SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE NOVEMBER 25, 2018





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SACRAMENTS AND SERVICES

- † 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.
- † <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> 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.
- † Bulletin information: Must be submitted to Jamie by 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday. Email: stpiusx@stpiusx.us

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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 Hurst Chair Person

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Other Groups

Finance Council Harold Dacus, Chair
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Bereavement Committee (St. Anthony)

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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

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Debbie Owens Secretary/Family Life

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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 of Each Month)
Sunday	10:00 A.M.	8:00 A.M.

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St. Pius X Parish News

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK November 26th-December 2nd

Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Poor Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Mary Cundiff
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	Robert Rehwaldt Sr.
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Erich Grech
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Bishop John McRaith
Sunday	10:00 а.т.	Phyllis Minton

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WEEKLY DONATIONS		
Parish Hall Fund Donation		
11/18/2018	\$	246.00
Budget for 2018/2019 fiscal year	\$	177,160.00
Donation Need Each Week	\$	3,406.93
Donation 11/18/2018	\$	2,391.00
Online Giving (October 2018)	\$	4,965.00
Year to Date	\$	67,907.50

Upcoming Special Collection: Retired Religious-December 8^{th} & 9^{th}

Mass Assignments: Saturday, December 1, 2018				
Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers / Greeters	Money Counters
Anthony Schiaretti Cole Scheidegger	Robert Burgess	Paula Schmidt Julie Weekes Amanda Scheidegger	Theresa Wilson (Usher) Andrew Wilson (Usher) Vicki Spencer(Greeter) Volunteer(Greeter)	
		Mass Assignments: Sunday	December 2, 2018	
Cameron Thomason Landon Shupe	Case Thomason	Patty Langford Nancy Glover Pam Hurst	Russell Tomlinson (Usher) John Brooks (Usher) Joe Cirrito (Greeter) Russell Tomlinson (Greeter)	Jan Waniel Jean Waniel



The Angel Tree is now on display. To help the Calvert Sharpe Family Resource Center give Christmas gifts to area families in need, our parish will be buying clothes to be included in these gifts. Donation envelopes are near the Angel Tree. Parishioners may place their donations in the Donation Box or place the donation envelope in the basket during the Mass Collection. Thank you for your generosity!



Online Giving Reminder: We want to thank Amanda Scheidegger, for her presentation about Online Giving. Our Sunday Visitor, is the company that conducts the secure signup and electronic transfers. If you have been thinking about it, but still have questions about security, or second collections, we do have some brochures with more information on the tables by church doors. You can start or stop at any time. Any questions at all, please ask Amanda, any parish council member or Fr. Brian.

Prayer Requests PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: John Bardsley, Bennett Meisenheimer, Peter Bullock, Barb & Joe Cirrito, Jim & Rose Drury, Roberta Fiorito, Marilyn Hayden, 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, Iceal & Wilma

Lejuene, Lori Butler, Elizabeth Brumlow, Isabella Hamilton, Dr. Danny Butler, Jeanette Hayes, Cameron Richmond, Brad Longsworth, Joy Lockhart, Fred Oswald, Magi Wilson, Kathi Larkin, 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, Rose Tillson, Eunice Reeves, Juanita Perkins, Ericka Karpstein, Joanna Cooper, Carolyn Outland, Angel Thompson, James Cudd, Kaye Poyner, Jerry Huebschmann, Derwood Doyle, and their family and caregivers.

iv: 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 and Wally Schmidt.

To add or remove names from either list, please call the parish office at 395-4727 or email at stpiusx@stpiusx.us

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

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FOR THE WEEK



November 26th –December 2nd

Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Rosie Carey
Friday	9:00 a.m.	John & Anne Bradshaw
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Alfred Judd

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Donuts & Coffee



1st Sunday of Each Month Sunday, December 2, 2018 9:00 a.m. (after Mass)



Thank You, Lois Tashjian! St Anthony Parish wishes to recognize Lois Tashjian, for her years of faithful service planning the music and playing piano/organ at our masses. Her generous sharing of musical gifts has added so much to the liturgies and the parish life. We are so grateful to you for keeping music in our prayer, and for leading the church in song! Thank you, thank you. We will keep you in our prayers as you take this time off. May God bless you and Bob, and all the family. Thank you and be assured of our prayers of support.

Your Church Family

Kousuke Sasaki.

Requests PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Joe Blum, Elena Carey, Donna & Jon Gresham, Bill Rodgers, Sister Rosemary, Tom & Margie Sheppard, Bob Tashjian, Deanna Hayward, Mr. Driskill, Margeret Adams, , Pat Gorbett, Ed Derringe, and their families and caregivers.

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

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Budget 2018/2019 fiscal year	\$ 63,600.00
(July 2018-June 2019)	
Donation Need Each Week:	\$ 1,223.08
Regular Collection -11/18/18	\$ 790.00
Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 30, 262.36

Mass Assignments – December 2, 2018		
Lector	Don Shipley	
Eucharistic Ministers	Mike Drury	
	Helen Krivan	
	Shara Parish	
Prayers of the Faithful	Pat Gorbett	
Ushers/Greeters	Nick & Jamie Zaim	
Server	Nolan/Zaim/Avery Zaim	
Money Counters	Paul & Diane Quayle	



A mailbox for the parish bookkeeper, Jamie Zaim, can be found in the Sacristy. This is to ensure all for receipts, paperwork, and other parish correspondence are received. Thank you!

St. Anthony of Padua 1st Saturday Mass Saturday, December 1, 2018 8:00 a.m.

Livingston County Helping Hands



juice, chicken broth, macaroni and cheese, cereal, cake mix, cake frosting, chili beans/ kidney beans, boxed mash potatoes, pancake mix, mixed vegetables, pancake syrup, diced/whole tomatoes, canned fruit, great northern beans, tuna helper dinner, tuna, spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, jelly, dressing/stuffing mix, peas cooking oil green beans corn, pork n beans, sweet potatoes, saltine crackers, spaghetti, flour, sugar, coffee, shampoo, toilet paper, detergent, and toothpaste

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.



November 25, 2018 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe John 18:33-37

Dear St Pius X and St Anthony Church Family,

Happy Feast of Christ the King! Today is the last day of our church calendar year, so this feast closes out our liturgical year. This feast day fittingly crowns (or caps) the year by calling Jesus by the title of the 'King of all Time', and the 'Lord of History'. The Revelation 17:14 and 19:16 call Him, "King of Kings and Lord of Lords." Jesus is the One, beginning to end, also called the Alpha and Omega (Rev 1:8).

I asked a Vacation Bible School class of students, "Who is King?" I expected someone would say, 'Jesus'. But, a child raised his hand and said, "Elvis!" I guess if his favorite sport was Nascar, he would have said, "King Richard Petty", or if he followed boxing, 'Muhammad Ali'. But kingship for Jesus is so much more than anything this world has imagined for its leader. Jesus knows that a worldly title such as 'king' doesn't capture all that He is for us. Our limited, earthbound concepts short circuit when we try to apply them to God. Jesus says in John 18:36 "My kingdom does not belong to this world." And that was not the first time that Jesus cautiously avoided public acclaim or a 'princely' title, because back in John 6:15, we heard that "Since Jesus knew the crowd was going to come and carry him off to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain alone." We should have expected all of this, though, because beginning back at Jesus' birth, God revealed what kind of king Jesus would become. At Jesus' birth, all different kinds of kings come crawling out of the woodwork to display themselves, King Caesar, King Herod and the Three Kings from the East. Of course, Caesar and Herod show themselves to be corrupt leaders only in it for their own glory, but the Three Wise Kings are on the right path. They leave behind their own power 'base' to seek the God everyone answers to, as a 'universal higher power'. The wise kings know that however powerful they may be, they are also subjects to a heavenly power above all, another Trinity (this One divine-Jesus, the Father and the Holy Spirit). And how did King Jesus appear? Unlike any other, Jesus enters our world acclaimed in the company of lowly shepherds in an out of the way place. This Jesus-King is named 'Emmanuel-God With Us' (Isaiah 7:14) and 'Prince of Peace' (Isaiah 9:5), in the family line of the Boy-Shepherd-King, David! This shepherd leader grew up knowing how to move among his people to keep them together, watching out for each one while also keeping an eye on the peripheries for any who might stray or catch approaching threats. Divine leadership for Jesus, means a king who identifies with and knows personally his own people because he lives and walks among his subjects (as Good Shepherding-John 10:11-16).

We have to ask, "What does it mean for us to call Christ our King"? Think of how many times in a day we pray the 'Lord's Prayer'. In His model of prayer for us, we ask God over and over that 'Your Kingdom come' (Luke 11:2 & Matt 6:10). We are constantly praying for God's rule over us and that we be part of His Kingdom. Yet, do we truly acknowledge God as the one in charge over us? As much as we pray, do we surrender our own wants to God? Do we let go our desire to independently rule ourselves? Do we relinquish our attempts to control others, and give up running everyone else's life for them? To have Christ as my King, means that He rules and guides me; that I serve Him and His will, not my own.

For Christ to be king it means that we do not live selfishly for ourselves, but for someone greater than us. St Paul says in Galatians 2:19 "that I might *live for God.*" To me, it is a little funny that we call this <u>last Sunday</u>. "Christ the King", instead of the first Sunday of the year. It seems this feast recognizes our human weakness, in that we humans often try every other possible means of our own, before finally coming to God in the end. After frustrating every other means to get our way, in the end, we finally let go and trust, to accepting God's will. Finally, in the end! Yet what peace would be ours if we had started the year, or the day with such humble acceptance of God as the rule and guide for us! But, maybe this is why we have Advent and Christmas next (what seems like the end of the worldly calendar, but is in fact the beginning of our new church year). Our church is telling us 'Save yourself all the trouble and mess." Put God first. Start out every effort by putting Christ first, at the head. Maybe this year will be different!

Peace and Prayers, Fr. Brian

Weekly Mass Readings

Monday Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Lk 21:1-4 Tuesday Rv 14:14-19; Lk 21:5-11 Wednesday Rv 15:1-4; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday Rv 18:1-2, 21-23, 19:1-3, 9a; Lk 21:20-28

Friday Rom 10:9-18 ; Mt 4:18-22 Saturday Rv 22:1-7; Lk 21:34-36

Sunday Jer 33:14-16; 1 Thes 3:12-4;2; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

November 26 Devotional Service-11:30 a.m. (Oakview Nursing Home)

November 27 Reconciliation-5:30-6:00 p.m. (St. Pius X)

Mass-6:00 p.m. (St. Pius X)

November 28 Mass-8:00 a.m. (St. Pius X)

Mass-9:00 a.m. (St. Anthony)

Weekly Scripture Reading-10:00 a.m. (St. Anthony)

FFY: Meal: 5:45 pm, Class: 6:30 pm

November 29 Mass-8:00 a.m. (St. Pius X)

Mass-9:00 a.m. (St. Anthony)

November 30 Mass -8:00 a.m. (St. Pius X)

Mass -9:00 a.m. (St. Anthony)

December 1 1st Saturday Mass-8:00 a.m. (St. Anthony)

Reconciliation-3:30-4:30 p.m. (St. Pius X)

Mass-4:30 p.m. (St. Pius X)

December 2 Mass-8:00 a.m. (St. Anthony); Rosary: 7:30 a.m.

Donuts & Coffee-9:00 a.m. (St. Anthony) Mass -10:00 a.m. (St. Pius X) ; Rosary: 9:30 a.m.

Donuts & Coffee-11:00 a.m. (St. Pius X)

1st Sunday of Advent



Sponsored by Knights of Columbus

Sunday, December 16 After 10:00 am Mass

Pancakes and sausage will be served.

All are welcome.

Immaculate Conception Mass Schedule

Vigil Mass-

Friday, December 7^{th} –6:00 p.m. St. Pius X

Immaculate Conception Mass*Holy day of Obligation Saturday, December 8th 8:00 am- St. Pius X 9:00 m. – St. Anthony

Regular Mass Times(Dec 7th & 8th) Friday, December 7th -Mass & Adoration

- 9 am -St. Anthony

Saturday. December 8th- Mass- 4:30pm-

St. Pius X



Dec 9, Wed: St Paul, Princeton at 2pm

Dec 12, Sun: St Mark, Eddyville at 7pm

Dec 13, Thurs: St Pius X, Calvert City at 6pm

Dec 16, Sun: St Henry, Aurora at 1pm

Dec 20, Thurs: St Stephen, Cadiz at 6:30pm Rediscover the joy in preparing for Christmas. Sign up at: BestAdventEver. com/YoureInvited



The Lunch Bunch will meet on Tuesday, **December 11 at 11:30 a.m.** at the St. Pius X Parish Hall. Please bring your favorite holiday finger food or appetizers.