

# Church of Saint Pius X

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## MASS SCHEDULE:

### Daily Masses (Monday to Friday)

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

### Saturday

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

### Saturday Vigil Mass

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

### Sunday Mass

8:00AM – In-Person Only, no music  
9:15 AM, 10:30 AM (Family Mass/Children's Homily) & 12noon  
In-Person & Livestream Mass  
(Registration Required for In-Person)

## DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION (OUTDOOR)

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

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

**Adoration:** Temporarily cancelled

**Reconciliation:** By appointment only

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

**Reverend Raymond Vijandre, A.M.**  
Parochial Vicar

**Salesians of Don Bosco of New Rochelle**  
Weekend Associate

**Trustees:** Christopher Saenger and Nicholas Brusco

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January 31, 2021

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## January 31 – Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Mass Intentions

#### **SATURDAY, JANUARY 30**

9:00 Sylvia Palumbo, *by Cheryl Weiner*

5:00 Dr. Amelia Antonio, *by the Antonio & Lumicao Families*

#### **SUNDAY, JANUARY 31 – 4TH SUNDAY IN O.T.**

8:00 Joan Bushey, *by Peter & Patti Gordon*

9:15 Deacon Ted Gaskin, *by Ann Cervoni*

10:30 Deacon Ted Gaskin, *by the Legion of Mary*

12:00 Fulvio Prencis, *by Gaetano and Ines Scutaro*

#### **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1**

8:00 Birthday Intentions of Olympia Moy, *by Mary T. Ingriselli*

11:30 Orazio Perticone, *by Greg Pizzitola & Karen Piaggione*

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2 – Presentation of the Lord**

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

11:30 Deacon Ted Gaskin, *by Alan & Rena Steinfeld*

#### **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3 – St. Blaise, St. Ansgar**

8:00 Fulvia Pepe, *by Rose Occhicone*

11:30 Mary & Frank Gianalone, *by Jeanette Cival*

#### **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4**

8:00 In Memory of Maria Sacchet, *by the Campanile Estate*

11:30 Paul Braun, *by Nancy Tambini*

#### **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5 – St. Agatha**

8:00 Birthday Intentions of Kelsey Ingriselli, *by Mary T. Ingriselli*

11:30 Brian Lilly, Jr., *by Dolores & John Brett*

#### **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6 – St. Paul Miki & Comp.**

9:00 Deacon Ted Gaskin, *by the Legion of Mary*

5:00 Gertrude Braun, *by Nancy Tambini*

#### **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7 – 5TH SUNDAY IN O.T.**

8:00 Ralph Belotti, *by Dino, Luisa & Marco Pompa*

9:15 Michele Occhicone & Dr. Fabian Sy, *by Rose Occhicone*

10:30 Pietro Zullo, *by Michael Zullo*

12:00 San Biagio & San Rocco, *by Berenice Pompa*

#### **Reserving Announced Masses for 2021**

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



### 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.**

**December:** \$64,963.26 (\$26,539 from WeShare)

**November:** \$49,689.38 (\$15,451 from WeShare)

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

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

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

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

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

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

888 Registered parishioners, 731 Families receiving envelopes

Ways you can give:

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

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

#### **Special Collection Dates for 2021**

Peter's Pence for the Works of the Holy Father	February 14
Catholic Relief Services	March 14
Pontifical Good Friday for the Holy Land	April 2
Aid to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe	May 16
Church in Latin America and	
Catholic Home Missions Appeal (Combined)	June 13
Catholic Missions Among Black and Indian People	July 11
Pastoral Solidarity for the Church in Africa	August 8
St. Joseph's Seminary Appeal	September 26
World Mission Sunday	October 24
Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (Triennial)	N/A this Year
Campaign for Charity and Justice (Catholic Charities)	November 21
Retirement Fund for Religious	December 12
Missionary Cooperative Appeal Plan	Date Selected by the Pastor

Steven Jathas, *by The Jathas Family*

Peter Cervoni, Louis & Domenica Cervoni, and  
Frank & Rose Angiolillo, *by Ann Cervoni*

George Seyfried and Angela T. Buongiorno,  
*by Pat Seyfried & Luis P. Buongiorno*

The Callaghan & Carpenito Families, and Theresa Ronca &  
Frances DiFelice, *by Matthew & Georgann Callaghan*

Enid & Vincent King, and Evelyn & Mel Rosen,  
*by Bruce & Beth Rosen*

Joseph Federico and Louis Coglianese, *by Adie Shore*

Doris & Edward Lastella, *by Janet & Ed Lastella*

The Daitz & Jaycox Families, *by Sharon J. Daitz & Maurice Daitz*

Intentions of the Towle Family

Richard & Lee Bianco, *by Terry & Bob Rosenfeld*

The Pratt & Cardillo Families, and Rose & Lou Cavakri,  
*by Marina & Terry Pratt*

Frank Pizzitola, Elizabeth Pizzitola, Karin Pizzitola, Paul  
Pizzitola, Charles & Cathy Bailey, Ann Bugdin, Chris Moger,  
and Geraldine DelValle, *by Gregory M. Pizzitola*

Intentions of Catherine R. Andreuzzi

Adele C. Tursone, Joseph A. Tursone, and JoAnn M. Tursone,  
*by Mary T. Ingriselli*

John Brett, Jr., *by Dolores & John Brett*

Joseph & Marian Davis, *by Joseph & Louise Ciffone*

Thomas J. Hory, *by Mary Hory*

The Tojay & Bellas Families, *by Jamie & Karen Bellas*

Mario Capogrosso, Celia Criscuolo, and Vera Lax,  
*by Eleanor Capogrosso*

Vincent Eaione, *by Kathi & Blaise Fredella*

Joseph Kelly, *by Carol Kelly*

Eileen & Morgan King, *by Peggy King*

Theodore Mancini and Ted Mancini, *by Len & Marie Tallevi*

Dr. Raymond Nisi & family, *by Dr. & Mrs. Nisi*

Anthony Cardon, Henrietta & Charles Brown, Robert Brown,  
Eileen & Jerome Hogan, Mary & Robert Boni, *by Dolores Cardon*

Rodrigo & Juana Villarosa, and Bernard & Richard Kenny,  
*by Rosario V. Kenny/Sacchetti*

Dr. William Barrett, *by Venice Barrett*

John Bowles, *by Mary Bowles*

The Foran & O'Hanlon Families, *by Rich Foran & Pauline O'Hanlon*



*Please remember those  
listed here in your prayers,  
and thank you to all who  
donated flowers to our altar  
this Christmas season.*

Grace A. Tobash, *by Michael Tobash & Family*

Frank DeRobertis, Lillian Nuzzi, and Joseph Nuzzi,  
*by Margaret DeRobertis*

Nicole Diane Prinzivallé, *by Althea & Frank Fusco*

Michele Caruso, *by Angela LaMenna*

Ron Filardo, *by Lucille Filardo*

Deceased members of the Wintergerst & DePihno Families,  
*by Walter & Ester Wintergerst*

Dr. Amy Antonio and Dr. Vicente Lumicao, *by Dr. Lorna Lumicao*

Connie & Anthony Frisina, and Jean & Frank Civitano,  
*by Adele & Richard Civitano*

Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Piazza, *by Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Chiodo*

Robert F. Degen, James J. McConologue, and Elaine Icker,  
*by Mary Degen*

Dr. & Mrs. Edward Farhart, and Mr. & Mrs. Henry Kahn,  
*by Anthony & Cynthia Kahn*

Marion, Anthony, & Anita Molea, and Jean & John Scalone,  
*by Anthony & Camille Molea*



## ST. PIUS X GUIDELINES TO SAFELY ATTEND MASS

As Pope Francis wrote in his recent New York Times editorial: "To come out of this crisis better, we have to recover the knowledge that as a people we have a shared destination. The pandemic has reminded us that no one is saved alone."

Given the surge of COVID-19 throughout the area, and in the attempt to keep safe in Church, the following guidelines must be followed by everyone visiting St. Pius X Church:

- Wear masks, covering nose and mouth, at all times while at Church
- Keep 6 feet distance and avoid gathering
- Sanitize your hands when entering the Church
- Do not attend Mass if in the last 14 days:
  - you have had any of the following symptoms: fever above 99.9°, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion, runny nose, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, any other signs of illness
  - you have tested positive for COVID-19
  - you have been in close contact with someone with a confirmed or suspected COVID-19 case
- If you have arrived from another state or from another country, you must comply with the current NYS Covid-19 regulations regarding quarantine and testing
- In order to enforce CDC and State social distancing rules our capacity at the Church is limited. Due to the need to maintain a list of persons attending Mass in the event contact tracing becomes necessary, you are required to register for a specific Mass, on weekends and holidays, through the SignUp Genius link provided in the email announcements and bulletin, or by calling the parish office at 914-725-2755. (Walk-ins may only register at the door if space is available for a specific Mass.)

**Below is our SignUp Genius Link for Masses:**

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

- For weekend and holiday Masses, you will be assigned a seat by a greeter. You must sit in the specific assigned seat. You cannot change your sitting location. We keep a record of names and seats, in case tracing becomes necessary
- You are encouraged to arrive 15 minutes before Mass begins. Seats and Mass attendance are guaranteed to those who have registered **ONLY UNTIL 5 MINUTES PRIOR** to the beginning of the celebration. Your seat may be given to a walk-in (who registers at the door). In this case you may not be allowed to attend Mass if the seating capacity is reached. Unfortunately, it will be necessary to prevent entrance (doors will be locked) when Mass begins and full capacity is reached.
- If you are diagnosed with COVID-19 in the subsequent 7 days after attending mass, please notify us by calling the parish office at 914-725-2755. Strict confidentiality will be maintained.
- If we receive a report that someone who has attended a Mass at the Parish was subsequently diagnosed with COVID-19, we will:
  - notify all who had signed up to attend the Mass where the exposure might have occurred, and all Masses after that during the same day, by phone and/or email and/or our website
  - conduct a thorough, deep, cleaning and disinfecting of the church in accordance with cleaning guidance provided by the CDC guidelines

**If you wish to register family and friends to attend Mass with you during the Christmas season, please be sure to share this important information with them.**

If they cannot comply with this, we ask you not to attend mass at this time. We look forward to celebrating together again when it is safe to do

These may seem like strict rules to implement but we need to try to keep the St. Pius X Church community safe. Thank you very much for your understanding and cooperation until the COVID-19 pandemic is no longer a threat.

### TIPS FOR VIEWING MASS ON STREAMING

#### Ahead of time:

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

#### As Mass begins:

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

### AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

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

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

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

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

 **GIVE ONLINE**  
with WESHARE  
Contact our Customer Support Team at [weshare@4ipi.com](mailto:weshare@4ipi.com)



*"Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for the least of my brothers and sisters, you did for me." (Matthew 25:40)*

Dear Parishioners,

This past weekend, you may have heard that the 2021 Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal commenced. If you already have donated to the Appeal, thank you. Your generosity will support ministries and apostolates across the archdiocese.

If you are not familiar with the Appeal, please click here to learn more. At its core, the Appeal funds the vast educational, charitable, and pastoral outreach of our archdiocese, all of which serve to make Christ known in the world.

Although the past year has been challenging, the Church's witness to the steadfast, unchanging love of God sustains our faith. This commitment to the mission of the universal Church inspires tens of thousands of parishioners across the Archdiocese of New York to participate in the Appeal every year. If you are a long-time supporter or brand new to the

Appeal, please consider making a contribution this year, if your financial circumstances permit.

Over the coming weeks, we will share more information about the good work supported by the 2021 Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal. Thank you for the many sacrifices you make for the good of our Church and for our parish!

Yours in Christ,

Father Sebastian, Pastor



***Some thank you letters received from the mothers from Good Counsel Homes we "adopted" along with their babies for Christmas. They are so touching!***

Dear Donors,  
We thank you so much for your generous hearts. We truly appreciate what you have done for myself and R--. Thank you for your generosity. Myself and R-- have been struggling since he was in the womb. I was homeless and living out of a suitcase. I only had work clothes and a few pairs of pants and shirts. I was pregnant. Work became demanding for me, and R--s father became physically abusive. I was forced to leave and turned to 180 Turning Lives Around. That's where I first heard of Good Counsel. Good Counsel has been such a blessing for me and my baby. If I was on my own, I never would have went to the OBGYN. I never would have gotten help with my mental health. I never would have had the courage to say "I am worth it!" Thanks to you, I am blessed with more than just a place to call home. I am blessed with gifts that not everyone can say they have. I can't even believe most of the things that I receive during the holidays. It still brings tears to my eyes that I get to be blessed with gifts from such nice people like you!  
Thank you!  
Love, Tiffany

Dear Donors,  
I am extremely grateful for all these Christmas gifts. It was a pleasure to receive all these lovely gifts; I would like to say a big thank you for everything and also for considering me and my daughter we thank you once more.  
Yours sincerely,  
R.S.

Dear Donors,  
I hope you all have a wonderful holiday Season!  
I was thrilled to receive your generous gift. It was so thoughtful of you to think of me and my son this Christmas. This is my first Christmas and I am very happy. Thank you very much and Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.  
With Love  
Happy Recipient  
R. C.

Dear Donors  
Thank you for your beautiful gifts, I'm so thankful for what you've given me and my son as moms we give so much and its nice to be thought of. Its hard having Christmas without my family but your donations make you feel a little like family and this place a little more like home

It is good to know that there are so many good people that God bless you very much I do not have to thank you for so much and I say thank you very much with these words.  
Merry Christmas! ☺ Elaine

With Love & Gratitude  
Kashira

Najaa  
Good Counsel - Bronx Homes  
"In everything, give thanks." - 1 Thessalonians 5:18. I would like to say thank you so much for your kindness this Christmas. I would really like you guys to know that the other moms and myself greatly appreciate all the gifts you've sent us, they will be of great help. Again, please accept my sincere appreciation for your generosity. Happy holidays!



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

To add a name please contact (914) 725-2755 or [stpiusbulletin@aol.com](mailto: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.*

**Kathleen Maeve Kryger**  
(Mother of Robert Kryger)

**Patricia O'Hara**  
(former St. Pius X Kindergarten teacher)

**Albert Pietrangolare**  
(long time parishioner)

**Brian Lilly, Jr.**

**Deacon Theodore Gaskin**

**Vera DeLima**  
(mother of Lynne Soares)

**John Piaggione**  
(father of Karen Piaggione)

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

## February 2021

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
JANUARY	31	1 RE ONLINE CLASSES	2 RE ONLINE CLASSES	3 RE ONLINE CLASSES	4 RE ONLINE CLASSES Bible Study, 7-8pm	5	6
	Operation Cupid January 5 - February 16						
7 RE KDG	8 RE ONLINE CLASSES Parish Council Meeting, 8pm	9 RE ONLINE CLASSES	10 RE ONLINE CLASSES	11 RE ONLINE CLASSES Bible Study, 7-8pm	12	13	
14 NO KDG	15 NO RE Mid-Winter Break No Mass Parish Office Closed President's Day	16 NO RE Mid-Winter Break	17 ASH WEDNESDAY Registration Required Masses: 8am, 11:30am & 7:30pm w/Cantor Distribution of Ashes: 3pm & 5pm	18 NO RE Mid-Winter Break Bible Study, 7-8pm	19	20	
21 NO KDG	22 RE ONLINE CLASSES Due to Covid-19, we will NOT be offering 6:30am Mass During Lent	23 RE ONLINE CLASSES	24 RE ONLINE CLASSES	25 RE ONLINE CLASSES Bible Study, 7-8pm	26	27	
28 RE KDG							 Persons 14+ years must abstain from meat.



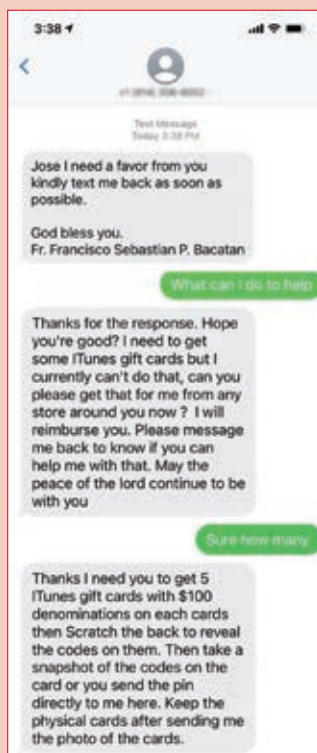
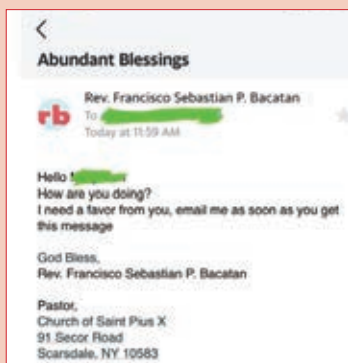
## Parish Announcements

### EMAIL SCAM "MANY BLESSINGS"

In light of the recent incident with some parishioners of the Church of St. Pius X, we would like to make it clear that our Pastor, Fr. Francisco Sebastian Bacatan AM is NOT asking for any assistance of any kind from anyone in the parish. If you receive any email from frsebastianbacatan@gmail.com and text from the number (914) 206 6052 that introduced himself as Fr. Sebastian, please DO NOT respond and block/delete the bogus email and message.

**Father Sebastian's real email is fbacatan@gmail.com** and NOT frsebastianbacatan@gmail.com and the cell number above is not his cell number.

*Depicted here are samples of a bogus/phishing email and text request from a fraudulent email address and text purporting to be Father Sebastian.*



### Advisory for Distribution of Ashes

With concerns about the coronavirus still with us, on **Ash Wednesday on February 17** and the distribution of ashes to the faithful, and with guidance from the USCCB committee on divine worship, this procedure will be followed within the Archdiocese of New York:

- The priest will offer the prayer for blessing of ashes;
- He sprinkles the ashes with holy water without saying anything;
- He addresses all those present and only once says the formula, applying it to all in general: "Repent, and believe in the Gospel" or "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return".
- The priest then cleanses his hands, and puts on a face mask;
- He invites the faithful, wearing masks to stand side-by-side, two meters apart, before the altar rail or altar step;
- Immediately after the priest places ashes on the forehead of the person, moving from left to right, without saying anything, he cleans the finger he used with an alcohol sanitizer wipe before placing ashes on the next person;
- The imposition of ashes should take no longer than a few seconds.

For those that wish to attend Ash Wednesday Services at the Church of St. Pius X, there will be an online signup, or you may call the rectory to reserve your spot. Due to Covid-19 regulations, [Registration is required](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084BA4AB2DABFC1-church7) to attend Ash Wednesday Liturgies.

#### St. Pius X Ash Wednesday Schedule:

(<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084BA4AB2DABFC1-church7>)

Masses: 8am, 11:30am & 7:30pm w/Cantor

Distribution of Ashes: 3pm & 5pm

In promoting the distribution of ashes, the faithful might be reminded that only those in good health would present themselves. It was also suggested that the hours for the distribution of ashes be limited to Mass or a Liturgy of the Word with a definite beginning and end so as not to expose the priest to others for any great length of time.

### 2021 MASS INTENTIONS

Our 2021 Mass Intention Book is now available. To reserve Announced Masses, please call the rectory. A Mass offering is \$20 and can be paid for via check, made payable to St. Pius X. In order to try to ensure availability throughout the year, signup procedures are as follows:

1. Initially, each family will be limited to four (4) Individual Mass intentions for Weekend and Holy Day Masses each calendar year. An unlimited number
2. Thereafter, families will be able to reserve any remaining Individual Weekend and Holy Day Mass intentions.
3. Mass intentions for 5pm Saturday and 12 noon Sunday the last weekend of each month are for shared Mass intentions.

## Ministry Service

**The Parish Council Nominating Committee...** is seeking candidates to fill vacancies on the Parish Council. We are in search of 4 active members of our community who are willing to serve. Terms are typically 3 years long and require members to attend ten monthly meetings (which currently are on Zoom). The parish council seeks to discuss ways to continue to be a welcoming and hospitable place of faith and hope for the members of our community while serving those in the surrounding area. We work with Fr. Sebastian and Fr. Raymond to contemplate the future while ministering to the present. It is our goal to engage as many people in the mission of the parish and the mission of Christ. If you are interested in running for a spot please contact Maria Dhingra at [maria.dhingra@outlook.com](mailto:maria.dhingra@outlook.com).

### **Ushers/Greeters needed!**

If you have returned to the church and are interested in helping seat parishioners and maintain safety protocols, please contact Joanne Sciortino (917 597 3189) or Steve Amato (914 723 6477) or sign up clicking this link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4BAEA723A7F94-stpius3>  
**Thank you for your help!**

### ONGOING FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION



The yearend holidays are over and all the demands made on us even though this year is definitely different. One thing that is constant is the difficulty the working poor have in having enough food to feed their families. Things were difficult enough before for so many areas around us, but the pandemic has doubled the need and the challenge has been great for those trying to help.

We have been supporting St. Peter's Church in Yonkers for over 50 years. When they merged with St. Denis a few years ago, St. Denis had no food pantry so the need immediately increased. Then the pandemic hit and so many lost their jobs and had to turn to pantries.

YOU can help in a couple of ways to support the food pantry:

1. Pick up sale items of canned or packaged foods and bring them to our Food Pantry closet in the Narthex hallway when you attend Mass or are in the neighborhood.
2. If you are unable to attend Mass or get out to shop, checks may be sent directly to the following address so they may be used to purchase food from large pantries or shop for fresh produce.

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

Please do not forget those who have so little and are food challenged!! FEED THE HUNGRY!

If you have any questions, please contact Dolores Brett at: [dbrett9@gmail.com](mailto:dbrett9@gmail.com).

**THANK YOU! ♥**

We cannot donate fresh produce, bread products or dairy, but the following is a good guide to some needed and appreciated items that would be so helpful to the food pantry:

#### **Sharing wisdom from a food bank volunteer:**

1. Everyone donates Kraft Mac & Cheese in the box. But it needs milk & butter which is hard to get from food banks.
2. Boxed Milk is a treasure. Kids need it for cereal, which they get a lot of.
3. Everyone donates pasta sauce & spaghetti noodles.
4. Canned Foods should be Pop Tops OR donate Can Openers.
5. Oil is a luxury needed for Rice a Roni, which they get a lot.
6. Spices, Salt & Pepper are a real gift.
7. Tea bags & Coffee are caring gifts.
8. Sugar & Flour are treats.
9. Important are fresh produce donated by farmers & grocery stores.
10. Seeds are great in spring & summer because growing can be easy for some.
11. Rarely is there fresh meat.
12. Tuna & Crackers make a good lunch.
13. Hamburger Helper goes nowhere without ground beef.
14. They get lots of peanut butter and jelly but NEED sandwich bread.
15. Butter or Margarine are good.
16. Eggs are a commodity!
17. Cake mix & Frosting makes it possible to make a child's birthday cake.
18. Dishwashing Detergent is very expensive & is always appreciated.
19. Feminine hygiene products are a luxury & women will cry over them.
20. Everyone loves Stove Top Stuffing.

Bonus: CASH makes it possible for the Food Bank to buy what's missing and buy in bulk.



## Religious Education

### IMPORTANT DATES:

**RE Classes will resume the week of January 10th, 2021**

2/1–2/16 Operation Cupid, Grades 1–6

2/15-21 NO RE, Mid-winter break

1/22 RE Classes resume

### St. Pius X Continuing Adult Faith Formation Bible Study Series: "The Major Prophets"

Fully Online! Enjoy the study of God's Word in the comfort of your own home! **Thursday Evenings from 7:00–8:00pm.** Have your Bible handy.

*(No class on Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, and New Year's Eve)*

**Topic:** The Major Prophets

**Time:** Every week on Thursday, until February 18, 2021

#### Join Zoom Meeting:

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

Meeting ID: 845 6142 1151

Passcode: 552936



### OPERATION CUPID

January 5 – February 16 our Religious Education children (Grades 1-6) will be involved in "Operation Cupid," a community service to benefit the organization *United for the Troops*, whose mission is to support our soldiers deployed overseas. Children will send the troops care packages that contain Thank You cards, food and goods that the military does not provide to them. Their goal is to show our soldiers that we are proud of them and appreciate all of their efforts.

A list of items needed can be accessed at <https://unitedforthetroops.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/nancy-wish.pdf>. All items can be delivered to St Pius X in bins located in the school lobby. If you prefer to make a monetary donation, please send a check made to St Pius X (indicating UFTT in the memo area), or VENMO to @SaintPiusX-Parish Council (specify UFTT).

In addition, your kids will write cards, letters and prayer messages of appreciation at home (be creative! get siblings and young family members to participate!). Please mail the cards, putting them inside a separate envelope, to Marina Cardillo, ATTN: OPERATION CUPID, 26 Jefferson road, Scarsdale 10583, no later than January 24.

Further details have been emailed separately to RE families. Thank you!

**Father Raymond and Father Sebastian** last week in the Narthex welcoming parishioners arriving for Mass.



A Mass for the intentions of **Bob & Kathy Cripps** was celebrated on January 16th 2021, a spiritual couple who have greatly given their time and wisdom to St. Pius X for many years. We congratulate them on their Golden Anniversary of 50 special years together.



**OLS Virtual Open House, February 1st, 2nd and 3rd**  
 Situated on six suburban acres in the Gedney Farms section of White Plains, Our Lady of Sorrows School provides a warm, nurturing environment for students in grades K-8. The school endeavors to prepare students for success in an ever-changing world and is proud that our graduates matriculate into the most selective high schools in the area. We invite you to attend one of our upcoming virtual Open House sessions to learn more about our excellent academic institution within a vibrant, active, and caring school community. Morning zoom sessions will be hosted February 1–3. For more information and to register go to [www.olsschoolwp.com](http://www.olsschoolwp.com) or email [pa.olsschoolwp@gmail.com](mailto:pa.olsschoolwp@gmail.com). All zoom details and materials will be emailed to all registrants in advance of each session.



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

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



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

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

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

#### **Religious Education for Adults**

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

#### **Parish Council:**

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