

JUNE 8-9, 2019

PENTECOST



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PENTECOST SUNDAY

[Jesus] breathed on them and said to them,
"Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive
are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are
retained." - Jn 20:22-23

Sacramental Life

Dedication Candle

Anastasia Bruss & Travis Gavin



Congratulations!

Kelly Adkins and Alec Vicenzi
were married
Saturday, June 8, 2019
at St. Pius X

St. Pius X Parish Anointing Mass
Wednesday June 12, 10:00 AM

Anyone who is frail or in need of physical, emotional, or spiritual healing is welcome. Please invite any Catholic families, neighbors, or friends, that could benefit from this wonderful Sacrament. Refreshments following in Founder's Hall.



In Sympathy

*Please remember in your prayers,
Ruth (Ruthie) Overby+*

Sister of parishioner: Helen Schroeder

*May Ruth and the all the souls of the faithfully
departed, through the
mercy of God, rest in peace.*

St. Pius Youth (SPY)

Girl Genius 3.0: Loving Leadership™ for middle school girls - Girl Genius is back for the summer for all girls currently in grades 6, 7, and 8th. Join St. John the Evangelist and St. Pius X youth ministry to learn more about how God has created you for mission! Come together in friendship with your peers and amazing faith-filled high school and college mentors to discover more about your specific mission! Contact Katie Stinson, kstinson@piusx.org, for more information.



Summer Youth Activities

Wednesday Night Bonfires (sponsored by UNITE)

Grade 6-12 + Adult Leaders

Most Summer Wednesdays 7:00 - 9:00 pm

Located at Pax Christi

Jams and Games At St. James (sponsored by UNITE)

Grade 6-12 + Adult Leaders

Thursdays 1:00 - 2:00 pm **Jams**

Thursdays 2:00 - 4:00 pm **Games**

Located at St. James Coffee

Canoeing / Kayaking on the Root River

(sponsored by UNITE)

Middle and High Schoolers

Monday, July 8th

Girl Genius: Rochester Part Three

June 18, July 16, August 20 - 7:00 - 8:30pm

Located at St. Pius X

Steubenville Rochester

Grade 8-12 + Adult Leaders

Friday, July 12 - Sunday, July 14

Feed My Starving Children / Valleyfair

3rd Graders and up

Monday, July 15th

Please register by Friday, July 5th

For more information, or to register for events - go to
<http://www.piusx.org/youth-ministry.html>

Parish Calendar

Monday, June 10, 2019

Tuesday, June 11, 2019

Girl Genius, 6-9pm (Leaders only), Founders Hall

Wednesday, June 12, 2019

Thursday, June 13, 2019

Friday, June 14, 2019

Kick Ball, 6:30pm, St. Pius Green Space
Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday, June 15, 2019

Bruss/Gavin Wedding, 1:30pm, Church

Sunday, June 16, 2019

Happy Father's Day!

Invest in Youth

The weekend of June 16/17 we will be taking up a second collection to help offset the costs of our Summer youth experiences. It is our hope that no student would ever be turned away from a retreat, camp, or conference simply because of cost. If you are unable to make a contribution that weekend or would like more information before doing so, there are inserts in the bulletin this weekend with more details about the costs of the trips.

All of these summer experiences are amazing opportunities for the young people in our parish to grow deeper in our knowledge and love of Christ and His Church, and to learn how live out our baptismal call to love and to serve the Lord by joyfully reaching out to those in need. This year, **we have students attending the One Call Institute for liturgical musicians, a middle school mission trip to Minneapolis, a high school mission trip to Milwaukee, Camp Summit – a Catholic Adventure Camp in Lanesboro, and the National Catholic Youth Conference in Indianapolis.**

Invest Youth is much more than just a financial contribution. Please make sure you take a bulletin this weekend and read through the Invest Youth insert. It outlines a number of ways you can invest in the youth here at St. Pius X, including mentorship, becoming a faith formation catechist, serving alongside our young people and families, or becoming a prayer partner for our young people.

Thank you so much for your time today and for your continued support and prayers for our St. Pius X youth.

Parish Life

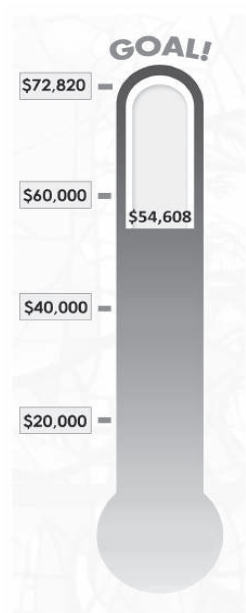
Catholic Ministries Appeal

Through your support, the Catholic Ministries Appeal funds diocesan-led ministries throughout the 20 counties of southern Minnesota. Thank you for providing opportunities for thousands of people to draw closer to Christ because of your generosity. If you haven't already contributed, please return your CMA pledge card or give online at

www.catholicismn.org/Appeal.

Our Parish Goal is: **\$72,820**

We have received **\$54,608** from **215** parishioners.



75% of our goal

Thank you for your support.

Save the Date!!!

Parish Life Activity

Sunday, July 28th-

Foot Golf at Willow Creek Golf Course. Please join fellow parishioners, family, friends for this fun activity. More information to follow.

If you can kick a ball, you can play foot golf.



Please welcome our newest member of St. Pius X:

Mark St.Peter

Community News

Do you want to stay active and independent for life? If so, SAIL (Stay Active and Independent for Life) is a free exercise program for older adults. Catholic Charities of Southern MN is proudly sponsoring these hour long classes that include low impact aerobics, balance exercises, strength training with dumbbells and ankle weights, and stretching exercises. The program is able to accommodate people with a mild level of mobility difficulty up to those who are regularly active. The exercises focus on improving flexibility, bone and muscle strength, balance and overall fitness. Classes are offered on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:00 – 10:00 AM at Bethel Lutheran Church (810 3rd Ave SE, Rochester) and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:30 – 5:30 PM at Christ United Methodist Church (400 5th Ave SW, Rochester). No registration is necessary. For more information contact Mariah Mariano, Active Aging Wellness Program Coordinator at 507-450-1091 or mmariano@ccsomn.org.

Catholic Charities E-Newsletter is Available

Did you know that our Diocesan Social Concerns Committee has a monthly e-newsletter? It is full of Action Alerts, Upcoming Events throughout the diocese, as well as useful Resources on Catholic Social Teaching. To sign up for the newsletter, simply send your email address to nhenrichs@ccsomn.org and indicate you would like to be added to the newsletter mailing list. You can check out past editions of the newsletter on the Catholic Charities of Southern MN Website: <https://www.ccsomn.org/programs/parish-social-ministry/social-issues/social-justice-newsletters/>.

Catholic Charities

Have you always wanted a family? Have you been thinking about adoption but not sure where to start? Call Catholic Charities to schedule an adoption information meeting to learn about different types of adoption, the process, and how to begin. Visit us at www.ccsomn.org or call Catholic Charities at 507-287-2047 for more information.

St. James Coffee Christian Witness Series

Join us on Monday, June 10th at 7 pm to hear Philip Lomneth share his faith story "Listen to the Silent Sound of God". Come early to get a beverage and a seat. All are welcome!

St. James Coffee Volunteering Opportunity!

St. James is a place where the New Evangelization is put into practice—basically through a cup of coffee and conversation we reach out to the community on behalf of Christ and the Church. We not only make drinks for our customers but also engage them in conversation and build relationships with them. We are in need of volunteers to make drinks, engage customers and show them Christ's light. Hours are flexible and variable to your schedule. We cover a total of 79 hours a week with volunteers so if you could help with a few of those hours a month, we would be ever so grateful. We are especially in need of help Thursday mornings and Saturday afternoons. If you are interested, please sign up at www.stjamescoffee.com/volunteer or contact info@stjamescoffee.com and we will get you started.



24th Annual Holy Spirit Golf Tournament

Monday, June 17th, 2019 — Oak Summit Golf Course



Come join us for the Holy Spirit Knights of Columbus Council's largest fundraiser of the year to support projects in the parish and the surrounding community. Get your foursome signed up for golf or your 2-person team for bean bags. Contact Todd Kiefer at 507-421-8177 (tpkief@gmail.com) or Ted Hoene at 217-821-8112 (thoene103@gmail.com) with any questions and/or entry forms. The 2019 tournament will be held on the Monday after Father's Day – June 17th. Golf check-in starts at 11 AM with the shotgun start at 12:30 PM. Bean bag registration starts at 3 PM with competition start at 3:30 PM. Food and many raffle prizes will follow golf and bean bags.

Sick or Hospitalized

*If you are homebound and wish to receive communion or a visit, contact the Parish Office at 288-8238 to make arrangements.

*If you or a family member are hospitalized and would like a visit or to be anointed, please notify the Parish Office. Hospitals are unable to share information with us.

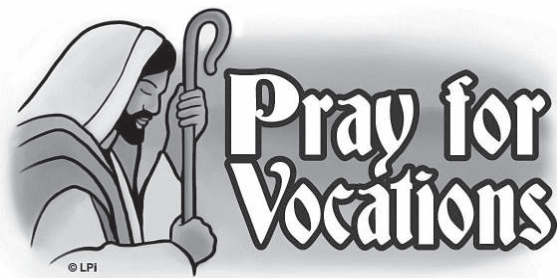
Prayer for Vocations

St. Pius X Prayer for Vocations Program is in need of your help. Please sign up in our book near the church elevator. **The following MASS times are OPEN:**

4:00pm Mass ~ June 22 is available.

8:00am Mass ~ All weeks in July are filled.

10:00am Mass ~ August 5, 12, 19 & 26 are open



Readings for the Week of:

June 9, 2019

Sunday Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39.

Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 53, 55, 56 [52b] or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [1]/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39.

Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

Monday: Gen 3:9-15 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [cf. 2b]/Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9 [cf. 9c]/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 2 Cor 3:15--4:1, 3-6/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b]/Mt 5:20-26

Friday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18 [17a]/Mt 5:27-32

Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Mt 5:33-37

Next Sunday: Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

Parish Life



Mass Intentions



Monday, June 10, 2019

NO DAILY MASS

Tuesday, June 11, 2019

8:00am John Drews+

10:00am (*Sam Beth*)

Wednesday, June 12, 2019

10:00am Glenn W. LeBarron+ (*Anointing Mass*)

Thursday, June 13, 2019

8:00am IHM Prayer Group

Friday, June 14, 2019

8:00am Bob Ryan+ / Joan Regnier+

Saturday, June 15, 2019

8:00am Anastasia Bruss and Travis Gavin

4:00pm Parishioners / Bernie Kluck+

Sunday, June 16, 2019

8:00am Anita & Sal Friermuth+

10:00am Jeff Stevens+ / Arthur DePuy+

Observances for the week of June 9, 2019

Sunday: Pentecost Sunday

Monday: Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

Tuesday: St. Barnabas, Apostle

Wednesday:

Thursday: St. Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor of the Church

Friday: Flag Day

Saturday:

Next Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity; Father's Day

Mass Schedule

Sunday Liturgy

Saturday.....4:00pm

Sunday.....8:00am, 10:00am

Daily Liturgy

Tues — Sat.....8:00am

Reconciliation

Tues — Sat.....7:30am-7:50am

Saturday.....3:00pm-3:50pm

Liturgical Ministers

June 15-16

Altar Servers

- 4:00 pm John Hoffman, Jake Hoffman
 8:00 am Ella Gnagey, **HELP IS NEEDED**
 10:00 am Kahlán Carlin, Jasmine Carlin

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

- 4:00 pm Valentine Yeager, Peter Yeager, Mary Poleschuk, Melanie Asay, Linda Becker, Gil Becker, **HELP IS NEEDED X 3**
 8:00 am Deb Schmitt, Joanne Drews, Kathy Priem, Tony Goergen, Bridget Griffin, Jan Vitse, Lynn Wroblewski, Clarissa, Tommy Carey
 10:00 am Ginny Amundson, Alex Carlin, Justin Carlin, Bev Richardson, Peg Drews-Radke, Jim Small, Christina Webber

Ministers of Hospitality

- 4:00 pm Mary Klepper, Eric Klepper, Terry Hennessy, Mark Zangs, Anne Rentz
 8:00 am Doug Wood, Dan McCoy, Rita McCoy, Jon Ask
 10:00 am Dan Amundson, Jose Banzon, Luanne Koshire, Larry Koshire

Proclaimers of the Word

- 4:00 pm Bob Toddie, Patty Ward-Montoya
 8:00 am Joanne Drews, Lynn Padley
 10:00 am Tom Arachtingi, Amy Sullivan

Scrip Sales

- 4:00 pm Jill Fitzpatrick
 8:00 am Rita McCoy
 10:00 am Tammy Betzing

Ministers of Communion for Nursing Homes

- Sam / Beth Dan & Rita McCoy
 Arbor Terrace Kathy Priem

Money Counters (Monday, June 10)

Team 2

Thank you for supporting St. Pius X!

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From Fr. Russ

I am looking at the Feast of Pentecost in a much different way this year. We are all aware that our Diocese of Winona/Rochester filed Chapter 11 Bankruptcy in November of 2018. Deep down we all knew this was going to happen at some point. Compensation and justice for the victims of past clerical sex abuse is long overdue. When the news of Bankruptcy for our Diocesan Church came out, it was like reliving all those “past” news report. Our feelings of betrayal have left all of us with questions. The trust level the Catholic faithful once had with priests and bishops has been smashed and so many have struggled where to turn now that “...all they have grown up with and have been taught...” has come into question. I have had numerous conversations with folks about this struggle. My only suggestion for them, and one I need to keep in my mind and heart as well: The “Church” is Jesus’ idea, not ours! He established Her and, therefore, will never leave Her.

It is on this Feast of Pentecost that we celebrate Jesus establishment of His Church. Just as last weekend we celebrated the Feast of the Ascension which delivered the message to us that it is now our turn to carry on the Mission and Message of Jesus’ Paschal Mystery, especially to “preach repentance for the forgiveness of sins...” and so much more, this weekend we celebrate our efforts and willingness – through the power of the Holy Spirit – to make that a reality here and now. Today, we are being asked to “do” this in a more “internalized” way than ever before in our life-times and perhaps experience this mercy ourselves in order to be ambassadors of this mercy. The Holy Spirit given to those first disciples at Pentecost is the same Holy Spirit given to us. It is only by the power of the Holy Spirit that we are able to experience mercy and then extend that mercy to a suffering church and world. We need to rebuild Jesus’ Church which is first and foremost about reconciliation. The Holy Spirit given to those first disciples at Pentecost is alive and active within. May we continue to open our personal hearts to its power and remain Christ’s Body here and now. God bless and have a good week.

Parish Life



Want a great start to your Father’s Day weekend?

Please join Parish Life in a fun, hassle free game of.....

KICKBALL

Date: Friday June 14th at 6:30 p.m. in the green space at St. Pius X .
This game is for anyone, young and old. No talent or skills necessary.

Join us for fellowship and fun!

Bring yourselves, friends and family.

We will provide refreshments and snacks.

Please contact Barb Timm with question/concerns, 507-261-2534.



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