

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 8, 2020



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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

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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
Jeff Outland	Building & Ground
Larry Krouse	Secretary
Robert Weekes	Finance
Dawn Whitt	Spiritual Life
Catherine Broks	FFY

**Parish Council Members
(St. Anthony of Padua)**

Roy McFadden	Chair Person
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Debbie Owens	Secretary/Family Life
Shara Parish	Finance
Bob Lehky	Building & Ground-Indoor
Nick Zaim	Social/Spiritual Concern
Sr. Michael Friedman	Spiritual/Faith Formation

Other Groups

Finance Council	Harold Dacus, Chair
Art & Decorations	Paula Schmidt
Knights of Columbus	Philip Scheidegger

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

Bereavement Committees

Helen Krivan	(270) 559-7586(St. Anthony)
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Fran Dacus	(618)383-4646 (St. Pius X)

OFFICE HOURS

Wednesday	9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Thursday	9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.



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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St. Pius X Parish News**

MASS INTENTIONS

FOR THE WEEK



March 9th-15th

<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>6:00 p.m.</i>	<i>Arthur Francois</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>8:00 a.m.</i>	<i>Shirley Henderson</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>8:00 a.m.</i>	<i>John & Sue Mudd</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>8:00 a.m.</i>	<i>Leo Mudd</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>4:30 p.m.</i>	<i>Arthur Francis Tashjian</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>10:00 a.m.</i>	<i>Stella & Leonard Francois</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

03/01/20	\$ 2,253.00
Budget for 2019/2020 fiscal year (July 2019-June 2020)	\$ 177,160.00
Donation Need Each Week	\$ 3,406.92
Donation 03/01/20	\$ 2,401.00
Online Giving (03/01/20)	\$ 1,310.00
Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 126,335.79

**Finance Council Meeting
Thursday, March 12, 5:00 pm**

Mass Assignments: Saturday, March 14, 2020

Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers / Greeters	Money Counters
Dominic Schiaretti Isabella Schiaretti	Paula Schmidt	Robert Burgess Julie Weekes Suzette Whittington	Joe Morris (Usher) Robert Weekes (Usher) Volunteer (Greeter) Volunteer (Greeter)	

Mass Assignments: Sunday, March 15, 2020

Pax Canon Cole Scheidegger	Dawn Whitt	Diane Fischer James Poat Patty Langford	John Brooks (Usher) Philip Scheidegger (Usher) Philip Scheidegger (Greeter) Volunteer (Greeter)	Andy Ferm Sherry Ferm
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Parish Hall Fundraiser Raffle:

CHANCE TO WIN 7 DAY BEACHFRONT VACATION! \$10.00 a chance or five for \$40.00. Only 500 Raffle Tickets are being sold! 7 Day Beachfront Condominium on Dauphin Island, Alabama (*Dates are subject to availability) Drawing on April 25th, the winner will be called.

H.O.P.E. Clinic in Benton is offering baby bottles for parishioners to collect their pocket change for their **CHANGE FOR LIFE** fundraiser. Please pick up a bottle and return to church when full. Deadline will be Easter. H.O.P.E. Clinic is a crisis pregnancy center offering classes and material goods to their clients. If you'd like to volunteer, call 270-527-4111.

The Marshall County Resiliency Center (MCRC) will hold its grand opening on Saturday, March 21 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The center is located at 1012 Main Street (beside Puckett's Jewelry) on the court square in Benton. The program and ribbon cutting will begin at noon & light refreshments will be served. The community is invited to attend. The MCRC will serve as a free and confidential resource that offers long term support and healing to the Marshall County community and those in the broader region impacted by trauma.



**Every Wednesday During Lent
6:30 pm**

Rice Bowls can be found in the vestibule. Please turn them in by Easter Sunday.



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 Longworth, 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 Whit, Lanie Pellegrin, Forrest Michael Teeters 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, 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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MASS INTENTIONS



FOR THE WEEK
March 9th-15th

Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Dale Hulabaugh
Friday	9:00 a.m.	John & Anne Bradshaw
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Sharon Trew
All Mass Intentions must be turned in to the office 30 days prior to the date you want the Mass celebrated.		

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Stay Informed on Diocese' Events: To subscribe to the Diocesan News E-Letter go to <https://owensborodiocese.org/subscribe/> or <https://owensborodiocese.org/news/> and click 'subscribe' or follow prompts to receive every couple of weeks an update and new video or e-copy of Catholic Paper. *Last week, he interviewed a traveling evangelist on how we can be disciples accompanying others, walking the Christian path together.*

St. Anthony Parish Council Meeting
Wednesday, March 11
6:30 pm

STATIONS
of the
CROSS
Every Friday During Lent
9:30 am
Beginning Friday, February 28

 **PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** 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, Helen Krivan, Betty Gonzalez, Frances Scott, Alice Blazina 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


Budget 2019/2020 fiscal year (July 2019-June 2020)	\$ 72,100.00
Donation Need Each Week:	\$ 1,386.54
Regular Collection -03/01/20	\$ 1,780.00
Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 51,783.29

Mass Assignments – March 15, 2020	
Lector	Nick Zaim
Eucharistic Ministers	Pat Gorbett Jo Herron Elena Carey
Prayers of the Faithful	Diane Quayle
Ushers/Greeters	Mark Ebelhar Kelly Noonan
Server	Mike Drury
Money Counters	Paul Quayle Diane Quayle


First Saturday Mass
Saturday, April 4, 2020
8:00 a.m.

Donuts & Coffee

First Sunday of Each Month
Sunday, April 5, 2020
9:00 a.m. (after Mass)
Monthly volunteers to setup and purchase donuts are needed. Please sign up on the sheet in the gathering space of the Church if you would like to volunteer.

Livingston County Helping Hands
 **Food Pantry Needs**
paper towels, toilet paper, laundry detergent, shampoo, bath soap, diapers, feminine hygiene products, dish washing liquid, coffee, tea, macaroni and cheese, sugar, flour, cereal (all kinds), peanut butter, jelly, tuna, salmon, other canned meats, canned fruits, and canned vegetables
There is a donation basket at the back of the Church for your non-perishable items.

FROM THE PASTOR

March 8, 2020
Second Sunday of lent
Mt 17:1-9

Dear St Pius X and St Anthony Church,

Lights, Sound....(Transfigur)-**ACTION!** What a scene as dramatic as the one with Charlton Heston on the mountaintop in Ten Commandments! Yet, that is the point! Jesus appears with Holy Moses and Fiery Elijah, while Peter, James and John eavesdrop on their conversation about making the passage through earthly death to heavenly life. Matthew 17:3 says, "*Behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them, conversing with Jesus.*" Have you ever wondered how Peter, James & John knew that the two men were Moses and Elijah? Surely they didn't have name badges on! I think they quickly identified Moses and Elijah in the same way, that we Catholics size up the identity of a saint's statue by some representational symbol or accessory tag that is personally meaningful to each saint. For example, the chief apostle **St Peter** is always recognized by the '**keys to the kingdom**' he holds that were given to him by Christ (Matt 16:19). Or our Diocesan patron **St Stephen**, always **holds a rock**, or **stands by a pile of rocks** that were used to martyr him (Acts 7:54-60). So what clues might we imagine identified Moses and Elijah? I bet Moses was holding stone tablets or a great staff (Exodus 32:15, Ex 17:5-15). And I bet Elijah's ID tag was his fiery chariot or his unique hairy clothes (2 Kings 1:8). But regardless, Peter, James and John clearly knew who Jesus was speaking with on that mountainside.

But, here's another great question, "**What were they talking about?**" Don't we want to know? The reading suggests their pow-wow conference was about 'passover'. Moses surely knows something about 'Passover'. As the leader in the original 'Passover', he went through the final plague in Egypt where the angel of death 'passed over' the Hebrew homes marked with the blood of the lamb. He also went through a **second** miraculous 'passing over' the red sea on the dry seafloor. And a **third** Passover came, interestingly, when God let Moses see 'the earthly Promised Land from atop Mt Nebo'. But Moses didn't pass into it because God had the **greater eternal homeland** for Moses to **pass-over** into, with Him in glory (Deut. 34:4-6). Let's not leave Elijah out! He has some experiences of passing over too! Like Moses, Elijah had some harrowing desert experiences of being hunted down and surviving near death & hunger. Elijah was miraculously fed **first** by some raven birds and **secondly** by a kind widow (1 Kings 17:6, 16). His **third and greatest Passover** though, was his exit from earth in the fiery chariot to heaven (2 Kings 2:11-12). SO, likely, Elijah and Moses were speaking to Jesus about his own up-coming '**passing over**' through suffering and death seen in His crucifixion and resurrection!

Okay. These two prophets have passages to glory through heavy suffering, like Jesus. But why are just these two faithful ones mentioned? There were others in the OT, like Job and Jeremiah. And it is not just because there is only so much room on the mount! Specifically **Moses and Elijah**, by name, fulfill the guiding prophecy of Malachi 3:22-23 as to who introduces the 'coming of the awaited Lord'. Malachi says, "*Remember the law of Moses my servant, whom I charged at Horeb, with statutes and ordinances for all Israel. Now I am sending to you Elijah the prophet, Before the day of the LORD comes, the great and terrible day...*" Later the Book of Revelation reinforces this understanding of Moses and Elijah playing special roles in the 'Passover' Triumph of the Lamb Jesus. The Book of Revelation 11:3 & 6 says, "I will commission my **two witnesses** to prophesy for those twelve hundred and sixty days, wearing sackcloth..... 6 They have the power to close up the sky so that no rain can fall during the time of their prophesying (sounds like Elijah in 1 Kings 18:44). They also have power to turn water into blood and to afflict the earth with any plague (sounds like Moses in Exodus 7:17)." This mountainside meeting sounds like a convention of the Resurrection Club!

But for Peter, James and John, and for us, this scene of transfiguration is meant as a 'boost' or 'peak experience'. Think of it as a type of spiritual pep rally. Even though Peter, James and John will descend the mountain, and go even further down into the valley of tears with Jesus, they will draw strength from this upsurge experience of promise with Him on the mountaintop. It will encourage their persistence and faithfulness, even when they don't feel such energy or glory. We all know that in life, there are many ups and downs to experience. We want to have more highs than lows, but they are both part of living. This is reflected not only in the fact that they will walk down the mountain, but even while still on the mount, the reading says, they fell to the ground prostrate, before Jesus told them to "Rise, and do not be afraid...and when the disciples raised their eyes, they saw no one else but Jesus alone" (Matt 17:7-8). Jesus teaches that our faith balance and stabilizing peace in the midst of daily 'ups and downs' comes from staying focused on the vision and voice of Him. We do that in our daily prayer and spiritual reading. We will be transfigured if we stay reflected upon Him, and our response to others will be transfiguring. That sounds like a good Lenten project! Peace, Fr Brian

Lunch Bunch: Tuesday, March 10 at 11:30 am

Corned Beef & Cabbage will be served. Please bring sides or desserts to share.

Weekly Mass Readings



Monday	Dn 9:4b-10; Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday	Is 1:10, 16-20; Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday	Jer 18:18-20; Mt 20:17-28
Thursday	Jer 17:5-10; Lk 16:19-31
Friday	Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday	Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Sunday	Ex 17:3-7; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42

March 9	Devotional Service-11:30 am (Oakview Nursing Home)
March 10	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)
March 11	Mass-8:00 am (St. Pius X) Mass-9:00 am (St. Anthony) Weekly Scripture Reading-10:00 am (St. Anthony) Quilters' Club-10:00 am (St. Anthony) Parish Council Meeting-6:30 pm (St. Anthony) FFY: Meal-5:45-6:15 pm Class: 6:30-7:30 pm Stations of the Cross-6:30 pm (St. Pius)
March 12	Mass-8:00 am (St. Pius X) Finance Council Meeting-5:00 pm (St. Pius) Matthew Bible Study-6:00 pm
March 13	Mass -8:00 am (St. Pius X) Mass-9:00 am (St. Anthony) Stations of the Cross-9:30 am (St. Anthony) Knights of Columbus' Fish Fry 4:00-7:00 pm (St. Pius X)
March 14	Reconciliation: 3:30-4:30 pm (St. Pius X) Mass-4:30 pm (St. Pius X)
March 15	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)

Lenten Penance Service



St Paul, Princeton
Sunday, March 22, 2:00 pm
St Stephen, Cadiz
Thursday, March 26, 6:00 pm
St Henry, Aurora
Sunday, March 29, 1:00 pm
St Mark, Eddyville
Wednesday, April 1, 6:30 pm
St Pius X, Calvert City
Thursday, April 2, 6:00 pm



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

A Bible Study of Matthew: On Thursdays from 6:00-7:00 pm at St Pius Hall, we will be reviewing the unique and interesting emphases found in the Gospel of Matthew. Six sessions will examine the relation of Matthew to the Old Testament, to the other three gospels and in seeing Jesus as a New Moses, Elijah and David!

Pandemic Flu Policy in Church:

Depending on changing circumstances with the Coronavirus outbreak, the church does have a stage by stage policy of safeguarding actions to implement. An outline copy of the severe Stage 4-5 steps can be found on the bulletin boards. At the current precautionary stage, before any specific changes are made to our weekly worship, we simply make a basic request for prudent actions on behalf of everyone.

Most simply, 1) if any one feels sick (sore throat, runny nose, cough or fever), then s/he should stay home to avoid possible contamination to others. 2) If you even think you may be coming down with something, you should refrain from receiving the Precious Blood from the common chalice. 3) Frequent hand washing and/or use of alcohol-based hand gels are helpful. 4) Smiles, greetings and kind words may replace hugs or handshakes. If a person chooses not to offer the Sign of Peace in the form of a handshake, then it would appropriate to simply acknowledge others with a bow or open hand wave. 5) Greater attention will be given to cleaning and regularly replacing water in any holy water fonts, and wiping down hymnals, pews and door rails/knobs.

As the situation betters or worsens, other policy actions will be implemented. The entire Pandemic Flu Policy can be found on website https://owensborodiocese.org/docuents/policies/Pandemic_flu_policy.pdf