

**TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
SEPTEMBER 16, 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.
- † **CONFESSION:** 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:** 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*

**Pastoral Team**

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

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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
Amanda Scheidegger	Vice Chair Person/Social Concern
Jeff Outland	Building & Ground
Larry Krouse	Secretary
Robert Weekes	Finance
Dawn Whitt	Spiritual Life
Catherine Broks	FFY

**Other Groups**

<i>Finance Council</i>	<i>Harold Dacus, Chair</i>
<i>Art &amp; Decorations</i>	<i>Paula Schmidt</i>
<i>Knights of Columbus</i>	<i>Philip Scheidegger</i>

*Online: kofcknights.org/CouncilSite/?CNO=10988*

**Bereavement Committee (St. Anthony)**

<i>Helen Krivan</i>	<i>(270) 559-7586</i>
<i>Pat Gorbett</i>	<i>(270)362-3377</i>

**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
Mike Drury	Vice Chair/ Building & Ground
Debbie Owens	Secretary/Family Life
Shara Parish	Finance
Bob Lehky	Social Concern
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 <sup>st</sup> Friday- Adoration	6:00 P.M.*	*9:00 A.M.
Saturday	4:30 P.M.	
Sunday	10:00 A.M.	8:00 A.M.

**St. Pius X Parish News**

**MASS INTENTIONS**



FOR THE WEEK



September 17<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>

<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>6:00 p.m.</i>	<i>Kellie Wathen</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>8:00 a.m.</i>	<i>Patti Reid</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>8:00 a.m.</i>	<i>Lonny Carey</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>8:00 a.m.</i>	<i>Bob Russell</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>4:30 p.m.</i>	<i>Don Weaver</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>10:00 a.m.</i>	<i>Leonard &amp; Ester Cox</i>

All Mass Intentions must be turned in to the office 30 days prior to the date you want the Mass celebrated.

*WEEKLY DONATIONS*

**Parish Hall Fund Donation**

<b>09/09/2018</b>	<b>\$ 345.00</b>
<b>Budget for 2018/2019 fiscal year</b>	<b>\$ 177,160.00</b>
<b>Donation Need Each Week</b>	<b>\$ 3,384.62</b>
<b>Donation 09/09/2018</b>	<b>\$ 1,777.00</b>
<b>Online Giving (thru Sept 09, 2018)</b>	<b>\$ 1,710.00</b>
<b>Year to Date</b>	<b>\$ 38,039.00</b>



Mass Assignments: Saturday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>

<b>Servers</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	<b>Ushers / Greeters</b>	<b>Money Counters</b>
Isabella Schiaretti Dominic Schiaretti	Robert Burgess	Julie Weekes Noreen Patton Paula Schmidt	Theresa Wilson (Usher) Andrew Wilson (Usher) Vicki Spencer (Greeter) Volunteer (Greeter)	

Mass Assignments: Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>

Knights of Columbus	Amanda Scheidegger	JoAnne Carter Patty Langford Mary Shupe	Knights of Columbus (Usher) Knights of Columbus (Usher) Knights of Columbus (Greeter) Knights of Columbus (Greeter)	Helen Bennett Richard Derry
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**Parish Membership Registration Update**

Everyone is asked to please complete an Update Form and return it to the Parish Office, so that we will have accurate information on file. Forms are available in the Church vestibule or on our website.

**Parish Council Meeting**

Tuesday, September 18  
6:45 p.m.

**177 Project**  
**Thursday, October 4, 2018**  
**6:45 p.m.**  
**St. Thomas More**

This fall, the 177 Project is partnering with 22 different artists to bring an evening of Eucharistic Adoration and music to every single diocese in the U.S.! On Thursday, October 4, we'll be at the St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Paducah, KY and we want you to join us. Tickets to the evening are completely free and can be picked up at your parish office or by visiting the 177project.com. Can't wait to see you there!

**Liturgical Ministry Training**



**Lectors**  
Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>  
After Mass (11:00 a.m.)




**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** John Bardsley, Jean Rayner, 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, Iceil & Wilma Lejuene, Lori Butler, Elizabeth Brumlow, Isabella Hamilton, Dr. Danny Butler, Jerry Huebschmann, Jeanette Hayes, Cameron Richmond, Brad Longsworth, Joy Lockhart, Fred Oswald, Magi Wilson, Kathi Larkin, Matthew Black, LaRece Hurst, Helen Bennett, Nannette Frizzell, Mattie, Catherine Broks, Stacey Newby, Bette Zilligen, Dorothy Henry, Ric Vaughn, Susan Sloan, Suzette Whittington, Donny Travis, Betty Derry, Lou Langford, Scott Hamilton, Connie Burt and family, Abigail Huebschmann, Lucas Hebner, Rose Drury, Rose Tillson, Eunice Reeves, Juamita Perkins, Ericka Karpstein, Joanna Cooper, Carolyn Outland, Angel Thompson, James Cudd, Beverly Doyle, and their family and caregivers.



**FOR OUR MILITARY:** 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.

**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.*

**St. Anthony of Padua Parish News**

 <p><b>MASS INTENTIONS</b> FOR THE WEEK September 17<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup></p>		
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Carol McFadden</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>John &amp; Anne Bradshaw</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Robert Echols</b>
<p>All Mass Intentions <b>must</b> be turned in to the office 30 days prior to the date you want the Mass celebrated.</p>		

Budget 2018/2019 fiscal year	\$ 63,600.00
Regular Collection -09/09/18	\$ 1,183.00
Year to Date	\$ 16,239.36

Mass Assignments – September 23 <sup>rd</sup>	
<b>Lector</b>	<i>Gary May</i>
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	<i>Elena Carey Jamie Zaim Helen Krivan</i>
<b>Prayers of the Faithful</b>	<i>Nick Zaim</i>
<b>Ushers/Greeters</b>	<i>Juan Gonzalez Bob Lehky</i>
<b>Server</b>	<i>Mike Drury</i>
<b>Money Counters</b>	<i>Kevin Diamond, Marge Dumbacher, &amp; Shara Parish</i>

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**Fresh Altar Flowers Fund**



Reminder: Please remember to be generous with the flower fund. We depend on the donations to furnish fresh flowers for the Sanctuary. A purple envelope for donations can be found in your monthly envelope packet.

Thank you!

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**6:45 p.m.**

**St. Thomas More Catholic Church**

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Volunteers for Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, and Ushers are needed. A sign-up sheet is available in the parish gathering space.



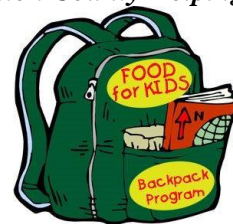
**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** Joe Blum, Elena Carey, Donna & Jon Gresham, Bill Rodgers, Sister Rosemary, Tom & Margie Sheppard, Bob Tashjian, Deanna Hayward, Mr. Driskill, Margeret Adams, Steve Wilkes, Pat Gorbett, Ed Derringe, Loretta Vargocko, and their families and caregivers.



**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 Kousuke Sasaki.

**To add or remove names from either list, please call St. Pius Office at 395-4727 or email [stpiusx@stpiusx.us](mailto:stpiusx@stpiusx.us)**

**Livingston County Helping Hands**



**Individual Sizes: Mac & Cheese, Stew, Fruit Cups, Jell-O, Pudding, Mac & Beef, Ramen Noodles, Juice, Cereal, and other Snacks and Foods**

*There is a donation basket at the back of the Church for your non-perishable items.*

# FROM THE PASTOR

September 16, 2018  
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Mark 8:27-35 and James 2:14-18

Dear St. Pius X and St. Anthony Church Family,

Is Jesus taking a poll? He asks, "Who do people say that I am?" But He is doing way more than just seeking answers to a popularity poll. Firstly, He wants to know if his disciples are aware of how his teaching and actions are being understood. What do people think He is up to? But, secondly and more importantly, as a personal Savior, He wants His disciples to describe their own experience of Him. **Do they know what He is up to?** He moves the question closer to their own hearts, by asking them, "Who do **YOU** say that I am?" This is what He is really after! Much as a husband and wife may ask each other, "What do I mean to you?", Jesus wants to know how his disciples see Him. What do they understand of His personal identity and mission? Peter speaks up for the apostles and calls Jesus the 'Anointed One'. This is a deeper revelation than even Peter realizes! He is correct! But, Peter himself doesn't appreciate the full import and depth of his own words. Otherwise, Jesus wouldn't have to later call Peter down when he backslides, tempting Jesus to avoid the pain of the cross (verse 33). But, we might ask, "What does 'anointed' mean?" To be anointed by God means 'affirmed by God' or 'God's chosen one'. Think of what happens at Jesus' baptism, when the voice of the Father, announces "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased" (Mark 1:11). This is God's 'choosing', His stamp of approval that establishes Jesus' human living as the definitive example of being human. By God's pick for us, Jesus is the standard set for human behavior and human interpersonal relationships. We are to imitate Him.

But, I also want to explore all of the earlier talk about 'prophets'. Notice how the first descriptions of Jesus by people, were 'prophet names' or prophet-like personalities such as John the Baptist or Elijah or some other of the old prophets. Early on, people do seem to think of Jesus as a special 'prophet'. Talking with Jesus, the woman at the well had said, "I see you are a prophet" (John 4:19) or the healed blind man in John 9:17 told Jesus, 'You are a prophet'. In the beginning, Jesus even set Himself in line with the prophets when he explained his rejection at Nazareth, by saying, "A prophet is not without honor except in his native place" (Mark 6:4). So, what did people mean by using the title 'prophet'? Traditionally, a Prophet delivered a word from God, a 'message from God' to his People. God told Moses He would 'put words in the prophet's mouth' (Deut. 18:18). God told Jeremiah, "I have put my words in your mouth" (Jer 1:9). God told Ezekiel too, "You must speak my words to them" (Ezek. 2:7). But Jesus is more than simply a newspaper delivery boy, dishing up a timely word from on high. No, Jesus dramatically illustrates and performs the divine message by His Life and Actions. For example, we know Jonah was a great prophet, successfully converting Nineveh, but Jesus states that He is about way more than that, when he says in Luke 11:32 "There is something greater than Jonah here."

Peter's novel revelation is that He identifies Jesus as THE Definitive Prophet -The Christ! More than one prophet among others, or just another prophet coming down the line, Jesus is the ONE! Peter is clarifying that Jesus is more than a messenger, He is the Message. More than just passing along an envelope or carrying a note, Jesus embodies and eats, drinks, breathes, and lives God's message. He is the "Word Made Flesh" (John 1:14). He is God Himself Speaking and Embodying His Message. When Jesus opens his Mouth, God is speaking. This is why when Jesus teaches the Sermon on the Mount, he repeatedly manifests God's Own authority (His!), by stating seven times alone in the 5th chapter of Matthew, "you have heard it said in times past, but ISAY....." (verses 18, 22, 28, 32, 34, 39, 44). Jesus says it, He is it! Whenever we ask ourselves, "What does God teach that I should do?" or "What does God want of me in this situation?" Listen to Jesus. Look to Jesus. He enacts and illustrates the Message. This is Peter's revelation that Jesus is God's standard of human living. We only need to speak as He spoke, and act as He acted.

Peace and Prayers,  
Fr. Brian

## Weekly Mass Readings



Monday	1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday	1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday	1 Cor 12:31-13:13; Lk 7:31-35
Thurs	1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 7:36-50
Friday	Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13
Saturday	1 Cor 15:33-37, 42-49; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday	Wis 2:12, 17-20; Jas 3:16-4:3; Mk 9:30-37

September 17	H.O.P.E. Clinic Banquet-5:00 p.m. (KY Dam Convention Ctr.)
September 18	Reconciliation-5:30-6:00 p.m. (St. Pius X) Mass-6:00 p.m. (St. Pius X) Parish Council Meeting-6:45 p.m. (St. Pius X)
September 19	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 p.m. Class: 6:30 p.m.
September 20	Mass-8:00 a.m. (St. Pius X)
September 21	Mass -8:00 a.m. (St. Pius X) Mass -9:00 a.m.(St. Anthony)
September 22	Reconciliation-3:30-4:30 p.m. (St. Pius X) Mass-4:30 p.m. (St. Pius X)
September 23	Mass-8:00 a.m. (St. Anthony); Rosary: 7:30 a.m. Mass -10:00 a.m. (St. Pius X) ; Rosary: 9:30 a.m. Donuts & Coffee-11:00 a.m. (St. Pius X)

### RCIA Classes!

Tuesday Evenings 6:30-7:30 pm  
Do you know someone interested in the Catholic Faith? Maybe a family member, coworker or neighbor? Did you know that most adults coming to the Catholic Church do so because of a personal invitation from a friend or relative? It starts by simply inviting them to learn more about the faith. Come along as support with whoever you have asked. Call Fr. Brian or Paula in the office if we can help with any questions or concerns.

### Handyman Ministry:

We are looking for some handy helpers within the parish to be available to help with small jobs for seniors around the parish. Little jobs might include helping change light bulbs, using a step ladder, change air filters, or lifting/moving boxes. It would all be light work, but a great assistance to our senior members. If you could help in some way, please call Fr Brian and let him know of your interest, 270-395-4727 or email him [Brian.Johnson@pastoral.org](mailto:Brian.Johnson@pastoral.org)



The Lunch Bunch will meet on Tuesday, **October 9** at **11:30 a.m.** at the St. Pius X Parish Hall. Please bring your favorite German inspired dish to share.

### Ministry to Sick, Nursing Home and Hospital:

Please be sure to let me know if you or a family member are *hospitalized*, or in need of a home pastoral visit for anointing and prayer. I will be glad to come visit and celebrate the sacraments of healing with you. Call me at 270-668-7675, or reach me in any of the ways listed below.

### Updated Contact Information for Fr Brian:

Email [Brian.Johnson@pastoral.org](mailto:Brian.Johnson@pastoral.org)  
Office: 270-395-4727 (also rings into the rectory after hours)  
Cell Phone for Medical or Emergency: 270-668-7675  
Text Capable: 270-668-7675

### H.O.P.E. Clinic Banquet

Monday, September 17  
Ky Dam Convention Center  
Doors open at 5 p.m.