# Church of Saint Pius X

Under the pastoral care of the Religious Institute of the Alagad ni Maria (Disciples of Mary)

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# **MASS SCHEDULE:**

# **Daily Masses (Monday to Friday)**

8:00 AM & 11:30 AM – In-Person & Livestream Mass

# Saturday

9:00 AM – In-Person & Livestream Mass

# Saturday Vigil Mass

5:00 PM – In-Person & Livestream Mass

## **Sunday Mass**

8:00AM – In-Person Only

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

# **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, 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. But we encourage you to watch Mass on streaming with us every Sunday, and recite the Act of Spiritual Communion during the Eucharist.

Adoration: Temporarily cancelled

Reconciliation: By appointment only

# Reverend Francisco Sebastian Bacatan, Jr., Ph.D., A.M.

Pasto

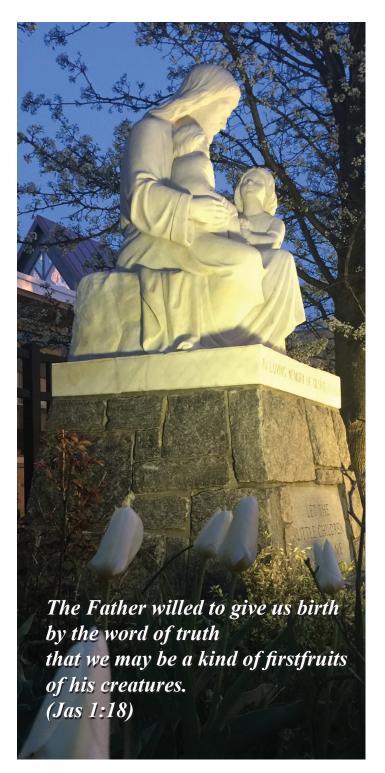
# Reverend Raymond Vijandre, A.M.

Parochial Vicar

# Salesians of Don Bosco of New Rochelle

Weekend Associate

Trustees: Christopher Saenger and Nicholas Brusco



# Mass Intentions

# SATURDAY, AUGUST 28 - St. Augustine

- 9:00 Deacon Ted Gaskin, by Alice Gaskin
- 5:00 Michaele, Giuseppina & Gerard Fredella, by Blaise & Kathi Fredella

Margaret Cardillo, by Theresa & Jesse Jahn

# SUNDAY, AUGUST 29 – 22nd Sunday in O.T.

- 8:00 Eleanor Pugliese, by the Church of St. Pius X
- 9:15 Terese (Terry) Cerni, by Gaetano & Ines Scutaro
- 10:30 Anelido Salvati, Fioriana Salvati & Norberto Salvati, by Pio & Celia Salvati

12:00 Dr. Fabian Sy, by the Sy Family

# **MONDAY, AUGUST 30**

8:00\* Gerald Smith, by the Church of St. Pius X

# **TUESDAY, AUGUST 31**

8:00\* Anthony Scarcella, by the Church of St. Pius X

## WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 – World Day of Prayer

for the Care of Creation

8:00\* Penelope Smith, by the Church of St. Pius X

#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

8:00\* Helen B., Luther R., & Deacon William J. Hill

# FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 – St. Gregory the Great;

First Friday

8:00\* Ma Paz Viray, by Esmer Acevedo

# **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4** – First Saturday

- 9:00 Sal & Terry Cerni, by the Church of St. Pius X
- 5:00 Brian Foley & Marilyn Martin, by the Foley Family

# **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5** – 23rd Sunday in O.T.

- 8:00 Anthony Scarcella, by Adrian & Theresa Regan
- 9:15 Dr. Fabian A. Sy, by the Sy Family
- 10:30 Lorraine Eaione, by Jackie & Wally Wolpert
- 12:00 Beniamino, Manfredo & Amelia DiDuca,

by Berenice Pompa

# 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.

**June 2021: \$42,496.49** (from *WeShare* \$16,297.00)

May 2021: \$38,264.17 (from WeShare \$15,487.00)

 $April\ 2021:\ \$31,\!384.50\ (\mathrm{from}\ \textit{WeShare}:\ \$16,\!792)$ 

Easter 2021: \$118,737.49 (updated 5/18/21)

888 Registered parishioners, 731 Families receiving envelopes, 98 active participants 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 2021

Missionary Cooperative Appeal Plan	September 5
St. Joseph's Seminary Appeal	September 26
World Mission Sunday	October 24
Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (Triennial)	N/A this Year
Support the Missionary Work in the Philippines	November 7
Campaign for Charity and Justice (Catholic Charities)	November 21
Retirement Fund for Religious	December 12

# Reserving Announced Masses for 2021

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



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<sup>\*</sup>There will not be 11:30am Mass during July and August; resumes September 13.

# August 29 - September 4, 2021

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Wednesday: World Day of Prayer for the

Care of Creation

Friday: St. Gregory the Great; First Friday

Saturday: First Saturday

# World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, September 1

According to Pope Francis, "The annual World Day of prayer for the Care of Creation offers to individual believers and to the community a precious opportunity to renew our



personal participation in this vocation as custodians of creation, raising to God our thanks for the marvellous works that He has entrusted to our care, invoking his help for the protection of creation and his mercy for the sins committed against the world in which we live."

# A Prayer for our Earth

By Pope Francis\*

All-powerful God, you are present in the whole universe and in the smallest of your creatures.

You embrace with your tenderness all that exists. Pour out upon us the power of your love, that we may protect life and beauty. Fill us with peace, that we may live as brothers and sisters, harming no one.

O God of the poor,

help us to rescue the abandoned and forgotten of this earth, so precious in your eyes.

Bring healing to our lives,

that we may protect the world and not prey on it, that we may sow beauty, not pollution and destruction.

Touch the hearts

of those who look only for gain at the expense of the poor and the earth. Teach us to discover the worth of each thing, to be filled with awe and contemplation, to recognize that we are profoundly united with every creature as we journey towards your infinite light.

We thank you for being with us each day. Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle

for justice, love and peace.

# Dear Padre

August 29, 2021

I recently had a spirited discussion with a Protestant friend regarding Romans 8:26. He believes his "perfected prayer of being filled with the Holy Spirit and speaking in tongues" is addressed in that verse. What does the Church say about this verse?

Romans 8:26 says, "In the same way, the Spirit too comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit itself intercedes with inexpressible groanings."

I'd be careful not to interpret this passage too narrowly and limit its application only to the gift of speaking in tongues. In fact, its application is much broader and actually can be applied to all Christian prayer.

When it comes to praying effectively, all of us can use some extra help. We get that help from the Holy Spirit. Scripture scholar Joseph A. Fitzmayer, SJ, maintains that the Holy Spirit actually plays an active and dynamic role in helping Christians pray effectively by interceding on his or her behalf. In effect, the Holy Spirit expresses for us the inaudible prayers and groaning of our hearts, for which we have no words. So, when we pray, the Holy Spirit is actually present to us and makes up for what we are lacking in our prayer due to our own human weakness.

Fr. Scott Katzenberger, CSsR

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<sup>\*</sup>Pope Francis published this prayer in his Laudato Si'encyclical, and is meant for sharing with all who believe in a God who is the all-powerful Creator. Ref: https://catholicclimatemovement.global/world-day-of-prayer/ Photo: https://seasonofcreation.org/

# Important Announcement About Attending Mass – **UPDATE!**

Starting in July, as part of New York State's lifting most of the coronavirus restrictions, the Church of St. Pius X is also easing some of our safety protocols.

- We no longer need you to make reservations to attend Mass.
- Parishioners will once again be choosing their own seats as they arrive. We will be maintaining social distancing between family groups in the pews.
- We will still maintain every other pew roped off for additional social distancing

If you have come to enjoy a specific seat during the reservation time period, please arrive early for best opportunity to sit in your preferred seats.

### We do ask that you still:

- Wear masks, covering nose and mouth at all times, except to consume the host.
- Keep 3 feet distance and avoid gathering.
- Sanitize your hands when entering the Church.
- For weekend and holiday Masses, please remain in your originally chosen seat. Please do not change seats during the service.
- You should arrive 15 minutes before Mass begins so that you can sit in your preferred seats.
- Per CDC guidelines, it is no longer necessary to sanitize personal space between Masses but we will continue to do a weekly cleaning of the church. The sanitizing materials will remain in the pews for any person who wishes to sanitize his/her personal space before sitting.

# • Do not attend Mass if in the last 14 days:

- you have had any of the symptoms associated with contracting the COVID-19 Virus.
- you have tested positive for COVID-19.
- you have been in close contact with someone with a confirmed or suspected COVID-19 case.

If you are diagnosed with COVID-19 in the subsequent 7 days after attending mass, please notify us by calling the parish office at 914-725-2755. Strictly confidential.

Thank you very much for your understanding and cooperation!



# The Church of St. Pius X Committed Giving and Sharing Our Gifts

We are blessed to have a faithful community where we are able to witness the Word of the Lord and celebrate the Eucharist each week. Part of *Committed Giving and Sharing Our Gifts* is to encourage stewardship. Let us share the gifts that we are blessed with.

Please consider making a commitment to give consistently each week.



Committed Giving and Sharing Our Gifts is an investment in the future of our parish. Please support the Church of St. Pius X.

To enroll in electronic giving, please visit, *WeShare* at <a href="https://saintpiusxchurch.churchgiving.com">https://saintpiusxchurch.churchgiving.com</a>, scan the code to the right, or call Elizabeth, our parish secretary, at (914) 725-2755 to enroll.

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# Recent Events at the Church of St. Pius X

Our friends at Mass: At the 5pm Mass, Lector Emilia Rodriguez, Gift Bearers Manny & Martha Neiro, and The Gordons with Father Sebastian & Vivian Amato. At the 10:30am Mass, ushers Adriana, Ava and Sal Dragone with Gabriella DaGama.



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

Anne Mendoza

Girlie Mercado

Restie Miranda

Lauren & Bill Meyer & family

Paul Angiolillo Manolita Antoja Milka Ashley Robert Ashley Elisa Alcontin Atienza Francisco B. Barbin Lucy Barone Dr. Chris Belardi Lina Brady John Burnett Baby Antonia Carpentieri Anne Marie Cassarini Helen Centorrino Shire Chafkin Joan Coviello Iena Custodio Jeannette Davis Christina Del Pin Felisa Diomaro-Agerskov Mark Driscoll Gil Fisher Fionn Foley (toddler)

Kenneth Frawley III Anna Fusita Frank Gagne Alice Gaskin Rolando Gatilao Romel Gatinao Jon Ghiozzi Robert Golan Weda Gresset Siony Guinto James Hunter Minda Imperial Kevin Krazit

Christopher Moger Joan O'Grady Fidel Ordona Maria Mercedes Pabon Estelito Pataksil Romeo Patricio Sr. Teresita Perez, MM Baby Sloane Ava Jordan Frank Perri Douglas Pick Alfonso Latorre Florence Antoja Plantilla Mary Jantzen Lopez-Lardizabal Craig Plunkett Teddy Mancini Jocelyn Quindagan Mary Love Mapa Vincent Raffaele Sarah Marolda Anne Reichling Susanita Mariano Joel Rivera William McCue Susan Rosenhan Daniel McEvily Elizabeth Ross To add a name please contact (914) 725-2755 or stpiusxbulletin@aol.com. Please confirm person consents to having their name published.

Oliva San Antonio Dominic Merlucci (toddler) Roderic Salazar Laurie Sattin Samantha Schlein Lois Schmidt Wendy Sgobbo Jay-John Soliongco Marianne Stineman Len & Marie Tallevi Nida Flor Tamidles Santi Basil Arthur Tamidles, Jr. Pedro Tassari Gabriel Torrecampo Emma Torregoza Helena A. Trinidade Jennie Wagner Brad Widulski Bernadette Windsor Nanette Windsor Baby Gabriel Wolpert

John Rossitto

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

# **Gerry Conklin**

(Long-time parishioner)

## **Antonio Steven Chan**

(Brother of Jo Mari Chan)

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



# September 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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5	6 Labor Day No Mass Parish Office Closed	7	8 Mary Under The Stars – 7:00pm (raindate Sept 9th)	9	10	11
Annual Backpack Blessing – 10:30am mass	13 Parish Council Meeting, 8pm 11:30am Mass Resumes	14 Musical Chair Yoga every Tuesday at 12:45pm.	15	16 Musical Chair Yoga every Thursday at 10:30am	17	18
19 Catechetical Sunday Birthday Blessings, 10:30am	20 RE Classes Begin 3:30 – 5pm 5th – 8th Grade	RE Classes Begin 3:30 – 5:00pm 1st – 4th Grade	22	23	24	25
26 St. Pius X First Annual Parish Picnic 11:30am – 2:30pm	27 RE in Session	28 RE in Session	8th Grade Confirmation Parents' Meeting 6:00pm (via zoom)	30		

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# Parish Announcements



Join us for a great time with our church community at our First **Annual St Pius X Church Picnic** Sunday, September 26th 11:30am to 2:00pm - St. Pius X Church playground and St. Francis circle

Cheesesteaks, burgers, hotdogs, fries and drinks from the Road Grub Mobile food

truck (vegetarian and chicken options also available) – Ice cream, sundaes, milkshakes, root beer floats and Hawaiian shaved ice from Jimmy's Soft Serve ice cream truck.

Entertainment for all ages: bounce house, face painting by Brenda, tug of war, corn hole, wiffle ball, kick ball, badminton, bocce and more!

Bring chairs and/or blankets (some tables/chairs will be available for senior citizens)

# Sign up at the link below, or scan the QR code to the right: https://www.signupgenius.com/ go/10C0F4BAEA723A7F94-stpius4



# Tickets include entrance, food, ice cream, drinks and fun! \$15 per person (age 2 and up).

Checks payable to St. Pius X (specify picnic in the memo - send to 91 Secor Road, Scarsdale, NY 10583) or by Venmo @SaintPiusX-ParishCouncil (specify picnic) Tickets will be available for pick up at the picnic entrance.

Additional monetary donations to support the event and our community are very much appreciated!

For more information email: saintpiusxparishcouncil@gmail.com; text/call Maria Dhingra at 917-579-7063 or Marina Cardillo at 914-643-6790.

#### **BRING FAMILY AND FRIENDS!**



# 8/29/21

\$100 Pio & Celia Salvati \$50 Ann Marie Skalicky \$100 James Amodio



# Mary's Birthday Celebration Under the Stars – Wednesday September 8, 2021 at 7pm, Outdoor Statue of Mary Spread the word! Wednesday September

8 is the birthday of Our Blessed Mother. A special prayerful program is planned. The event will be held outdoors in the St. Pius X parking lot. An opportunity to meet family and friends! (Raindate - Thrusday September 9.) Please scan the QR code (right) to sign up for this event.



# **August Birthday Blessings**

Congratulations to all who celebrate birthdays and anniversaries in August!

## August Birthdays:

Alexandra Katchis 8/3 Christine Lumbao 8/6 Raniag Lebale 8/10 Jennifer LaMacchia 8/16 Jo-Saih Lebale 8/16 Ester Wintergerst 8/16 Santiago Trelles 8/17

Manuel Trelles 8/17 Karen Piaggione 8/18 Rachel Ann Lucek 8/19 Sofia Trelles 8/20 Paul Wintergerst 8/20 George Krembs 8/24 Rina Bayrasli 8/27 Sandra Puglisi 8/31

#### August Anniversaries:

Richard Foran & Pauline O'Hanlon 8/13 Dennis & Christine Lumbao 8/17

To add a name to the Birthday list, please e-mail stpiusxbulletin@aol.com

# Annual Blessing of Back Packs Sunday, September 12 at the 10:30am Mass.

We would like to invite all students for a

"Backpack Blessing" at the start of a new school year. The blessing is meant to remind students that God is always with them. Taking their backpacks into church suggests that Christianity is a way of life that moves into all spheres - inviting God into our hearts, souls, minds, and the stuff of our backpacks!

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# Ministry Service

# **FOOD PANTRY:**

To quote a recent newspaper article,

"THERE IS NO VACCINE FOR HUNGER". Summer is upon us. Traditionally food pantries across the country experience a huge loss in donations due to people traveling and not being in their home churches. Covid has increased the number of families needing help!

We had a huge outpouring of food donated during our Lenten Food Drive. This has dropped off dramatically, but needy families are going hungry and need help all year. PLEASE pick up canned or packaged goods that may be on sale when you shop to bring in when you attend Mass or put in the Food Pantry closet when you are in the area. If you find it too difficult to shop or carry in groceries, please consider making out a check of any size to:

RCC of St. Peter/St. Denis Attn: Nancy Ayala, Food Pantry 91 Ludlow Street, Yonkers, NY 10705

Questions? Contact Dolores Brett at: dbrett9@gmail.com.

Thank you for your continued generosity! ♥



# Musical Chair Yoga

With Ellen Cohen, Registered Yoga Teacher Every Tuesday at 12:45pm Thursday at 10:30am in the St. Pius X Church Parish Hall.

Classes are for all levels. Social distancing is observed. Preregistration is appreciated but walk-ins are welcome too! Masks are optional. \$15/class.

To register or any inquires, call/text or email Ellen (914) 588-0892 or email elco428@hotmail.com



ST. PIUS X'S GOAL IS **\$102,500.00** Figures below as of 8/17/21.

Pledge: \$60,900 Paid: \$59,940 # of Gifts: 97 Average Gift: \$627.84

PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER YOUR GIFT

YOU CAN MAKE YOUR GIFT ONLINE BECOME A SUSTAINING DONOR TODAY visit cardinal sappeal.org. Scan the QR code with your phone  $\rightarrow$ 



# BAG-2-SCHOOL - LAST CHANCE!

In what continues to be a time of great need for many in our community, we ask that you please consider supporting our St. Pius X Parish initiative, *Bag2School*, through Sept. 1.



Many families are struggling, and children still need to learn. The good news is that we can provide much needed assistance to these children thanks to your donations. This year, we hope to support the following organizations:

- My Sister's Place: This wonderful organization strives to end domestic violence and human trafficking by providing free education, outreach and confidential supportive and legal services throughout Westchester County. Our goal is to send tablets and/or school supplies to the children at the shelter. The students and counselors would really appreciate our support!
- The Sharing Shelf's Backpacks to School: This special program provides new backpacks and new school supplies to low-income children and teens in Westchester County. It will provide not just the basics, but enhanced materials such as age-appropriate educational magazines, puzzles, activity sets and books.
- Holy Spirit Church (Bronx): Underprivileged children in public schools under the Holy Spirit Church's (Father Gabriel's new parish) religious education program need supplies for the upcoming school year. They are very grateful for your generosity!

#### **Donate Today:**

- <u>Checks</u>: Make checks payable to Church of Saint Pius X with a note on the memo line: Bag2School.
- Venmo: @SaintPiusX-ParishCouncil

# **Suggested Donation:**

\$25 fills a backpack with grade appropriate supplies
\$75 provides 3 backpacks
\$250 fills 10 backpacks
\$500 provides 20 backpacks
\$2,500 sponsors 100 backpacks

Our goal is to raise \$5,000 across all three organizations. All donations welcome! Thank you very much for your help and support!

-Marie-Hélène McAndrew

Questions, email: saintpiusxparishcouncil@gmail.com

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# Religious Education

# The Church of Saint Pius X Religious Ed Program for school year 2021-2022.

Church of St. Pius X Religious Program will offer an in person and virtual class and will follow a Fall–Spring two-semester format this year, beginning in September 2021 and concluding in May 2022. Classes will be offered as follows:

Sunday: 9:15 AM-10:15 AM

Kinder – in Person

Monday: 3:30 PM-5:00PM

5th Grade – in Person 6th Grade – in Person 7th Grade – in Person

8th Grade – Virtual via Zoom

Tuesday: 3:30 PM-5:00PM

1st Grade – in Person 2nd Grade – in Person

3rd Grade – with in Person option

4th Grade – in Person

Wednesday: 3:30 PM-4:30 PM

3rd Grade – via Zoom Virtual option

**Registration Fees** 

1 child – \$300 3 children – \$600

2 children - \$500 4 or more children - \$700

Sacrament Fees

First Communion Fee – \$200 Confirmation Fee – \$230

*NOTE:* Make check payable to St. Pius X for registration fee and sacrament fee.

**REPTA Fee** 

\$20/child - Make check payable to - St. Pius X - REPTA

CLICK HERE FOR RE REGISTRATION FORM

http://saintpiusxchurch.com/religiouseducation/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/RE-Registration-Form2021-2022-asof-071921.pdf



Please call Religious Education Office for any questions. Thank you and God bless!

# **Volunteers Needed to Spread the Good News!**

"We give thanks to God always for all of you, remembering you in our prayers, unceasingly calling to mind your work of faith and labor of love and endurance in hope of our Lord Jesus Christ." 1 Thessalonians 1:2-3

# What Is a Catechist?

The word catechist comes from the Greek word meaning "to echo." Catechists echo the Word of God to our parish children. They come from all walks of life and all ages; women, men, confirmed teenagers, parents, grandparents, singles, and religious. Catechists are not expert teachers or brilliant theologians. They are ordinary people, just like you, who generously volunteer their time to share our Catholic faith, values and traditions with our youngest generation of Christians. They are positive role models who help children grow in faith and spirituality. What an important ministry! Their gift has tremendous value ... because through their words and actions, the message of Christ continues to spread throughout the world.

# RE teachers/ Assistants needed for next year!

1st Grade – 2 Assistants

3rd Grade - 1 Teacher/ 1 Assistant

4th Grade – 1 Assistant 5th Grade – 1 Assistant 6th Grade – 1 Assistant 7th Grade – 1 Assistant 8th Grade – 1 Assistant

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- 4. Create your FREE account with your email address

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On your first visit to AmazonSmile (smile. amazon.com), select Philippine Disciples of Mary (the Religious Community of Fathers Sebastian and Raymond) 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 for more details.



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.

Regis High School, an all-scholarship Jesuit secondary school for Catholic boys, announces its Open House for students and their parents, to occur on Thursday, October 7th, from 5:30 - 8:30pm. For additional information, please write, e-mail or call: Eric Di Michele, Director of Admissions Regis High School 55 East 84th Street New York, New York 10028 (212) 288-1100, Ext 2057 edimichele@regis-nyc.org.

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#### **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

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 The Parish Council meets the first Monday of the month at 8:00 pm (Except for January, July & August).

#### Parish Finance Committee

Kathi Fredella Denis Andreuzzi Blaise Fredella Mark Fitzsimmons Joanne Sciortino

#### **Bulletin Submissions:**

E-mail 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.

#### **Parish Staff**

Parish Secretary: Elizabeth Pirinea, (914) 725-2755, spxacc@optonline.net

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