

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

JANUARY 6, 2019



ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

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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:** 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*

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 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 & 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.

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(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 st Friday- Adoration	6:00 P.M.	*9:00 A.M.
Saturday	4:30 P.M.	8:00 A.M. (1 st Saturday of Each Month)
Sunday	10:00 A.M.	8:00 A.M.

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 <p style="text-align: center;">MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK January 7th-13th</p>		
<i>Tuesday</i>	6:00 p.m.	Lula & Leonard Francois
<i>Wednesday</i>	8:00 a.m.	Molly Strutzel
<i>Thursday</i>	8:00 a.m.	Special Intentions
<i>Friday</i>	8:00 a.m.	All Parishioners
<i>Saturday</i>	4:30 p.m.	William Word Family
<i>Sunday</i>	10:00 a.m.	Tammy McDowell
All Mass Intentions <u>must</u> be turned in to the office 30 days prior to the date you want the Mass celebrated.		

<i>WEEKLY DONATIONS</i>	
Parish Hall Fund Donation	
12/23-1230/2018	\$ 722.00
Budget for 2018/2019 fiscal year	\$ 177,160.00
Donation Need Each Week	\$ 3,406.92
Donation 12/23-12/30/2018	\$ 4,292.00
Online Giving (January 2019)	\$ 230.00
Year to Date	\$ 91,111.54



Mass Assignments: Saturday, January 12, 2019				
Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers / Greeters	Money Counters
Catie Weekes	Paula Schmidt	Paula Schmidt Julie Weekes Noreen Patton	Theresa Wilson (Usher) Andrew Wilson (Usher) Vicki Spencer (Greeter) Volunteer (Greeter)	
Mass Assignments: Sunday, January 13, 2019				
Anthony Schiaretta Landon Shupe	Dawn Whitt	Patty Langford Nancy Glover Pam Hurst	John Brooks (Usher) Russell Tomlinson (Usher) Russell Tomlinson (Greeter) Joe Cirrito (Greeter)	Nancy Singleton Richard Derry



PARISH COUNCIL

Finance Council Meeting
Thursday,
January 10, 2019
5:00 pm

Parish Council Meeting
Tuesday, January 15, 2019
6:45 pm

What are Mass Intentions/Memorials? At each Mass, during the Prayer of the Faithful, we hear that prayers are requested at this Mass for a particular person(s). This is referred to as a "Mass Intention." This means that special prayer is being offered for the eternal rest of the soul of someone deceased, or for the special prayer intentions of someone who is still living. If you would like a Mass offered, please drop an envelope in the collection with your information (name and specific date if possible), or call Paula in the parish office to schedule that Mass. The standard request gift is \$5 for a mass intention. Envelopes can be found in the sanctuary of the Church.

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

Aluminum Can Fundraiser: Just a reminder about the fundraiser for the parish hall drive by recycling aluminum. You can bring cans and drop them off at the white gate by the back of church. It all adds up! Thank you!



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 Longworth, Joy Lockhart, Fred Oswald, Magi Wilson, 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, Juanita Perkins, Ericka Karpstein, Joanna Cooper, Carolyn Outland, Angel Thompson, Kaye Poyner, Jerry Huebschmann, Dorothy Henry, Derwood & Pat Doyle, Bob & Lois Tashjian, 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.


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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Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Heier Family
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Agnes Moore
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Richard Gorbett
<p>All Mass Intentions <u>must</u> be turned in to the office 30 days prior to the date you want the Mass celebrated.</p>		

Budget 2018/2019 fiscal year (July 2018-June 2019)	\$ 63,600.00
Donation Need Each Week:	\$ 1,223.08
Regular Collection -12/23-12/30/18	\$ 4,296.00
Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 38,170.36


Mass Assignments – January 13, 2019	
Lector	<i>Don Shipley</i>
Eucharistic Ministers	<i>Elena Carey Shara Parish Pat Gorbett</i>
Prayers of the Faithful	<i>Gary May</i>
Ushers/Greeters	<i>Roy McFadden Kelly Noonan</i>
Server	<i>Mike Drury</i>
Money Counters	<i>Shara Parish, Kevin Diamond & Marge Dumbacher</i>



Volunteers are needed to take down the Christmas decorations on Sunday, January 13, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. after Mass.



St. Anthony of Padua
1st Saturday Mass
Saturday, February 2, 2019
8:00 a.m.



The monthly church cleaning signup sheet for 2019 is in the entrance of church. Volunteers are needed.

Donuts & Coffee



1st Sunday of Each Month
Sunday, February 3, 2019
9:00 a.m. (after Mass)



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Joe Blum, Elena Carey, Donna & Jon Gresham, Bill Rodgers, Sister Rosemary, Tom & Margie Sheppard, Bob & Lois Tashjian, Deanna Hayward, Mr. Driskill, Margeret Adams, , Pat Gorbett, Ed Derringe, Charles Paulius, Kathy Lehky, 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.

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Livingston County Helping Hands



paper towels, toilet paper, laundry detergent, shampoo (adult & baby) bath soap, diapers, diaper wipes, feminine hygiene products, dish washing liquid, coffee, tea, macaroni and cheese, sugar, flour, cereals, peanut butter, jelly, tuna, salmon, other canned meats, canned fruits, canned vegetables

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



FROM THE PASTOR

January 6, 2019
Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord
Mt 2:1-12

Dear St Pius X and St Anthony Church,

Happy Epiphany! What a word! Epiphany refers to the experience of insight that cartoonists draw into their scene boxes by the sudden appearance of a light bulb over the head of a cartoon character. The light bulb signifies the character has had a revelation, that he/she gets the point, and has a great idea! They see the light! Two favorite writers of mine (both Catholic) James Joyce and Flannery O'Connor are known for creating 'epiphanies' in their stories by having characters undergo experiences like conversions that bring them to see something entirely new, or something old in a completely new way. As Steven Tyler sings it, 'It's amazing, in the blink of an eye, you finally see the light'. If we take a minute to think back, I'm sure we have all had such experiences. Maybe ours was not as dramatic as St Paul's 'seeing the light' was that led him into a 180 degree turn in life (read about it in Acts 9:3).

We have 'epiphanies' everyday. Again, some of them may be big life-changing ones, but many of them are probably common such as being surprised and seeing for the first time something that has been there all along. Like discovering a new use for some practical household item that we have overlooked, like when we realize that a paper bag we might want throw away can be used to speed up their ripening. Or here is a silly example, but one that really opened my eyes to stop judging others and their habits. I had a boss who was a big whistler in the workshop. I coped pretty well but some of my coworkers went crazy over his irritating whistling. When he was driving me to a work site one time, he said, "You know why I wear hard heeled boots and whistle all the time..... I am giving you guys advance notice that I am entering the building, so just in case you are piddling away, you can get back to work without us having a scene." That little piece of information gave me great insight into the man. He wasn't whistling to get on anybody's nerves. He was simply announcing his presence, which also had the benefit of helping his workers watch their mouths from saying something about their boss they shouldn't be saying. This personal insight can happen all the time if we look more carefully into situations or ask about persons and their circumstances. Suddenly, sometimes the smallest piece of information can reset or recast your entire view of something or someone. All the time, our prejudices and pre-judgements set us up to be so off-the-mark when it comes to really knowing what is going on. And when we take time to look closer or inquire into the situation, whole new worlds open before us. We can imagine deeper, more personally significant examples of such re-orientations in our approach to other people and events. In addition to being a great coping skill, such insights also lead us to be more constructive and creative people. New information we attune ourselves to, and new experiences we acquire bring greater peace and ease about circumstances too. By looking more closely, or listening attentively to people, we respond better to whatever bothers us. Have you ever asked, "What's with that?" about someone's habits or their compulsive actions, their anxiety or their humor that might bother us? Praying about it and trying to understand them keeps us humble, and often leads us to ask "What about ourselves?" What personal insight might we gain about a problem by looking at ourselves?

Okay, but what about today's gospel? The wise men might never have showed up if they didn't notice and pursue the novelty light in the sky. Nor would they have arrived at Bethlehem, without the conversations with Herod and his priests, and I even ask if they would have arrived precisely at the manger without running into and spending time with the shepherds along the hills at night as they entered the region? Pope Benedict XVI wrote that "God reveals man to himself" (Caritas et Veritate #75). The Feast of Epiphany reveals that God was born among us, human, to reveal us to ourselves. God shows us ourselves. What we don't understand about ourselves and others, God can show us. St Paul says in 1 Thessalonians 5:5 "For all of you are children of the light", so to be guided by Him, we must look up, look beyond and look out!

Peace and Prayers,
 Fr Brian

FFY News

Classes will resume on Wednesday, January 9, 2019.
 Meal begins at 5:45 pm and class begins at 6:30 pm.
 Server training will begin soon for 3rd grade and older.

Weekly Mass Readings

Monday 1 Jn 3:22-4:6; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
Tuesday 1 Jn 4:7-10; Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday 1 Jn 4:11-18; Mk 6:45-52
Thursday 1 Jn 4:19-5:4; Lk 4:14-22a
Friday 1 Jn 5:5-13 ; Lk 5:12-16
Saturday 1 Jn 5:14-21; Jn 3:22-30
Sunday Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Acts 10:34-38; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22



January 7 Devotional Service-11:30 am (Oakview Nursing Home)
January 8 Lunch Bunch-11:30 am (St. Pius X)
 Reconciliation: 5:30-6:30 pm
 Mass-6:00 pm (St Pius X)
January 9 Mass-8:00 am (St. Pius X)
 Mass-9:00 am (St. Anthony)
 Weekly Scripture Reading-10:00 a.m. (St. Anthony)
 FFY: Meal 5:45 pm, Class:6:30 pm
January 10 Mass-8:00 am (St. Pius X)
 Finance Council Meeting-5:00 pm (St. Pius X)
January 11 Mass -8:00 am (St. Pius X)
 Mass -9:00 am (St. Anthony)
January Reconciliation-3:30-4:30 pm (St. Pius X)
 Mass-4:30 pm (St. Pius X)
January 13 Rosary: 7:30 am ; Mass-8:00 am (St. Anthony);
 Christmas Decoration Take-down -9:00 am (St. Anthony)
 Rosary: 9:30 am; Mass -10:00 am (St. Pius X)
 Coffee & Donuts-11:00 am (St. Pius X)
 Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

DRF Update

St. Pius X, Calvert City
Disciples Response
Campaign Update
 Parish Target: \$4,830.48
 Amount Pledged: \$4,340
 Amount Paid: \$3,635

For: Parish: St. Anthony
of Padua, Grand Rivers
Disciples Response
Campaign Update
 Parish Target: \$1,847.04
 Amount Pledged: \$3,706
 Amount Paid: \$2,231

The Lunch Bunch will meet on
 Tuesday, **January 8 at**
11:30 a.m. at the St. Anthony
 Gathering Space. Please bring your
 favorite soup, sandwiches,
 or salad to share

Catholic Men's Conference of
Western Kentucky: The 8th annual
 conference on Saturday, February 2,
 2019 at the RiverPark Center in
 Owensboro. Men from all around the
 diocese are encouraged to attend. Tickets
 are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.
 Guest speakers this year are Dr. Edward
 Sri, Kevin Reilly and Mike Michalak.
 Purchase online tickets by visiting
kycatholic.com.

Catholics @ the Capitol:
Western Kentucky Gathering:
 Everyone is invited to participate
 in forum educating about the next
 KY legislative session, in light of
 Catholic Social Teaching. It will
 be held at Immaculate Parish Hall
 on Saturday, January 12, 2019
 from 9:30 am – 11:30am.
 Refreshments will be served. For
 more information please contact
 Richard Murphy at (270) 683-
 1545 or
richard.murphy@pastoral.org.

Safe Environment: To report suspected
 abuse, call the Kentucky Child
 Protection Hot Line: 1-877-KYSAFE1
 or 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) for more
 information.