

# *Catholic Community of St. Pius X*

JANUARY 22, 2012

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The kingdom of God is at hand.  
Repent, and believe in the gospel.

— *Mark 1:15*

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### A NEW WAY, A NEW WORLD

#### Scriptures at a Glance:

**First Reading: Jonah 3:1-5,10** — The people of Nineveh believed God and turned from their evil ways.

**Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:29-31** — The world in its present form is passing away.

**Gospel: Mark 1:14-20** — This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand.



#### The Word in Our Lives:

In the reading from Jonah, God told the prophet to preach repentance to the people of Nineveh. The whole city repented on the very first day, wearing sackcloth and fasting from food. Sometimes we might think that way, that repenting means punishing ourselves or feeling sorry. Jesus sees things differently.

He preached repentance as a change of heart, a new way of looking at things, a new way of acting. In the Gospel today, we see an example. The first people he calls to be disciples were fishermen. They would have considered their family, their partners, and their boat the most important things in their lives. You need all of them to be a successful fisherman. One man sitting on a dock with a pole could barely keep himself fed, much less support a family.

Yet the disciples don't even hesitate when called by Jesus. They leave behind their boats, their nets, even their father, to follow Jesus. They don't worry about what they will do, or look back at what they are leaving behind. Now they are "fishers of men." Their "repentance" was more than just giving up sinful behavior. They were beginning a new life and a new way of looking at the world.

St. Paul refers to this as a new world. By following Jesus, we put the values of the present world behind us and look forward to a new one. His examples could apply today as much as in his time. Marriages, joy, sadness, buying property are still considered important to worldly people. Paul doesn't expect everyone to stop doing these things. When he talks about not using the world fully, he means not being fully engaged in this world, but looking to a better one where God is more important than any passing pleasure or pain. Is your marriage an example of God's love for your friends and relatives? When you are rejoicing, do you give thanks to God? When weeping, do you ask for God's help? When you are shopping, do you buy what you really need, or what you think will make you happy? Jesus calls us all to this new way of living. With Jesus, we can make a new world.

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### DEACON SPEAKIN'

As Father George mentioned in his homily last Sunday, we are being bombarded with messages and information almost all day long. In addition to the approximately 3,000 advertisements that we are exposed to on an average day, we also have to contend with too many phone calls, emails, memos, books, parish bulletins, newspapers and magazines. Amidst this deluge of information, we also are confronted with the many messages from our own egos, suggesting that we do this or that, some which may be good, and a lot which may be bad. All of this "can" be a distraction from what we really need to hear and learn about the "good news" and the "good life."

Today's readings tell us about the "calls" that people get from God. Jonah got the call to go and preach to the people of Nineveh. He heard the call, got up and went to do God's will. The soon to be apostles heard the call, got up, and started fishing for men. As I have repeated so often, what we hear in our readings is a current event. We heard about God calling Jonah, and we heard about the apostles being called. We hear about these events today to remind us that we too are being called. God is calling YOU to do His work on earth. We often get distracted from what is truly important by life and all of its demands. We can get lost in the tsunami of information, and not even hear God calling us. We cannot afford to miss His call.

When Jonah preached his message, the people heard and repented. When Jeremiah preached his message, after answering God's call, he got beat up and thrown into jail. Even today, the truth of God's word is out there, and is not being followed. Why? One answer is that your heart must be ready to hear God's voice. Your heart must be open to hearing God's voice. The same truth applies to everyone else on earth. Many of us do not know why we are Catholic. We were baptized as infants, went to Church when Mom said, received the sacraments, and just continued on as Catholic in a default setting. Our hearts are primed to receive God's call, but can we hear Him amidst the information clutter? Are we listening attentively to hear His voice? Are we trying to hear His voice, or just going about our lives in the default setting?

Let us use this week's readings to wake us up and remember to listen for God's call. Be sure of this...He is calling you. Hear Him, get up and go!

Deacon Tom

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## THE 2012 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL IS UNDERWAY

### “THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS AT HAND” (MARK 1:15)

The 2012 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal begins with a mailing that many of our parishioners have received or will soon receive. This is a mailing from Bishop Conlon asking for a pledge to the 2012 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal.

The Appeal not only funds many of the operations of the diocese, it funds services that are of great help to the ministries here in our parish. For example, funds support Youth Ministry, Lay Formation, Religious Education, Young Adult Ministries, and many others.

This year, the theme of the Appeal is “The Kingdom of God is at Hand.” We are challenged as Catholics to build up God’s kingdom here on earth. Your contribution to the CMAA enables the diocese to uphold the Gospel message and build up the kingdom of God throughout the seven-county area of the Joliet Diocese.



Please remember that God never forgets us. Even when we believe that our successes are self-made, it is the blessings that God has given to each of us that have helped us to get where we are. He is always giving to us. His grace is always there for us. One way that we can show our gratitude is by offering our generous financial support to our parish and to our diocese. The gifts that we give enable ministries and services that touch thousands of lives.

Our parish goal is \$61,884. With your support, we can reach and exceed this goal.

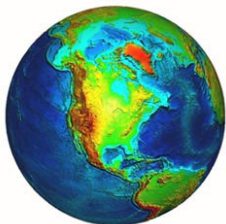
Please answer Bishop Conlon’s request and make a generous pledge. All pledges can be paid in ten monthly installments. Thank you in advance for your support.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR P.A.D.S.

We need volunteers scheduled for the upcoming, January, February, March, and April Dinners and Breakfasts. St. Pius X is committed through P.A.D.S. ([www.dupagepads.org](http://www.dupagepads.org)) to provide and serve dinner for the homeless on the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of each month from October through April at Grace Lutheran Church in Villa Park. Breakfast and a sack lunch are also provided the following morning. 3 to 4 Families for Dinner and 1 to 2 Families for Breakfast. Contact Deacon Larry at 630-629-9234.

**WE NEED ONE MORE FAMILY FOR THE JANUARY 27 P.A.D.S. NIGHT. PLEASE CONSIDER HELPING OUT. GIVE DEACON LARRY A CALL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. 630-629-9234**

### FROM THE ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS COMMITTEE



#### *Left over gasoline?*

Gasoline that has been stored can often be used if it has NOT been mixed with another product, i. e. gas/oil for lawn mower. Usually it can just be added to your gas tank when you fill up. You may want to add an additive, just in case.

Disposal **MUST** be handled as hazardous material.  
OIL DEPOT, Lisle 630-493-1795  
NAPERVILLE HAZARDOUS WASTE 630-420-6095 or  
[earth911.com](http://earth911.com)

### ELIZABETH MINISTRY BAKE SALE



**THE ELIZABETH MINISTRY ANNUAL BAKE SALE IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER ON JANUARY 28/29 AND WE NEED YOUR HELP!!**

The Elizabeth Ministry is having its Annual Bake Sale the weekend of January 28/29 after all Masses. To make this a successful event,

we are asking for both parish and school support. This major fundraiser supports our Elizabeth Ministry outreach and many programs including celebration gift bags for new baby/baptism and pregnancy. Won’t you please consider making a batch of cookies or a cake to help support the ministry we do?

Baked goods can be dropped off between 2:30 pm and 5:00 pm on Saturday, January 28 in the Shimanek Hall at tables provided. The bake sale committee will take care of the pricing. You will receive a reminder call the Thursday before the bake sale. Wrapping instructions and labels are available in the O’Neill Room. We are hoping for many bakers! Please call **Sue D’Alessandro** at 630-617-5671 or **Chris Matasek** at 630-832-3251 with any questions or to sign up to bake. We greatly appreciate your response and support.

**Elizabeth Ministry** is an international movement designed to support women and their families during the joys, challenges, and sorrows of the childbearing years. Our mission is to cherish children, encourage families and build community. We always welcome new members, are happy to offer prayer and support, and have many activities throughout the year for both fellowship and mission.

For more information on the Elizabeth Ministry, please feel free to contact **Donnamarie Dion** at 630-628-1969.

## ST. PIUS X PRAYER CHAPEL



The Prayer Chapel is open Sunday through Friday evenings, 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. Please come and adore Him. Use Door #8 on east side of church building. Would you like to sign up for an hour per week in the Prayer Chapel? Please contact our leaders to pledge your hour.

Sunday	Estelle Soger	630-627-8310
Monday	Cathy Monckton	708-646-8067
Tuesday	Michelle LoCoco	630-620-6283
Wednesday	Linda Chan	630-941-8918
Thursday	Ceil D'Acquisto	630-627-9472
Friday	Carol Gawenda	630-833-3211

## MISSION TO THE NAVAJO RESERVATION

### Mission to the Navajo Reservation Ever wanted to go on a mission?

Then please join us at the St. Charles Pastoral Center in Romeoville at 7:00 pm on Thursday, January 26, 2012 for an information session on the eleventh annual mission to the Navajo Reservation. The trip is planned for June 9-22, 2012. We repair homes for the poor of the Navajo Reservation around Chinle, Arizona as well as other meaningful work that is identified by the people on the reservation.

Although it is helpful to have carpentry, plumbing, painting, electrical and/or general construction skills or experience, it is not necessary. Anyone who is willing to learn and assist in a variety of construction tasks should apply. There will be opportunities to meet the people and to learn the local culture during this mission.

For more information: Sr. Mary Carr, Missions Coordinator at 815-834-4072 or contact (evenings) either Deacon Tom Goebel (630-782-9577) or Deacon Larry Lissak (630-629-9234).

## CAN'T BE BOTH...

On this 39th anniversary of the horrible *Roe v. Wade* decision by the Supreme Court, let us pray for all the babies who have died because of this ruling, as well as their mothers and fathers, and the medical professionals and the government leaders who were part of these cruel and unnecessary deaths. Also remember Gina Wiedman and the St. Pius X Youth Group who will be at the march for life in Washington this weekend.

## LITURGICAL CALENDAR

**Monday January 23—Day of Penance**  
2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Mk 3:22-30  
8:30 am For all the unborn

**Tuesday January 24—Saint Francis of de Sales**  
2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Mk 3:31-35  
8:30 am †Gerri Draniczarek by Tadda Family

**Wednesday January 25—The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle**  
Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Mk 16:15-18  
8:30 am †Theresa Chan by D'Acquisto Family  
†Henry Schrader by Weiland Family

**Thursday January 26—Saints Timothy and Titus**  
2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Mk 4:21-25  
8:30 am †John Malpede by Al Marshiano

**Friday January 27**  
2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Mk 4:26-34  
8:30 am †Maria Zaric by Brian & Lisa Steder  
4:00 pm Wedding Ceremony (Soger/Ciavarella)

**Saturday January 28**  
2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Mk 4:35-41  
4:00-4:30 pm Reconciliation

**Vigil—Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
5:00 pm †Dorothy Neal by Jan & Dave Crackel  
7:00 pm Misa en español

**Sunday January 29**  
Dt 18:15-20; Ps 95; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28  
8:00 am St. Pius X Parish Family  
9:30 am †Esther & Bud Rakebrand by Donna Cooper  
11:00 am St. Pius X Catholic School Community

  
**Pray for** the following parishioners  
and friends who are ill:

*Timothy Field  
Fr. Herb Essig  
Dolores Stroh  
Joyce Watts*

*George McAloon  
Ralph LoCoco  
Kevin Blaney  
John Ley*

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FESTA ITALIANA

### festa italiana

saturday january 28th Saint Pius X Social Center the knights of columbus 6090 presents a delicious event. we will be adding new menu items so if you haven't come by in a few years please join us .

**this is a party with a purpose.** a portion of the net proceeds will help fund the new handicapped entrance in the Saint Pius X worship space. so come out enjoy the food, friends, family and fun. if you would like to help sponsor this event please contact dan sulla at [dfsulla@gmail.com](mailto:dfsulla@gmail.com) or 630.854.1536

**see you there!**

please bring a non perishable food item or paper product for the Saint Vincent DePaul food pantry.



## ACTS: THE SPREAD OF THE KINGDOM



### Week of January 22 Session 3

*The Power of Pentecost*



**Readings:** Acts 2:1-47; Exodus 3:1-3, 13:21-22 & 19:16-21; Psalm 104:3-4; Genesis 11:1-9 Catechism 1299, 1302-1303

The events of Acts 2 take place on the Feast of Pentecost, one of the three annual pilgrim feasts that brought thousands of Jews to celebrate in Jerusalem. "Pentecost" means "fifty days," referring to the ancient Feast of Weeks, which was held fifty days after Passover to celebrate the end of the harvest. This Jewish feast of thanksgiving, strongly identified with covenant renewal and the giving of the Law on Mt. Sinai, was about to gain great significance for the Christian community as it received the new Law of the Holy Spirit.

If you have any questions about the study, call Kelly Reznicek at 630-629-5954 or email [KellyRez@comcast.net](mailto:KellyRez@comcast.net).

## THANK YOU CORNER

**THANK YOU** to all who purchased candy or donated to the SPRED Shower last weekend. We are all looking forward to starting our new ministry next month with our "friends".

Blessings,  
SPRED Team:  
Jackie, Leanne, Sue, Barb, Peggy, Cathy, Therese, and Rosemary

## Scouts' Pancake Breakfast Sunday, February 12

Please Support Our Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts!  
The St. Pius X Pack/Troop 140 Annual Pancake Breakfast is on **Sunday February 12** in the **St. Pius X Social Center** from **7:30 am-1:00 pm**. You can purchase "all you can eat pancakes" tickets in advance from any scout or on Friendship Sunday, February 5, after each Mass for \$5. You can purchase tickets at the door for \$7. Children under 5 free. For more information call 630-295-9200.



Troop 140 wishes to thank all of our Company Sponsors including Mike's Meat Market of Villa Park and Graphics Plus Inc of Lisle.

For over a century, the Boy Scouts of America have been one of the nation's largest value-based youth development organizations. Currently, 115 Scouts participate in the Troop and Pack Programs. Since Scouting's inception at St Pius, 50+ young men have attained the rank of Eagle Scout.

"Serving the St. Pius X Parish and Communities of Villa Park and Lombard for over 47 Years."

## SACRISTAN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers to commit only a couple of hours once per month or less to help with laundering the small altar linens used at Mass. If you are interested in serving in the Sacristan ministry or if you have further questions regarding the degree of commitment, please call Michelle LoCoco: at 630-620-6283.

**St. Pius X Youth Ministry  
presents.....**



# Family Game Night!

Take time away from it all, and spend a night with your family and other junior and senior high Youth Ministry families at St. Pius X playing games and having fun!



You can come by yourself, with friends, and/or with family. And you can come for part of the time if you can't make it for the whole thing.

**Bring a snack to share with other families.  
Bring some things to drink.**

Come ready for fun, to meet new friends,  
To play some games you know, to learn a  
New game, and to have a night full of FUN!!!



**No need to register - just show up with a favorite game to share!**  
**Friday, January 27, 2012      7:00pm – 9:00pm      Wagner Room**

**Questions: Call the Youth Ministry office at 630-627-4526 x204  
youthministry@stpiuslombard.org**

## MONTINI POKER & CASINO NIGHT

**Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament & Bronco Casino Night  
Saturday, January 28, 2012**

Montini Catholic High School will host its Annual Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament & Bronco Casino Night on Saturday, January 28, on campus. The Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament has a First Prize of a seat at the World Series of Poker Tournament in Las Vegas (\$10,000 value)! The Tournament is a \$150 buy-in which includes 5,000 chips. There are only 200 tournament seats available.

Not a fan of Texas Hold'em Poker? \$50 Sit-N-Go Games will be available, as well as a full Casino including Black Jack Tables, Roulette, and the Split-the-Pot Raffle!

The event check-in and complimentary instructional seminar begins at 6:00 pm and the tournaments begin at 7:00 pm. Cash bar and food for purchase are available. You must be 21 or older to participate. Not sure how to play Texas Hold'em? Learn how at [www.texasholdem-poker.com/beginnersintro](http://www.texasholdem-poker.com/beginnersintro).

For more information please call Mrs. Jessica Rodriguez at 630-627-6930. [jrodriguez@montini.org](mailto:jrodriguez@montini.org)



# KNIGHTLIFE

what's happening at school . . .

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## Congratulations to our Spelling Bee Winners

Congratulations to Rich M., (7th grade) who was the winner of the third annual all school spelling bee, held on January 6th. His winning word was - *counterfeit*. This is the second time Rich will represent our school in the Dupage County Private School Spelling Bee. Sophia P. (4th grade) was the runner-up. Each classroom from third to eighth grade sent a representative to compete. Students made signs and posters to cheer on their favorite spellers. Mr. Flaherty, Principal, congratulated all the students for competing. Rich is now headed to Timothy Christian School on February 8 to compete in the next level.

## Become a member of our school family



St. Pius X Parish School will host a series of open houses for prospective students and their families during Catholic Schools Week on:

- Sunday, January 29 (12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.)**
- Monday, January 30 (9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.)**
- Tuesday, January 31 (9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.)**

Tour guides will be available to provide a comprehensive and informative tour of the school. Registration packets will be available.

Come and meet our extraordinary teaching staff and see what makes St. Pius X such an outstanding educational environment.

Open registration will begin on Tuesday, February 7th at 9:30 a.m. Please contact the school office for more information.

Front Row (L to R):  
Melissa F., Rosalie M.,  
Sophia P. (Runner-up),  
Forrest K., & Grace B.  
Back Row (L to R):  
Abby W., Sarah P.,  
Joey O., Michael G.,  
Meghan R.,  
Matthew K.,  
& Rich M. (Winner)



## Donate to our Fighting Men & Women

As a part of their Catholic Schools Week activities, parents and students of St. Pius X Parish School, in association with **Molly Adopt a Sailor**, are adopting fifty United States Navy sailors who are currently at sea. They are holding a "packing party" on February 2nd (from 1:30 p.m. to 2:50 p.m.) at the school to pack and send these dedicated men and women much needed supplies.

Students and families have been asked to donate supplies, fun items, and lots of love in the form of letters and artwork. Mothers of sailors who run the Molly Adopt a Sailor Program tell us that the sailors love the letters and pictures as much as they appreciate receiving the supplies.

Parish and school families wishing to get involved are asked to purchase/donate snacks, drink packets, personal products for both men and women, and/or entertainment items such as board games, puzzles or magazines. A complete supply list can be found online at: [www.stpiuslombard.org/school](http://www.stpiuslombard.org/school). Items may be dropped off after all Masses this weekend or at the school anytime before February 2nd during school hours. Please call Sue Williams at 630-408-1242 with any questions. *And, thank you for your help.*



Faith. Academics. Service.  
**Catholic Schools**

**Tickets are on sale now for the St. Pius 2012 Annual Auction**

Our Live and Silent Auction is on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at Montini High School. The theme of this year's event is H.A.T.S – Helping All To Succeed.

All are invited to enjoy an evening of dining, entertainment and live and silent bidding on amazing prizes and deluxe gift baskets. We are thrilled to announce that Sister Pauline Schutz will be this year's honorary guest! We are so excited to take our "H.A.T.S.-off" in appreciation for Sister Pauline and her dedication to our parish and faith community.

Send In The Clones, a pop, rock, funk and soul cover band of fun, will provide the entertainment, with catering donated entirely by Anyways Restaurant and Pub of Oakbrook Terrace.

The auction committee is extremely grateful for any and all donations, and this year promises not to disappoint! From an amazing **Thanksgiving Week 8 day/7 night Bahamas condo**, four one-day park hopper passes to Disney Theme Parks, tickets to Coldplay, and many, many more.

Tickets are on sale now and can be purchased during school hours in the school office, or after Masses each weekend prior to the event. Tickets purchased on or before February 1, 2012 are available at an early bird rate (\$5.00 discount per ticket) of \$49 for reserved table seating, \$39.00 for general seating and \$29 for seniors (general seating). Tickets at the door will be \$75 each.

Businesses also have the opportunity to advertise in the Auction Bid Book and to be included in this year's new Business Directory. All donations are tax deductible. Interested parties may contact Laura Guerrero, 2012 Auction Chair, at [auktion@stpiuslombard.org](mailto:auktion@stpiuslombard.org) or 630.290.8540.



**ST. PIUS X PARISH SCHOOL'S  
2012 ANNUAL AUCTION**

**ST. PIUS X MANNA PROGRAM**

Every time you make a purchase, you are earning tuition credit and helping our school. Thanks to all of you who purchased manna during the holiday season. If only we could keep that level of participation throughout the rest of the year, think of the money you would save on tuition and the funds that would be generated for our school.



**Quick Manna Schedule**

Sunday, January 22	9:00 AM to 11:00 AM	O'Neill Room
Friday, January 27	8:30 AM to 9:15 AM	School Lobby
Sunday, January 29	9:00 AM to 11:00 AM	O'Neill Room
Friday, February 3	8:30 AM to 9:15 AM	School Lobby
Sunday, February 5	9:00 AM to 11:00 AM	O'Neill Room
Friday, February 10	8:30 AM to 9:15 AM	School Lobby
Sunday, February 12	9:00 AM to 11:00 AM	O'Neill Room
Friday, February 17	8:30 AM to 9:15 AM	School Lobby
Sunday, February 19	9:00 AM to 11:00 AM	O'Neill Room
Friday, February 24	8:30 AM to 9:15 AM	School Lobby
Sunday, February 26	9:00 AM to 11:00 AM	O'Neill Room

**Updates**

Effective immediately, we will no longer have McDonald's or American Airlines gift certificates available through manna. Although we truly hope this situation is temporary, we have no idea when or if we will be able to provide these certificates again. We will keep you posted.

Due to the overwhelming response to our specially-added holiday vendors, we have decided to keep Brio, Buy Buy Baby, DSW, Groupon, L. L. Bean, Qdoba, REI, and Shutterfly permanently! These gift cards have been added to the regular manna order form.

## ALTAR SERVER DAILY SCHEDULE

Monday 1/23 8:30	S. Frank, K. Reznicek, I. Walsh	Thursday 1/26 8:30	E. Crotty, M. Ryan
Tuesday 1/24	I. D'Alessandro, T. Georgitsis, M. Guzik	Friday 1/27	School assignments
Wednesday 1/25	C. Chiaramonti, H. Konrath, J. Matasek		

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Monday-January 23

Daisy 3039	3:00 p.m.	Wagner Room
First Communion Parent Meeting	7:00 p.m.	Church

### Tuesday-January 24

Men's Cursillo	6:00 a.m.	O'Neill Room
St. Joseph Table Meeting	7:00 p.m.	Wagner Room
Boy Scouts	7:00 p.m.	Social Center

### Wednesday-January 25

Rosary/Prayer/Benediction	8:00 p.m.	Prayer Chapel
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### Thursday-January 26

Brownies #835	3:00 p.m.	Wagner Room
School Board Meeting	7:00 p.m.	School Library

### Friday-January 27

Family Game Night	7:00 p.m.	Wagner Room
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### Saturday-January 28

Elizabeth Ministry Bake Sale after 5:00 p.m. Mass  
Festa Italiana after 5:00 p.m. Mass in Social Center

### Sunday-January 29

Elizabeth Ministry Bake Sale after Masses  
**Catholic Schools Week begins with 11:00 am Mass**  
St. Pius X School Open House 12:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m.

## NEW MINISTRY SCHEDULE REQUESTS

Altar Servers — Greeters

Extraordinary Ministers — Lectors

**Schedules being prepared through May 30**

It's time to schedule for the next few months! Any restrictions?

llissak@stpiouslombard.org or call Deacon Larry at  
630-627-4526, ext. 207.

OR

Contact your ministry head.

**Deadline for schedule changes: February 6**



For the past 21 years, St Joseph the Worker Employment Support Ministry has been dedicated to helping the unemployed, the underemployed and the networking employed. (St. Joseph Ministry.org) Below are the upcoming meetings, topics and locations. All meetings begin at 7pm.

Date	Location	Topic
2/1/12	MM	Cindy Dove- Interviewing your Inner Self.
2/15/12	SM	Jerry Falasz- All about COBRA.
3/7/12	MM	Small Groups- Networking
3/21/12	SM	Small Groups- Networking

MM- St Margaret Mary, 1450 Green Trails Drive, Naperville  
SM- Southminister Presbyterian Church, 680 S Park, Glen Ellyn

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—JANUARY 28/29	
<b>Saturday 5:00 pm</b>	E/M: M. Burns, C. & K. Grafton, K. Kustra, T. Lanigan, B. Sutton <b>Lectors:</b> M. Reaves, L. Kunzer <b>A/S:</b> J. Schneider, A. Sousa, K. Trapp, J. Matasek <b>G:</b> C. Devito, F. Krawczyk
<b>Saturday 7:00 pm Español</b>	<b>Acolitos:</b> K. Ortega, D. Estrada, M. Mora <b>Ministros:</b> L. & J. Tolentino, H. & B. Torres, I. Rodriguez <b>Hospitalidad:</b> F. Garcia, G. Ruiz, M. Lagunas, R. Segura <b>Lectores:</b> A. Rodríguez, C. De La Cruz
<b>Sunday 8:00 am</b>	E/M: F. & J. Enda, J. Gosmire, B. Kramer, M. LoCoco, D. McNicholas <b>Lectors:</b> D. Galvin, B. Hocking <b>A/S:</b> J. Pantano, I. Walsh, L. & R. Wiedman <b>G:</b> J. Nelson, C. Wilson
<b>Sunday 9:30 am</b>	E/M: B. & D. Conlin, M. Reznicek, L. & P. Warda <b>Lectors:</b> W. Braunshausen, J. Lissak <b>A/S:</b> I. Ledonne, S. Poirier, K. Reznicek, A. Wolf <b>G:</b> D. Stoltman, J. Sullivan
<b>Sunday 11:00 am</b>	E/M: School Assignments <b>Lectors:</b> School Assignments <b>A/S:</b> J. & G. Guthrie, K. & H. Konrath <b>G:</b> D. Norman

## MINISTERIO HISPANO

**Misa en Español** Sábado 7:00 pm  
**Sacerdote** Jesús M. Reyes  
**Coordinador Educación Religiosa** Abraham Rodríguez  
**Secretaria** Laura Mora  
**Matrimonios, Bautizos e Intenciones de misa**  
Hable a la Rectoría para mas información  
**Horario de Oficina**  
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## UN NUEVO AMANECER

Hoy escuchamos la manera en que Jonás, enviado por Dios para advertir a la gente, pasa como un torbellino por las calles de Nínive, asustando a los ciudadanos hasta el pánico. ¡Y funciona! Dios tiene un cambio de corazón, al ver “sus obras” como la gente se aparta del mal (Jonás 3:10). Un nuevo amanecer.

Luego escuchamos a Pablo decir a los corintios: “Este mundo que vemos es pasajero” (1 Corintios 7:31). Pide un cambio de corazón. Sin llegar a decir que no hagan sus actividades diarias, les insta, misteriosamente, a vivir “como si” no están haciendo las cosas que están haciendo. Es un nuevo amanecer.

Finalmente, Jesús se encuentra en la orilla y clama: “El Reino de Dios ya está cerca” (Marcos 1:14). Simón y Andrés abandonan sus redes –e incluso a su padre– y lo siguen. Es un nuevo amanecer.

Todo el mundo tiene que cambiar cuando amanece un nuevo día: los ninivitas, los corintios, los apóstoles, ¡hasta Jesús! ¿No es hoy un nuevo amanecer para nosotros también?



## NEW HYMNALS



The new hymnal, *Gather*, contains the new translations of the people’s parts of the Mass and musical settings of the revised Mass acclamations. It also contains the hymns, psalms, and canticles that our parish community already knows well. *Gather* will serve us for many years.

Do you want to donate the cost of one or several assembly hymnals? The cost is \$20, which will include a donor plate on the inside front cover. These can be personalized in many ways. If you have questions, please call Donna or Pam at the Parish Office: 630-627-4526.

**Form A** *Gift of* \_\_\_\_\_

**Form B** *In memory of* \_\_\_\_\_

**Form C** *Gift of* \_\_\_\_\_

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## Mission Statement

We the people of St. Pius X Church, a faith community in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet, Illinois, accept the challenge to restore all things in Christ through the use of our gifts and ministry. Guided by the Father, nourished by the Eucharist, and inspired by the Holy Spirit we embrace all through our commitment to worship, education, service, and stewardship.

### MASSES

**Saturday:** 5:00 PM Anticipation of Sunday  
**Misa en Español:** Sábado 7 PM  
**Sunday:** 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, and 11:00 AM  
*Mass interpreted in sign language: 5 PM Saturday*  
**Holy Days:** see previous Sunday Bulletin  
**Weekdays:** 8:30 AM Monday through Friday  
**Saturday:** 8:30 AM First Saturday of each month

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

**Saturday:** 4:00 to 4:30 PM (check bulletin) or by appointment.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is usually celebrated on the second and third Sundays at 12:30 PM or at a Mass by request from the family. No Baptisms are celebrated during Lent. Parent preparation is required. The parent meeting for Baptism is generally on the first Monday of the month at 7:00 PM. Please call the Parish Office for more information (630-627-4526).

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the Parish Office at least 6 months before your desired wedding date, to check availability.

### FUNERALS

Arrangements should be made at the Parish Office before publication in the newspaper.

### SICK CALLS

Homebound because of sickness or age, please call the Parish Office (630-627-4526) to arrange a visit with a Minister of Care.

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Because of HIPAA Privacy regulations, hospitals can no longer contact the parish without family consent. When you are in the hospital and want someone from St. Pius X to visit you or would like your name added to the Prayers of the Faithful, your family should notify the Parish Office.

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday  
 9:00 AM—12:30 PM; 1:00 PM—4:00 PM  
 Friday: 9:00 AM—12:30 PM; 1:00 PM—3:00 PM

### INFORMATION ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH

For questions and instruction in the faith or to become a part of the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults), call the Parish Office.

### NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! You are invited to come to or call the Parish Office as soon as possible to register.

### MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

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### PRAYER INTENTIONS

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