



# ST. PIUS X PARISH

"To Restore All things in Christ."

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PARISH STAFF		WEEKEND MASSES:
Fr. Bill Corcoran, <i>Pastor</i> .....	<a href="mailto:fatherbill.stpiusx@telus.net">fatherbill.stpiusx@telus.net</a>	Saturday, 5:00 PM
Rev. Mr. Dan Deck, <i>Deacon</i> .....	<a href="mailto:daniel_deck@live.ca">daniel_deck@live.ca</a>	Sunday, 9:00 AM
Tina Sikora, <i>Pastoral Assistant</i> .....	<a href="mailto:PastoralAssistant@stpiusx.ca">PastoralAssistant@stpiusx.ca</a>	Sunday, 11:00 AM
<i>Parish Secretaries:</i>		Sunday, 7:00 PM, UCCC Mass
Edie Jubenville, Heather Meadows.....	<a href="mailto:office@stpiusx.ca">office@stpiusx.ca</a>	<b>WEEKDAY MASSES:</b>
Magda Aquillon, <i>Bookkeeper</i> .....	<a href="mailto:bookkeeper@stpiusx.ca">bookkeeper@stpiusx.ca</a>	Wednesday, 9:00 AM
University Catholic Community of Calgary (UCCC)		Thursday, 5:30 PM
Fr. Ha Vinh Tran, OP, UCCC <i>Chaplain</i> .....	<a href="mailto:haven.tran@ucalgary.ca">haven.tran@ucalgary.ca</a>	Friday, 9:00 AM
<b>PARISH OFFICE HOURS:</b> Mon – Fri, 9:00 AM – 1:30 PM		<b>ADORATION:</b>
<b>Baptism Preparation Classes:</b> First Tuesday of the month, 7 PM in the Basement Lounge		Thursdays, 6:00 PM
		<b>RECONCILIATION:</b>
		Thursdays, 6:00 – 6:30 PM
		Saturdays, 4:00 – 4:30 PM
		Sundays, 6:00 – 6:30 PM

**Welcome New Parishioners:** Registration forms are in the pamphlet racks or on our website. Please return in collection basket or at the office. Envelope boxes & Direct Deposit forms are also in the pamphlet racks.

## JANUARY 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"..the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." *John 2. 1-12*

### PARISH POT LUCK



Sat, Jan 26<sup>th</sup> in the hall, following the 5 PM Mass. All are invited. Bring a main dish, salad, or dessert and come meet new people. See you there!

### WELCOME TO FR BILL STEPHENSON. . .

. . . who will be replacing *our* Fr Bill for the weekends of Jan 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> and Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>. Fr Bill S is available for any emergencies – please contact the office. Thanks again, for coming back to see us, Fr Bill ☺

### MANNA MINISTRY

CALGARY URBAN PROJECT SOCIETY (CUPS) TOILETRY BLITZ January 19/20 & January 26/27

CUPS addresses the physical social, emotional, and, spiritual needs of people struggling with poverty and related problems.

There is a perpetual need at CUPS for ALL types of toiletries for Men, Women & Children.

Each year at this time Parishioners are invited to bring any kind of toiletry items such as: shaving cream, disposable razors, toothbrushes, toothpaste, combs, shampoos, soaps, feminine hygiene products, diapers-all sizes, etc. **PLEASE NOTE: No bottles that have been opened and/or half filled, or soap that has been used.** Also accepted are NEW underwear, socks, stockings, for children & adults.

For more information see **Bulletin Board**, or, contact: Tina at (403) 239-2509 Email: [taroach@outlook.com](mailto:taroach@outlook.com)

### SANDWICH PROJECT- HELP NEEDED!!

FEBRUARY 2 & 3 SANDWICH PROJECT:

We are in a need of a sponsor(s) for the above Sandwich Project. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Tina Roach at (403) 239-2509, or email: [taroach@outlook.com](mailto:taroach@outlook.com) Need a response by January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019. Thank you.

### SPECIAL THANK YOU

To all the volunteers over the Christmas Season who contributed to a warm and welcoming environment at the church and parish hall for Visitors and Parishioners alike. From the initial planning stage through the celebration to the final clean-up, it takes a lot of people to make it all happen. We all appreciate it! Thank you!



THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH	
<b>JANUARY 21<sup>st</sup> – JANUARY 27<sup>th</sup></b>	
For last minute changes, please visit our Parish website: <a href="http://www.stpiusx.ca">www.stpiusx.ca</a>	
<b>MONDAY, Jan 21<sup>st</sup></b>	
<b>TUESDAY, Jan 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	
9:15 AM – Legion of Mary (U of C Lounge)	
5:30 PM – MASS – All welcome	
6:00 PM – CWL Supper & Meeting (Hall)	
7:30 PM – St Vincent de Paul Meeting (SVdP Room)	
<b>WEDNESDAY, Jan 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	
9:00 AM – MASS	
9:30 AM – St Rita's Meeting (Hall)	
<b>THURSDAY, Jan 24<sup>th</sup></b>	
10:30 AM – MASS at Bethany Care Centre (916-18A St NW)	
5:30 PM – MASS cancelled	
7:00 PM – Choir Practise (9AM Choir) (Church)	
7:30 PM – Choir Practise (11AM Choir) (U of C Lounge)	
<b>FRIDAY, Jan 25<sup>th</sup></b>	
9:00 AM – MASS	
9:30 AM – Spiritual Dimension of Women (U/C Lounge)	
<b>SAT, Jan 26<sup>th</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	
2:00 PM – Choir Practice (U of C Lounge)	
5:00 PM – MASS	
6:00 PM – Parish Pot Luck Meal (Hall)	
	<i>CUPS Blitz</i>
<b>SUN, Jan 27<sup>th</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	
9:00 AM – MASS	
11:00 AM – MASS	
	<i>CUPS Blitz</i>
7:00 PM – UCCC MASS	

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Congratulations to *Love Jean* and *John* who celebrated the Baptism of their son, *Carl Zaiden Cambal Calumag* on Sunday, January 13<sup>th</sup>. May God continue to pour out Blessing on all our sons and daughters in Christ.



### CWL NEWS - January General Meeting

All women in the Parish are welcome to join us for MASS on TUESDAY, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 5:30 PM Mass. Following Mass there will be a Chili supper and General meeting in the Hall.



WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY - Jan 18-25  
 Please join us at one of the joint services of prayer that will be held by the Calgary Council of Churches at  
*Ambrose University*, 150 Ambrose Cir SW, Tues, Jan. 22, 11:15 am  
*U of C, MacEwan Hall*, the LOFT, 4<sup>th</sup> level, Wed, Jan 23, 12:10 pm  
*Hope Lutheran Church*, 3524 Boulton Rd NW, Thurs, Jan 24, 7 pm

**ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM...**



Our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of *Lloyd Dooling* and *Pauline Barker* whose funeral masses were celebrated here on *Monday, January 14<sup>th</sup>* and *Wednesday, January 16<sup>th</sup>* respectively Eternal rest grant unto *Lloyd and Pauline* O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

**JOIN US FOR THE SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK: FEB. 9 + 10, 2019**

DURING MASS on this weekend, we will celebrate this sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Through this sacrament people receive forgiveness of their sins and comfort in their suffering; they are restored in spirit; and sometimes they even experience the return of physical health. Suffering is part of life, but Jesus unites our suffering with his passion and death so we can participate in his saving and healing work. With Vatican II, the sacraments were revised. This sacrament is no longer the "Last Rites" (Extreme Unction), reserved only to the dying or dead. The Sacrament of the Anointing is open to all the baptized who are seriously sick. This sacrament reminds us that God wants to give comfort and relieve suffering.

WHO MAY BE ANOINTED? This Sacrament of the Sick is for baptized children or adults who are seriously sick. This sacrament may be repeated if health is failing. The Anointing of the Sick may be celebrated before surgery, or with both terminal and serious illnesses. Serious mental illnesses also qualify for anointing. Feb. 11 (Our Lady of Lourdes) is our annual "World Day of Prayer for the Sick" so this weekend celebrates our Sacrament for the anointing of our sick.



ARRIVE EARLY for any of the Feb. 9/10 weekend masses for a "show and tell" orientation, if possible. Please identify yourself as seeking this sacrament. Seating will be reserved for family and friends of those to be anointed. Join us for our communal prayers for healing. In the Rites of the Anointing of the Sick, the sick person is anointed on the head and hands, with prayer: "Through this holy anointing may the Lord in his love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit. May the Lord who frees you from sin save you and raise you up." The "raising" refers to spiritual healing, as well as any physical healing that may take place.

**STOP IN THE VESTIBULE AFTER MASS:**

- New Missals for Sale (\$5)
- 2019 Assigned Envelope Boxes – only for 1 more week!

**HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE DATES**

St Mary's, Wed, Feb 6, 7-9 pm  
 St Francis, Tues, Feb 12, 6:30 – 9:30 pm

**DIOCESAN NEWS:**

Please see the Bishop's "Weekly Bulletin" insert, posted on our Parish bulletin boards. Copies are available at the Diocesan website. Links to the Diocese.



[News.CalgaryDiocese.ca](http://News.CalgaryDiocese.ca) | What's happening in the Diocese of Calgary

[Events.CalgaryDiocese.ca](http://Events.CalgaryDiocese.ca) | Diocesan events & registrations

[Blog.CalgaryDiocese.ca](http://Blog.CalgaryDiocese.ca) | Catholic Pastoral Centre Blog  
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For Employment Opportunies in the Diocese, go to [Careers.CalgaryDiocese.ca](http://Careers.CalgaryDiocese.ca) including the following:

- St Patrick's Church – P/T Bookkeeper
- Our Lady of Fatima – P/T Secretary
- Holy Name Parish – P/T Sacrament Coordinator

**Open House: Evanston Summit**

Catholic based senior living community at 150 Evanspark Manor NW. Open house after mass on Sundays, January 20 & 27 from 11 am to 4 pm.

**Coldest Night of the Year:** Sat, Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>, 4 pm at Eau Claire Market *Start a Team, Join a Team, Volunteer*

Register or for more information, see:

<https://cnoy.org/location/calgarydowntown>

**NEW HALL UPDATE**

We are seeking input from the parishioners for the feasibility study on a new hall for the parish. To accomplish this we are providing the following opportunities for input:

- A brief survey will be conducted with the parish membership during all masses on the January 26/27 weekend. Opportunity to complete them will be provided during the mass. As well all parishioners are invited to stay after mass and provide input directly to members of the new hall committee who will be available. Online completion of the survey will also be available on the parish website
- There will also be a round table targeted discussion with the current user groups of the hall on Saturday January 26<sup>th</sup> from 1-3 pm in the church hall. If you are a member of one of these groups please contact your Ministry Coordinator.

**SEEKING CHILDREN'S LITURGY ASSISTANTS**

Come try it, before you commit. Please contact Tina at [pastoralassistant@stpiusx.ca](mailto:pastoralassistant@stpiusx.ca) if you are interested.

**GROCERY CARD UPDATE**

We are extremely happy to report that in 2018 we exceeded our goal of \$25,000 and reached a net gain of \$25,862. A full report will be given at all Masses on the weekend of Feb. 16/17. Currently our net gain for Jan. is \$775. We thank you so much, your continued support is invaluable to this program and the financial well being of this parish.

**DID YOU KNOW ...** you can support the Missions by dropping off your used stamps, postcards and greeting cards into the boxes in the Holland Room?

**HUMOR CORNER** (verbatim from kids' tests) "In the first book of the bible, Guinness. God got tired of creating the world so He took the Sabbath off."



**FINANCES 2018**

	<u>December 31, 2018</u>	<u>Year Total</u>	<u>2018 Goal</u>
<b>Regular Collections</b>	\$ 60,642.00	\$ 353,295.27	\$ 365,000.00
<b>Facilities Expansion Donations</b>	\$ 4,906.00	\$ 81,419.44	\$ 75,000.00
<b>Together in Action (TIA)</b>	\$ 225.00	\$ 44,951.00	\$ 32,652.00
<b>Christmas Collection</b>	\$ 11,557.00 This will be added to regular collection		

Facilities Expansion Year Total Donations include: (a) \$4,712.95 St. Vincent de Paul Football Parking Revenue (b) \$17,121.62 representing 2/3 of the net grocery proceeds as per Parish Council's directive. It is still pending to receive the surplus of TIA from the Diocese and it will be added to the building fund as well.

**Monthly Diocesan Support Fee** \$5,400.00. The Diocese collects from each Parish a fee of 14.5% calculated on the majority of income and collections received. Donations to Facilities Expansion, Together in Action and special collections are exempt.

Special Collections from the last quarter:

Mission Mexico:	\$215.00	Indonesia Disaster Relief	\$200.00	Holy Land	\$10.00	Seminarian	\$35.00
Catholic Education	\$1,489.08	Pastoral Works	\$20.50	St Vincent de Paul	\$650.00	Evang. of Nations	\$1,513.50

To donate by Direct Deposit, Visa or MasterCard please contact Magda at [bookkeeper@stpiusx.ca](mailto:bookkeeper@stpiusx.ca). Forms are also available at all church entrances and on the website [www.stpiusx.ca](http://www.stpiusx.ca). Thank you for your generosity.