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**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults- R.C.I.A.**  
An instructional program for adults interested in the Church. Contact Tim Etue.

**Parish School of Religion**  
Grades 1-8: Sunday 9:00 – 10:15 a.m.  
School year: September thru April only.

**Babysitting** available during 10:30 a.m. mass every week in the basement.

**PARISH CENTER OFFICE**

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***Celebrating Our Sacramental Life******Sacraments of Initiation***

**Infant Baptism** – Normally celebrated on the First Sunday of each month at one of the regularly scheduled masses, except during Lent, unless circumstances suggest otherwise. Preparation program for new parents is required.

**Adult Baptism** -On Holy Saturday, during the Easter Vigil Service. A formational program (the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults R.C.I.A.) helps prepare candidates. Also at the Easter Vigil newly baptized persons are confirmed and receive the Eucharist for the first time.

**First Holy Communion** - for those baptized as children yearly as soon as possible after Easter.

**Confirmation** for those baptized as children is celebrated yearly at a time designated by the Bishop.

**Regularly scheduled celebrations of the Eucharist.**

Sunday 8:00 and 10:30 (Interpreted)

Monday, Tuesday and Friday 8:00

Wednesday 8:45; Thursday 5:30

Saturday 4:00 (Vigil Mass for Sunday)

***Sacraments of Healing***

Individual Reconciliation (Confessions) celebrated on Saturday at 3:00 and Thursdays at 5:00. Communal Reconciliation celebrated in Advent and Lent.

Anointing of the Sick. Individually upon request. Communally, once each year.

***Sacraments of Vocation***

Marriage. Minimum six month notice is required. Full preparation program required.

Holy Orders. We join in joy with the Diocese of Toledo and the Oblates of St. Francis de Sales in celebrating all ordinations.

Please call the parish office for particulars regarding the celebration of the Sacraments

**WELCOME**

We are pleased to welcome visitors to St. Pius! We invite all guests to sign our Visitor's Book, located to the left of the church doors in the Narthex. Please ask an usher if you need assistance.

**Wisdom for the Week to Come  
from the writings of St. Francis de Sales**

***"The more perfect things you share with your friends are, the more perfect will the friendship be"***

## TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES

### September

Our September weekend masses will have several special events connected with them. On the first Sunday of the month we will have the "Water Blessing" or Baptisms at each of the masses. It is truly a blessing for a parish to have new members. It is important that this sacrament, so critical to our life, be celebrated in such a way that a significant number of the parish can be on hand to welcome the new members and especially their families!

On Sunday September 11 we will have the formal Blessing and Commissioning of all our Teachers and Catechists at the 10:30 Mass.

At all weekend masses September 17-18 Fr. Michael Ricker will speak to us about the Global Mission Awareness of the Church. An envelope will be available for you to assist this work. This special envelope will be placed in the regular main collection. There will not be a special second collection.

On the weekend of September 24-25 all our Eucharistic Ministers, both those who have served in this ministry for many years and those who are new to it will be commissioned at each of the three masses.

Looking forward to October Father Whalen's formal installation as Pastor will take place on Sunday October 9<sup>th</sup> at the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

### September Usher List

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Fran Hvizdos, Dorothy Kopinski, Teresa Mack, Maureen O'Connor
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	John Tursich, Chris, Daniel & Thomas Velker
	10:30 a.m.	Robert Corser, Jim Dandar, Andrea & Grace Durfey

### Parish School of Religion Note

PSR and Seedlings sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board in the narthex. Please pick one up to register for PSR. The first PSR date is Sunday, September 18, 2001—Catechetical Sunday! You can drop off filled-out forms at the Parish Center *c/o Lisa Baumann* during regular parish business hours.

### Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

RCIA is open to those who have never been baptized, have been baptized in another Christian faith, have been baptized Catholic but never completed full initiation into the Church through Confirmation and or Eucharist, and those who would like to explore Catholicism but make no commitment at this time. A regular sequence of weekly sessions for RCIA will begin at St. Pius X Parish on Sunday morning, September 18. Deacon Tim Etue and his team will be there to welcome any interested people, answer any questions, and share information on the RCIA process. We will be meeting in the Parish Center from 9:00 --10:30 A.M. each Sunday morning. For more information and to let him know that you will be coming to the information session, please contact Deacon Tim at 419-868-6622 or [tetue@bex.net](mailto:tetue@bex.net).

### School Magazine Drive

Magazine subscriptions (new & renewals) will be sold until September 12, 2011. If you are interested, please contact a St. Pius X student or call Marilyn A. Gerathy at St. Pius X School at 419.535.7688. All profits (40%) go towards benefiting our students. Thank you for your support!

### Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Annette Grimes. May her family and friends find consolation.

### CELEBRATION OF THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST THIS WEEK

<b>SATURDAY, August 27</b>	
4:00 p.m.	Fr. Landgraff
Intention	Lessley Kolbeck
Servers	Stephanie Cisek
Lectors	John & Walt Kosydar
Eucharistic Ministers	Fran Hvizdos (H), Pat Cryan, Aili Meyers, Jack Sauer, Gerry Tremblay
<b>SUNDAY, August 28</b>	
8:00 a.m.	Fr. Whalen
Intention	St. Pius X Parishioners
Servers	Chris Hack
Lectors	Ed & Gwen Raupfer
Eucharistic Ministers	Irene Buckenmeyer (H), Janet Dauterman, John Grayczyk
<b>SUNDAY, August 28</b>	
10:30 a.m.	Fr. Whalen
Intention	
Servers	Quinn Kleinfelter & Matt Moscrop
Lectors	Mary Leedy, Lonnie Hoepf
Eucharistic Ministers	Cheryl Weis (H), Tom Weis, Henk & Mary Kay Albregt, Paul Johnson
<b>MONDAY August 29</b>	
8:00 a.m.	Clark Danner
<b>TUESDAY August 30</b>	
8:00 a.m.	
<b>WEDNESDAY August 31</b>	
8:45 a.m.	
<b>THURSDAY September 1</b>	
5:30 p.m.	
<b>FRIDAY - September 2</b>	
8:00 a.m.	Special Intention
<b>SATURDAY September 3</b>	
4:00 p.m.	Fr. Lehner
Intention	
Servers	Nick Bonfiglio
Lectors	James & Aili Meyers
Eucharistic Ministers	Gerry Tremblay (H), Greg Berning, Aili Meyers, Paul & Mary Nungester
<b>SUNDAY - September 4</b>	
8:00 a.m.	Fr. Whalen
Intention	
Servers	Kate Timmerman
Lectors	Doris Myers, Ted Hamilton
Eucharistic Ministers	Jeanne Eastop (H), Jane Butkowsky, Terry DeClercq
<b>SUNDAY, September 4</b>	
10:30 a.m.	Fr. Whalen
Intention	Rena Jean Lindberg
Servers	Emily Brockman, Adam & Ryan Conway
Lectors	John Pavlica, Barb Francis
Eucharistic Ministers	John Ziegelhofer (H), Gwen Clark, Beverly Broyles, Sue Idczak, Ginny Knapp

### **PARISH SUPPORT**

8/21/11 Collection	\$7,444
Year to Date (Week eight of 52)	\$69,962

### Youth Group (grades 9-12)

Sun. Aug. 28 Back to School Ice Cream Social in Youth Group room from 6-8 p.m.

**Hospitality Sunday is next week hosted by  
St. Vincent de Paul**

**Coffee with Christ and Muffins with Mary**

Our Pastor, Fr. David Whalen, will be our presenter on Saturday, September 10, 2011. Join us for coffee and muffins as we share friendship and spirituality. We begin at 9:30am and have closing prayer by 11am. All women 18 years and older are invited to attend. A sign-up sheet will be in the Narthex or call Chris at the Parish Office to reserve your spot! Need a ride? Have questions? Please call Chris at the Parish Office 419-535-7672.

Mark your calendar for the next monthly gatherings:

Saturday, October 1, 2011 Field trip to The Sorrowful Mother Shrine in Bellevue, OH.

Saturday, November 5, 2011

Saturday, December 3, 2011

**Club 55+ Luncheon**

Club 55+ will hold a summer luncheon on Wednesday, August 31, at noon in the Family Life Center. Fr. David Whalen will be our featured guest speaker as we welcome him to St. Pius X Parish. The luncheon will be catered, but we still need about 10-12 donated desserts. A sign-up sheet is available in the narthex for those who plan to attend. All Parishioners 55 years of age and older are invited. Join us as we welcome our new pastor!

**Ways to Remember**

There are many ways to remember a dear one's anniversary, whether living or deceased. You can send a card. You can bake a cake. OR, here are two other ways to remember you might want to consider. First, you can arrange for a special remembrance of the individual in one of our regularly scheduled Sunday or daily masses. We announce and pray for those who have a special remembrance in the Prayer of the Faithful that day and we list these special remembrances in the weekly Bulletin. Second, you can arrange to have the sanctuary lamp (the candle that burns next to the tabernacle to remind us of the presence of Jesus in the Tabernacle) burn for a period of 14 days. We also list this in the Bulletin. Call the office to schedule either of these wonderful ways to remember. An offering of \$10.00 is asked for either remembrance.

**The Sanctuary Lamp is burning from August 23 – September 5  
in loving memory of Felix Barrientos**

**Weekly Calendar**

Sun. Aug. 28 11:30 am Girl Scouts Recruiting Meeting in BT  
7 pm Men's Basketball in FLC  
Mon. Aug. 29 5-7 pm Volleyball Practice in FLC  
7-8 Girl Scouts in BT  
Tues. Aug 30 5-9 pm Volleyball Practice in FLC  
Wed. Aug. 31 Noon Club 55+ Luncheon in FLC  
5-7 pm Volleyball Practice in FLC  
7 pm Men's Basketball in FLC  
Thurs. Sept. 1 5-9 pm Volleyball Practice in FLC  
7 pm Choir in CH

**Glass Slipper Revue**

Enjoy an afternoon of dancing, singing and entertainment to raise funds in honor of Women Blessing Women, a local 501(c)3 nonprofit organization for women age 18 and over dedicated to empowering women living in poverty to achieve success, gain confidence, excel in education and obtain living wage jobs. Held Sunday, October 2 from 3 PM to 5 PM at Franciscan Life Center at Lourdes College, 6832 Convent Blvd. Sylvania, OH. Tickets: \$15.

**The current issue of the Catholic Chronicle is available on the table in the Narthex of the Church.**

**Sign Language Class**

Multi-level Sign Language classes will be offered at St. Pius X on Thursdays from September 8 – October 20, 2011. They will be held at the Parish Center from 6-8 p.m. The class fee for the 6 week course is \$30, which excludes the cost of the textbook (can be purchased used or online: Bravo ASL! Student Workbook). To register contact Jean Moder at 419-244-6711 or [jmoder@toledodiocese.org](mailto:jmoder@toledodiocese.org)

**Possibilities for Spiritual Growth**

On Sept. 8, 7 - 8 pm, Lial Renewal Center in Whitehouse will offer information on possibilities for spiritual growth based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius. Participants will learn how spiritual direction, the Spiritual Exercises, and the adapted Exercises could help them grow in spiritual freedom and intimacy with God in the midst of active lives. Facilitated by Notre Dame Sisters Anne Mary Molyet and Mary Dean Pfahler. Call 419-877-0432 to register.

**First Thursday Dialogue**

The First Thursday Dialogues will begin on Thursday, September 8 (2<sup>nd</sup>. Thursday) at NOON at the Toledo Club. Our theme is "Faith in the Workplace". Our speaker will be Mr. Jeff Smith, Anchor, 13 ABC Action News-Good Morning. For reservations and information, call 419-244-6711 ext. 515.

**Theology on Tap Team**

Are you a young adult who is interested in joining an energetic community of seekers and believers? The Diocese of Toledo's Young Adult and Campus Ministry office is inviting young adults between the ages of 18 and 39 to join the Theology on Tap Team for this Fall Season of 2011. As a team member you will experience working with a community of peers who value: growing in their Catholic faith, building the kingdom of God, and collaborating to develop a series that meets current topics of interest in the young Church. If interested in being a team member contact Kathy Haninger at [khaninger@toledodiocese.org](mailto:khaninger@toledodiocese.org), 419-244-6711, ex. 332 or 419-461-0550.

**Annual Diocesan 25th/50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration**

The Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebration for those married 25, 50, & 60 or more years in the year 2011 will be held on Sunday, October 23, 2011, at 3:00 p.m. at Rosary Cathedral. For reservations, call the Parish office at 419-535-7672. **Deadline for reservations is Wednesday, September 14, 2011.**

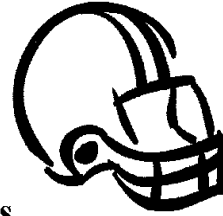
# *Don't want to cook?*

Go to Jo-Jo's on Monroe Street  
*anytime (dine in or carry out)* on  
**Thursday, September 1.**

**Mention St. Pius X Youth Group** on  
Thursday, September 1, and we receive a  
percentage of the profit.

The profit for this event will help support our  
trip to the National Catholic Youth  
Conference in November! We have 24  
youth attending from our parish!





## **Athletic Association News Annual Reverse Raffle**

The Annual Reverse Raffle will be held Saturday, September 18th, 2010 to benefit the St. Pius X Athletic Association. The money raised will help keep the cost of school athletics affordable, allow the purchase of needed equipment and uniforms and enable the maintenance of our athletic campus.

Grand prizes for the raffle drawing:

**First prize \$2000**  
**Second prize \$1000**  
**Third prize \$500**

Additional prizes are awarded throughout the evening. This year's theme is again College Football so wear your favorite team's colors. The Race For The National Championship event will be held to build team spirit.

**Date: Saturday, September 24th**  
**Time: Doors open at 6PM**  
**Place: St. Pius X Family Life Center**  
**Cost: \$35 per ticket**

A ticket entitles one person to dinner, beverages and a chance to win one of many prizes. Tickets will be sold after mass the weekends in September.

**We still need many volunteers and sponsors** to help make this fundraiser successful. If you are able to volunteer for any portion of the raffle or sponsor the event, please contact **Maggie Crosley** at 419-345-8724. We are also in need of door prizes of *any kind* you may be able to donate. Please contact **Maggie Crosley** regarding your prize donations.

Please join us on September 24th for an evening of food, fun and games to help support the St. Pius X athletic programs. Don't just buy a ticket – please join us for a fun time!

**Hurry....Only 300 tickets will be sold for this event. Don't get shut out!**



# September 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
4 Hospitality Sunday in FLC Baptisms 10:30 Mass	5 Labor Day Parish Office closed St. Louis Kitchen	6 St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 7 pm in PC, Volleyball Practice 5-9 FLC	7 Volleyball Practice 5-7 FLC	8 Sign Language class 6-8 in PC, Volleyball Practice 5-9 FLC	9 Women's Prayer Breakfast in 9:30 -11 am in PC	10 Women's Prayer Breakfast in 9:30 -11 am in PC
11 Blessing of Teachers and Catechists at 10:30 Mass	12 Volleyball Practice 5-7 FLC, Girl Scouts 6:30 pm in BT	13 Pastoral Council Meeting 7 pm in PC, Volleyball Practice 5-9 FLC	14 Volleyball Practice 5-7 FLC	15 PSR New Families Meeting 7 pm in PC, Volleyball Practice 5-9 FLC	16 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8 am in PC, Market Day, Feed the Hungry, Bethlehem Carvings in Narthex	17 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8 am in PC, Market Day, Feed the Hungry, Bethlehem Carvings in Narthex
18 Catechetical Sunday, RCIA 9 am in PC, PSR 9 am, in SCH, Seedlings 10:30 am, Feed the Hungry, Bethlehem Carvings	19 8th Gr. Confirmation Mtg. 7 pm CH, Volleyball Practice 5-7 FLC, Girl Scouts 7 pm in BT	20 Finance Meeting 7 pm in PC, Volleyball Practice 5-9 FLC	21 Volleyball Practice 5-7 FLC	22 Sign Language class 6-8 in PC, Set-up for Reverse Raffle in FLC	23 Set-up for Reverse Raffle in FLC	24 Reverse Raffle 6 pm in FLC Blessing of E.M. 4 pm Mass
25 RCIA 9am PC, PSR 9 am SCH, Blessing of E.M. at Masses, Youth Group Bake Sale after Masses	26 Volleyball Practice 5-7 FLC, Girl Scouts 6:30 pm in BT	27 School Advisory Council 7:15 pm in PC, Volleyball Practice 5-9 FLC	28 Volleyball Practice 5-7 FLC	29 Sign Language class 6-8 in PC, 6th Grade Square Dance in FLC	30 Pint-Sized Heroes Blood Drive 2-7 pm in FLC	