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28th Sunday Ordinary Year B Mark 10:17-30



As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up, knelt down before him, and asked him, "Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus answered him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You shall not kill; you shall not commit adultery; you shall not steal; you shall not bear false witness; you shall not defraud; honor your father and your mother." He replied and said to him, "Teacher, all of these I have observed from my youth." Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him, "You are lacking in one thing. Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions. Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it is for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" The disciples were amazed at his words. So Jesus again said to them in reply, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." Peter began to say to him, "We have given up everything and followed you." Jesus said, "Amen, I say to you, there is no one who has given up house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not receive a hundred times more now in this present age: houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and eternal life in the age to come."

Poem Excerpt "What must I do?"

By Kevin Smead

Jesus laid out the commands
By which a man could be saved
The man assured him that from birth
He'd been very well behaved
By His wicked heart he had been deceived
He was perfectly righteous, or so he believed

Jesus knew the man's true heart
The covetousness inwrought
He told him to sell all that he possessed
And give to the poor as he ought
He used the law to undeceive the man
And spoil his vain self-righteous plan

The man walked away offended
Unable to live out God's law
At least he now knew his standing
In breaking one point he broke all
We know not for sure if he ever came back

Weekly Mass Readings

October 2 – October 9

- Sunday 10/10** Wis 7:7-11/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30
- Monday 10/11** Rom 1:1-7/Lk 11:29-32
- Tuesday 10/12** Rom 1:16-25/Lk 11:37-41
- Wednesday 10/13** Rom 2:1-11/Lk 11:42-46
- Thursday 10/14** Rom 3:21-30/Lk 11:47-54
- Friday 10/15** Rom 4:1-8/Lk 12:1-7
- Saturday 10/16** Rom 4:13, 16-18/Lk 12:8-12

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**St. Pius X
Mass Schedule**

† Weekend Mass
Saturday- 4:30 pm
Sunday- 10:00 am

† Daily Mass
Tuesday-6:00 pm
Wednesday-8:00 am
Thursday-8:00 am
Friday-8:00 am

Eucharist Adoration-First Friday of each month-8:00

† **Weekly Online Mass**

Sunday -10:00 am

We are still Live Streaming Facebook
for anyone at home

Find us on Facebook at:
*St. Pius X & St. Anthony of Padua Catholic
Churches*

Parish Office Hours

Thursday 9:00 am-2:00 pm

**St. Anthony of Padua
Mass Schedule**

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Sunday- 8:00 am

† Daily Mass
Wednesday-9:00 am
Friday-9:00 am

*Eucharist Adoration-First Friday of each
month-9:00 am*

Pastoral Team

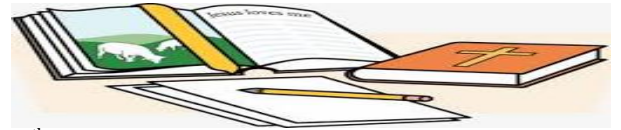
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FROM THE PASTOR



Dear St Pius And St Anthony Churches,

28th Sunday Ordinary Time Year B

What must I do to be saved? Jesus is basically asked this question in today's gospel. "Good teacher, **what must I do to inherit eternal life?**" (Mark 10:17) And what does Jesus answer? "You know the commandments" Mark 10:19. To which the man responded boastfully in Mark 10:20, "Teacher, all of these I have observed from my youth." Since the man testified boldly to already devoutly following the commandments of God, Jesus could have said back, 'Oh, okay then, you are ready for the 'advanced program'!' So, Jesus challenges him to a higher level of sacrificial trust, telling the man, "You are lacking in one thing. Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me"(Mark 10:21). To break it down most simply, it sounds like Jesus is saying, that to be saved, a person must 'follow him'. Such a disciple lets go of selfishly doing 'his/her own thing' or accumulating things for his/her own success and security in the world, and instead simply follows Jesus unreservedly without self-serving conditions. That phrase 'being saved' means a lot of different things to different people. It means 1) 'accepting Christ', 2) 'giving one's life to Him', 3) 'identifying with Him', 4) 'living for Him' or 'Him living in me' among other descriptions. But all of these descriptions have one thing in common: that Jesus Himself is the single-most important priority in one's 'saved' life.

I think Jesus' earliest statement of salvation's requirements was in Mark 1:15 where He said, "The kingdom is at hand, repent and believe in the good news!" But what does that mean? 1) Change our lives (from being self-centered to Christ-centered), 2) Seek the Kingdom (follow Jesus-His words and actions) and 3) Believe/Trust in Him. Saved? Do we know it for sure? **Well, we believe** Him. I like to say that whoever we believe, we also stay very close to. And how do we stay close to Jesus, but by staying close to 1) His word/actions (Gospels), 2) His people/ church (the Saints/Apostles & Blessed Mother), and 3) under His prayer (liturgy/sacraments). When we say that we are baptized into Him, that means we are 'immersed' into Him. Or as St Paul says in Galatians 2:20 "yet I live, no longer I, but Christ lives in me". Yet, being in Christ ('saved') means above all trusting in Jesus. So, since we trust, we do not take salvation in Christ for granted. The Catholic Catechism (2090-2091) refers to such a taking of grace for granted as the sin of 'presumption'. St Paul addressed avoiding such a 'presumption of grace' when he wrote, "We appeal to you not to receive the grace of God in vain" (2 Corinthians 6:1) and "I do not set aside the grace of God" (Galatians 2:21-NIV). **So, we do not take salvation for granted.** We keep a humble attitude of trust in Christ –St Paul wrote in 1 Corinthians 10: 12 "Therefore, whoever thinks he is standing secure should take care not to fall." Did Jesus Himself offer such warnings against the 'presumption' of God's mercy to keep us humble? Oh, yes, did he ever! How about, "Many that are first will be last, and the last will be first"(Mark 10:31)? Or "Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father in heaven" (Matthew 7:21). Also, in a couple of parables, Jesus included details to keep listeners on their feet against not presuming 'cheap grace', like when he taught about a Huge-Free Wedding Banquet where even though "servants went out into the streets and gathered everyone they found, bad and good alike"(Matthew 22:10), STILL, the King held everyone to a standard of behavior and threw an arrogant & presumptive guest who didn't honor the banquet protocols (of a proper wedding gown-baptismal robe?) back out onto the streets (Matt 22:11-12). Or my favorite reminder to remain humble about salvation (It is God's grace!) comes from Jesus' parable about the sheep and goats, when the rewarded and saved sheep seem surprised that they were judged faithful (Matt 25:37-39). In Jesus' words, "the king will say to them in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me' (Matt 25:40)!

So, even though Jesus repeatedly offers us mercy, we still always want to maintain a grateful and humble attitude, not presuming an 'easy slide in' to heaven. So, "Be sober and vigilant, for your opponent the devil is prowling around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour" (1 Peter 5:18). Peace, Fr Brian

A Diocesan Day of Joy: Celebrating the Gifts of our Later Years | Nov. 5, 2021

Join in a day of inspiration, humor, music, prayer and fellowship as we consider God's invitation to see aging as an adventure for our body, mind and soul. Owensboro diocesan chancellor, Tom Lilly, along with Maryann Joyce, director of the Mount Saint Joseph Conference and Retreat Center, and Valeria Vessels, diocesan director of stewardship and development, will offer presentations to engage and challenge our hearts and minds. The program takes place from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and the cost is \$10, which includes lunch. There will be music by Randy Lanham.

Online registration available here: <https://owensborodiocese.org/a-day-of-joy/>

FFY Faith Formation Youth Activities Calendar

Sunday	Oct. 10	2:00-3:30	Confirmation Class	Parish Hall
Wednesday	Oct. 13	6:30-8:00	Youth Ministry Group	Parish Hall
Sunday	Oct. 17	2:00-3:30	Confirmation Class	Parish Hall

Prayers & Sympathy: Please pray for the eternal rest of *Jeanette Hayes* (sister of John Brooks/wife of Wes Hayes), *Dale Monholland* (nephew of Sandi Bires), *Scotty Soczka* (nephew Annie Mae Kingston), and *Eleanor Crayne* (previous parishioner of St Anthony) who passed away last week. Please keep their families in your prayers that God may comfort them through this time of grief and loss.

Birthdays & Anniversaries: Oct 10-Oct 16

Happy Birthday!

St. Pius X

October 12 Jerry Pidcock
October 13 Anthony Schiaretti

St. Anthony of Padua

October 10 Avery Zaim

Happy Anniversary!

St. Pius X

October 04 Jeff & Charlotte Riedfort
October 10 PJ & Tracy Thomason
October 12 Frank & Brenda Schiaretti

St. Anthony of Padua

Knights of Columbus 2021 Rosary Rally will be held on Saturday October 16 at 12:00 noon at the Dolly McNutt Plaza (*the fountain area across the street from the Paducah/McCracken Co. library*). October is a month of many pro-life prayers so come join others as we invoke Our Lady Fatima's prayers too for healing and peace in our land. Please come to join us for this beautiful opportunity for public prayer.

Save Aluminum Can Pull Tabs: To help families staying at the Ronald McDonald House through their children's surgeries in the neighboring hospitals in Louisville or Nashville. We have a basket by church doors to drop in.

St Pius X Mass Assignments: Saturday, October 16, 2021

Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers / Greeters	Money Counters
Volunteer	Paula Schmidt	Suzette Whittington	Volunteer (Usher) Volunteer (Usher) Volunteer (Greeter) Volunteer (Greeter)	

Mass Assignments: Sunday, October 17, 2021

Schiaretti Family	Mike Bowling	Amanda Scheidegger	Volunteer (Usher) Volunteer (Usher) Volunteer (Greeter)	Nancy Singleton Rich Derry
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Protect our Children: Report and Seek Help against Abuse: The safety of our children is the responsibility of every Christian. Anyone aware of the abuse of a person under the age of eighteen is required by law to report this to the proper state authorities local law enforcement or the Kentucky Child Abuse Hotline (toll-free: 1-877-597- 2331). To report abuse to the diocese, current or past, by anyone acting in the name of the Church (paid or volunteer), call Louanne Payne, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator (English) on the confidential phone line: 270-852-8380, or Susan Montalvo-Gesser/Miguel Quintanilla, Pastoral Assistance Coordinators (Spanish): 270-880-8360. The Diocese of Owensboro's sexual abuse policy is available this parish, on the bulletin board, in the parish office, and also on the diocesan website (<https://owensborodiocese.org/safe>).

Remember in Prayer

St. Pius X: Joey Elder, Jeffrey Frizzell, Kaileigh Row, Chevelle Allen, Henry Feezor, John Campbell, Lisa Hammond, Rose Grossius, Bennett Meisenheimer, Neil Trammell, Peter Bullock, Jim & Rose Drury, Wes Hayes, Mike Norvell, Maryann Huebschmann, Shirley Mangan, Kenny Matthews, Dora Miller, Miller Meisenheimer, Joann Najgebauer, Elizabeth Nelson, Johnny Poe, Joel Rivera, Carol Ross, Marty Tyskling, Lonnie Vogler, Brenda Waitke, Gary Walters, Andrew Walton, Larry Wenzel, Anna Williams, Dawn Williams, Wilma Lejuene, Lori Butler, Isabella Hamilton, Dr. Danny Butler, Cameron Richmond, Brad Longsworth, Matthew Black, 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, Ericka Karpstein, Joanna Cooper, Carolyn Outland, Angel Thompson, Kaye Poyner, Jerry Huebschmann, Dorothy Henry, Bob & Lois Tashjian, Rita Cook, Hannah Padgett, Juliette Kaplanes, Jack Bender, Penny Maupin, Don Kemp, Sharon Olejnicak, Tim Wilson, Beverly Dukes, Bill Norvell, Wallace Hunt, Phyllis White, Judy Krouse, Kerry Frazier, Rene Harrington, Joe Cirrito, Lisa Doyle, Forrest Michael Teeters, David Kroll, Cameron Brewer, Stefanie Wilkerson-Barragan, Hugo Santos, Sharon Gibbons, Lori Blades, Wayne Viniard, Braydn Barnett, and their families and caregivers

St. Anthony of Padua: Juan Gonzalez, Elena Carey, Donna & Jon Gresham, Bob Decker, Bill Rodgers, Tom & Margie Sheppard, Bob & Lois Tashjian, Mr. Driskill, Margaret Adams, Pat Gorbett, Ed Derringe, Charles Paulius, Helen Krivan, Imogene Ramey, Bob Lang and their families and caregivers.

Pray for Our Military

St. Pius X: Julianne Utley, Daniel Burgess, James Griffith, Cory Erickson, Justin Fatum, James A. Kinsey, Sarah Martindale, Devin McFadden, Benjamin Patton, Kousuke Sasaki, Noah Willett, Amanda Wojahn and Luke Jablonski.

St. Anthony of Padua: Joel Dumbacher, Matt Elder, Kathleen Erickson, Scott Erickson, Cory Erickson, Jason Huber, James A. Kinsey, Jay Lockhart, Sarah Martindale, Devin McFadden, Rvan M. Fields, LeAnne Neal, and Kousuke Sasaki.

St. Pius X

Mass Intentions October 11 – October 17		
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Stella & Leonard Francois
Wednesday	8:00 am	Irene Rudnicki
Thursday	8:00 am	Kaye Haas
Friday	8:00 am	R.W. Spencer
Saturday	4:30 pm	Raymond Dowdy
Sunday	10:00 am	Alex Holmen

WEEKLY DONATIONS

Parish Hall Donation (10/3/21)	\$ 75.00
Budget for 2021/2022 Fiscal Year (July 2021-June 2022)	\$ 180,000.00
Donation Need Each Week	\$ 3,461.54
Weekly Donation (10/3/21)	\$ 2,445.00
Online Giving (10/3/21)	\$ TBA
Total Week's Gift Offering 10-3	\$ 2,520 nc online yet
Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 45,472.00

Every Wednesday Bible Study

at 10:00 am St Anthony Church



Come study the Sunday Mass readings with a group as a wonderful preparation to find even more grace in Sunday Celebrations.

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Parish Council

Pam Hurst	Chair Person
Jeff Outland	Building & Ground
Larry Krouse	Secretary
Robert Weekes	Finance
Dawn Whitt	Spiritual Life
Catherine Broks	FFY

Bereavement Committee

Fran Dacus

Other Groups

Finance Council	Harold Dacus, Chair
Art & Decorations	Paula Schmidt
Knights of Columbus	Michael Canon

St. Anthony of Padua

Mass Intentions October 11 – October 17		
Wednesday	9:00 am	Richard & Marie Klohr
Friday	9:00 am	John & Anne Bradshaw
Sunday	8:00 am	Drury Family

WEEKLY DONATIONS

Budget 2021/2022 Fiscal Year (July 2021-June 2022)	\$ 72,000.00
Donation Need Each Week	\$ 1,386.54
Weekly Donation 10/3/2021)	\$ 976.00
Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 22,869.00

Thank you so much for your faithful generosity! The Parishes and the Church's Mission depends on you!

Livingston County Helping Hands



Non perishable items needed: paper towels, toilet paper, laundry detergent, shampoo (adult & baby), bath soap, diapers, baby wipes, feminine hygiene products, dish soap, coffee, tea, mac and cheese, sugar, flour, cereal, peanut butter, jelly, tuna, salmon, canned fruits, canned vegetables. Collection container is in back of the church for your donated items.

Thank you for your generosity!

St Anthony Mass Assignments – October 17, 2021

Lector	Wayne Bradshaw
Eucharistic Ministers	Mike Drury
Ushers/Greeters	Kelly Noonan Kevin Diamond
Server	Mike Drury
Money Counters	Shara Parish Kevin Diamond

St Anthony Parish Council: We welcome *Steve Wilkes and Kelly Noonan* as our newest members recently elected. We are grateful for each candidate's willingness to be nominated and potentially serve. We also thank Nick Zaim for his past service on parish council as he rotates off the council. Thank you.

Parish Council

Roy McFadden	Chair Person
Mike Drury	Vice Chair/Building & Ground
Debbie Owens	Secretary/Family Life
Shara Parish	Finance/ Building & Ground

The Holy Sacraments: Preparation for and Reception of the Sacraments

- + **MARRIAGE:** 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.
- + **ANointing OF THE SICK:** Is offered to anyone ill, infirmed, or prior to surgery. Contact Fr. Brian at (270) 668-7675 (Emergency)
- + **CONFESSiON:** Saturday at 3:30 St Pius; or please ask Fr Brian before any mass, or to set an appt, please call him at 270-395-4727
- + **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:** 2nd & 4th Thursdays of each month during office hours (9 am-2 pm). Call the office at (270) 395-4727
- + **Bulletin information:** Must be submitted to the office by 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday. Email: stpiusx@stpiusx.us