



ST. PIUS X PARISH

"To Restore All things in Christ."

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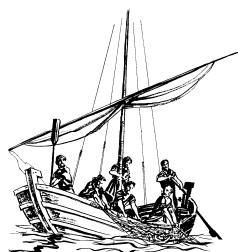
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PARISH STAFF		WEEKEND MASSES:
Fr. Bill Corcoran, <i>Pastor</i>	fatherbill.stpiusx@telus.net	Saturday, 5:00 PM
Rev. Mr. Dan Deck, <i>Deacon</i>	daniel_deck@live.ca	Sunday, 9:00 AM
Tina Sikora, <i>Pastoral Assistant</i>	PastoralAssistant@stpiusx.ca	Sunday,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

FEBRUARY 9th & 10th – 5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people."
Luke 5.1-11

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

DURING ALL MASSES this weekend, we will celebrate the 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.

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK, FEBRUARY 11



The ministry of Jesus to the sick is central to the life of the Church. February 11 (Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes) highlights the healing ministry of the Church. It reminds us that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. It recognizes the great efforts of doctors, nurses, health care institutions and pastoral care givers to restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.

On this day, join us in prayer for all persons who are sick and suffering and for all persons who work in health care, both workers and volunteers.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MOVIE NIGHT

On Feb 12th at 7:30 PM the Knights of Columbus will be showing the movie "12 Years a Slave" in the Parish Basement Lounge. Admission is FREE. All are welcome

The Knights are looking for new members Contact: Gary Fiselier at (403)464-6275.



THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH FEBRUARY 11th – FEBRUARY 17th

For last minute changes, please visit our Parish website: www.stpiusx.ca

MONDAY, Feb 11th

World Day of the Sick

TUESDAY, Feb 12th

9:15 AM – Legion of Mary (U of C Lounge)
7:00 PM – K of C Movie Night "12 Years a Slave" (Bsmnt)
7:30 PM – BYOBible Youth Group (Hall)
7:30 PM – St Vincent de Paul Meeting (SVP room)

WEDNESDAY, Feb 13th

9:00 AM – MASS - *Gladys Alvarez(+)*
7:00 PM – Liturgy Meeting (Holland Room)

THURSDAY, Feb 14th

10:30 AM – MASS at Bethany Care Centre, 916-18A St NW-David Head (int)
5:30 PM – MASS - *Mahony Family (Intention)*
7:00 PM – Choir Practice (9AM Choir) (Church)
7:30 PM – Choir Practice (11AM Choir) (U of C Lounge)

FRIDAY, Feb 15th

9:00 AM – MASS – *David Head (Intention)*
9:30 AM – Spiritual Dimension of Women (U/C Lounge)

SAT, Feb 16th – 6th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:30 AM – Building & Maintenance Mtg (Holland Room)
3:45 PM – Choir Practice (U of C Lounge)
5:00 PM – MASS – *Frank Fugel (+)*

SUN, Feb 17th – 6th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 AM – MASS – *Parishioners' Intentions*
11:00 AM – MASS - *Brian Omara (+)*
No Children's Liturgy Today
Muffin Continental Breakfast(Hall)after AM Masses
7:00 PM – UCCC MASS

2018 Charitable Donation Tax Receipts...

from both the Parish & St. Vincent de Paul (in same envelope) are available in the vestibule until Sunday, March 3rd. Please pick yours up and save us the expense of mailing it. Thank you.



A Giant **THANK YOU** to the BYOB's (Youth Group) for hosting the January 26th potluck meal. So much fun was had by all!



BULLETIN VIA EMAIL? Contact the office directly: office@stpiusx.ca Subject line: "Email Bulletin"

The Retrouvaille program called "Help Our Marriage" can help married couples who want to strengthen a good marriage or those experiencing difficult times! This program has even helped separated and divorced couples seeking reconciliation! The spring program begins March 8-10. For info about registering, access their website at www.helpourmarriagecalgary.com or call 403-879-7893 if you have further questions.

NOTES FROM THE PASTORAL ASSISTANT

➤ **No Children's Liturgy Next Sunday – Feb 17th (Family Day weekend)**

Children's Liturgy is cancelled on all long weekends, due to volunteers being away.

➤ **Seeking Children's Liturgy Assistants**

Come try it, before you commit. Please contact Tina @ pastoralassistant@stpiusx.ca if you are interested

➤ **Special Thanks** to the 18 Confirmation Candidates, along with 14 of their parents & grandparents, who prepared 59 loaves of peanut butter & jelly sandwiches for the Manna Ministry Sandwich weekend.

➤ **Upcoming Sacramental Program Dates:**

- ✠ First Eucharist Class – Saturday, March 2
- ✠ Confirmation Class – Saturday, March 16



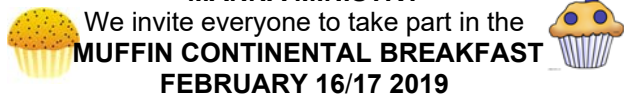
WORLD DAY OF PRAYER



Please join us for the World Day of Prayer Service "Come Everything is Ready!" prepared by Slovenia, on Friday, March 1, at 1:00 PM at St Barnabas Anglican Church (1407 – 7 Ave NW).

Everyone is invited to be part of this annual worldwide Ecumenical Service. This global movement is led by Christian Women who welcome men, women and children to join in prayer and action for peace and justice. For more information, contact Isabelle, 403.286.5061.

MANNA MINISTRY



We ask for everyone to bake your best muffins to share with parishioners after both masses on Sunday. Please deliver your muffins before each mass on Sunday and Saturday. 5 o'clock parishioners are also invited to bake muffins and bring them to the hall before mass February 16th. All left over muffins will be delivered to **AVENUE 15**, a Boys & Girl Shelter for teenagers. **Juice & cookies** will be served **after** the 5 PM mass in the church vestibule.

You will also have the opportunity to sign-up to volunteer for the **Mustard Seed-Foothills Shelter Supper** which takes place on Sunday, March 10th. For the 5:00 PM mass sign up will be before/after mass in the vestibule, on Sunday **before** both masses in the vestibule, then in the hall after mass.

This is a good occasion to meet and greet your fellow parishioners. **WELCOME ALL!**

SANDWICH WEEKEND THANK YOU

THANK YOU St. Pius X Parishioners for your generous donation of Sandwiches & monetary donations. A special THANK YOU, to the Confirmation Candidates who prepared 59 loaves. In total ONE HUNDRED & FOUR (104) loaves, NINE HUNDRED & THIRTY-SIX (936+) Sandwiches were received. As well, home-made cookies, and, 14 boxes of granola bars. These were delivered to the Calgary Drop-in Centre. Thank you to TINA & AL ROACH for sponsoring this month's Sandwich Project. Next Sandwich Project Weekend of MARCH 2 & 3 sponsored by MARY & ERNIE REWUCKI.

CUPS THANK YOU

Thank you to all St. Pius X Parishioners for your very generous donations of so many items for CUPS. The quality of items were "excellent". Thank you to Sandy & Glen Jones, Marg & Ken Myroon, Michael Morand & Sonia Mueller for sorting & packing and to Michael for delivering the 22 boxes to CUPS. Great Team!



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 & Events](#) | What's happening in the Diocese
[Employment Opportunities:](#)

- Business Manager – St. Michael's
- PT Bookkeeper – St. Patrick's
- PT Secretary – Our Lady of Fatima
- District Chaplain– Medicine Hat Catholic Board of Education
- Receptionist & Admin Assistant– Catholic Pastoral Centre
- PT Catechetics Program Leader– Catholic Pastoral Centre
- Pastoral Care Coordinator (assisting a priest chaplain) – Diocese of Calgary

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Have you subscribed to the monthly online Diocesan newsletter, Faithfully? The February issue will be emailed out soon. Check out our website to subscribe.



GOD, SEX & THE MEANING OF LIFE

Human beings are made in the image of God. Why does sex make us most in the image of God? Why is our sexuality and spirituality completely intertwined? How is sex the organizing principle of our life and how does it point us to heaven? Come hear from Christopher West at the **Theology of the Body Conference 2019**. When: Fri & Sat, March 8 & 9 at St. Michael Catholic Community in Calgary. The two-day conference will explore theology and practical applications of human sexuality. Visit: <http://TOB.calgarydiocese.ca>

COLDEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR – REGISTER NOW

Join us at the Coldest Night of the Year and support those experiencing homelessness in Calgary. When: Saturday, Feb. 23, at 4 pm. Where: Eau Claire Market. Funds raised support Feed the Hungry and affordable housing through KAIROS Calgary. For more information, visit <http://www.cnoy.org/calgarydowntown>

VOLUNTEERS WANTED FOR THE OUTDOOR WAY OF THE CROSS

The 36th annual Outdoor Way of the Cross takes place at 9 am on Good Friday, Apr. 19 at St Mary's Cathedral, Calgary. Currently looking for readers, first aiders, crowd control, and volunteers to help with lost persons and to carry the cross. Contact Marilou at: 403-218 5519 marilou.legeyt@calgarydiocese.ca

RETREATS: Sisters of Divine Mercy

www.sistersofdivinemeracy.org
Day of Prayer & Reflection – Sat, Feb 16th, 10:30 am – 4 pm for young adults, 18+
Lenten Day Silent Retreat – Sat, Mar 30th
 Call 587.755.1019 to register.

DID YOU KNOW THAT . . . the CWL raffles a gift basket, once a month to support their foster child in Bolivia? Tickets are only \$1 and the basket is usually brimming with goodies. Next raffle tickets will be sold on the weekend of Feb 16/17.

GROCERY CARD UPDATE

Currenty our net gain for January is \$2,114.00. We thank you so much. Your continued support is invaluable to this program and the financial well being of this parish.

HUMOR CORNER

A minister waited in line to have his car filled with gas just before a long holiday weekend. The attendant worked quickly, but there were many cars ahead of him. Finally, the attendant motioned him toward a vacant pump. "Reverend," said the young man, "I'm so sorry about the delay. It seems as if everyone waits until the last minute to get ready for a long trip." The minister chuckled, "I know what you mean. It's the same in my business."

