# FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 14, 2019





## ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

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## SACRAMENTS AND SERVICES

- † <u>MARRIAGE:</u> Preparation is needed prior to the wedding. Contact the office or Fr. Brian 6 months prior to date.
- † **BAPTISM:** Preparation is needed prior to the Sacrament. Contact the office or Fr. Brian 3 months prior to birth.
- † **HOSPITAL**: Please notify the office or Fr. Brian if you or someone whom you know is in the hospital.
- † <u>CONFESSION</u>: Tuesday from 5:30-6:00 p.m. or Saturday from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. at St. Pius X or by appointment.
- † <u>ANOINTING OF THE SICK</u>: Is offered to anyone physically or emotionally ill, infirmed, or prior to surgery. Contact Fr. Brian at (270) 668-7675 (Medical or Emergency)
- † <u>St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:</u> 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays of each month during office hours (9 am-2 pm). Call the St. Pius X office at (270) 395-4727 for help.
- † Bulletin information: Must be submitted to Jamie by 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday. Email: stpiusx@stpiusx.us

#### **Pastoral Team**

Fr. Brian Johnson, Pastor Paula Schmidt, CRE/Office Manager Jamie Zaim, Bookkeeper/Bulletin/Website Sr. Michael Marie Friedman 

#### Maintenance

For concerns about maintenance of the parish, please contact the parish office at (270) 395-4727.

# Parish Council Members (St. Pius X)

Pam Hurst Chair Person

Amanda Scheidegger Vice Chair Person/Social Concern

Jeff Outland Building & Ground

Larry Krouse Secretary
Robert Weekes Finance
Dawn Whitt Spiritual Life

Catherine Broks FFY

**Other Groups** 

Finance Council Harold Dacus, Chair Art & Decorations Paula Schmidt Knights of Columbus Philip Scheidegger

Online: kofcknights.org/CouncilSite/?CNO=10988

## **Bereavement Committees**

 Helen Krivan
 (270) 559-7586(St. Anthony)

 Pat Gorbett
 (270)362-3377(St. Anthony)

 Fran Dacus
 (618)383-4646 (St. Pius X)

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Wednesday 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Thursday 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

# Parish Council Members (St. Anthony of Padua)

Roy McFadden Chair Person

Mike Drury Vice Chair/ Building & Ground

Debbie Owens Secretary/Family Life

Shara Parish Finance

Bob Lehky Social Concern

Nick Zaim Social/Spiritual Concern Sr. Michael Friedman Spiritual/Faith Formation



Days	St. Pius X	St. Anthony
Tuesday	6:00 P.M.	
Wednesday	8:00 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
Thursday	8:00 A.M.	
Friday	8:00 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
*1st Friday- Adoration	6:00 P.M.*	*9:00 A.M.
Saturday	4:30 P.M.	8:00 A.M. (1st Saturday)
		6:00 P.M.
Sunday	10:00 A.M.	8:00 A.M.

Please see calendar inside for Holy Day times & other changes.

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#### St. Pius X Parish News

# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK July 15<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>

Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Irene Rudnicki
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Lucille Tarr
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	Emma Head
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Charles Tarr
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Ron Gardner
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Albert Sandman

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WEEKLY DONATION	ON.	S
<b>Parish Hall Fund Donation</b>		
07/07/19	\$	393.00
Budget for 2019/2020 fiscal year		
(July 2019-June 2020)	\$	177,160.00
<b>Donation Need Each Week</b>	\$	3, 406.92
<b>Donation 07/07/19</b>	\$	3,429.00
Online Giving (July 2019)	\$	1,150.00
Fiscal Year to Date	\$	7,021.00

St. Pius X Parish Council Meeting Tuesday, July 16 6:45 p.m.

Mass Assignments: Saturday, July 20, 2019				
Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers / Greeters	Money Counters
Catie Weekes	Robert Burgess	Suzette Whittington Julie Weekes Volunteer	Joe Morris (Usher) Robert Weekes (Usher) Vicki Spencer(Greeter) Volunteer (Greeter)	
Mass Assignments: Sunday, July21, 2019				
Scott Langford Cole Scheidegger	Amanda Scheidegger	Patty Langford Pam Hurst Diane Fischer	John Brooks (Usher) Philip Scheidegger (Usher) Russell Tomlinson (Greeter) Joe Cirrito(Greeter)	Jan Waniel Jean Waniel



Are you already bored this summer? Need something to do? Maybe help fellow parishioners? We have the solution!

A few parishioners are in need of yard work projects this summer and they would love your help! **Some jobs may pay**. If interested, please contact Paula Schmidt at 270-395-4727 to help and for more information.

#### Volunteers Needed for Marcella's Kitchen

Do you have some time to serve and help feed the hungry? Marcella's kitchen is a great place to help out and provide a good meal and support our community. Lunch is served Monday through Friday 11:00-1:00, and they offer sandwiches and food to the children's summer snack pack program. The Kitchen is always on the lookout for helpers. Pick up an information packet by the church doors, and read up on Marcella's services. Please consider helping out!

#### Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed for the *Splish Splash Bash* on Saturday, July 27. Confirmation students, High School students and adults are eligible to volunteer. Confirmation and High School students will receive Community Service hours.

Volunteer meeting will be Friday, July 26 at 5:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Please let Paula know if you are interested in volunteering by Wednesday, July 24.

Prayer\ Requests PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: John Bardsley, Bennett Meisenheimer, Peter Bullock, Barb & Joe Cirrito, Jim & Rose Drury, Wes Hayes, Earl & Shirley Henderson, Maryann Huebschmann, Shirley Mangan, Kenny Matthews, Dora Miller, Miller Meisenheimer, Joann Najgebauer, Elizabeth Nelson, Johnny Poe, Joel Rivera, Sister Rosemary, Carol Ross, Marty Tyskling, Lonnie Vogler, Brenda Waitke, Gary Walters, Andrew Walton, Larry Wenzel, Anna Williams, Dawn Williams, Helen Schulte, Wilma Lejuene, Lori Butler, Elizabeth Brumlow,

Isabella Hamilton, Dr. Danny Butler, Jeanette Hayes, Cameron Richmond, Brad Longsworth, Matthew Black, LaRece Hurst, Helen Bennett, Nannette Frizzell, Catherine Broks, Stacey Newby, Bette Zilligen, Dorothy Henry, Ric Vaughn, Susan Sloan, Donny Travis, Betty Derry, Scott Hamilton, Connie Burt and family, Abigail Huebschmann, Lucas Hebner, Juanita Perkins, Ericka Karpstein, Joanna Cooper, Carolyn Outland, Angel Thompson, Kaye Poyner, Jerry Huebschmann, Dorothy Henry, Derwood & Pat Doyle, Bob & Lois Tashjian, Kim Bruce, Rita Cook, Hannah Padgett, Juliette Kaplanes, Jim Henthorn, Jack Bender, Penny Maupin, Don Kemp, Tom and Sharon Olejnicak, Tim Wilson, Beverly Dukes, Danny Padgett and their family and caregivers.

Ry: Daniel Burgess, James Griffith, Cory Erickson, Justin Fatum (Deployed), Jason Huber, James A. Kinsey, Sarah Martindale, Devin McFadden, Ryan M. Fields, Benjamin Patton, Kousuke Sasaki, Noah Willett, Wally Schmidt, and Luke Jablonski.

**St. Pius X Mission Statement:** We, the parishioners of St. Pius Tenth Church, gather in the name of the Lord to praise God and His Son, Jesus Christ, through the Holy Spirit, thanking them for the many blessings that they have given to us. We gain strength from the Word of God in order to share and celebrate God's love through the sacraments.

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## St. Anthony of Padua Parish News

# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

July 15th-21st

Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Priests & Monks
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Nuns & Sisters
Saturday	6:00 p.m.	John & Anne Bradshaw
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Joe & Magy Wilson

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## Parish Pictorial Directory



It's time for a new, updated Parish Directory for St. Anthony of Padua parish! Instead of setting up individual appointments for everyone to come back for pictures, Ginny Reed will be taking parishioner pictures before and after Sunday Mass. This should be much more convenient for everyone. We will have a form to be completed by each family to ensure we have the latest, correct information for everyone.

Please Note: Pictures will only be taken before or after Sunday Mass during the month of July!

#### **Hope Clinic Annual Fall Fundraiser Dinner:**

September 23-24 is the Annual Fundraiser Dinner dates for Hope Clinic's pregnancy support and pro-life ministry work. We have been asked to consider hosting a table of six for the benefit, yet we need a table head. If you are willing to serve such a role (duties are simply to attend & secure three other couples to participate), please let Fr Brian know of your interest.

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PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Elena Carey, Donna &
Jon Gresham, Bill Rodgers, Sister Rosemary, Tom & Margie Sheppard, Bob
& Lois Tashjian, Deanna Hayward, Mr. Driskill, Margeret Adams, Pat
Gorbett, Ed Derringe, Charles Paulius, Kathy Lehky, Helen Krivan, Betty
Gonzalez, Frances Scott and their families and caregivers.

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FOR OUR MILITARY: Joel Dumbacher, Matt Elder, Kathleen Erickson, Scott Erickson, Cory Erickson, Jason Huber, James A. Kinsey, Jay Lockhart, Sarah Martindale, Devin McFadden, Ryan M. Fields, LeAnne Neal, and Kousuke Sasaki.

To add or remove names from either list, please call St. Pius Office at 395-4727 or email <a href="mailto:stpiusx@stpiusx.us">stpiusx@stpiusx.us</a>

Budget 2019/2020 fiscal year	\$ 72,100.00
(July 2019-June 2020)	
Donation Need Each Week:	\$ 1,386.54
Regular Collection -07/07/19	\$ 1, 598.95
Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 2,439.95

Mass Assignments – July21, 2019		
Lector	Nick Zaim	
Eucharistic Ministers	Jamie Zaim	
	Cindy O'Brien	
	Mike Drury	
Prayers of the Faithful	Pat Gorbett	
Ushers/Greeters	Kelly Noonan	
	Kevin Diamond	
Server	Nolan Zaim	
	Avery Zaim	
Money Counters	Kevin Diamond	
	Shara Parish	



St. Anthony of Padua 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Mass Saturday, August 3, 2019 8:00 a.m.

# **Donuts & Coffee**



1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Each Month Sunday, August 4, 2019 9:00 a.m. (after Mass)

Monthly volunteers to setup and purchase donuts are needed. Please sign up on the sheet in the gathering space of the Church if you would like to volunteer.

#### Livingston County Helping Hands



paper towels, toilet paper, laundry detergent, shampoo (adult & baby), bath soap, diapers, diaper wipes, feminine hygiene products, dish washing liquid, coffee, tea, macaroni and cheese, sugar, flour, cereals, peanut butter, jelly, tuna, salmon, other canned meats, canned fruits, canned vegetables

There is a donation basket at the back of the Church for your non-perishable items.

St. Anthony of Padua Mission Statement: We, the Catholics of St. Anthony of Padua Parish of Grand Rivers, are united as a faith-filled community to give hone and glory to God, to aid each other, and others, on the journey of salvation and to share the Good News of the Gospel.



July 14, 2019 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Lk 10:25-37

Dear St Pius X and St Anthony Church,

What do I have to do to get to heaven? This is basically what the scholar asks Jesus in today's gospel. I love how Jesus answers just like a good rabbi, throwing back another question. The return question deepens the searching of the student. It takes patience, but the reward to probing with more questions is the wider application of wisdom. I shared recently in a homily about student class that stayed upset with their teacher because the teacher always answered with another question (What is this: the show Jeopardy or something?) Even once, her students thought they would put an end to it, by asking her, "Why do you always answer with a question?" She said right back, "And what is wrong with a question?" Her method was to allow her students to 'stew' for a minute thinking over possible answers before she offered a solution. But in Jesus' case today, He asks this scholar back two (2) questions! Jesus wants to understand where the questioner is coming from, so He can custom tailor his answer to that student's level of understanding. For example, I bet we have all had that experience of asking a specialist a question and been given such a convoluted answer from them that we thought, "That was gibberish--Iknew more before I heard your answer." A rule for Jesus' patient teaching is "Keep it Simple!" An answer can be thorough and concise at the same time. Here's an example of Jesus' sermonizing. Consider this line from his Mount Teaching, "Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy" (Matthew 5:7). Now we are talking! That is simple and straightforward!

So, after being asked how to get to heaven, Jesus asks this questioner back in Luke 10: 26, "What is written in the law? How do you read it?" In other words, "You tell me: What is your approach to reading the Law? What does it prescribe?" Of course, Jesus wants a comprehensive, but also a simple answer. The student does give a concise summary of the Law by quoting Deuteronomy 6:5 and Leviticus 19:18, "Love God above all, and Live with your neighbor treating him/her as you wish to be treated" Normally, at this point, a teacher would say, 'That's a wrap. End of class!' BUT, we hear that this smart student is after something more, up to something else! Luke 10:29 says, "Because he wished to justify himself, he said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" This student has another agenda, not concerned about God's Law of Living in Grace and achieving Heaven. This student is about scoring points, winning and appearing 'justified'. He is a smart one, because until now he was answering correctly 100%. In Luke's telling of this encounter, the student gives this excellent answer. I like to point out that in Matthew's version of similar stories, Jesus delivers this answer himself first on two different occasions (Matthew 19:19 & Matthew 22:37-39). Maybe this student had been in Jesus' classroom before and knew what Jesus would say (which accounts for his bold confidence in pushing questions back on to Jesus for his own self-justification agenda). More than just wanting to look good I think this student is trying to use what Jesus says to justify his prejudice to racially 'bully' or be harsh with some people (I will love my neighbor-my kind-my people, but not those others, 'them-their kind'). So the student wants to classify people as a neighbor or not to support his prejudices. So, who is my neighbor? Only my clan, only my immediate kin, only my country's citizens, only my color or my religion? As always, Jesus delivers the truth, but it is not what the 'smartie' student wanted to hear! Telling the story of the Good Samaritan, Jesus is teaching that my neighbor is whoever needs my help! Jesus doesn't limit and narrow the idea of neighbor, He broadens it to include anyone who is in need, anyone who presents himself to us. And my best neighbor to me turns out to be who I thought was an enemy-A Samaritan! In Jesus' parable, don't count on the 'priest' (Ouch!), don't count on the Levite! The hero neighbor is the outsider Samaritan who doesn't check the ID card of his victim in need. He just helps! Not because the victim's nationality or religion is the preferred one. No, the Good Samaritan neighbor helps because broken ribs and bloody cuts on the man are what call for help. Our labels and prejudices limit our humane care and compassion for others. Like good medical corpsmen, or noble peace officers who provide treatment even to 'enemy wounded' or 'disarmed attackers', the human wounds demand human treatment. So who is my neighbor? Whoever presents themselves to me in need. My neighbor is whoever needs my help. I may want to apply a 'worthiness standard' to my gift to someone based on their 'status', ID or class. But Jesus is simpler than us when He says in Luke 6:33 "If you do good only to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners do the same." Jesus goes on in Luke 6:35-36 "Rather, love (even) your enemies and do good to them, and <u>lend expecting nothing back</u>; then your reward will be great and you will be children of the Most High, for God Himself is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful." For sure, a challenge, but that is what faith loves!

Peace, Fr Brian

#### **Weekly Mass Readings**

MondayEx 1:8-14, 22; Mt 10:34-11:1TuesdayEx 2:1-15a; Mt 11:20-24WednesdayEx 3:1-6, 9-12; Mt 11:25-27ThursdayEx 3:13-20; Mt 11:28-30FridayEx 11:10-12:14; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday Ex 12:37-42; Mt 12:14-21

Sunday	Gn 18:1-10a; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42
July 15	Devotional Service-11:30 am (Oakview Nursing Home)
July 16	Lunch Bunch-11:30 am (St. Pius X) Reconciliation: 5:30-6:00 pm (St. Pius X) Mass-6:00 pm (St. Pius X) Parish Council Meeting-6:45 pm (St. Pius X)
July 17	Mass-8:00 am (St. Pius X) Mass-9:00 am (St. Anthony) Quilters' Club -10 am-12 pm (St. Pius) Weekly Scripture Reading-10:00 am (St. Anthony)
July 18	Mass-8:00 am (St. Pius X)
July 19	Mass -8:00 am (St. Pius X) Mass -9:00 am (St. Anthony)
July 20	Reconciliation-3:30-4:30 pm (St. Pius X) Mass-4:30 pm (St. Pius X) Mass-6:00 pm (St. Anthony)
July 21	Rosary- 7:30 am; Mass-8:00 am (St. Anthony) Rosary- 9:30 am; Mass -10:00 am (St. Pius X); Donuts & Coffee: 11:00 am (St. Pius X)

#### **FFY Volunteers Needed**

Catechists, Catechist Aids, Cooks and other volunteers will be needed for the 2019-2020 FFY Program, If interested in volunteering in any capacity, please contact Paula at the parish office 270-395-4727.

#### **Be Alert to Pastor**

Email/Text Scams: Some of you may have received a faked email/text supposedly from me Fr Brian, so be aware that such phishing scams are going on again. The fake texts ask that you buy me itune, google play or Visa vanilla cards, to help someone for me. Delete Them Immediately. Never respond or click on any link. The email address or phone number many even be spoofed to appear like mine. The whole diocese is receiving these fake inquiries and con-job attempts. I will always personally make a visit and talk in person about any charity help cases. Always disregard any phone or internet request for money.



Summer Splish Splash Bash VBS

Saturday, July 27 at St. Pius X 8:30 am -3:30 pm Ages: Preschool-High School

Look for registration forms and further information in the vestibule of the churches soon.

#### MOUNT ST. JOSEPH URSULINE RAFFLE- Raffle

proceeds benefit the retired sisters at Mount St. Joseph. Drawing on Sunday, Sept. 8 at 3p.m. Central Time\_TICKETS ARE \$5.00 EACH. RAFFLE PRIZES: \$10,000, \$3,500, \$1,000, \$500, \$250, \$100, handmade quilt. Tickets will be sold after masses on July 27th and 28th at St. Pius X and St. Anthony parishes. Tickets can also be purchased at https://ursulinesmsj.org/mountra ffle/ Note the flyer on display on the parish bulletin boards. The sisters THANK YOU for your support.