## May 21, 2017 Sixth Sunday Of Easter



Monday, May 22, 7:30 am

Angelina Schettino

Tuesday, May 23, 7:30 am

People Of The Parish

Thursday, May 25

Ascension Of The Lord

7:30 am Stephanie Travers 9:30 am People Of The Parish

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Friday, May 26, 7:30 am

Joe & Wanda Horvath Nicky Nelson

Saturday, May 27

5:00 pm Mirabella Family & Cynthia Allora

Sunday, May 28

7:30 am Allan Bentley

Timothy E. Manning

9:30 am Stephanie Travers

11:30 am Manchor Family Living & Deceased

Celebrant Schedule - May 27-28

5:00 pm Fr. Dominik 7:30 am Fr. Dominik 9:30 am Fr. Mark 11:30 am Fr. Mark

#### SHARING OF OUR TREASURE

Thank you for your support and generosity!

May 15, 2016 \$13,169.00 May 14, 2017 \$15,872.50

This weekend's second collection is Collection For The Holy Father

#### **Prayer Memorials 2017 Mass Book**

The 2017 Mass Book is available. The Graces of the Mass and the Blessings of Prayer are infinite. The Eucharist is offered for <u>ALL</u> of the faithful departed at each celebration. A memorial gift or offering allows a special acknowledgment which goes to God's work on earth as we honor those now with the Lord.



## Begins Next Weekend, May 27th & 28th

Saturday 5 pm; Sunday 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am

#### **RCIA**

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is the process the Roman Catholic Church has for the introduction of the faith and the formation of new adult members. During the year process, the candidates will learn about their spiritual path in Christ culminating at the Easter Vigil. If you are an adult seeking Baptism, Confirmation or Eucharist, please contact Peter O'Brien at the Ministry House.

#### MINISTRY NEWS

#### **ROSARY SOCIETY**

Please join us on Sunday mornings after the 9:00 am Mass in the Cry Room to pray the Rosary.

#### **CARING CRAFTERS**

The next meeting of the knitters and crocheters will be held on *Wednesday, May 24<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am* at the Ministry House. For more information, call Barbara Sanders at 973-334-6884. What do we do? We use our talents primarily to craft hats and scarves to provide comfort and support to chemotherapy patients. We also assist and donate to other charitable causes and their needs.

#### PRAYER GROUP

St. Pius X Spirit of Love Prayer Group meets semi-monthly on the **second and fourth Wednesdays of the month at 12:45 pm in the Chapel at the Ministry House**. What do we do? We offer prayers for our parish family including those listed in the bulletin and for the petitions written in the Book of intentions in the Deacon David Library.

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**Next Meeting** – **Monday, June** 5<sup>th</sup> **at** 8:00 pm in the Knights of Columbus Room. Visit our website at: http://StPiusxKofC.org/.

**Sunday, May 21st, Pancake Breakfast,** after the 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 am Masses in the Parish Center. Please join us and your neighbors for a hearty breakfast and good company. Having friends together is our goal but if you wish to make a donation, proceeds will go to help fund Project Graduation. This event is sponsored by the Montville Drug Awareness Council to provide a safe, alcohol and drug free event for the 2017 graduates of Montville High School. We hope to make this a community event, so please encourage your friends and neighbors to share breakfast with us.

#### Willie Wonka, Jr.

On May 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> the youngsters of our school presented a rave review performance of Willie Wonka, Jr., a wonderful musical. The children of the cast were amazing, from the very talented soloists to the little ones who were often outsized even by the hats they wore. With great cheer, outstanding enthusiasm, and incredible focus, they brought to the audience a foolproof cure for *Oompaloompaphobia* and a series of morally correct directives.

We the parishioners must give unending credit to the creative team of parents, artists, school staff and volunteers for the amazing set design, endless costumes and wonderful music. Special credit must go to our talented Music Director and his wife, Paul and Alexandra Carroll for their unmatched courage in taking on such a challenge and for the beautiful music that accompanied, punctuated and unified the entire production.

Looking back in time, we should also commend the St. Pius X parishioners who worked together to fund and build the amazing facility which is so valuable to our school and parish. From sports championships won by St. Pius X this year to beautiful theater like this, to a place of worship on holidays and sacraments, the contribution of those before us has served us well. Meantime, cheer up Charlie and think positive. Feel the richness of God's love around you!



I thought you might enjoy these powerful words on peace.

### **PEACE**

Take with you words, strong words of courage; Words that have wings!

Take with you holy words, words that know God; Pure as light, and beautiful as morning,

Take with you tall words, words that reach up,

And growing words, with deep life within them.

Take with you holy words, words that know God.

In His will is our peace.

Peace is not the absence of conflict, but the ability to cope with it.

To will what God wills brings peace.

God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; the courage to change the things I can; and the wisdom to know the difference.

When a person finds no peace within, it is useless to seek it elsewhere.

Peace & Blessings, Fr. Mark



#### Pilgrimage To Fatima & Southern Spain

Bishop Serratelli will be the Spiritual Director of a trip this summer to Fatima and Southern Spain. The Pilgrimage will celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Apparitions in Fatima and then continue on to Spain. The Pilgrimage will be from July 16 to 24. For more information or to make reservations, please contact Great Experiences at 201-825-3725 or email them at *greatexinc@verizon.net*.



## **The Gift of Many Tongues**

As the Holy Spirit filled the disciples and the gathered crowds, all heard God's Word preached, each in his or her own language. This gift of "many tongues" was a sign of God's desire for all to know his love, and all to be faithful stewards.

Our celebration of Pentecost this year (weekend of June 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>) will be enhanced by a Multi-Language Liturgy. If you speak a language other than English and wish to speak a prayer in that tongue at one of the Masses, please call or e mail Maryann at the Ministry House, 973-335-2894 or office @st-pius-x.org.

## Registration is Now Open For



SonGames 2017
We Can All Be Members of God's Team
Sports Themed Camp
July 17-21, 9 am – 1 pm, Grades K-5
Please register at www.st-pius-x.org, click on Religious
Formation, click on Vacation Bible School.
Volunteers Needed High School & Older
Questions: Please contact Chrissy Deary at
cdeary @optonline.net
Free Will Donations Accepted

#### School Support Envelope

At St. Pius X we strongly value a Catholic education and support its mission:

St. Pius X School is committed to the principle that each child is a special human being who deserves to be loved and respected as an individual. Our teachers and administration encourage students to reach their maximum potential—academically, socially, morally and spiritually.

The Finance Committee recommends having a monthly School Support Envelope for any parishioner who would like to help defray the cost of teaching our Catholic faith to young people.

# Catholic Schools ... Faith, Academics, Service.

#### Registration

St. Pius X School is now registering for the 2017/2018 school year. We have openings in all grades and would welcome any inquiries either by phone 973-335-1253 or in person. Please call for a private tour of our school. Come in and talk to us about our Pre-K 3 and Pre-K 4 Programs to see what wonderful things are going on in our classrooms.

#### **Youth Ministry**

Congratulations to all our High School & College Graduates!

Please contact Kurt Kilanowski at youth-ministry @st-pius-x.org for more information on our Youth Ministry programs.

#### **Religious Formation**



## Thank You

We would like to take a moment to thank all of our wonderful volunteer teachers and assistants. You have helped to make this year a tremendous success!

If you have not handed in your teacher manuals, please do so as soon as possible. We also hope you will return next year to share the faith journey with our young people!

## Pray for the Sick

Praying for fellow parishioners who are sick is an important component to our Faith. Due to privacy issues, however, people do not always appreciate their names being published. Requests for published names will only be taken from a family member accompanied by a phone number.

John Farkas, Lilliana Elyse Mahan, Dawn Pandorf, Leslie Kondek, Corey Forlenza, Frank J. Somsky, Marie Cavallero, Eileen Scharwath, Ann Dimaira, Victor Marmo, Jason McGaha, Marilyn Geffken, Tom Clayton, Barbara Capsouras, Christine Paglia, Ragan Kilkell, Adrian Simone, Paul Perrone, Janet Babbitt, Bruno Stillo, Michael Mascari, Marjorie McArthur, Charlie Auskings, Eileen Kapotes, Stephen Koczo, Remedios Gatuz, Annarita Gardinella, Linda Bitetto, David Tafe, Gregory Sugra, Jose Nunez, Kevin Deege, Jason Fass, Terry Cox, Giovanna Mele, Pasquale Mastriani, Christina Adamski, Francoise Wagener, Brooklyn Auskings, Paul DiPiazza, David Douglas, Walter Sedlacik, David Dery, Joseph Horvath, Sr., Gayle Sullivan, Nicky Miller, Peter Henschel, Maryann Halleran, Agnes Koczo, Richard Dickau, and Hilda Lundy.

Please remember to notify the office when your family member has recovered.

#### OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

#### **Quo Vadis Days**

"Where are you going?"

Young men, ages 15-25, are invited to participate in a time of recreation, fellowship, prayer and discussion to help them explore the Lord's call in their life with priests and seminarians of the Diocese. June 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>, Sacred Heart Spirituality Center. To register, please contact Fr. Edgar Rivera or Fr. Luis Hernandez at 973-777-8818 Ext. 711.

#### **School Principal Openings**

The Catholic Schools Office of the Diocese of Paterson is seeking applicants for the 2017-2018 school year for the following positions:

- \* Principal, St. Joseph Elementary School, Mendham
- \* Principal, St. Brendan Elementary School, Clifton
- \* Principal, DePaul Catholic High School, Wayne

A job description and application materials can be found at <a href="https://www.patdioschools.org/administrative-openings">https://www.patdioschools.org/administrative-openings</a>. Closing date for applications is May 22, 2017.

#### **One Montville Presents**

#### Two Men..Two Stories..Two Journeys & No Place For Hate

Sunday, May 21st, 6:30 pm, Pine Brook Jewish Center Join us as we embark on this guided tour through the minds of those who want to hurt others because of their differences. A former racist skinhead, Arno Michaelis, and a race relations expert, Daryl Davis, break the rules of racism. Ticket price: \$12 at the door.

#### Morris Catholic 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Golf Outing

Monday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, Rockaway River Country Club For more information or to sign up go to www.morriscatholic.org

#### 24<sup>th</sup> Annual DePaul Catholic High School Golf Outing

Benefitting the Sister Patricia Flarity Scholarship Fund
The Knoll West, Thursday, June 8<sup>th</sup>
To purchase a ticket or sponsor a tee please go to
www.depaulcatholic.org

#### **Arden Courts**

#### Memory Care Assisted Living Community, Whippany

Invites you to their monthly Memory Care Support Group, 18 Eden Lane, Whippany. This is a free monthly support group that meets at 1 pm on the second Wednesday of every month. All are welcome to attend. For more information please call 973-581-1800.

#### **BROTHER JUNIPER**

