

Church of Saint Pius X

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Palm Sunday

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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

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April 10, 2022

April 10 2022 – Palm Sunday

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, APRIL 9

9:00 Ben Acocella, *by the Church of St. Pius X*

5:00 Intentions of Alice Gaskin, *by Gaskin & Da Bramo Families*

SUNDAY, APRIL 10 – PALM SUNDAY

8:00 Anthony Maccarino, *by Ralph Maccarino*

9:15 Marie Teresa & Francisco Scutaro, *by Gaetano & Ines Scutaro*

10:30 Sonia Atienza, *by Mi Mie Dispolo*

12:00 James Hunter, *by Ted O'Lear*

MONDAY, APRIL 11

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

11:30 Laura Hernandez, *by Mary Cocciolillo*

TUESDAY, APRIL 12

8:00 Birthday Intentions of Frank Ingriselli Jr.,

by Mary T. Ingriselli

11:30 Dominic Tambini, *by Nancy Tambini*

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13

8:00 Leonard Ray LaRussa, *by Linda Daigle*

11:30 Rosemary Rossitto, *by Ann Cervoni*

THURSDAY, APRIL 14 – HOLY THURSDAY

8:00pm John Brett Jr., *by Dolores and John Brett*

FRIDAY, APRIL 15 – GOOD FRIDAY

10:00am Stations of the Cross for Children

2:30pm Stations of the Cross

3:00pm Veneration of the Cross

7:30pm Tenebrae

SATURDAY, APRIL 16 – HOLY SATURDAY

8:00pm Mark Neiro, *by Manny & Martha Neiro*

SUNDAY, APRIL 17 – EASTER SUNDAY

8:00 Frank Grodio, *by Ralph Maccarino*

9:15 Occhicone & Pepe Family & Angelo Palmieri,
by Rose Occhicone

10:30 Terese McCabe Cerni, *by Claire & Janet Cerni*

12:00 Dominic Tambini, *by Nancy Tambini*

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.

Checks should be made payable to:

Church of St. Pius X or St. Pius X Church. Second collection checks should also be made payable to the same, not to the name of the collection.

March 2022: \$47,933.70 (\$20,537 from We Share)

February 2022: \$44,652.34 (\$17,369 from We Share)

January 2022: \$33,635.72

Christmas 2021: \$128,537.20 (as of 2/22/22)

December 2021: \$44,545 (\$21,547 from We Share)

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.

Reserving Announced Masses for 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.



April 10 – 16, 2022

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
Thursday: Holy Thursday
Friday: Good Friday
Saturday: Holy Saturday

Saint Magdalen of Canossa's (March 1, 1774 – April 10, 1835), April 10



Wealth and privilege did nothing to prevent today's saint from following her calling to serve Christ in the poor. Nor did the protests of her relatives, concerned that such work was beneath her.

Born in northern Italy in 1774, Magdalen knew her mind—and spoke it. At age 15 she announced she wished to become a nun. After trying out her vocation with the cloistered Carmelites, she realized her desire was to serve the needy without restriction. For years she worked among the poor and sick in hospitals and in their homes, and also among delinquent and abandoned girls.

In her mid-twenties Magdalen began offering lodging to poor girls in her own home. In time she opened a school, which offered practical training and religious instruction. As other women joined her in the work, the new Congregation of the Canossian Daughters of Charity—or Canossian Sisters—emerged. Over time, houses were opened throughout Italy.

Members of the new religious congregation focused on the educational and spiritual needs of women. Magdalen also founded a smaller congregation for priests and brothers. Both groups continue to this day.

Magdalen died in 1835. Pope John Paul II canonized her in 1988.

Reflection

Let us pray to Saint Magdalen for the many young women who are caught up in the sex trafficking epidemic of our day.

Ref: <https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-magdalen-of-canossa/>

Photo: <http://canossianphilippines.blogspot.com/2013/08/love-spirituality-of-st-magdalen-of.html>

Dear Padre

April 10, 2022

How should we dispose of last year's palms?

Every year on Passion Sunday (Palm Sunday), palm branches are handed out and blessed as a powerful reminder of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem.

We keep palm branches for two reasons. First, they symbolize our desire to accompany Christ through Holy Week. Second, they symbolize Jesus' desire to enter our homes and accompany us on our journey as we face our own Good Fridays. Taking the palms home and placing them behind a crucifix or holy picture is a powerful reminder of that.

Many parishes ask their members to bring the palm branches they received the previous year to church on the Sunday before Ash Wednesday. These branches are burned to make the ashes that are distributed on Ash Wednesday. After a time, palm branches get brittle and break easily, so if your church doesn't collect them, it's OK to break the palms up and burn them yourself.

The number of palm branches we have in our homes isn't important. Palms and other articles of devotion such as medals and scapulars don't bring good luck or wealth, and we shouldn't try to use them in that way. We should use them to remind us of the goodness of God and the salvation Christ brings us.

Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSsR

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Passion Sunday 2022, Palm Sunday

Commemoration of the Lord's Entrance into Jerusalem

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke (19: 28-40):

Jesus proceeded on his journey up to Jerusalem.
As he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany
at the place called the Mount of Olives,
he sent two of his disciples.
He said, "Go into the village opposite you,
and as you enter it you will find a colt tethered
on which no one has ever sat.
Untie it and bring it here.
And if anyone should ask you,
'Why are you untying it?' you will answer,
'The Master has need of it.'"
So those who had been sent went off
and found everything just as he had told them.
And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to
them, "Why are you untying this colt?"
They answered, "The Master has need of it."
So they brought it to Jesus,
threw their cloaks over the colt,
and helped Jesus to mount.
As he rode along, the people were spreading their
cloaks on the road; and now as he was approaching the
slope of the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of
his disciples
began to praise God aloud with joy
for all the mighty deeds they had seen.
They proclaimed:
 "Blessed is the king who comes
 in the name of the Lord.
 Peace in heaven
 and glory in the highest."
Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him,
"Teacher, rebuke your disciples."
He said in reply,
"I tell you, if they keep silent,
the stones will cry out!"

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

**A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah.
(50: 4-7)**

The Lord GOD has given me
 a well-trained tongue,
that I might know how to speak to the weary
 a word that will rouse them.
Morning after morning
 he opens my ear that I may hear;
and I have not rebelled,
 have not turned back.
I gave my back to those who beat me,
 my cheeks to those who plucked my beard;
my face I did not shield
 from buffets and spitting.

The Lord GOD is my help,
 therefore I am not disgraced;
I have set my face like flint,
 knowing that I shall not be put to shame

The Word of the Lord. R/ Thanks be to God

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *Psalm* 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24

Our Response is: My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

All who see me scoff at me;
 they mock me with parted lips, they wag their
heads:
"He relied on the LORD; let him deliver him,
 let him rescue him, if he loves him."

R/ My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

Indeed, many dogs surround me,
 a pack of evildoers closes in upon me;
They have pierced my hands and my feet;
 I can count all my bones.

R/ My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

They divide my garments among them,
 and for my vesture they cast lots.

But you, O LORD, be not far from me;
O my help, hasten to aid me.
R/ My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

I will proclaim your name to my brethren;
in the midst of the assembly I will praise you:
“You who fear the LORD, praise him;
all you descendants of Jacob, give glory to him;
revere him, all you descendants of Israel!”
R/ My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

SECOND READING

A reading from the first Letter of St. Paul to the Philippians. (2:6-11)

The Lord GOD has given me
a well-trained tongue,
that I might know how to speak to the weary
a word that will rouse them.
Morning after morning
he opens my ear that I may hear;
and I have not rebelled,
have not turned back.
I gave my back to those who beat me,
my cheeks to those who plucked my beard;
my face I did not shield
from buffets and spitting.

The Lord GOD is my help,
therefore I am not disgraced;
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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Praise to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ, King.

VERSE BEFORE THE GOSPEL Phil 2:8-9

**Christ became obedient to the point of death,
even death on a cross.
Because of this, God greatly exalted him
and bestowed on him the name which is above every
name.**

GOSPEL

**THE PASSION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST
ACCORDING TO LUKE (Year C)**

Speakers in the Passion Narrative are represented by these abbreviations:

N – Narrator ✠ - Christ **V** – Voice **C** - Crowd

N: The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

When the hour came, Jesus took his place at table with the apostles. He said to them,

✠: “I have eagerly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer, for, I tell you, I shall not eat it again until there is fulfillment in the kingdom of God.”

N: Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and said,

✠: “Take this and share it among yourselves; for I tell you that from this time on I shall not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes.”

N: Then he took the bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them saying,

✠: “This is my body, which will be given for you; do this in memory of me.”

N: And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying,

✠: “This cup is the new covenant in my blood, which will be shed for you. “And yet behold, the hand of the one who is to betray me is with me on the table; for the Son of Man indeed goes as it has been determined; but woe to that man by whom he is betrayed.”

N: And they began to debate among themselves who among them would do such a deed. Then an argument broke out among them about which of them should be regarded as the greatest. He said to them,

✠: “The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them and those in authority over them are addressed as “Benefactors; but among you it shall not be so. Rather, let the greatest among you be as the youngest, and the leader as the servant.

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For who is greater: the one seated at table or the one who serves? Is it not the one seated at table? I am among you as the one who serves. It is you who have stood by me in my trials; and I confer a kingdom on you, just as my Father has conferred one on me, that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom; and you will sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

"Simon, Simon, behold Satan has demanded to sift all of you like wheat, but I have prayed that your own faith may not fail; and once you have turned back, you must strengthen your brothers."

V: "Lord, I am prepared to go to prison and to die with you."

✠: "I tell you, Peter, before the cock crows this day, you will deny three times that you know me."

N: He said to them,

✠: "When I sent you forth without a money bag or a sack or sandals, were you in need of anything?"

C: "No, nothing,"

✠: "But now one who has a money bag should take it, and likewise a sack, and one who does not have a sword should sell his cloak and buy one. For I tell you that this Scripture must be fulfilled in me, namely, He was counted among the wicked; and indeed what is written about me is coming to fulfillment."

C: "Lord, look, there are two swords here."

✠: "It is enough!"

N: Then going out, he went, as was his custom, to the Mount of Olives, and the disciples followed him. When he arrived at the place he said to them,

✠: "Pray that you may not undergo the test."

N: After withdrawing about a stone's throw from them and kneeling, he prayed, saying,

✠: "Father, if you are willing, take this cup away from me; still, not my will but yours be done."

N: And to strengthen him an angel from heaven appeared to him. He was in such agony and he prayed so fervently that his sweat became like drops of blood falling on the ground. When he rose from prayer and returned to his disciples, he found them sleeping from grief.

✠: "Why are you sleeping? Get up and pray that you may not undergo the test."

N: While he was still speaking, a crowd approached and in front was one of the Twelve, a man named Judas. He went up to Jesus to kiss him.

✠: "Judas, are you betraying the Son of Man with a kiss?"

N: His disciples realized what was about to happen, and they asked,

C: "Lord, shall we strike with a sword?"

N: And one of them struck the high priest's servant and cut off his right ear. But Jesus said in reply,

✠: "Stop, no more of this!"

N: Then he touched the servant's ear and healed him. And Jesus said to the chief priests and temple guards and elders who had come for him,

✠: "Have you come out as against a robber, with swords and clubs? Day after day I was with you in the temple area, and you did not seize me; but this is your hour, the time for the power of darkness.

N: After arresting him they led him away and took him into the house of the high priest; Peter was following at a distance. They lit a fire in the middle of the courtyard and sat around it, and Peter sat down with them. When a maid saw him seated in the light, she looked intently at him and said,

C: "This man too was with him."

N: But he denied it.

V: "Woman, I do not know him."

N: A short while later someone else saw him and said,

C: **"You too are one of them"**

V: "My friend, I am not."

N: About an hour later, still another insisted,

C: "Assuredly, this man too was with him, for he also is a Galilean."

V: "My Friend, I do not know what you are talking about."

N: Just as he was saying this, the cock crowed, and the Lord turned and looked at Peter; and Peter remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said to him, "Before the cock crows today, you will deny me three times." He went out and began to weep bitterly.

The men who held Jesus in custody were ridiculing and beating him. They blindfolded him and questioned him, saying,

C: **"Prophecy! Who is it that struck you?"**

N: And they reviled him in saying many other things against him. When day came the council of elders of the people met both chief priests and scribes, and they brought him before their Sanhedrin. They said,

C: **"If you are the Christ, tell us,"**

N: But he replied to them,

✠: "If I tell you, you will not believe, and if I question, you will not respond. But from this time on the Son of Man will be seated at the right hand of the power of God."

N: They all asked,

C: "Are you then the Son of God?"

✠: "You say that I am."

N: Then they said,

C: **"What further need have we for testimony? We have heard it from his own mouth."**

N: *Then the whole assembly of them arose and brought him before Pilate. They brought charges against him, saying,

C: **"We found this man misleading our people; he opposes the payment of taxes to Caesar and maintains that he is the Christ, a king."**

N: Pilate asked him,

V: "Are you the king of the Jews?"

✠: "You say so."

N: Pilate then addressed the chief priests and the crowds,

V: "I find this man not guilty."

N: But they were adamant and said,

C: **"He is inciting the people with his teaching through all of Judea, from Galilee where he began even to here."**

N: On hearing this Pilate asked if the man was a Galilean; and upon learning that he was under Herod's jurisdiction, he sent him to Herod who was in Jerusalem at that time. Herod was very glad to see Jesus; he had been wanting to see him for a long time, for he had heard about him and had been hoping to see him perform some sign. He questioned him at length, but he gave him no answer. The chief priests and scribes, meanwhile, stood by accusing him harshly. Herod and his soldiers treated him contemptuously and mocked him, and after clothing him in resplendent garb, he sent him back to Pilate. Herod and Pilate became friends that very day, even though they had been enemies formerly. Pilate then summoned the chief priests, the rulers, and the people and said to them,

V: "You brought this man to me and accused him of inciting the people to revolt. I have conducted my

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investigation in your presence and have not found this man guilty of the charges you have brought against him, nor did Herod, for he sent him back to us. So no capital crime has been committed by him. Therefore I shall have him flogged and then release him."

N: But all together they shouted out,

C: "Away with this man! Release Barabbas to us."

N: Now Barabbas had been imprisoned for a rebellion that had taken place in the city and for murder. Again Pilate addressed them, still wishing to release Jesus, but they continued their shouting,

C: "Crucify him! Crucify him!"

N: Pilate addressed them a third time,

V: "What evil has this man done? I found him guilty of no capital crime. Therefore I shall have him flogged and then release him."

N: With loud shouts, however, they persisted in calling for his crucifixion and their voices prevailed. The verdict of Pilate was that their demand should be granted. So he released the man who had been imprisoned for rebellion and murder, for whom they asked, and he handed Jesus over to them to deal with as they wished.

As they led him away they took hold of a certain Simon, a Cyrenian, who was coming in from the country, and after laying the cross on him, they made him carry it behind Jesus. A large crowd of people followed Jesus, including any women who mourned and lamented him. Jesus turned to them and said,

✠: "Daughters of Jerusalem, do not weep for me; weep instead for yourselves and for your children for indeed, the days are coming when people will say, 'Blessed are the barren, the wombs that never bore and the breasts that never nursed.' At that time people will say to the mountains, 'Fall upon us!' and to the hills, 'Cover us!' for if these things are done when the wood is green what will happen when it is dry?"

N: Now two other, both criminals, were led away with him to be executed. When they came to the place called the Skull, they crucified him and the criminals there, one on his right, the other on his left. Then Jesus said,

✠: "Father, forgive them, they know not what they do."

N: They divided his garments by casting lots. The people stood by and watched; the rulers, meanwhile, sneered at him and said,

C: "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God."

N: Even the soldiers jeered at him. As they approached to offer him wine they called out,

C: "If you are King of the Jews, save yourself."

N: Above him there was an inscription that read, "This is the King of the Jews."

Now one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus saying,

V: "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us."

N: The other, however, rebuking him, said in reply,

V: "Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation? And indeed, we have been condemned justly, for the sentence we received corresponds to our crimes, but this man has done nothing criminal."

N: Then he said,

V: "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom."

✠: "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

N: It was now about noon and darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon because of an eclipse of the sun. Then the veil of the temple was torn down the middle. Jesus cried out in a loud voice.

✠: "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit."

N: And when he had said this, he breathed his last.

Here all kneel and pause for a short time.

The centurion who had witnessed what had happened, glorified God, and said,

V: "This man was innocent beyond doubt."

N: When all the people who had gathered for this spectacle saw what had happened, they returned home beating their breasts; but all his acquaintances stood at a distance, including the women who had followed him from Galilee and saw these events.

Now there was a virtuous and righteous man named Joseph who, though he was a member of the council, had not consented to their plan of action. He came from the Jewish town of Arimathea and was awaiting the kingdom of God. He went to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus.

After he had taken the body down, he wrapped it in a linen cloth and laid him in a rock-hewn tomb in which no one had yet been buried. It was the day of preparation, and the Sabbath was about to begin. The women who had come from Galilee with him followed behind, and when they had seen the tomb and the way in which his body was laid in it, they returned and prepared spices and perfumed oils.

Then they rested on the Sabbath according to the commandment.

N: **THE GOSPEL OF THE LORD.**

All: **PRAISE TO YOU, LORD JESUS CHRIST**



Holy Week and Easter Schedule 2022*

PALM SUNDAY (THE PASSION OF THE LORD)

Saturday, April 9th — 5:00 PM Vigil Mass
Sunday, April 10th — 8:00 AM, 9:15 AM,
10:30 AM (with Procession of Children) & 12:00 PM Masses

RECONCILIATION MONDAY

Monday, April 11th
5:00 to 7:00 PM — Reconciliation (Confession)

HOLY THURSDAY (MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER)

Thursday, April 14th — 8:00 PM
(Adoration of the Altar of Repose after Mass until 11:00 PM)

GOOD FRIDAY (THE PASSION OF THE LORD)

Friday, April 15th
10:00 AM — Way of the Cross for Children
2:30 PM — Stations of the Cross
3:00 PM — Liturgy of the Passion and Death of Our Lord,
Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion
7:30 PM — The Tenebrae
(Liturgy of Shadows: readings, songs, reflections and Holy Communion)

HOLY SATURDAY

Saturday, April 16th
10:00 to 11:00 AM — Reconciliation (Confession)
8:00 PM Easter Vigil Mass
(Liturgies of the Word, Baptism and Eucharist)

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday, April 17th
8:00 AM, 9:15 AM, 10:30 AM (Family Mass)
& 12:00 PM Masses
(Outdoor Easter family event immediately
after 10:30 AM Family Mass on the parish grounds.)

ASCENSION THURSDAY

Thursday, May 26th
Wednesday, May 25th — 5:00 PM Vigil Mass
Thursday, 8:00 AM, 11:30 AM & 7:00 PM Masses

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Sunday, June 5th
Saturday, June 4th — 5:00 PM Vigil Mass
Sunday, 8:00 AM, 9:15 AM,
10:30 AM — Children's Multi-Cultural Mass (with Parade of Nations)
& 12:00 PM — Multi-Cultural Mass (with Saint Pius X Choir)
Multi-Cultural Pot-luck Luncheon follows after the 12 PM Mass

*In attending services, please see the updated COVID 19 Safety Protocols.
Registration is not required and will be on a first come, first serve basis.
We suggest that you arrive at least 15 minutes before the service so that
you can sit in your preferred seats.*



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

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

Shirley Jean Radcliffe Dolan

(Mother of Cardinal Timothy Dolan)

Anthony Biancardi





Eduardo Bilanes


(Father of Elinore Guerrero)

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



April 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 • 	2 Gr. 5 & Gr. 6 Bake Sale after 5pm Mass
					Teen Boutique 3/19-4/4 Lenten Food Drive	
3 RE KDG First Communion Family Sacrament Day, after 10:30am Mass Gr.5&6 Bake Sale	4 • RE in Session Gr.7&8, Lifting Up Westchester Community Service	5 • RE in Session † Stations of the Cross, 7:30pm	6 • RE in Session Confirmation Interview with Father Sebastian, via zoom	7 • Musical Chair Yoga Thursdays, 10:30am	8 • 	9
10 NO RE KDG Palm Sunday Procession of Children, 10:30am	11 • NO RE Spring Break RECONCILIATION MONDAY , 5-7pm Parish Council Meeting, 8pm	12 • NO RE Spring Break	13 • NO RE Spring Break	14 • HOLY THURSDAY See page 4 for Holy Week Schedule No Bible Study	15 •  HOLY FRIDAY See page 4 for Holy Week Schedule	16 HOLY SATURDAY See page 4 for Holy Week Schedule
17 EASTER SUNDAY Masses: 8am, 9:15am 10:30am & 12:00pm Easter Egg Hunt after 10:30am Mass NO RE KDG	18 • NO RE Easter Monday Parish Office Closed	19 • RE in Session Confirmation Interview with Father Sebastian, via zoom	20 • RE in Session Confirmation Interview with Father Sebastian, via zoom	21 •	22 •	23 In-person recitation of prayers with Fr. Sebastian, for Confirmation Candidates MOVE With Purpose, 10am-12pm
24 RE KDG Birthday Blessings, 10:30am Mass YM Meals on Wheels	25 • RE in Session Widows and Widowers Mass and Meeting, 7pm	26 • RE in Session Gold Books and Banners due	27 • RE in Session	28 •	29 •	30

 Persons 14+ years must abstain from meat.
• Rosary after 11:30am

Parish Announcements

Parish Council Meeting

This month's Parish Council meeting has been postponed to April 11 at 8:00pm. This time the meeting will be both in the Parish pavilion and online and we will discuss upcoming events and ministries.

To Join the Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88988690595?pwd=NFRaRjQxM3U0cGhZa085QW9GYTVKZz09>

PW: Council

Meeting ID: 889 8869 0595



Join the Church of St. Pius X for our MOVE With Purpose Event!

April 23rd 10am-12pm

Our Parish is built on faith, community, and service. In these challenging times for so many, we want to continue to find new

ways to support local organizations on their journey to spread love and hope. Let's use the inspiration, hope and light of the Easter season to come together and support an amazing non-profit. This year, all proceeds will benefit [RAISE Your Hearts](#). RAISE Your Hearts provides compassionate bereavement care and well-being programs for every family member that has experienced child loss. RAISE Your Hearts aims to connect grieving Parents, Grandparents, Siblings, Aunts, Uncles, Cousins, and Allies to a community platform based on the child's age and their relationship to the child. We create partnerships with allies such as healthcare providers, other charitable organizations focused on child loss, and retailers focused on self-care and well-being. Donations over \$200 will receive a specially designed tote bag! Even if you don't want to participate in a class, come and enjoy a beautiful day of community and support. Check out our event website by scanning the QR code or visiting: <https://runsignup.com/Race/NY/Scarsdale/SPXMoveWithPurpose>



GIVEN RECENT CDC GUIDANCE, THE ST. PIUS X SAFETY COMMITTEE HAS ADJUSTED PROTOCOLS AS FOLLOWS:

All Masses, Saturday 5pm and Sunday 8am, 9:15am, 10:30am, and 12pm will be with the right side of the Church as face mask optional for vaccinated people and cords removed; the left side will be face masks required and pew cords up. Thank you very much for your understanding and cooperation!



It's Tax Time!

For tax purposes, you should have received a copy of your donations to the Church of St.

Pius X. In case the recorded amount does not match your contributions, kindly call Elizabeth, our parish secretary, or Father Raymond so we can issue you an amended letter of donations. Again, we thank you for your unfailing support to our church and its ministries.

St. Pius X Youth Ministry Pizza Night

Saturday April 23, 2022 from 6:30pm to 8:30pm

Please join us for pizza and get to know your fellow youth ministry members. We will also be making crafts for the Blythedale Children's Hospital in Valhalla. There will be a surprise raffle! Scan the QR code for a link to the sign up page.



Palm Sunday, The Passion of the Lord Procession with Children

April 10, 2022 at 10:30am

In commemoration of the Lord's entrance into Jerusalem, the Priest and children of the Parish will walk in procession from the back of the Church to the Altar at the beginning of the Mass holding Palm branches. We ask that all children arrive by 10:15am and gather in the school lobby. The homily for children will take place immediately after the procession.



Easter Flower Donations

Remember a loved one at our Altar during Easter with a lily plant. Please complete the form below, 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. Thank you!

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Ministry Service

LENTEN FOOD DRIVE



This is the last weekend for the special Lenten Food Drive. The results have been amazing! Please note that our Food Pantry is active ALL YEAR and your continued donations are always appreciated.

If you are unable to shop or carry in groceries, a check of any size may be made out to Church of St. Pius X with a notation in the memo section that says "Food Drive." Checks should be mailed to:

Church of St. Pius X
Attn: Elizabeth Pirinea, Parish Secretary
91 Secor Road, Scarsdale, NY 10583

Thank you for your continued generosity!
Dolores Brett, Food Pantry Coordinator, dbrett9@gmail.com.



Altar Servers Ministry 2022

Altar Servers are central to the life of the Saint Pius X Family. We would like to invite you to become part of our Altar Server Ministry. As an Altar Server, you have the very important role of assisting our Priests during the Masses.

We would love to have you as an Altar Server. We will have the Altar Server Training by appointment. Please sign up on the link below for training date and indicate masstime preferred:

Saturday - 5:00pm Mass

Sunday - 8:00am, 9:15am, 10:30am, 12:00pm Mass

You may contact Fr. Raymond or Ellen of the Religious Education Office by phone (914) 472-5594 or email: stpiusxreled@yahoo.com.



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St. Pius X's goal is **\$110,000.00**

Figures below as of 3/4/22.

Pledge:	\$17,145	Paid:	\$14,165.00
# of Gifts:	23	Average Gift:	\$745.43

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Religious Education

IMPORTANT DATES & INFO:

4/6,19,20 Confirmation Interview with Father Sebastian via zoom

4/23 In-person recitation of the Nicene Creed, Act of Contritions and Ten Comandments with Father Sebastian

PLEASE BRING SCREENING FORM TO CLASS:

<https://files.constantcontact.com/43255709201/3d8c09c1-7e5c-46b5-9f29-9364dbe07aab.pdf>



Church of Saint Pius X Lenten Food Drive

Many thanks to all who continue to contribute to our Lenten Food Drive – always committed to Families in need. The kids were great about bringing up food during the Offertory at 10:30am Mass each Sunday during Lent.



Thank you to all who attended and helped at Mass this weekend including those pictured below:

At the 5pm Mass, Gifts- Levendo Family – Chris, Nicole, Emily, Alexis, and Evan. We are thankful for new Families who consider joining our Parish community. At the 10:30 am Mass, Gift bearers- Haftl Family.



5th and 6th Grade Ministry Sunday, March 27th



Light Up the Night 2022





Couples celebrating their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2022 are invited to attend the Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at St. Patrick's Cathedral on

Sunday, June 5 at 2:30 PM. Each couple may bring up to four (4) additional guests. Couples will be notified if the seating capacity changes and more tickets become available. Pre-registration is required. Please contact your parish to register. **The closing date to register for the Mass is Monday, May 16, 2022 at 5:00 PM**

Senior Citizens Chess Club Every other Saturday, join the Scarsdale Public Library in Person for Senior Chess Day! **4/9, 4/23 Bi weekly Saturdays 3:00pm to 4:00pm** Walk ins welcome!

2022 Spring Open house for 6th and 7th grade students. **Fordham Preparatory School** will welcome families back to the Rose Hill campus for **Spring Open House on Wednesday, April 27 from 6:00 to 8:00PM**. This event is designed to give prospective families an opportunity to learn more about our academic and co-curricular programs and provide insight into our admissions process. Prospective families will hear directly from current students, faculty and administrators about the unique aspects of Jesuit Education and the Fordham Prep experience. Online registration is required in advance of the event. A link to register is available on our Visit Us section of our website: fordhamprep.org/admissions/how-to-visit.

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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

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.

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- Ivan Pooran, Vice President
- Agustin Lago, Treasurer
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The Parish Council meets the first Monday of the month at 8:00 pm (Except for January, July & August).

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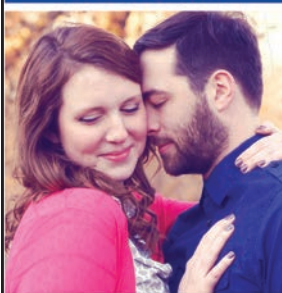


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