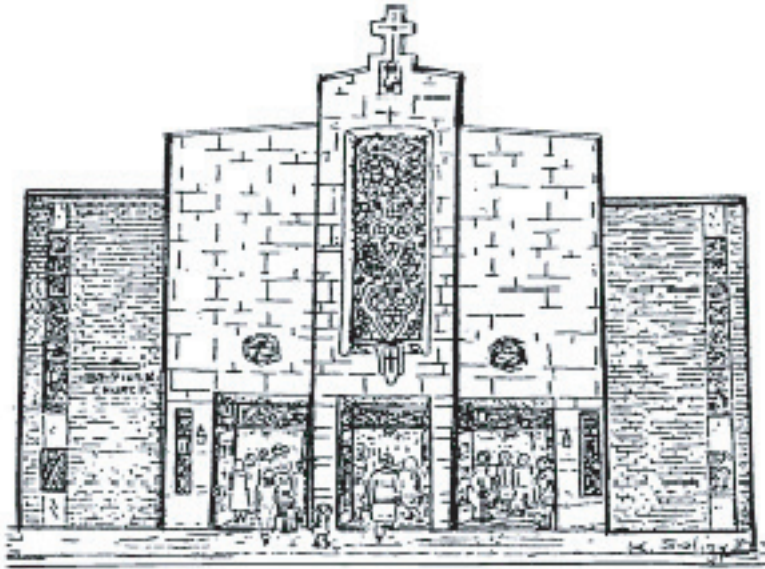


# St. Pius X Parish

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## Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday - 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

## Weekdays

Tuesday to Friday - 8:30 a.m.  
Rosary and Divine  
Mercy Prayer - 9:00 a.m.

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## Office Hours:

Tuesday to Friday

9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

**Pastor: Rev. Brian Shea**

**Parish Coordinator: Rita Cincinnato**

**Parish Secretary: Vivian McNeill**

**Music Sat 5 p.m.: Adrian Autencio**

**Sun 9 a.m.: Chris Au & Linda Elia**

**Sun 11 a.m.: Brian Weldon**

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### Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

OR By Appointment

### Baptism

Please call the office for an appointment.

### Marriage

One year's advance notice is required;  
call the office for an appointment.

Couples must attend a marriage preparation  
course.

### Benediction & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Every first Friday of the Month at 9:00 a.m. following  
Mass at 8:30 a.m.

### Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help

Thursday: 8:30 a.m.

### Parish School: St. Pius X Catholic School

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### Parish Ministries/ Organizations

Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, Liturgical Musicians, St. Vincent de Paul, Catholic Women's League,  
Financial Council, Website Committee, Altar Servers, Sacramental Preparation,  
Children's Liturgy (11 a.m. Mass)

**Please Remember St. Pius X Parish in your Will.**



# FAITH FORMATION

## SCATTERED AND GATHERED

Rita Cincinnato lead a Confirmation catechists meeting on January 24th at 7pm, both in person and via Skype. It was truly a scattered and gathered experience.



## WE ARE COMMUNITY

Last weekend, our First Communion candidates celebrated the Rite of Enrollment at all the masses.

The Rite of Enrollment ceremony marks the beginning of a “journey of faith” for children and their parents who are starting the sacramental formation process. It is also a sign to the larger community that all of us have a role in the formation of anyone in the parish by providing prayer and support throughout this time. Likewise, it shows children and their families that they are part of the larger faith community.



## TAIZE FRANCE COMING TO SAINT PIUS X

Brother Emile recently wrote:

*Taizé, January 22nd 2018*

*Dear Friends,*

*It's been an unusual winter for me. Our community has been invited to spend some time at the Tantur Ecumenical Institute in Jerusalem. It's where I spent the month of November. The institute is situated near Bethlehem, within shouting distance of the check-point that thousands of Palestinians use each day.*

*At Tantur, Catholics and Protestants live together along with a Jewish and Muslim scholar. The desire to work for unity is a characteristic of the institute. In addition to a few talks I have been invited to give, I was asked to lead the daily prayers at the institute. Prayer on Sunday evenings, open to the entire city and region, draws an interesting mix of people.*

*Because I will be spending a second month at Tantur this coming February, my annual visit to Canada will take place a little later than usual.*

Brother Emile will be coming to SPX on April 20, and we invite you to be part of this prayerful service.



## FAITH SHARING



### Question of the Week

We are called to reflect more deeply on the meaning of the Sunday readings.

Let us reflect on God's Word and prepare our minds and hearts, deepen our spiritual lives, and further explore how we are called to action through the Word.

### Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

*Let us preach the Good News to all.*

**Gospel : Mark 1:29-39**

### Reflection & Action

#### Question for Adults:

*If you were going to pray for healing for any reason, what would it be? What needs to be healed in our world and society?*

#### Question for Youth:

*Jesus knew that his mission was for everyone, not just one village or group of people. How can you reach out to others (outside of friends and family) and offer them hope and Good News?*

#### Question for Children:

*What can you do to help your friend and classmates know more about Jesus?*

### NEXT WEEK

#### Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 11, 2018

**1st Reading:** Lev. 13:1-2, 44-46  
Those who are sick shall live outside the camp.

**2nd Reading:** 1 Cor. 10:31-11:1  
Imitate me as I do Christ.

**Gospel:** Mark 1:29-39  
If you will do so, you can cure me.



# CROSS MASS INTENTIONS

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6**

8:30am † Hannah Murphy

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7**

8:30am † Frances Stevenson

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8**

8:30am Rudolf Henes (for health)

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9**

8:30am Available

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10**

5:00pm For the People

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11**

9:00am † Allan Hirst

11:00am † Bargczak & Sowinski families

**On the Lighter Side...**

A Sunday school teacher asked her class, "What was Jesus' mother's name?"

Little Bobby answered, "Mary."

The teacher then asked, "Who knows what Jesus' father's name was?"

Little Mikey said, "Verge."

Confused, the teacher asked, "Where did you get that?"

Mikey replied, "Well, you know, they are always talking about Verge n' Mary."



**BE PART OF OUR SPECIAL EVENTS TEAM AT ST. PIUS X**

Do you like to organize social events, bake, entertain, or welcome others? Consider joining our Parish Special Events Team that is being formed at St. Pius X.

A Special Events Ministry is at the heart of hospitality - to bring the whole parish together in various events throughout the year.

It is an opportunity to come together in service to grow in faith, while sharing hospitality and God's love with others.

Come share your time and talents! Let's continue to bring our parish together!

*For more information or to be part of this ministry, please contact Rita Cincinnato at ext. 217 or rita@saintpiusx.ca, or fill out the online form.*

**♪ "THE PIPES, THE PIPES ARE CALLING..."**

**Thank you** for your support of the once a month **Building Fund**. The building and the pastor are about the same age – really old! So it comes as no surprise that building parts wear out after sixty years. In January, a **pipe** in the rectory, part of the heating system, started **leaking**. That caused the pressure in the boiler to drop (a telltale sign of a leak in the system). Hearing water dripping behind a wall, the boiler technicians were called and a pipe needed to be replaced. The repair job was in an awkward spot. \$1,800.00 later, all is well.



Picture of water pipes inside the wall. Water was leaking from a T-joint in the ceiling.



**Mardi Gras Coffee Sunday**



We invite you to join us for our monthly Coffee Sunday after every Mass, next weekend, on **February 10th and 11th.**

Please help us to build community and togetherness at the Coffee Sunday by bringing in donated baked goods.

**See you there!**



**2018 Offertory Envelopes Available!!!**

Being a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a Community of Faith. Offertory envelope boxes for 2018 are still available for anyone that has not picked them up. Parishioners are invited to pick up a box of envelopes and are kindly asked to fill in the front of the first few weeks of donations.






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