FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 9, 2020



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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.
- + <u>BAPTISM</u>: 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.
- **t** <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.
- ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Is offered to anyone physically or emotionally ill, infirmed, or prior to surgery. Contact Fr. Brian at (270) 668-7675 (Medical or Emergency)
- St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of each month during office hours (9 am-2 pm). Call the St. Pius X office at (270) 395-4727 for help.
- + <u>Bulletin information:</u> Must be submitted to Jamie by 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday. Email: stpiusx@stpiusx.us

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

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Maintenance

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

Parish Council Members (St. Pius X)

Pam HurstChair PersonJeff OutlandBuilding & GroundLarry KrouseSecretaryRobert WeekesFinanceDawn WhittSpiritual LifeCatherine BroksFFY

Other Groups

Finance CouncilHarold Dacus, ChairArt & DecorationsPaula SchmidtKnights of ColumbusPhilip ScheideggerOnline: 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.m2:00 p.m.
Thursday	9:00 a.m2:00 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	Building & Ground-Indoor
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.
1 st Friday- Adoration	6:00 P.M.	*9:00 A.M.
Saturday	4:30 P.M.	8:00 A.M. (1 st Saturday)
Sunday	10:00 A.M.	8:00 A.M.

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

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MASS INTENTIONS For the week February 10 th -16 th					
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	David Mudd			
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Antonio Caminar			
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	The Derry Family			
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Shirley Henderson			
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Chester Rudnicki			
Sunday	Sunday 10:00 a.m. Daniel & Nancy Mudd Family				
All Mass Intentions must be turned in to the office 30 days prior to the					

date you want the Mass celebrated.

WEEKLY DONATIONS

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Parish Hall Fund Donation		
02/02/20	\$	814.00
Budget for 2019/2020 fiscal year		
(July 2019-June 2020)	\$	177,160.00
Donation Need Each Week	\$	3, 406.92
Donation 02/02/20	\$	3,630.00
Online Giving (Feb 2020)	\$	910.00
Fiscal Year to Date	\$	112,037.44

\$16.00 was collected from aluminum can recycling. If you have cans to donate for recycling, please drop into the recycling bin outside of the Church.

Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers / Greeters	Money Counters
Dominic Schiaretti	Paula Schmidt	Diane Fischer	John Morris (Usher)	
Isabella Schiaretti		Julie Weekes	Robert Weekes (Usher)	
		Suzette Whittington	Volunteer (Greeter)	
			Volunteer (Greeter)	
		Mass Assignments: Sunday	, February 16, 2020	
Pax Canon	Case Thomason	Pam Hurst	John Brooks (Usher)	Richard Derry
Cameron Thomason		Amanda Scheidegger	Philip Scheidegger (Usher)	Nancy Singleton
		James Poat	Philip Scheidegger (Greeter)	
		~	Volunteer (Greeter)	

Finance Council Meeting-Thursday, February 13 at 5:00pm OAKVIEW NURSING AND <u>REHABILITATION CTR:</u> Located on highway 62 in Possum Trot, Oakview Nursing and Rehabilitation center is

looking for volunteers to help with resident activities such as bingo and reading to residents. If interested, please contact Jenna (program director) at (270) 898-6288. Days and times are flexible.



<u>Mass Times</u> Wednesday, February 26 8:00 am 6:00 pm

<u>Mark your Calendar!</u> Youth 2000 Retreat March 6-8 (Friday-Sat-Sunday)

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Every Wednesday During Lent

6:30 pm

Beginning Wednesday, March 4

Prayer Requests **PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** John Bardsley, Bennett Meisenheimer, Peter Bullock, Jim & Rose Drury, Wes Hayes, 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, Wilma Lejuene, Lori Butler, 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, Bill Norvell, Kacie Schmidt, Stanley Frank Newby, JoAnne Carter, Wallace Hunt, Phyllis White, Judy Krouse, Kerry Frazier,

Rene Harrington, Joe Cirrito, Lisa Doyle, Phyllis White and their family and caregivers.



Mutrary: Daniel Burgess, James Griffith, Cory Erickson, Justin Fatum, 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

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MASS INTENTIONS			(July 2019-June 2020				
(F) FOR THE WEEK		Donation Need Each Week:		\$	1,386.54		
	-	February 10 th -16 th	Regular Collection -0	2/02/20	\$	1,168.00	
		cordary to to	Fiscal Year to Date		\$	46, 818.28	
<u> </u>		Mass Assignments – February 16, 2020					
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	John & Anne Bradshaw	Lector	Mike I	Drury		
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Mount St. Joseph Jubiliarians	Eucharistic Ministers	ters Steve Wilkes			
Sunday 8:00 a.m. Carol McFadden All Mass Intentions <u>must</u> be turned in to the office 30 days prior to					Margie Shepherd		
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Beginning Friday, February 28		Livingston County Helping Hands					
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Requests PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Elena Carey, Donna & Jon Gresham, Bill Rodgers, Sister Rosemary, Tom & Margie Sheppard, Bob & Lois Tashijan, Deanna Hayward, Mr. Driskill, Margeret Adams, Pat		Needs					
Gorbett, Ed Derrir	nge, Charles Pauliu	s, Helen Krivan, Betty Gonzalez, Frances	paper towels, toilet paper	, laundry detero	ent. shan	npoo, bath soan	
Scott, Alice Blazir	a and their familie	es and caregivers.	diapers, feminine hygiene	e products, dish	washing l	iquid, coffee, te	
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		@stpiusx.us					

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 iourney of salvation and to share the Good News of the Gospel.



February 9, 2020 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Mt 5:13-16

Dear St Pius X and St Anthony Church,

Is it a compliment or a challenge? Jesus says to his followers, "You are the salt of the earth" (Matt 5:13) and "You are the light of the world" (Matt 5:14). My point is that Jesus is commending his disciples for the 'extra' that they bring to people and situations. He recognizes the heartfelt compassion they exhibit to others, their drive to serve and share God's goodness with others. They are 'value adders' in His Kingdom ministry work. They bring 'added value' to interactions, and increase grace by their witness and personal touch. Yet, inside Jesus' compliment is also a continual challenge not to lose that faithful edge that makes them unique in the world. Think of Jesus' commendation as Him 'supersizing' or 'selling up' the personalized ministry and good work of the disciples. For example, when a school friend or company manager compliments you on good work consistently done, we assume correctly that it applies to past work. Yes, but it also carries a forward expectation of such continued excellence in future work. I think such comments are saying, "Your touch makes a difference, *so don't stop making that difference*." Next weekend, we will hear Jesus further identify this added difference that He expects of His disciples when He says "Unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter into the kingdom of heaven" (Matt 5:20). Jesus raises the bar for His own disciples. Several years ago there was a popular self-improvement book titled, "What got you here, won't get you there". It discussed stubborn habits that hold us back from continuing to grow and excel (by exposing our typical resistance to change behaviors). Or do you remember the popular book that made the rounds of inspirational talks a couple years ago called 'Who moved my cheese?' Like Jim Collins' work on 'Going from Good to Great', these works emphasize the advantage of managing change by seeing opportunity even in collapses or setbacks (some call it 'creative destruction'). I think Jesus is branding His disciples as 'salt & light', as His way of both complimenting their accomplished successes, yet also challenging them to keep fresh their spiritual advantage.

But it pays to reflect upon Jesus' choice of 'inspiring' titles: Salt and Light. He didn't say 'You are gold' and 'You are stars'. No, I think Jesus was intentionally emphasizing the 'selflessness' (like Christ!) of 'salt' and 'light'. They are both elements that focus attention on others, instead of themselves. They are so necessary themselves, because imagine life without salt and light. But they do not want attention. They just want to do their work. They are just fine being overlooked. For example, when you dig into Thanksgiving dinner, who says, "That is some of the best salt I've ever eaten?" But we do say that the turkey is just right, so tender and moist (because of salt's tenderizing). Or notice how we mention that the green beans just melt in our mouth, seasoned just right with salt. And 'light' is just as selfless about keeping attention focused on others, and not itself. Consider when someone walks into a beautifully decorated room, and says, "That wall painting is so beautiful". The painting stands out because the spotlight focuses and pulls your eye to it, and the soft gleaming light brings out its fresh colors). Normally, we don't say 'What a beautiful light bulb!' But we do marvel over the objects that the light bulb reveals. So, also, we do not notice the salt' and 'light'. But, they are what make the whole experience so blessed! Jesus wants disciples to be that way for all other people, in every encounter.

Even though Jesus sets the standard high for His followers, He is always the 'realist' too. I think that is why he includes a mention of 'salt losing its taste'. What seasons salt, when it goes flat? I guess then we go back to the mines and get more! Of course, for us Christians, that means going back to the source, that is Christ. If we become 'flat' in taste or our light grows 'dim' we need to return to Jesus, and be renewed. Disciples do grow weary and wear thin, but that is why it is crucial to periodically be rejuvenated and refilled with Christ's presence. We call a renewing like that our 'rest with Christ' or our 'sabbath recovery'. We do it every week at Mass, but it can also happen every day in our times of prayer and recollection. Everyone needs 'Sabbath time' to rebuild, and re-energize. Think of it as salt keeping its bite, and light staying bright! Jesus wants His disciples to keep their edge, staying effective but also staying refreshed. Sometimes people run candles lit on both ends, (or leave their salt exposed to 'everyday' weather risks), but that guarantees 'burn-out' or 'barrenness'. Even though cowboys in the old wild west glamorized going out in a blaze of glory, or as Neil Young sang in his 1979 song 'My My, Hey, Hey' that 'it is better to burn out than to rust out', Jesus doesn't want his followers 'trailing out' that way. Jesus desires that His disciples know where their salt and light come from: Him. Jesus alone can keep our lights shining and salt tasty. So we have to keep with Him, to prevent losing our spiritual advantage. The extra value that Jesus wants us to share, comes from Him. As humble servants of Christ, any extra we have, comes from Jesus. He is, first and last, salt and light for everyone. Peace,

Weekly Mass Readings

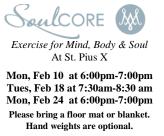
Monday	1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday	1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday	1 Kgs 10:1-10; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday	1 Kgs 11:4-13; Mk 7:24-30
Friday	1 Kgs 11:29-32, 12:19; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday	1 Kgs 12:26-32, 13:33-34; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday	Sir 15:15-20; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37
February 10	Devotional Service-11:30 am (Oakview Nursing Home) Soulcore Exercise-6:00 pm (at St. Pius X)
February 11	Lunch Bunch-11:30 am (at St. Pius X) Confession 5:30 pm-6:00 pm (St. Pius X) ; Mass- 6:00 pm (St. Pius X)
February 12	Mass-8:00 am (St. Pius X) Mass-9:00 am (St. Anthony) Weekly Scripture Reading-10:00 am (St. Anthony) Deanery Meeting-Noon(at St. Pius X) FFY: Meal: 5:45 pm-6:15 pm Class: 6:30-7:30 pm
February 13	Mass-8:00 am (St. Pius X) Finance Council Meeting-5:00 pm (St. Pius X)
February 14	Mass 8:00 am (St. Pius X) Mass-9:00 am (St. Anthony)
February 15	First Saturday Mass-8:00 am (St. Anthony) Reconciliation: 3:30-4:30 pm (St. Pius X) Mass-4:30 pm (St. Pius X)
February 16	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)

COMING TO A PARISH NEAR YOU... Nationally Renowned Catholic Lay Evangelist and Protestant Clergy Convert, Michael J. Cumbie, invites you to come and experience God's love and grace so all can be His people in word and deed. St. John the Evangelist Parish, Paducah, KY on March 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, 2020 at 6:30PM each night. For more information, contact the parish office at 270-554-3810.

Lunch Bunch-Tuesday, February 11, Chicken will be served. Please bring your favorite sides and/or desserts to share.

<u>Catholics at the Capitol:</u> Again this year, the Diocesan Social Justice Office is planning an informational day to meet and talk with legislators in Frankfort about policy and issues reflecting or not our Catholic moral teaching. March 17, 2020 is the date set, and it is an all-day visit to the Capitol. Please contact Deacon Richard Murphy at 270-683-1545 for more information to sign on to making the trip.

Fish Fry Every Friday thru Lent 4:00-7:00pm Beginning February28 at St. Pius X



Catholic Men's Conference:

Saturday February 15, River Park Owensboro, 8:30- 4:30. Great speakers leading talks on what it means to be a strong catholic man in a secular world, how to become better fathers, sons, husbands, and brothers & our obligation to evangelize! Call 270-683-1545 for more info.

<u>10th Episcopal Ordination</u> <u>Anniversary</u> February 17, 2020

Celebrate Bishop Medley's 10th Episcopal Ordination Anniversary at St. Stephen Cathedral with multicultural Vespers on Monday, February 17, 2020 at 6 PM! This is open to everyone in the diocese to attend.