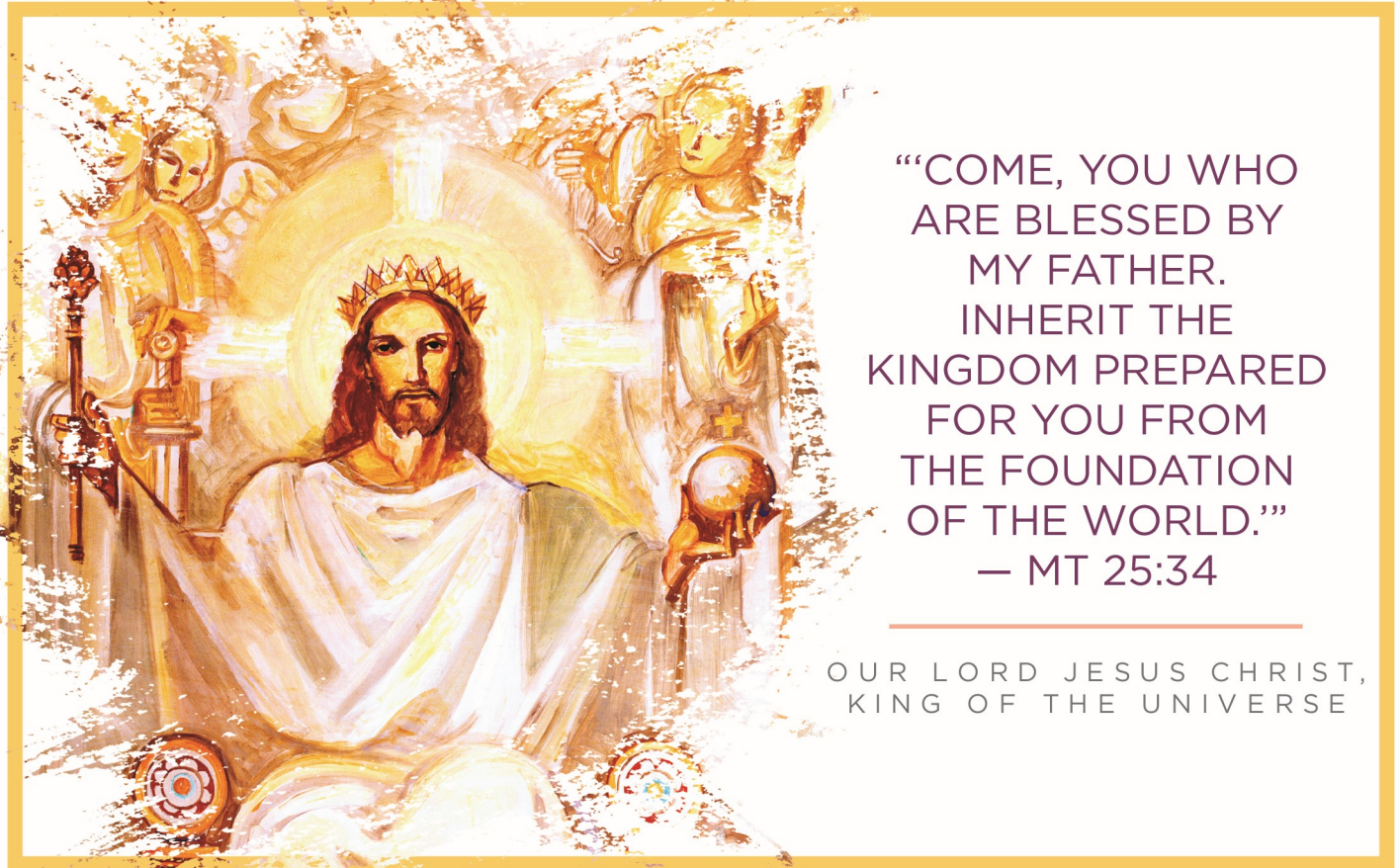




# St. Pius Tenth CATHOLIC CHURCH

November 21st-22nd, 2020



“COME, YOU WHO  
ARE BLESSED BY  
MY FATHER.  
INHERIT THE  
KINGDOM PREPARED  
FOR YOU FROM  
THE FOUNDATION  
OF THE WORLD.”  
— MT 25:34

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,  
KING OF THE UNIVERSE

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*The Church community of St. Pius Tenth hears the call to a deep, personal relationship with God in Jesus Christ. We commit ourselves to living and sharing our Catholic faith guided by the Holy Spirit and expressed in love.*

## Mass Schedule

**Saturday:** 5:00 PM  
**Sunday:** 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM  
**Monday and Friday:** 8:00 AM  
**Tuesday and Thursday:** 12:00 Noon  
**Wednesday:** 6:00 PM  
**Holy Day Vigil:** 6:00 PM  
**Holy Day:** 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM  
**Confession:** Saturdays at 12-1:00 PM  
**Adoration:** First Friday of the month  
9 AM—8 PM

**Bulletin Deadline:** Monday at Noon



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# Worship & Prayer

**Pray for the Sick:** Cecilia Aud, Lois Davis, Axel Fleischmann, Larry Harralson, Dorothy Mattingly, Alex McGehee, Theresa Murphy, Dan Murray, Corky and Elaine Norcia, JR Payne, Agnes Powers, Cindy Reed, Robert Shrewsberry, Ron Tucker, Sharon Warren, Carrie Weaver, James Wimsatt.

**Carmel Home:** Eugene Head, Audline Johnson, Margaret Richeson, Randal Richeson

**Owensboro Center:** Cecilia Aud, Peggy Livers

**Heritage:** Ed Howard

**Golden Living Center, Tell City, IN:** Joe McKay

**Pray for the Homebound:** Arch Bamberger, Tamara Burns, Louise Crowe, Richard Crowe, Wilford Crowe, Betty Greenwell, Donald & Sylvia Hamilton, Sharon Merkley, Janet Rehrauer, Nathan Rumage, Margaret VanBussum, John Williams

## **Pray for Our Military**

**Stuart Castlen:** Navy, Fort Meade, Maryland

**LTJG Patrick Clouse:** Navy; Norfolk, VA

**Sgt. Jeffery Cooper:** Iraq

**Kaleb Hedden:** Iraq

**CPT. Ben Hedges:** US Army, Ft. Knox, KY

**Sgt. Brandon Johnson:** National Guard

**Brian A. McDaniel:** Marine Corp

**Tony Pace:** National Guard

**Joshua Jones:** Army National Guard Greenville, KY

**Nathan Jones:** Army National Guard Greenville, KY

**Cory Vance:** US Marines

**Scott Wallace:** National Guard



## **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.

## **Prayer Chain Requests:**

**Joyce Yeiser:** joyceyeiser5200@gmail.com  
270-929-4914

This Thanksgiving, let us remember all the good things, and people, who have come into our lives. We focus on thanking each one who has helped us, and ultimately thank God for the good gifts of this world.

Let us pray...

God our Father,

Graciously accept from your humble people a thankful heart and spirit.

Everything we have and are able to share with others ultimately comes from your love of your creations. Often we think that everything we have is our own creation;

we ask you this day to create in us

a spirit of gratitude,

that we may always know

that all good gifts come from you.

We ask this through Christ our brother, in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.



**Sunday:** Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

8:00 am— Phillip Hagan †

11:00 am— Our Parish Family

**Monday:** St. Clement I, Pope and Martyr; St. Columban,

Abbot; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, Priest and Martyr

8:00 am—Jeff Hedges †

**Tuesday:** St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

12:00 Noon—Nick & Carolyn Howard, Anniversary

**Wednesday:** St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr

6:00 pm—Terri Murphy, Birthday

**Thursday:** Thanksgiving Day

8:00 am —Daniel Fuzz Blair †

**Friday:** 8:00 am—Tom Fogle †

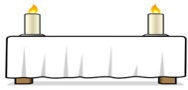
**Saturday:** The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

5:00 pm—Dora McCarty †

**Next Sunday:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent

8:00 am—Robert Hood †

11:00 am—Our Parish Family



### Weekly Mass Count

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday Printing Schedule, the numbers are not available for this week.

## Why Do We Do That?

### What is Eucharistic Adoration?

The practice of Eucharistic Adoration is a centuries old ritual and falls within a broader category of devotions and rituals that are associated with the Sacrament of the Eucharist. In a particular way, Eucharistic Adoration is an extension of the worship and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament that occurs in every Mass. In a long-standing practice, a period of Eucharistic Adoration often ends with “benediction,” the blessing of the faith with the Blessed Sacrament. Several parishes throughout the United States have introduced the practice of perpetual Eucharistic Adoration, while other communities have the custom of shorter periods of Eucharistic Adoration. Care should always be taken that these periods of adoration respect the instructions outlined in *Holy Communion and Worship of the Eucharist Outside of Mass*, the liturgical book that gives the instructions for the proper celebration of Eucharistic Adoration. Although adoration of the Blessed Sacrament can never take the place of Eucharistic Communion, many Catholics find great comfort and consolation in their prayers before the Eucharist enshrined in the tabernacle or when it is exposed in the monstrance (both are equally valid, as the Christ is not more present in one than in the other). But when we consider our Eucharistic devotions, it is always important to remember the fundamental connection these acts of devotion have with the celebration of the Eucharist in the Mass and reception of Christ in Communion.

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## MUSIC MINISTRY

fzelinka@stpiustenthparish.org

### Daily Mass Music: Tuesday, 12pm Noon

#### Musician’s Schedule: Nov. 28-29, 2020

**5 PM** Francis & Kim Bennett

**8 AM** Francis, Don & Linda Logsdon

**11 AM** Francis & Rebekah Lewis

# Liturgical Life

## Minister Schedule for November 28-29

### Sat, 5:00 PM

Fr. Tom Buckman	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 2
Steve Hollman	Lector - Lector 1
Libby Johnson	Greeter - Greeter D-1
Katelyn Storm	Greeter - Greeter D-2
Robert Freels	Usher - Captain/Usher 1
Joe Brooks	Usher - Usher 2

### Sun, 8:00 AM

Fr. Tom Buckman	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 2
Mark Howard	Lector - Lector 1
Peyton Hagan	Greeter - Greeter D-1
Audrey Hagan	Greeter - Greeter D-2
Eddie Mattingly	Usher - Captain/Usher 1
Stephen Boarman	Usher - Usher 2

### Sun, 11:00 AM

Fr. Tom Buckman	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 2
Caty Knight	Lector - Lector 1
Cheryl Gerteisen	Greeter - Greeter D-1
James Gerteisen	Greeter - Greeter D-2
Paul A. Payne	Usher - Captain/Usher 1
Matt Knight (sub req.)	Usher - Usher 2

## Readings for the week of November 22, 2020

**Sunday:** Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23:1-2, 2-3, 5-6 [1]/  
1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46

**Monday:** Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6  
[cf. 6]/Lk 21:1-4

**Tuesday:** Rv 14:14-19/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13 [13b]/  
Lk 21:5-11

**Wednesday:** Rv 15:1-4/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8, 9  
[Rev 15:3b]/Lk 21:12-19

**Thursday:** Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3,  
4, 5 [Rev 19:9a]/Lk 21:20-28

**Friday:** Rv 20:1-4, 11—21:2/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a  
[Rev 21:3b]/Lk 21:29-33

**Saturday:** Rv 22:1-7/Ps 95:1-2, 3-5, 6-7ab  
[1 Cor 16:22b]/Lk 21:34-36

**Next Sunday:** Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/Ps 80:2-3,  
15-16, 18-19 [4]/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37

# Faith Formation

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations



## Happy Thanksgiving!

You are in my grateful prayers for the ways you model the life of Jesus here, SPX!

## DRIVE-BY ADVENT FAMILY KITS—TODAY!

**Sunday, November 22, from 9:30-10:30 am**, you may drive by the east end of the Parish Hall up the hill and out the other side to pick up your family Advent activity kit for **any Parish family with children, K-8**.

## THANKS FOR CATECHISTS' ASSISTANCE

Thanks to those catechists who are preparing and assembling the **Advent/Christmas Season Family Kits**. We hope that you will enjoy the Advent activities. If you missed the drive-by for your family kit, please stop by the office this week to pick it up. This will help you and your children to get through some weeks at home in the Holy Spirit.

## MYANMAR PARISH IN NEED

Fr. Timothy is building a new church, understanding that they were to receive certain grants for its completion. Now the grants have “dried up” due to Covid expenses. Rosemary Trowbridge, friend of Fr. Timothy, will at SPX after all the Masses next weekend to conduct a fundraiser: 3 (corrected) new Hallmark Christmas ornaments for a donation of \$10. Please help if you are able.

## ALPHA for EVANGELIZATION

Our Parish **ALPHA** team invites you to join us in prayer to the Holy Spirit. If you want to pledge a particular type of prayer or time of day or week that you will pray, please let **Donna Favors** know about it. She is our **ALPHA** prayer coordinator (270-313-2701).

# Youth Group

## MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

Remember that we will have some guidelines that are super important. There will be a temp. check as you come into the youth room, all must wear a mask (over their nose) throughout the duration of our meetings, as well as regular hand washing. With these strict guidelines we ask that if you do not feel well that you stay home as well as if we have to start being the “mask police” we will have to stop meeting till we are cleared.

**SMALL GROUP WEEK! We will be working on doing something fun with each of our small group for the next couple weeks.**

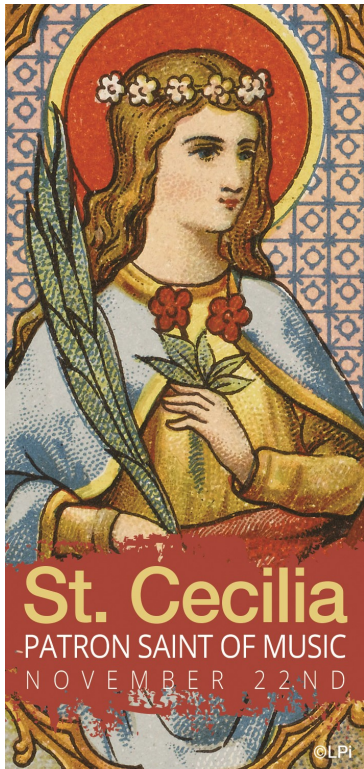
If you have any questions, comments, concerns, worries, or fears please contact me via phone at 270-454-0404!

**REMEMBER, IF YOU FEEL SICK STAY HOME!**

## Text Updates

As things continue to stay crazy please remember to sign up for our text updates. We use the REMIND app to help inform when we meet for youth as well as cancelations. You can join by texting @spxhs11 (High School), @spxms22 (Middle School), or @spxp33 (Parents) to 81010. You can also join by sending me your name in a text to (270)454-0404. THIS IS SUPER IMPORTANT as we may need to cancel last minute due to numbers spiking in cases!

Matthew Knight, Youth Minister  
[mknight@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto:mknight@stpiustenthparish.org)



The church office will be **closed** on November 26th & 27th.  
Happy Thanksgiving from all of us at St Pius Tenth!

An email was sent out to the parish with a Christmas mass survey. This is just to gather information to make sure we are able to accommodate everyone at the masses. You can complete the survey on our website, [stpiustenthparish.org](http://stpiustenthparish.org)

Due to the circumstances surrounding Covid-19 and the holiday bulletin publishing schedule, dates and times of events are subject to change. Please contact the parish office/the event coordinator to confirm dates if unsure.

## St. Pius X Daycare

**Director: Brook Mattingly**  
[bmattingly@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto:bmattingly@stpiustenthparish.org)  
**Assistant Director: Jen Howard**  
[jhoward@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto:jhoward@stpiustenthparish.org)

- Daycare will be closed Thurs., Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> & Fri., Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>
- 1's & 2's Cozy Corner Curriculum: On the Move (exploring the world)
- 2's & 3's Creative Curriculum: Ball Study
- Preschool Literasci Curriculum: Color Theory (diversity, letter Ww, & art show)
- Student of the Week: Preschool A- Zac, Way to Go, Preschool B- Dawson, Great Job!

**Wed., Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> – Turkey Day Shirt**



# Our Community

Congratulations to **Paul and Judy Brown**, who celebrated their **50th Wedding Anniversary** on **November 20th**.

*May God Bless you on your special milestone!*

\*Last weeks bulletin had a mistake, listing their last name as Payne instead of Brown. We apologize for any confusion!

### “Praying with Mary Through Advent” online Dec. 5

Join us as we contemplate Mary’s pregnancy with Jesus and our own spiritual journeys – honoring both through the stages of struggle and celebration. This online retreat will take place on Saturday, Dec. 5 from 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m., offered by the Mount Saint Joseph Conference and Retreat Center, Maple Mount. The class will be led by Rebekah Wagner of Owensboro, a chaplain and spiritual director who has a passion for companioning others who seek to live an integrated life. The fee for this online Zoom class is \$25. To register, call 270-229-0206 or email [retreatcenter@maplemount.org](mailto:retreatcenter@maplemount.org) or register online at <https://ursulinesmsj.org/registration-form-for-sponsored-programs/>

### ‘Dadvent 2020’

It’s been a long and stressful year for most of us. Which means this Advent could be an especially powerful one as we prepare our hearts for the coming of Jesus at Christmas.

**Dadvent** is a virtual gathering of husbands and fathers from across the Diocese who will gather online through Zoom video conferencing **each Sunday night of Advent at 8:00 pm** to reflect on the Sunday readings and share in a time of fellowship together.

There is no cost, but we are asking men to register for #Dadvent2020 at <https://bit.ly/3kTFfED> so we can email the access link to you for security reasons.

For questions, contact **Danny May** in the Office of Marriage & Family Life, **270-683-1545**.

# Stewardship & Service

## WEEKLY GIVING

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday printing schedule, numbers are not available yet for the November 14/15 weekend. These numbers will be available next weekend in the bulletin for the 28/29.

For online giving:

<http://bit.ly/StpxOboro>

or scan our QR code:



#GivingTuesday, an annual event held on the first Tuesday of December each year, is coming up! Look for a flyer next week with more information on how to donate.

We are entering the final stretch of our Stewardship Ministry Pledge Campaign. If your family has not yet completed your Stewardship form you can access a digital copy on our website:

[www.stpiustenthparish.org/stewardship.html](http://www.stpiustenthparish.org/stewardship.html)

### Safe Environment:

To report suspected abuse, call the Kentucky Child Protection Hot Line: 1-877-597-2331 (Toll Free) or contact your local Commonwealth Attorney 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) at 270-852-8380, or Nuria Elizondo, Pastoral Assistance coordinator (Spanish) at 270-880-8360. You may also visit the Office of Safe Environment ([owensborodiocese.org/safe](http://owensborodiocese.org/safe)) for more information.



The Annual Advent Giving Tree is available in the back of the Parish Hall Church! This year St Pius Tenth will be collecting money donations to help give children in local schools a special Christmas.

Please be generous in this week's special collection for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development**. In the United States, one in six people lives in poverty. With this collection, you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect will remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at:

[www.usccb.org/cchd/collection](http://www.usccb.org/cchd/collection)

**November Altar Linens :** Mary Jo Westerfield

**God's Housekeepers: November 23-28**

Lisa Sisk

Lisa Haynes

Debbie & Gary

Daugherty

Joe & Sally Brooks



**St. Vincent DePaul:** Volunteers are available on Tuesday and Thursday mornings 9-11:00 AM.

### Parish Staff

**Pastor**—Fr. Tom Buckman

**Dir. of Faith Formation**—Sr. Suzanne Sims O.S.U.

**Business Manager**—Jeanie Lewis

**Office Associate**—Sara Lewis

**Facilities Manager**—Nick Spinks

**Building and Grounds**—Ed Mattingly

**Director of Music**—Francis Zelinka

**Youth/Young Adult Ministry**—Matt Knight

**Daycare Director**—Brook Mattingly

**Daycare Asst. Dir.**—Jennifer Howard

To ensure you receive emails from the staff in the parish office, please add their emails to your email contact list. You can find the emails on the parish website under the **'More Ministries'** tab. [www.stpiustenthparish.org](http://www.stpiustenthparish.org)

### ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER(S), OR EMAIL CHANGES

Please contact us at the parish office if you have any changes or incorrect information in our records. We appreciate being able to contact you to let you know about events/updates.

# Renovation

## UPDATES



### Week of November 8-14:

The windows look beautiful in our new reservation chapel. The paving of the new parking in the back of the church began this week. Some plumbing work is wrapping up outside the church, and finishing work on the drive-thru has begun.

Be sure to follow our Facebook page for more updates!

[facebook.com/SPXCathChurch](https://www.facebook.com/SPXCathChurch)

### Starting Soon:

- Preparing the grid for the dropped, oak, hanging ceiling.
- Laying the floor tile design.
- Installing opaque/art glass in windows and doors.
- Start on the outside eaves (fascia and soffit)
- Finish the ceiling and eaves and soffit for the covered drive thru.
- Begin landscaping.

*Prayerful*



*Simple*



*Beautiful*