

Church of Saint Pius X

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

A Roman Catholic Faith Community • Founded in 1954 • Renovated 2013

Come home for Christmas

The Church of St. Pius X Welcomes You

*No matter what your present status in the
Catholic Church;*

*No matter what your current family or marital
situation;*

*No matter what your personal history, age,
background, religious affiliation, race or color;*

No matter what your lifestyle – past or present;

No matter what your own self-image or esteem;

*You are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and
respected at the Church of St. Pius X.*

3rd Sunday



of Advent

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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.
Pastor

Reverend Raymond Vijandre, A.M.
Parochial Vicar

Salesians of Don Bosco of New Rochelle
Weekend Associate

Trustees: Nicholas Brusco and Kathy Cripps

December 12, 2021

December 12, 2021 – Third Sunday of Advent, Gaudete Sunday

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11 – St. Damascus I

9:00 Ermini Garofola, *by Carmela Perri*

5:00 Michele, Giuseppina & Gerard Fredella,
by Blaise & Kathi Fredella

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12 – Third Sunday of Advent

8:00 Peter Gagliardi, *by Ralph Maccarino*

Deceased members of the Pepe Family, *by Rose Occhicone*

9:15 Frank & Rose Angiolillo, *by Chrissy Cervoni*

10:30 John A. & Mary I. Murray, *by Bill Murray*

12:00 S. Lucia, *by Berenice Pompa*

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13 – St. Lucy

8:00 Kathleen Heneghan, *by Mary Anne Doherty*

11:30 Roger Lucas, *by Michael & Maria Posey*

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14 – St. John of the Cross

8:00 Seamus O'Duffy, *by Mary Anne Doherty*

11:30 Margaret Cardillo, *by the Church of St. Pius X*

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15

8:00 Bill Byson, *by Mary Anne Doherty*

11:30 David Edwards, *by John & Dolores Brett*

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16

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

11:30 Roger Lucas, *by the Church of St. Pius X*

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17

8:00 Hildegard M. Keane, *by Admiral Frank Keane*

11:30 Tony Palumbo, *by Cheryl Weiner*
Lorraine Scarola, *by John Scarola*

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18

9:00 Sandra Amnuziata, *by Mary Murphy*

5:00 George & Charlotte Perrotta, *by Peter & Patti Gordon*

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19 – Fourth Sunday of Advent

8:00 Deceased members of the Occhicone Family,
by Rose Occhicone

9:15 Frances & Frank Bavaro, *by Venice Barrett*

10:30 Frederic Powers, *by Virginia Powers*

12:00 Joseph Pope, *by the Pope Family*

Reserving Announced Masses for 2021/2022

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



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.**

October 2021: \$50,314.32 (from We Share \$17,954)

September 2021: \$54,063.17 (from We Share \$16,022)

August 2021: \$45,285.00 (from WeShare \$14,834)

July 2021: \$35,661.00 (from WeShare \$15,433)

886 Registered parishioners, 484 Families receiving
envelopes, 97 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.*

We are seeking a new Church Bulletin Editor!

Duties of the Bulletin Editor include gathering
announcements and photos of recent and upcoming events
from the Church, and able to place all into print layout in
an organized and efficient manner. Proficiency in Adobe
InDesign, Photoshop and Acrobat are required. Experience
with Constant Contact and WordPress preferred, but not
required. This is a weekly part-time, remote position, with
your own computer and programs. Must be able to self-
manage your time, and work with the Church staff. To
apply, please call the rectory at (914) 725-2755.

December 12 – 18, 2021

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: Third Sunday of Advent, Gaudete Sunday
Our Lady of Guadalupe
Monday: St. Lucy
Tuesday: St. John of the Cross

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Dec. 12

The feast in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe goes back to the 16th century...



A poor Indian named Cuauhtlatohuac was baptized and given the name Juan Diego. He was a 57-year-old widower, and lived in a small village near Mexico City. On Saturday morning December 9, 1531, he was on his way to a nearby barrio to attend Mass in honor of Our Lady.

Juan was walking by a hill called Tepeyac when he heard beautiful music like the warbling of birds. A radiant cloud appeared, and within it stood an Indian maiden dressed like an Aztec princess. The lady spoke to him in his own language and sent him to the bishop of Mexico, a Franciscan named Juan de Zumarraga. The bishop was to build a chapel in the place where the lady appeared.

Eventually the bishop told Juan to have the lady give him a sign. About this same time Juan's uncle became seriously ill. This led poor Juan to try to avoid the lady. Nevertheless the lady found Juan, assured him that his uncle would recover, and provided roses for Juan to carry to the bishop in his cape or tilma.

On December 12, when Juan Diego opened his tilma in the bishop's presence, the roses fell to the ground, and the bishop sank to his knees. On the tilma where the roses had been appeared an image of Mary exactly as she had appeared at the hill of Tepeyac.

Reflection

Mary's appearance to Juan Diego as one of his people is a powerful reminder that Mary—and the God who sent her—accept all peoples ... In these days when we hear so much about God's preferential option for the poor, Our Lady of Guadalupe cries out to us that God's love for and identification with the poor is an age-old truth that stems from the Gospel itself.

<https://www.franciscanmedia.org/our-lady-of-guadalupe/>

Lighting the Advent Candles and Building the Manger

— Thank you to the families that helped build the manger on the Second Sunday of Advent: the Dragone family (5pm), the Karcz Family (10:30am), and the Forcino Family (12 noon).



ADVENT SCHEDULE 2021

December 12, 2021 — Third Sunday of Advent, Gaudete Sunday
Children's Christmas Pageant after the 10:30 Mass in the Main Church
Virgen De Guadalupe Procession and Mass at 12:00 noon
Christmas market in support of Nanuu Initiative at all Masses
St. Patrick's Nursing Home Wish List ends

December 15, 2021, Wednesday
Adult Christmas Luncheon, 12:30noon—2:30pm, Parish Hall

December 20, 2021 — Advent Reconciliation Monday (Confession)
4:00pm—8:00pm, Main Church

December 18, 2021, Saturday
Adopt-a-Family school lobby drop-off
(Sisters of Life & Don Bosco-Port Chester), 10:00am

December 19, 2021 — Fourth Sunday of Advent
Last day of Angel Giving Tree
Adopt-a-Family school lobby drop-off,
(Holy Spirit & Godd Counsel) 12:00pm

December 24, 2021, Friday
10:00am—11:00am Reconciliation (Confession), Main Church

Please call the Parish Office at 914-725-2755 or visit our website for any updates on the Covid19 protocols in participating in the Church of St. Pius X Christmas activities and events.

CHURCH OF SAINT PIUS X CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

December 20, 2021, Monday

4:00pm—8:00pm Reconciliation (Confession)
(Main Church)

December 24, 2021, Friday

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

December 24, 2021, Friday — Christmas Eve

Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord

3:00pm and 4:30pm Family Masses with homilies for children
6:30pm Mass with St. Pius X Choir (Musical Prelude at 6:15pm)
10:00pm Mass for Midnight

December 25, 2021, Saturday — Christmas Day

Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord

9:00am, 10:30am (not a Family Mass) and 12:00 noon Masses
(NOTE: No 5:00pm Vigil Mass)

December 26, 2021, Sunday

9:00am, 10:30am and 12noon Masses
(NOTE: No 8 am Mass)

December 31, 2021, Friday — New Year's Eve

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
4:00pm Vigil Mass

January 1, 2022, Saturday — New Year's Day

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God, 11:30am Mass
(NOTE: No 9:00 am Saturday Mass)

January 1, 2022, Saturday

Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord, 5:00pm Vigil Mass

CHRISTMAS MASS SEATING AND SAFETY PROTOCOLS

We are very much looking forward to gathering to celebrate Christmas this year!

To accommodate an expected increase in attendance for our Christmas Masses and maintain a safe environment for our parishioners and their guests given the continued presence of COVID-19, please note the specific protocols outlined below for Masses on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. These have been put in place to provide safety, flexibility, and options for all our parishioners and their guests during this very special occasion. Please use your judgement to decide which Mass you prefer to attend.

Seating for all Masses will be first come, first served — no reservations needed. When the sanctuary reaches capacity and to prevent overcrowding, the outside doors will be closed. Please plan to arrive early for all Masses as we may be unable to accommodate late arrivals and remember there are multiple Masses on both days. We ask that you practice reasonable distancing between family groups within the pews with the help of our ushers. For those who prefer not to attend inside the sanctuary, we will be broadcasting the sound outside to the front patio and parking lot with outdoor Eucharistic Ministers for the 6:30pm Mass on Christmas Eve. Live streams of each Mass will also be available.

Christmas Eve:

3pm Family Mass: Masks required. Left side, seating every other pew. Right side, all pews open.

4:30pm Family Mass: Masks required. All pews open.

6:30pm Mass with Choir and String Quartet: Masks required. All pews open.

10pm Mass: Masks required. Left side seating every other pew. Right side all pews open.

Christmas Day:

9am Mass: Masks required. Seating every other pew.

10:30am (not a Family Mass): Masks required. Seating every other pew.

12pm Mass: Left side, Masks required. Seating every other pew. Right side, Masks optional for the fully vaccinated. All pews open.

We are very grateful for your cooperation with these safety protocols, and we are thrilled to welcome you and your family and friends to celebrate Christmas with us this year.



Recent Events at the Church of St. Pius X

Brunch with Santa, held on Saturday, December 4.





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

To add a name please contact (914) 725-2755 or stpiusbulletin@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.

Rogelio (Roger) Lucas

(Long time parishioner)

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



December 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<i>"The Rosary is a prayer that always accompanies me; it is also the prayer of the ordinary people and the saints... it is a prayer from my heart." —Pope Francis</i> Join us for the praying of the Rosary, weekdays after the 11:30am Mass.			1 RE in Session <i>Rosary, weekdays after 11:30am Mass</i>	2	3	4 8th Grade Christmas Bake Sale, all Masses Santa Event (outdoor), 10am–12pm
St. Patrick's Nuring Home Wish List 11/27–12/12						
5 RE KDG 8th Grade Christmas Bake Sale, all Masses	6 RE in Session Parish Council, 8pm	7 RE in Session Christmas Pageant Final Rehearsal Vigil, Immaculate Conception, 7pm	8 NO RE Immaculate Conception Masses, 8am, 11:30m, 4pm Parish Office Closed	9 Cookie Exchange, 6:30–8pm	10 Christmas Carols & Tree Lighting, 7pm	11
12 RE KDG Christmas Pageant, after 10:30am Mass Our Lady of Guadalupe, 12noon & Christmas Sale	13 RE in Session Widow & Widowers, 7pm	14 RE in Session	15 RE in Session AAG Christmas Luncheon 12:30–2:30pm	16 Musical Chair Yoga Thursdays, 10:30am	17	18 Christmas Basket delivery Adopt-a-Family drop-off: Sisters of Life & Don Bosco
Angel Tree Giving 11/28–12/19						
19 NO RE Adopt-a-Family drop-off: Holy Spirit & Good Counsel	20 NO RE	21 NO RE	22 NO RE	23 Church Christmas decorations, 9am	24 CHRISTMAS EVE Confession, 10–11am Masses: 3:30pm, 5pm, 6:30pm w/String Quartet, 10pm Mass for Midnight	25 CHRISTMAS DAY Masses: 9am, 10:30am (not a family Mass), 12noon. No 5pm Mass.
26 NO RE	27 NO RE	28 NO RE	29 NO RE	30	31 New Year's Eve Mass, 4pm Vigil	

Parish Announcements

2nd Collection this weekend for Retired Religious

All of us are able to recall and give thanks to the Lord for the thousands of retired Catholic sisters and brothers whose hard work, prayer, and personal sacrifices helped build and sustain our schools, hospitals, and charitable agencies. The annual archdiocesan collection is for those sisters and brothers who are now in their senior years. This special collection affords us an opportunity to offer them, in return for all they have done for us, our love and support by helping to provide for their needs.

6:30pm Christmas Eve Mass Alternative

For parishioners who are uncomfortable attending Mass inside the church, but want to attend Christmas Eve Mass, we are offering the opportunity to **listen to the 6:30pm Mass on December 24 from their cars**. Parishioners can be parked outside our church around the Outdoor Christmas Tree, or in the main parking lot. The Mass will be heard through the outdoor speakers and live streamed. During communion, Eucharistic Ministers will go out to distribute the Body of Christ under the glass canopy.



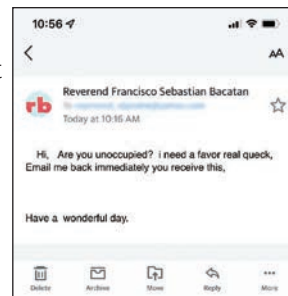
12/12/21
\$100 Maryann Mastoloni
\$50 Margaret Amodio
\$25 Catherine Amodio Glucil

SCAM ALERT: New Scams Circulating!

It has once again been brought to my attention that parishioners and staff have received email messages pretending to be me. Some messages are:

- **"Hi, Are you unoccupied?"** and include my name, "Father Sebastian," in the from line of the message.
- An email entitled **Blessings** is a Christmas Scam.
- An email entitled **New Deposit Information**, asking to change bank information for the next paycheck.

Please delete and/or block the email address: frfranciscosebastianpbacatan@gmail.com. This is a well-crafted and targeted attack on the Church across the country which has hit our Archdiocese of New York again. The messages are "spoofed" fakes that should not be responded to or taken seriously by anyone. The best defense against this sort of scam is to raise awareness in the community and **DO NOT** respond or open any worrying attachments. It is Diocesan policy that no priest or staff within the Diocese request donations in the form of gift cards, PayPal, MoneyGram, etc. I ask that you please **DELETE THE EMAIL** and call the parish office. Under **NO CIRCUMSTANCES** should you ever respond to these scams.



Stanley's Last day: Stanley would like to extend a heartfelt THANK YOU for the generosity and well wishes of so many parishioners. After 39 years of service, FASNY parents and students sang songs to thank Stanley for all he did for them over the years. Best always Stan! Thank you for all you did so perfectly – enjoy your retirement ... *Blessings!*



Ministry Service

Angel Giving Tree

Sunday, November 28 to
Sunday December 19.

Beginning Sunday, November 28, we invite our Parish's children and families, to donate NEW gifts (no violent toys or games) for less fortunate children:

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), and leave them under the tree and hang an Angel on the tree. The Angel tree will be in the Narthex.
2. Purchase your gifts online and mail them 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 gifts and hang your Angel!
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.

The Angel tree will be available until December 19.



Adopt a Family Ministry

The Holy Spirit Church in the Bronx, Sisters of Life, Don Bosco and Good Counsel Homes.

This ministry is coordinated through the Holy Spirit Church in the Bronx on 1940 University Avenue, Bronx, (<http://www.holyspiritchurchbx.org/>), the Sisters of Life, on W. 51st Street in NYC (<https://www.sistersoflife.org/>), Don Bosco Church on 16 Washington St, Port Chester (<https://www.portchestercatholicchurch.org/>) and Good Counsel Homes (<https://www.goodcounselhomes.org/>).

The Holy Spirit Church has provided us with the names of 22 families in need this Christmas, the Sisters have provided us with 7 families, Don Bosco Church with 25 families and Good Counsel Homes, which serves homeless pregnant mothers and their children, will provide wishlists for a few individual moms and babies. This is the 12th year of our Parish's commitment to this ministry! **You can sign up for a family (gifts, meal, or both) by following the links below:**



Holy Spirit Bronx and Sisters of Life
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084BA4AB2DABFC1-adopt>



Don Bosco (gift cards only)
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084BA4AB2DABFC1-adopt1>



Good Counsel Homes
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084BA4AB2DABFC1-adopt2>

Deadlines December 18 & 19. Please see page 2 of this bulletin for each ministry's delivery dates.

Once again, thank you for your kindness and generosity to those in need this Christmas. If you have any questions please contact: Marie-Helene McAndrew (mhmccandrew@gmail.com) for Don Bosco; Aurelie Ferrara (aferrara914@gmail.com) for Good Counsel Homes; and Agustin Lago (a.lagob@gmail.com) for Holy Spirit and Sisters of Life.



◀ **The Santa Event on Saturday, December 4** was a big success. 127 adults and 62 children came. THANK YOU to the ever-dedicated Santa Team spearheaded by Teresa Black and her family and the many hands who made the event more special and meaningful: Pam Mo, Ana Marmann and Family, Bernadette Wilson, Renee LaTorre, Siobhan Agababian, Anita Dorett, 8th Grade Volunteers, Ellen Aslanian, Fr. Raymond our photographer, and Chad Wilson our Santa! Special thanks to Ciara and Chang Yu for their chocolate donation and Rich Foran and Pauline O'Hanlon for some raffle donations.

Religious Education

IMPORTANT DATES & INFO:

Religious Education Christmas Break

December 12, 2021 – Last Day – Kindergarten
December 13, 2021 – Last Day – 5th to 8th Grade
December 14, 2021 – Last Day – 1st, 2nd & 4th Grade
December 15, 2021 – Last Day – 3rd Grade

Classes Resume

January 9, 2022 – Kindergarten
January 10, 2021 – 5th to 8th Grade
January 11, 2022 – 1st, 2nd and 4th Grade
January 12, 2022 – 3rd Grade

Be well and have a great Christmas to all of you!

Assistants needed for:

4th Grade – 1 5th Grade – 1 7th Grade – 1

Thrive For Life Talk by Father Zach for 5th and 6th Grade and Community Service Project: Care Packages Drive to Benefit Thrive for Life Prison Project, ending December 15!

For this drive, please keep an eye out for the email with further instructions, and for a list of items like toiletries, clothing, supplies and food. All items donated will go to folks behind the walls and to those coming home from jail and prison. **Please bring all the donated items to the RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE. Thank you!**

SAVE THE DATE: 8th Grade Confirmation Retreat Saturday, January 29 from 7:45 am to 3:30 pm

Marian Shrine, 174 Filors Lane, Stony Point, NY 10980
Agenda of the Retreat to follow.

The Archdiocese of New York requires Confirmation Candidates to attend a retreat. If for some reason you are unable to join the scheduled retreat, you will have to inquire and register in other parishes' Confirmation Retreat before your Confirmation Day.

Thank you to our 8th Grade Confirmation students and their teacher Tricia Marolda for the overwhelming turn out of their Christmas Bake Sale Community Service to benefit Breakfast Run. They raised \$1,141.75 in total.



Christmas Flower Donations

If you would like to remember a loved one at our Christmas Altar with a poinsettia plant, please complete the form available in the Narthex and return it to the Rectory or drop it in the collection basket along with a check made payable to the Church of St. Pius X. The cost is \$20 per plant. (please PRINT LEGIBLY on the form) Thank you!

In Memory of: _____
(please print legibly)

Donated by: _____ Amount: _____

Thank you to all who helped at Mass this weekend, including those pictured below: at the 5pm Mass, Lector Fitz Ferraris, at the 10:30am Mass, Basket Ushers Madison and Matt Teitscheid, Gabriella DaGama and Jack & Joey Leptak, Bulletin Ushers Madison and Matt Teitscheid, Gift-bearers the Karcz Family.



FOOD PANTRY:



Thanksgiving is over and many grateful families at St. Peter's-St. Denis' received turkeys and trimmings. However, the food insecure need help all year round. Please continue bringing in packaged and canned foods for our weekly food pantry closet in the Narthex hallway. If you are unable to shop for or carry grocery items, 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! ♥

Virtual Vital Aging Series "Immune-Boosting Meals for Healthy Holidays." Holistic Health and Nutrition Expert Daryl Moss, of Mission to Wellness, will serve up a simple, healthy meal tips to ensure you stay fit and healthy this holiday season! **Monday, December 13, 2021, 11 am-12noon.** Advanced Registration is required by contacting the Scarsdale Library Reference (914) 722-1300 or Claudette Gassler (914) 348-6059. A zoom link will be sent to you an hour before the event. Maryellen Saenger, Aging in Place Coordinator, 914-723-3281; msaenger@sfcinc.org

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, 6 & 7: 3:30pm-5:00pm,
Gr. 8: 3:30pm-4:30pm Zoom
Tuesday, Gr.1, 2, & 4: 3:30pm-5:00pm
Wednesday, Gr.3: 3:30pm-4:30pm Zoom
Sunday, Kindergarten: 9:15am-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
- Ivan Pooran, Vice President
- Agustin Lago, Treasurer
- Maria Dhingra, Secretary

saintpiusparishcouncil@gmail.com

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

Parish Finance Committee

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Agustin Lago

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.

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