

# Church of Saint Pius X

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### MASS SCHEDULE:

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

8:00 AM & 11:30 AM – In-Person & Livestream Mass  
[11:30 AM Mass Suspended in July & August]

#### **Saturday**

9:00 AM – In-Person & Livestream Mass  
[Suspended in July & August]

#### **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) &  
12 Noon – In-Person & Livestream Mass

**Reconciliation:** By appointment only on Saturdays  
4:00-4:30 PM

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

After the 11:30 AM Mass

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

Pastor

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March 22, 2026

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## March 22, 2026 – 5th Sunday of Lent

### Mass Intentions

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 21**

9:00 Robert Gillin, *by the Gillin Families*  
5:00 Thomas J. Hickey, *by Franca Capicotto*

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 22 – 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT**

8:00 Sabino Mazzilli, *by the Piccirilli Family*  
9:15 Francisco Ros & Juana Li de Ros, *by Liliana Chin*  
10:30 Vito & Millie Lacerenza, *by the Lacerenza Family*  
12:00 Delia Damiano, *by Mr. & Mrs. Antonio Labriola*

#### **MONDAY, MARCH 23 – St. Turbicus of Mogrovejo**

8:00 Adam Roman, *by Thomas & Jenny Masotto*  
11:30 Occhicone & Pepe Deceased Family members,  
*by the Occhicone Family*

#### **TUESDAY, MARCH 24 – St. Oscar Romero**

8:00 Helen B., Luther R., & Deacon William J. Hill  
11:30 Josephine Bucello, *by Church of St. Pius X*

#### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25 – THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD**

8:00 Fernando David, *by Lorna David*  
11:30 Mary Ellen Molloy, *by the Cashman Family*

#### **THURSDAY, MARCH 26**

8:00 Kieran Stenson, *by Mary Anne Doherty*  
11:30 Ignazio & Maria Percivalli, *by Ann Cervoni*

#### **FRIDAY, MARCH 27**

8:00 Mike Talty (Healing Mass), *by Dawn Doherty*  
11:30 Ronald J. Filardo, *by Lucille Filardo*

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 28**

9:00 Josefa Olivares, *by the Sison Family*  
5:00 Paul Koors, *by Pat & Paul Koors*  
Michael Benoit, *by Andrea Seltzer*  
Dorothea O'Connor, *by Church of St. Pius X*  
Lieve Soetaert & Greta Soetaert, *by Church of St. Pius X*

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 29 – PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD**

8:00 Guy Riccardi, *by Kathy Riccardi*  
9:15 Nicola S. Brusco, *by Bob & Kathy Cripps*  
10:30 Joan Eigo, *by Ines Scutaro*  
12:00 Louis & Domenica Cervoni, *by Ann Cervoni*  
Jim Pratt, *by Marina Cardillo Pratt*  
Romulo Panzo, *by the Lumbao Family*  
Francine Ferrara, *by Antonio & Grace LaBriola*

### 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

**February 2026: \$48,969.71 (WeShare \$19,873.00)**

**February 2025: \$45,558.19**

As of October 2025 we have 938 Registered parishioners, 497 Families receiving envelopes, and 108 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.



#### **Special Collection Dates for 2026**

Pontifical Good Friday for the Holy Land (Pro Terra Sancta).....	April 3
Aid to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe.....	May 3
Church in Latin America .....	June 14
Catholic Missions Among Black and Indian People .....	July 12
Pastoral Solidarity Fund for Church in Africa .....	August 9
Missionary Cooperative Propagation of the Faith .....	September 6
St. Joseph's Seminary.....	September 27
World Mission Sunday.....	October 18
Support Mission Church in the Philippines .....	November 8
Catholic Charities .....	November 22
Collection for Retired Religious.....	December 13



#### **An Easter Gift for Your Parish**

Your Easter gifts historically comprise a significant percentage of the parish's revenue and, along with your regular weekly offertory gifts, are critical to our parish's ability to balance its annual budget. The vibrancy of our parish is dependent on your continued support. Thank you!



## CHURCH OF ST. PIUS X LENT 2026

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS DEVOTION

Embark on a meaningful journey every Friday at 7:15 PM:

- March 27th—Mary's Way of the Cross (The Passion experienced by Mary)

### ROSARY DEVOTION

Engage in daily prayer Monday to Friday after the 11:30 AM Mass.

### OCIA SCRUTINIES DURING LENT

Please keep our Elect in your prayers as they celebrate the Scrutinies:

March 22, 2026—5:00 PM Mass (5th Sunday of Lent)

The Scrutinies are an important step in the OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) as they prepare to receive the Sacraments of Initiation at Easter.

### LENT: More Than Penance

To think of Lent only as a time of penance is to do it an injustice.

While the traditional practice of "doing something" for Lent is praiseworthy, there is much more to this wonderful season than just additional practices of piety or acts of penance and mortification. In Lent the Church calls us to metanoia.



...That word, *metanoia*, connotes a change of mind and heart, altering one's mind-set toward whole new ways of thinking and acting. This involves taking a look at where we are and trying to see where we ought to be. It involves testing our values and discerning how they stack up against the values that Jesus offers his followers. Fortunately, metanoia is not something we have to do all by ourselves. God's word gives us a lot of help in the process, as does the example of our brothers and sisters in the Lord who are engaged, during these weeks, in the same exercise. ...The [readings] for the first three weeks [of Lent] have to do almost exclusively with change of heart: what it means and what it involves. They present the classic motifs of Lent: prayer, care for our neighbor, repentance for our sinfulness.

The fourth and fifth weeks [readings] deal at first with the basics of Jesus' mission and thus further outline the change of heart that is required of us while, at the same time, teaching us about what [we] are to seek from him in Baptism.

*Excerpt taken from Lenten Lunches: Reflections on the Weekday Readings for Lent and Easter Week by Most Reverend Daniel E. Pilarczyk on americancatholic.org*

## Holy Week and Easter Schedule 2026

### PALM SUNDAY (THE PASSION OF THE LORD)

Saturday, March 28th — 5:00 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday, March 29th — 8:00 AM, 9:15 AM,  
10:30 AM (with Procession of Children) & 12:00 PM Masses

**RECONCILIATION MONDAY** — Monday, March 30th  
2:00 PM-4:00 PM and 6:00 PM-8:00 PM (Confession in Main Church)

### HOLY THURSDAY (MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER)

Thursday, April 2nd — 7:30 PM

(Adoration of the Altar of Repose after Mass until 11:00 PM)

**GOOD FRIDAY (THE PASSION OF THE LORD)** — Friday, April 3rd

11:30 AM — Living Stations 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 4th

10:00 to 11:00 AM — Confession in the Main Church

8:00 PM Easter Vigil Mass

(Liturgies of the Word, Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist)

**EASTER SUNDAY** — Sunday, April 5th

8:00 AM, 9:15 AM, 10:30 AM\* (Family Mass) & 12:15 PM Masses

\*When the 10:30 am Mass has reached maximum capacity in the Main Church, parishioners will be escorted to the Parish Hall to view the Mass. Children in the Parish Hall will be escorted to and from the Main Church for the homily.

(Outdoor Easter family event on the parish grounds immediately after 10:30 AM Family Mass.)

### ASCENSION THURSDAY

Wednesday, May 13th - 4:00 PM Vigil Mass

Thursday, May 14th - 8:00 AM and 11:30 AM Masses

### COMMUNAL ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Sunday, May 17th, 12:00 PM Mass

**PENTECOST SUNDAY** — Sunday, May 24th

Saturday, May 23rd — 5:00 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday, May 24th 8:00 AM, 9:15 AM,  
10:30 AM — Children's Multi-Cultural Mass (with Parade of Nations)  
& 12:00 PM — Multi-Cultural Mass

Multi-Cultural Pot-luck Luncheon follows after the 12:00 PM Mass

Seating for all Holy Week and Easter Liturgies will be on a first come, first served basis.

**St. Patrick's Luncheon:** An overflow crowd came together for the St. Patrick's Luncheon ready to eat delicious food and to enjoy camaraderie and entertainment. Many thanks to Pauline O'Hanlon for again handling all the cooking details for the large crowd. Her corned beef is famous and we had to turn people away. Our cute Irish dancers were Caitlyn and Tara Hunt and their friend Mary Kate and the guests loved them! Thanks to Mary Ann Amodio for her generosity in supplying our beautiful centerpieces.



**Children's choir performance at the 10:30am Mass:**



Scan this QR code to view or download these and more photos from our photo gallery!

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**Masses March 15:** From top, L to R: 10:30am Mass Bulletin Ushers Joey O'Connor, William Robinson and Charlie Riordan; 12:00pm Mass Lector Lauren Hunter with Altar Server Arinze Offurum; 10:30am Mass Father Sebastian with Nick Caiazzo—first time to serve; Gift Offerers Amy Ordone and Lily Gamoso; 5:00pm Mass Lector Chad Wilson with Altar Server Ian Stujenske; Basket Collection Ushers Valentina and Viggo Urias, Emily and Tom Miller and William To; 10:30am Mass Lector Mark Gonzales with Altar Servers Tommy, Joey and Nick Caiazzo and Genevieve To.



**Metropolitan Trombone Quartet, held on Sunday, March 15 at 1:00pm**



**1st graders celebrating St. Patrick's Day**



Thank you all for the generous donations, especially the Davidson Family for giving \$200, to the 5th and 6th Grade St. Patrick's Bake Sale. We raised \$1,960. Proceeds will be used for St. Bartholomew's Soup Kitchen attendees in White Plains with the purchase of socks and gloves and to the Westchester County Department of Corrections in Valhalla, NY to purchase soft-covered Bibles for inmates.





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

Ida Agliardo	Susan Payne
Joan Coviello	Vincent Raffaele
Patrick Hannon	Joseph Sayegh
Maureen Hickey	Gina Smith
Eileen Hubener	Roberta White

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

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

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



*"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*  
**Join us for the praying of the Rosary, weekdays after the 11:30am Mass.**

## March 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 <b>RE in Session</b> Gr. 6 Ministry Sunday, 10:30 Mass Choir Rehearsal, 11:25am	2 <b>RE in Session</b> Gr. 8 Reconciliation ✠ Gr. 5 Stations & Safe Environment Class Parish Council Meeting, 8pm	3 <b>RE in Session</b> Gr. 3 Reconciliation Gr. 2 First Reconciliation Practice/Music Practice Children's Choir, 5pm	4 Peer Bereavement Group, 6:30–8pm Journey Through Lent Retreat, 7–8pm	5 OCIA Teen Program Class, 3:30–4:30 pm Festival Choir Rehearsal, 7:30–9:30pm	6 ✠ Stations, 7–8pm	7 2nd Grade First Reconciliation Day, 10:00 am Choir Rehearsal, 4pm
<p>Early Bird Special RE Registration w \$50 Discount</p> <p>Lenten Food Drive Feb. 18 – Palm Sunday, Mar. 29</p>						
8 <b>RE in Session</b> Gr. 8 Soup Kitchen, 9–11am	9 <b>RE in Session</b> Gr. 8 Confirmation Discussion w Fr. Sebastian, 3pm/4pm	10 <b>RE in Session</b> Gr. 8 Confirmation Discussion w Fr. Sebastian, 3pm/4pm ✠ Gr. 3 Stations Children's Choir, 5pm	11 St Patrick's Day Luncheon, 12:30–3pm Journey Through Lent Retreat, 7–8pm Festival Choir Rehearsal, 7:30–9:30pm	12 Men's Ministry (Zoom), 7–8pm	13 ✠ Stations, 7–8pm	14 Gr. 5 & 6 St. Patrick's Bake Sale, 5pm Mass
15 <b>RE in Session</b> Gr. 5 & 6 St. Patrick's Bake Sale, all Masses Birthday Blessing & Children's Choir 1st Communion Family Sac. Day, after 10:30 Mass	16 <b>RE in Session</b> Gr. 5 Ministry Sunday Practice Gr. 8 Service Booklets (Bring to class for evaluation)	17 <b>NO RE</b> <b>St Patrick's Day</b> – No RE/Office Closed	18 Journey Through Lent Retreat, 7–8pm	19 Light Up The night, 7:30–8:30pm Festival Choir Rehearsal, 7:30–9:30pm	20 ✠ Stations, 7–8pm	21 One Day Couple's Summit: Men's Ministry, 9am–4pm Bingo at Cabrini: Gr. 5 & 6 Community Service, 2-3:30pm Spring Basket: Gr. 7 Community Service, 10am–1pm
<p>Early Bird Special RE Registration w \$25 Discount</p>						
22 <b>No Kindergarten</b> YM St. Bart's Soup Kitchen, 9–11:30am Gr. 5 Ministry Sunday Confirmation Family Sacrament Day, after 12noon Mass	23 <b>RE in Session</b> ✠ Gr. 7 Stations 3/23-24: Confirmation Candidates' In-Person Recitation of the Nicene Creed, Act of Contrition and Ten Commandments.	24 <b>RE in Session</b> ✠ Gr. 4 Stations Gr. 1 Music Practice Children's Choir, 5pm	25 Journey Through Lent Retreat, 7–8pm	26 Festival Choir Rehearsal, 7:30pm	27 ✠ Stations, 7–8pm	28 Men's Ministry Meeting, 7:15–8:15am Choir Rehearsal, 4pm
29 <b>PALM SUNDAY</b> <b>NO RE</b> <b>Spring Break</b> Children's Procession & Choir, 10:30 Mass	30 <b>NO RE</b> <b>Spring Break</b>	31 <b>NO RE</b> <b>Spring Break</b>	<p>Calendar Key:  Persons 14+ years must abstain from meat.  Choir will sing at 5pm or noon Mass.</p>			

# Parish Announcements

The Saint Pius X Parish family welcomes the newly baptized

**Andrew Battistoni Nemchenko**  
child of Alicia Rodriguez Battistoni  
and Roman Oleksiy Nemchenko



### Sunday Collection Envelopes

We have been notified by Cathedral Corp., the producer of our Sunday collection envelopes, that their production difficulties continue. As a result, your next package of envelopes may be delayed. Please use the temporary envelopes provided in the Narthex, and be sure to include your parishioner number on the envelope or on your check. Thank you for your support of our parish.



**Congratulations to our winners!**

**3/22/26**

Cheryl Cummins \$100  
Richard Vaccariello \$50  
Melissa Laudano \$25

**TAX TIME!**

We apologize for the inconvenience. If you have not received your tax statement from DP Murphy, our reporting partners, and would like your annual contribution total please call the Parish Office (914) 725-2755. Thank you for your unfailing support to our church and ministries.



## LENTEN FOOD DRIVE

Our Lenten Food Drive serves so many needy, working-poor families at the merged parishes of St. Peter's and St. Denis' in Yonkers. Paper grocery bags and food lists are on the tables in the Narthex. Please return with your donations to the Food Pantry closets.

If you are unable to shop for or carry in groceries, a check may be made out to **Church of St. Pius X**. Please note in the memo section that this is for the Lenten Food Collection.

### Lenten Food Drive at the 10:30am Family Mass

As part of our Lenten observance, we will invite the children of our Parish to approach the Altar during the Offertory at the 10:30 a.m. Family Mass each Sunday during Lent (beginning March 1 – 29, 2026).

### Bereavement Support Group Spring 2026

Are you grieving the loss of a loved one? The Church of St. Pius X is offering a six session, scripture-based series for those in mourning.

**The Spring 2026 series begins on Wednesday, May 13, and will meet for six consecutive weeks through June 17, 6:30– 8:00 pm. Deadline to register is May 6.**

To sign up for the program, please scan the QR code or register through the following link:  
<https://tinyurl.com/muuvp2h2>



## Easter Flower Donations

If you would like to 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!**



In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(please print legibly)*

\_\_\_\_\_

Donated by: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

# Ministry Outreach



## SHARING GOD'S GIFTS

"The Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry & the University Apostolate has been such a blessing to our parishes and universities. Our youth and young adults are hungry for Jesus, Catholic friendships and sharing Christ's Gospel. Our pastoral office has helped to create young communities and connect them to our parishes. While visiting dozens of our parishes this past year, I have seen first-hand the importance of establishing and investing in our youth & young adult ministries. Our ministries are setting a fire in the hearts of our youth who with time and formation, bring fresh ideas for evangelization, and lots of joy to our parishes."

- Pjetër Nilaj, Coordinator of Youth & Young Adult Ministry & University Apostolate

The Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry & the University Apostolate is one of the many programs that play a vital role in the mission of the archdiocese, and your gift makes their good works possible.



## St. Pius X's goal is \$109,800

Figures below as of 3/3/26

Pledge: \$17,895.00      Total Paid: \$12,245.00  
No. of Gifts: 22      Average Gift: \$813.41

### PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER YOUR GIFT

If you plan to support the Appeal, we encourage you to place your donation in the collection basket or bring it to the rectory, and we will forward it to the Archdiocese. This helps ensure that St. Pius X Parish receives proper credit for your generous gift.

If you have already sent your donation directly by mail, please let us know so the parish may be properly credited.

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

To make a gift, scan the QR code, visit [cardinalsappeal.org](http://cardinalsappeal.org) or call **646-794-3300** today. Thank you for your consideration and for being loving and generous stewards of our archdiocese and its mission. God bless.



SPX Phoebe Circle invites all women parishioners to



## JOURNEY THROUGH LENT

Join us for a six-week Lenten retreat, meeting weekly for prayer, reflection, and faith-sharing as we journey together toward Easter.

**Wednesday, March 25 at 7:00pm**

Sessions will be in person in the Parish Pavilion, and on ZOOM — link and all material for every session will be shared by email.

Join for as many weeks as you are able and comfortable. Help guide our parish's Lenten journey by facilitating a session.

To participate, please sign up by visiting the link below, or scan the QR code.

To facilitate a session and for any information, please email [spxphobecircle@gmail.com](mailto:spxphobecircle@gmail.com).



<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084BA4AB2DABFC1-62250536-journey>

### In the neighborhood...

#### How am I doing on my Grief Pilgrimage?

Join Gae Savino LCSW, Certified Death, Dying, Bereavement Counselor for an interactive session that explores how one's grief journey is a unique and individual experience. The concept that grief goes through Kubler Ross's 5-stage journey will be dispelled. Gae will share the Dual Process Model of Mourning and The Tasks of Mourning Model to answer the question, "How am I doing on my Grief Pilgrimage"?

Join Gae on March 31, 2026 at 6:30 at Holy Name of Jesus Parish, 2 Broadway, Valhalla, NY, to hear her presentation. All are welcome. Please register at [bereavement@holynameofjesuschurch.org](mailto:bereavement@holynameofjesuschurch.org).

# Religious Education

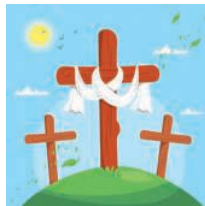
## IMPORTANT DATES & INFO:

- 3/22 No Kindergarten Class  
Gr. 5 Ministry Sunday, 10:30am Mass  
Confirmation Family Sacrament Day,  
after 12noon Mass
- 3/23-24 Confirmation Candidates' In-Person  
Recitation of the Nicene Creed, Act of  
Contrition and Ten Commandments, 3–5pm
- 3/23 7th Grade Stations of the Cross
- 3/24 4th Grade Stations of the Cross  
1st Grade Ministry Sunday Music Practice  
Children's Choir
- 3/29 Children's Procession, 10:30am Mass  
Children's Choir Performance, 10:30am Mass

**7TH GRADE RETREAT** has been rescheduled and will now take place on April 13.

**FIRST COMMUNION RETREAT** has been rescheduled and will now take place on April 18.

## Children's Stations of the Cross – Living Liturgy Good Friday, April 3, 2026 at 11:30am



### Rehearsals:

Thursday, April 2, 2026, 9:30am – 3pm\*  
Friday, April 3, 2026, 9:30am – 11:30am

\*Pizza lunch will be served with breaks throughout the day

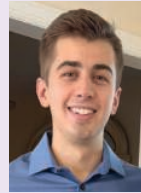
Children in grades 1–7 may participate in the inaugural St. Pius X Living Stations of the Cross on Good Friday. This special event will bring the story of Jesus's Passion to life through simple acting, narration, song and prayer. No speaking parts are required (unless desired) and all participants will be guided and rehearsed in advance.

Please sign up using the QR code if your child would like to take part. If you would like to volunteer to help during rehearsals, please contact Laurel Durkay via email at [laureldurkay@gmail.com](mailto:laureldurkay@gmail.com) or text 646-320-5941.



## Saint Pius X Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA)

Please pray for the following OCIA participants who will receive the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil. Please join us in praying for them as they enter into full communion with our Catholic faith: **Brendan Scott Martin** and **Dominique Michelle Corveddu**.



**Meet Brendan:** Brendan currently lives in Suffolk County, Long Island, but plans to move to the Westchester area at the start of 2027. He works as a Financial Analyst in Brooklyn. His faith journey to this point was inspired by his late great-grandmother, grandmother and fiancée, with a desire to grow closer to God. Although he grew up in a household that did not prioritize religion, he felt a calling to become more Catholic and get involved here at St. Pius X. He has enjoyed learning about the Holy Trinity, as well as the qualities and characteristics to prioritize with our faith during his OCIA sessions. He is seeking the Sacrament of Confirmation and Eucharist to strengthen his relationship with God and to serve our community more deeply. He asks for your prayers as he takes this next step.

## Confirmation Candidates' In-Person Recitation of the Nicene Creed, Act of Contrition and Ten Commandments

The in-person recitation of these prayers with Father Sebastian will take place on the dates listed below. Kindly bring your **Mass Attendance Booklet** and **Community Service Booklet** at the time of your in-person recitation.

- Monday, March 23, 3-5pm (Religious Education class day)
- Tuesday, March 24, 3-5pm (Sign-ups only)

Scan the QR or Visit <https://tinyurl.com/5adf45sx> to sign up.



Call back for those who did not complete the Recitation:

- Monday, April 20, 3:30pm (Religious Education class day)

## Candies for Easter Egg Hunt

Starting March 10th, we kindly ask each student from **1st to 4th grade** to bring in individually wrapped candies to the Religious Education Office. Please make sure they are **peanut-free** and do not have any peanut contamination (such as peanut oil). Safe options include Hershey's Kisses (plain), Smarties, or jelly beans. Thank you so much for your support!

# Prayer Opportunities

## Celebrating and Remembering Loved Ones

In addition to offering a mass intention for your loved ones or to celebrate special occasions, we are pleased to provide you with additional opportunities.

### Communion Eucharist and Wine Offering

The Communion Eucharist and Wine will be offered in the name of your loved one for one week, and your intention will be listed in the weekly bulletin. (\$50.00)



### Altar Flower Offering

The Altar Flower Offering is a beautiful way to remember, honor or give thanks for loved ones. Parishioners are invited to offer flowers in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a birthday, anniversary, baptism, or another special occasion. Flowers are used during Masses and remain on the altar all week. Dedications for altar flowers will be listed in the weekly bulletin.



- Flowers in front of Altar (12 Apostles).....\$375/\$400
- Flowers in front of Crucifix.....\$275/\$325
- At the Tabernacle..... \$175/\$225/\$275
- At the Easter Candle (during Easter Season)..... \$100
- Statue of Mary..... \$100/\$125/\$175
- Statue of Joseph..... \$100/\$125/\$175

Please use the QR Code or call the parish office (914-725-2755) for assistance.



## Parish Intention Book

Now available in Mary's Chapel



All are warmly invited to write their prayer intentions and the names of loved ones they wish our parish community to remember in prayer. These intentions will be held in our daily prayers and remembered at Mass. *(Please note: this book is for prayer intentions only, not for scheduling Mass intentions.)* Let us continue to carry one another in prayer and entrust our hearts to the Lord through the loving intercession of Mary.

## 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 Friday 9:30am – 2:30pm  
Saturday 9:00am – 2:00pm

### The Sacraments

#### Baptism:

Arrangements made by both parents with a priest.

#### Reconciliation - Penance

By appointment on Saturday 4:00 to 4:30 PM.

#### Holy Matrimony:

Arrangements should be made with a priest 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 & 8:** 3:30pm-4:30pm,  
**Tuesday, Gr. 1, 2, 3 & 4:** 3:30pm-5:00pm  
**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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