serve hot donuts with special toppings, along with Hot Cocoa and Hot Coffee!

You will have the opportunity to take a socially distant picture with Santa!

Fun surprises and raffle prizes as well!

Please sign up here for the Socially Distant Saturday with Santa. Include your total number of guests (adults and children). <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0A4EACA92BA5FF2-socially>

**Cost \$10 per person, adults and children over the age of 2.**

Checks made to Saint Pius X with “Saturday with Santa” on the memo line or venmo @SaintPiusX-ParishCouncil.

Contact with the Religious Education with any questions and how to volunteer [stpiousxreled@yahoo.com](mailto:stpiousxreled@yahoo.com).



**AmazonSmile and the Disciples of Mary**  
On your first visit to AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.com), select Philippine Disciples of Mary (the Religious Community of Fathers Sebastian and Jose) as your charitable organization to receive donations from eligible purchases before you begin shopping. Philippine Disciples of Mary is an eligible 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Thank you and may God bless you!

*Note: Donations are made by the AmazonSmile Foundation and are not tax deductible by you. Visit [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com) for more details.*

## ***Religious Education classes in session via Zoom:***

Mondays.....	5th Grade 3:30-4:30 pm; 6th Grade 4:30-5:30 pm
Tuesdays.....	1st Grade 3:20-4:30 pm; 2nd Grade 4:30-5:30 pm
Wednesdays.....	7th Grade 3:30-4:30 pm; 8th Grade 4:30-5:30 pm
Thursdays .....	3rd Grade 3:30-4:30 pm; 4th Grade 4:30-5:30 pm
Sundays.....	Kindergarten 9:30-10:15 am

Welcome back to class! Parents, thank you for your flexibility. On-line instruction is not ideal and it may be inconvenient, but it is paramount that you oversee your child’s work given the nature of on-line instruction.

The virtual classes will be recorded so, if your child misses a “live” class, you and your child can view the class **within 4 days of the recorded class**, and you and he/she will be required to email his/her catechist to state that your child has viewed the recorded class. Your child must be present for at least 90% of the actual on-line classes.

Please call the Religious Education Office at 914-472-5594 if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you.

### **St. Pius X Continuing Adult Faith Formation Bible Study Series Presents: “The Major Prophets”**



Fully Online! Enjoy the study of God’s Word in the comfort of your own home! **Thursday Evenings from 7:00–8:00pm**. Have your Bible handy.  
(No class on Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, and New Year's Eve)

**Topic:** The Major Prophets

**Time:** 7:00pm–8:00pm every week until Thursday, February 18, 2021.

#### **Join Zoom Meeting:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84561421151?pwd=cW5GaWR2QVFGa29PRXMrTStSbzZzQT09>

Meeting ID: 845 6142 1151

Passcode: 552936

#### ***About this Adult Faith Formation Session:***

Discover the Major Prophets of the Old Testament! We will unlock the beautiful teachings of Isaiah, Jeremiah, and Ezekiel and how they proclaimed God’s Holy Word in Sacred Scripture. See how their messages prepared for the coming of Christ and lead us to repent and follow God with holy and pure hearts. No homework—no tests, just soaking in the wisdom and beauty of the Blessed Trinity’s awesome message to us all.



St. Pius X's goal is **\$97,500**  
(average monthly offertory \$39,091.16 x  
2.5 months). As of 11/10/20.

Pledge: \$69,690

# of Gifts: 88

Paid: \$68,990

Average Gift: \$791.93

### PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER YOUR GIFT

BECOME A SUSTAINING DONOR TODAY visit [cardinalsappeal.org](http://cardinalsappeal.org).

Scan the QR code with your phone →



### Ushers/Greeters needed!

If you have returned to the church and are interested in helping seat parishioners and maintain safety protocols, please contact Joanne Sciortino (917 597 3189) or Steve Amato (914 772 2632) or sign up clicking this link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F-4BAEA723A7F94-stpius3> **Thank you for your help!**



Are you interested in sponsoring the seminarians of the Religious Institute of the Alagad ni Maria (Disciples of Mary) in the Philippines? Contact Father Raymond at the rectory, (914) 725-2755, for information on how you can help.



### Help needed for Midnight Run and the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal

Monetary donations are always appreciated but the supplies are needed as well. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Tom Morris at [morrist264@gmail.com](mailto:morrist264@gmail.com) who will provide more details.

**The latest weekly bulletin is available via email EVERY FRIDAY! Sign up to receive emails from the Church of St. Pius X by emailing Father Raymond at [raymond\\_vijandre@yahoo.com](mailto:raymond_vijandre@yahoo.com). Or visit [saintpiusxchurch.com](http://saintpiusxchurch.com) and click on the "Weekly Bulletin" button on our home page.**

### Weekly Bulletin & Email Blast Submissions:

Do you have an announcement for a church event that you would like to be printed in our Church bulletin? Email [stpiusxbulletin@aol.com](mailto:stpiusxbulletin@aol.com) or call (914) 725-2755 by the Monday before the next published bulletin. Any inserts must be in 10 days before the Sunday you wish it to be printed. Printing deadline is 9:00pm Tuesdays. Any announcement you wish to be in the weekly email blast, should be submitted by Monday 5pm or Thursday 5pm, with a final cut-off for revisions only at 12 noon the day of the email. Emails are scheduled to send Tuesdays and Fridays at 3:00pm.

### Church of Saint Pius X Parish Information

Saint Pius X Parish is under the pastoral care of the Religious Institute of the Alagad ni Maria (Disciples of Mary)

#### Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday 9 am – 4:00 pm  
Friday – Closed (By appointment Only)

#### The Sacraments

##### Baptism:

Arrangements made by both parents with a priest or deacon.

##### Reconciliation - Penance

Saturday 4:00 to 4:30 PM or anytime upon request.

##### Holy Matrimony:

Arrangements should be made with a priest or a deacon at least six months prior to the wedding. Couples must attend Pre-Cana and Engagement Conferences.

##### The Eucharist & Anointing of the Sick:

For serious illness or when someone is scheduled for hospitalization, please call the Rectory at (914) 725-2755.

##### Communion Calls:

We are happy to bring the Eucharist to those unable to come to the Church.

##### Confirmation:

Baptized Catholics who have not received Confirmation should contact a member of the pastoral staff.

##### Holy Orders:

The pastoral staff is always ready to discuss the prospect of a vocation to the priesthood or religious life.

#### Religious Education for Students

Monday, Gr.5: 3–4pm, Gr.6: 4–5pm  
Tuesday, Gr.1: 3–4pm, Gr.2: 4–pm  
Wednesday, Gr.7: 3–4pm, Gr.8: 4–5pm  
Thursday, Gr.3: 3–4pm, Gr.4: 4–5pm  
Sunday, Kindergarten: 9:30–10:15am

#### Religious Education for Adults

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is intended to address both the un-baptized who are seeking baptism as well as Christians from other traditions who desire to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church. Please call (914) 725-2755.

#### Parish Council:

- Marina Cardillo Pratt, President
  - Carrie Parker & Marie-Helene McAndrew, Co-Vice Presidents
  - Joanne Sciortino, Treasurer
  - Ryan Berthod, Secretary
- [saintpiusxparishcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:saintpiusxparishcouncil@gmail.com)  
The Parish Council meets the first Monday of the month at 8:00 pm (Except for January, July & August).

#### Parish Finance Committee

Denis Andreuzzi Kathi Fredella  
Blaise Fredella Mark Fitzsimmons  
Joanne Sciortino

#### Bulletin Submissions:

E-mail [stpiusxbulletin@aol.com](mailto:stpiusxbulletin@aol.com) or call (914) 725-2755 by the Monday before the next published bulletin. Any inserts must be in 10 days before the Sunday you wish it to be printed.

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Fr. Sebastian	x20
Fr. Raymond	x23
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