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29th Sunday Ordinary Year B Mark 10:35-45



James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to Jesus and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." He replied, "What do you wish me to do for you?" They answered him, "Grant that in your glory we may sit one at your right and the other at your left." Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Can you drink the cup that I drink or be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?" They said to him, "We can." Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink, you will drink, and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized, but to sit at my right or at my left is not mine to give but is for those for whom it has been prepared." When the ten heard this, they became indignant at James and John. Jesus summoned them and said to them, "You know that those who are recognized as rulers over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones make their authority over them felt. But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many."

Poem Excerpt: "Can You Drink the Cup?"

By Scott Surrency, O.F.M. Cap

Can you drink the cup?

Yes, you — with your insecurities,
visible and invisible.

You with the doubts that nibble around the edges
and the ones that devour in one great big gulp.

You with your impetuous starts and youth-like
bursts of love and devotion.

You with your giving up too soon — or too late —
and being tyrannically hard on yourself.

You with your Yes, but's and I'm sorry's — again.
Yes, you — but with my grace.

Can you drink the cup?

Weekly Mass Readings

October 17–October 23

Sunday 10/17	Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45
Monday 10/18	2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9
Tuesday 10/19	Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday 10/20	Rom 6:12-18/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday 10/21	Rom 6:19-23/Lk 12:49-53
Friday 10/22	Rom 7:18-25a/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday 10/23	Rom 8:1-11/Lk 13:1-9

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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**

† Weekend Mass

Sunday- 8:00 am

† Daily Mass

Wednesday-9:00 am
Friday-9:00 am

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

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FROM THE PASTOR



Dear St Pius And St Anthony Churches,

29th Sunday Ordinary Time Year B

Mark 10:35-45

“When the ten heard this, they became indignant at James and John” (Mark 10:41) Do you question what has got the ‘Ten’ all worked up? I wonder if they are more mad at themselves for not getting to Jesus first as they let James and John beat them to this ‘pet’ favored position beside Jesus? Or are they just straight up mad at James and John, because James & John pushed this ‘competitive-envy’ edge into relationships among the apostles? (Could we have seen this coming, since Jesus nicknamed them ‘Sons of Thunder in Mark 3:17?) Regardless, because in both situations, Jesus wants no part of such ‘pushing’ or ‘jockeying’ for position among his apostles. Christian leadership is never about ‘power’ over others. It does not force others into one’s own idea of God’s will, but releases them to freely embrace God’s direction in his/her own call from God. Christian authority frees others, it does not force them (St Paul says, ‘For freedom, you were set free’ Galatians 5:1). In Mark 10:42, Jesus brings up how Gentile authorities lord their office positions over other people (see the whole chapter 23 of Matthew to see how Jesus condemned when religious authorities play such power games, too). As clear as anything, Jesus says, “it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all” (Mark 10:43-44). For Jesus, the leader is the servant, and power is service! A Christian has power to the degree he/she serves others (liberates them by serving them). Of course, this turns the world’s idea of power upside down. Any boss can issue an order and say anything he/she likes, but what gets the job done are the hands/feet of the servant-workers. Jesus is saying that the Kingdom of God is not a matter of ‘tell-agrams’ issued from high command but rather the humble work accomplished in the mix on the ground. It is the flesh and bodies in the trenches that make words real and alive. I heard someone question once, “Everyone runs around saying, ‘I want to lead this-make me boss, I will show them.’ What is holding you back? another person responded, ‘Yes, go ahead and show leadership-get something done!’ Step-up, and lead. Start-Be the first- Do yourself what you want to tell everyone else to do! That is so true - the ones running around crying about wanting to be ‘leaders’, well, they aren’t inspiring anyone to work. They only want a title to tell other people what they themselves should be doing! Jesus says to his apostles, “Stop. That is not Kingdom. Lead from the bottom-the Servant is the strongest.” (To read more about how different Jesus’ leadership is from the world’s way, see Luke 22:25-27-table service & John 13:13-16-feet washing). Unfortunately, it might not be until Jesus’ death on the cross and resurrection, before the student-apostles take proper notes on Jesus’ leadership lessons. But, they start making the grade once Pentecost occurs!

How about Jesus’ mysterious prophecy about ‘drinking the cup’ and ‘being baptized’? In Mark 10: 38 Jesus says, “You do not know what you are asking. Can you drink the cup that I drink or be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?” I find two sacraments in that statement: 1) Baptism by its own name, and 2) Eucharist, sharing in the common cup. John in his gospel highlights these sacraments through other events in Jesus’ life. For example, in John 2 we see the Holy Eucharist being introduced as a sharing in Christ’s life through the miraculous transformation of water to wine (John 2:9-10) signifying the cup while in same chapter, Jesus goes on to refer to his saving Body (John 2:19-21) that raises up those who embrace it (instituting His Body/Blood as the NEW TEMPLE). That is Eucharist, and then in John 3-4 Jesus teaches about baptism. Jesus first teaches of the need of baptism-rebirth to Nicodemus, and then Jesus proceeds to reveal to the woman at the well, that He is the ‘Living Water’ we all need (John 4:14). These examples do involve reading the whole encounters (entire chapters of John’s gospel), but we can also find shorter references to these life-giving sacraments at the foot of the cross when we hear that as Jesus died on the cross-after the soldier pierces his body’s side, “immediately blood (Eucharist) and water (Baptism) flowed out (John 19:34). For lengthier reads, I encourage reviewing the entire chapters 3 & 4 of John for Baptism Teaching, and chapters 2 & 6 for Eucharistic Teaching. John’s gospel is always worth the extra time so we can mine out the depth from Jesus’ revelatory words and dramatic action. And we won’t exhaust it on a first reading, as we can see clearly through the lives of the apostles as they took several teaching episodes from Jesus before His meaning sunk into their hearts. Even at the Last Supper, we can hear Jesus tell them, “What I am doing, you do not understand now, but you will understand later” (John 13:7). So if we don’t fully understand, we will soon, and so we stay with Him until then! 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. It looks to be a great time for everyone. There will be music by Randy Lanham.

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

FFY Faith Formation Youth Calendar of Activities

Sunday	Oct. 17	11:00-11:45am	1st Reconciliation Class	Parish Hall
Sunday	Oct. 17	2:00-3:30	Confirmation Class	Parish Hall
Wednesday	Oct. 20	6:30-7:30p	Confirmation Class - Zoom	online
Sunday	Oct. 24	11:30-1:30	Nature Walk for	Old Park, Calvert

Swamp Soiree: Marshall Co Exceptional Ctr Fundraiser

Sunday Oct 17th, from 1-3 pm, MCEC will host its annual "Exceptional Sunday" Open House, to celebrate its friends, families and clients. This year's open house is a 'drive thru' for you to come by and see the Center, and drop off a donation and pick-up a Cajun Meal. This fundraiser is a major support for our services to the developmentally and intellectually disabled. You can RSVP to 270-527-1327 for a pick-up meal as you drop off a donation, or mail in a donation. MCEC: 198 Old Symposia Rd. Benton. KY 42025

Prayers & Sympathy:

Please pray for the eternal rest of Raymond Loxley (father of David Loxley) who passed away last week. Please keep David and all his family in your prayers that God may comfort them through this difficult time. Also, to send Wes Hayes condolences on the recent passing of his wife Jeanette, email hayeswesley12@gmail.com

Birthdays & Anniversaries: Oct 17-Oct 23

Happy Birthday!

St. Pius X

- October 17 Lanie Pellegrin
- October 18 Julie Weekes
- October 18 Robert Weekes
- October 19 Judy Krouse
- October 21 Bill Patton
- October 21 Brenda Schiaretta

St. Anthony of Padua

- October 17 Linsey Lucas
- October 21 Shannon Tutor

Happy Anniversary!

St. Pius X

No anniversaries this week

St. Anthony of Padua

No anniversaries this week

St Pius X Mass Assignments: Saturday, October 23, 2021

Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers / Greeters	Money Counters
Volunteer	Nancy Glover	Midge Oswald	Volunteer (Usher) Volunteer (Usher) Volunteer (Greeter) Volunteer (Greeter)	

Mass Assignments: Sunday, October 24, 2021

Volunteer	Pam Hurst	Jimmy Harbison	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, call Louanne Payne, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator (English) on the confidential phone line: 270-852-8380, or Susan Montalvo-Gesser (Spanish): 270-880-8360. The Diocese's sexual abuse policy is available 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 Longworth, 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, 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, Ryan M. Fields, LeAnne Neal, and Kousuke Sasaki.

St. Pius X

Mass Intentions October 18 – October 24		
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Pansy & Lou Bullock
Wednesday	8:00 am	Chester Rudnicki
Thursday	8:00 am	Chris Buffington
Friday	8:00 am	Tim Haas
Saturday	4:30 pm	Tyler Holmen
Sunday	10:00 am	Kalynn & Tom Forsythe

WEEKLY DONATIONS	
Parish Hall Donation (10/10/21)	\$ 1,208.00
Budget for 2021/2022 Fiscal Year (July 2021-June 2022)	\$ 180,000.00
Donation Need Each Week	\$ 3,461.54
Weekly Donation (10/10/21)	\$ 2,626.00
Online Giving (10/3/21+10/10/21)	\$ 2,641.00
Total Week's Offering 10-10-21	\$ 5,267.00
Fiscal Year to Date (updated)	\$ 48,359.00

Online Giving: To sign up, visit our website at www.stpiusx.us and click on the link for "online giving" to set up your account. If you need any assistance, please call the parish office.

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 Parish Council: We welcome Catie Weekes, and alternate Gary Traylor, as our newest members recently elected. We are grateful for each candidate's willingness to be nominated and potentially serve. Congratulations to our newest members and we look forward to future planning and parish activities.

Parish Council

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

Bereavement Committee

Fran Dacus

Other Groups

Finance Council	Harold Dacus, Chair
Art & Decorations	Paula Schmidt

St. Anthony of Padua

Mass Intentions October 18 – October 24		
Wednesday	9:00 am	Richard & Virginia Klohr
Friday	9:00 am	Reba Jeffery
Sunday	8:00 am	Kerr Family

WEEKLY DONATIONS	
Budget 2021/2022 Fiscal Year (July 2021-June 2022)	\$ 72,000.00
Donation Need Each Week	\$ 1,386.54
Weekly Donation 10/10/2021)	\$ 882.00
Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 23,751.00

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. There is a collection container at the back of the church for your donated items.

Thank you for your generosity!

St Anthony Mass Assignments – October 24, 2021

Lector	Mike Drury
Eucharistic Ministers	Shara Parish
Prayers of the Faithful	
Ushers/Greeters	Kelly Noonan Kevin Diamond
Server	Shara Parish
Money Counters	Shara Parish Kevin Diamond

Consider attending a daily mass! Daily Mass is a great opportunity to thank God for blessings and to dedicate one's day to service of God and recharging one's prayer!

Parish Council

Roy McFadden	Chair Person
Mike Drury	Vice Chair/Building & Ground
Debbie Owens	Secretary/Family Life
Shara Parish	Finance/ Building & Ground
Kelly Noonan	Social/Spiritual Concern
Steve Wilkes	Spiritual/Faith Formation

Bereavement Committee

Pat Gorbett (270)362-3377

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