

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH, 2024
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
MASSES FOR THE WEEK



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH, 2024

9:00 People of the Parish
5:00 People of the Parish

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH, 2024

10:00 Good Health for Vibert Harry req. by family
1:00 People of the Parish

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH, 2024

11:00 ROS-Gerard Celestin req. by Celestin family

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH, 2024

9:00 People of the Parish

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST, 2024

9:00 People of the Parish

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND, 2024

9:00 People of the Parish

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD, 2024

9:00 People of the Parish

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 2024

9:00 People of the Parish
5:00 Birthday Blessings for Dashill Jean req. by mother
 - - Thanksgiving Mass req. by Marie Medard

The rectory will be closed on Monday, February 19 in observance of Presidents' Day. Be safe.



HEALING PRAYERS



Jabel Pierre
 Patrick Prevost
 Linda D.
 Marie Malcangi
 Vibert Harry
 Martha Okoli
 Frank Malcangi
 Anthony Randolfi
 Sal D.
 Kathleen M.
 Claire Lee Fook
 Gaston Boigris
 Franklin Jean
 Ayla and Kristal
 Bary Procope
 Luciano Procope
 Ignacio Din Chong

Michael Ramcharan
 Theresa Wist
 Dorien Wist
 Allere Pinnock
 Julia Chow Young
 Annette Polespenk
 Gilbert Alabre
 Ariel Lalanne
 Pascale Paul
 Antoine Paul
 Yrlene Senat
 Louisa Potthast
 Maria Alpers
 Visitacion Cari
 Monique Eloi
 Parish Homebound

Healing Prayers List. If you would like to add yours or someone's name to our prayer list, please give us a call at the rectory. If you want a name removed, do let us know. Thank you.



For all The Deceased Members of the parish especially Carmosina Sokolowski. May they rest in peace.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE IN THE MILITARY SERVICE.
Please call the rectory to update our list.

Kevin Sultan, Paul St. Hill, Christopher Aching, Jr., Yvonne St. Hill, Vanes Alabre, Keith St. Hill, Derby Ronelus, Johnson Joseph, Mary Ann R. Varias, Emmanuel Jeanty, Emeka Oparah, Hayden Brandon Baker, Shanan Cesar, Janelle Alexander, Ismael Cossogue, Jalen Coston



COME PRAY THE ROSARY at 8:30 A.M. Mondays through Saturdays.

ADORATION AND EXPOSITION of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday after the 9 A.M. Mass.

Novena to the Miraculous Medal of Mary every Monday after the 9 A.M. Mass.

Devotion to St. Anthony - Tuesdays after 9A.M. Mass.

Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Chaplet of Divine Mercy-Thursdays after the 9:00 A.M. Mass.

MASS SCHEDULE

Our Mass Schedule is as follows:
Weekdays: 9 AM in the church
Saturdays: 9 AM in the church
Saturdays: 5 PM in the church
Sundays: English: 10 AM
Creole: 1 PM



**Church Address: 249-03 147th Drive,
Rosedale, NY 11422**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration for the year 2023-2024 Religious Education program is open. Classes are on Sundays at 9 AM in the church. If you need more information, please call Mrs. Jean at the rectory at 718-525-9099 or email me at stpiusxyouth07@yahoo.com

Please call the rectory during the hours of 9 am and 2 pm to register.

OCIA - Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

The OCIA is the process by which people can question, search and inquire into the Catholic faith. It is for any unbaptized individual over the age of 8. The OCIA is also for any adult who was baptized in another Christian tradition and for baptized Catholic adults seeking to receive the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation. Please contact Fr. Miguel at 718-525-9099.

2024 Mass Book - The 2024 Mass book is open. Mass Offering is \$15. According to Canon Law, we have to offer a Mass Intention at least one time a year. Examples are birthday blessings, good health, in honor of a saint, deceased person, etc.

SPECIAL MASSES: You can now request special Masses for Memorial, Birthday, Sweet 16, and Wedding Anniversary. Please call the rectory.

*St. Polycarp,
pray for us.
St. Pius X,
pray for us.*



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We the people of St. Pius X Parish are formed by the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Baptism to become part of the Mystical Body of Christ. We strive through the power of Christ in the Holy Sacrifice to the Mass to show forth God's transforming love to teach Gospel values; to share time, talent and treasure in good Stewardship, to invite all to share our joy and share Jesus' message of His Father's love with all around us and to restore all things in Christ.

BAPTISM PREPARATION

If you are pregnant or will be having a child baptized, you will need to attend a baptism preparation workshop. St. Pius X offers the workshop online. Please call the rectory at least 2 weeks before the date of baptism for more information.

Please use your **donation envelope** or put your donation in an envelope with your name and envelope number on it.

Parish Collection for the weekend of February 3-4 is \$2,460.

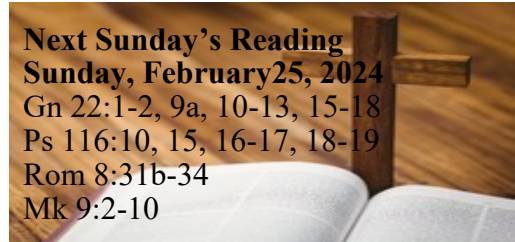


Weekend of February 10-11

5 PM	\$ 463
10 AM	\$ 752
1 PM	<u>\$1,041</u>
	\$2,256



**Next Sunday's Reading
Sunday, February 25, 2024**
Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18
Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19
Rom 8:31b-34
Mk 9:2-10



February is

*Leap Year, 2024
Black History Month
American Heart Month
The Presentation of the Lord, 2/2
Groundhog Day, 2/2
St. Blaise, St. Ansgar, 2/3
World Cancer Day, 2/4
Rosa Parks' Birthday, 2/4
St. Jerome Emiliani, 2/8
St. Josephine Bakhita, 2/8
St. Scholastica, 2/10
Our Lady of Lourdes, 2/11
Shine a Light on Slavery Day, 2/13
Mardi Gras, 2/13
Ash Wednesday, 2/14
Valentine's Day, 2/14
Presidents' Day, 2/19
World Day of Social Justice, 2/20
St. Polycarp, 2/23*



Alexander Jean
Luna Jean
Kira Jackman
Maria Yankah
Anna Yankah
Gilbert Alabre
Wilhelm Alabre
Anne Alabre
Gabiella Alabre
Justin Ng

Harry Alpers
Richard Martin
Arnold Magnonni
A.J. Magnonni
Ricky Alpers
Leilo Vieux
Astride Mompremier
Veronique Raymond
Marie F. Thomas
Stephen U. A. Mercier

Birthday



Welcome to our Parish - If you and your family have recently moved to Rosedale and would like become a registered member of our parish, please call the rectory. Feel free to use the white Welcome envelopes in the vestibule of the church. You can also visit stpiusx-queens.org for a registration form. If you are not receiving envelopes, please call the rectory at 718-525-9099.

To all our Visitors: We thank you for your visit and hope that our friendly faces made you feel at home. May God bless you and we hope you come back soon.

Parish Events

Religious Education - We instruct children from Kindergarten through level 8 who need faith formation and for preparation of the sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation. **After reception of Holy Eucharist, children need to register for follow-up classes in preparation of the sacrament of Confirmation.** We also have instructions for children 8 and older who have not been baptized yet. If you have a child or know of such a child, please register them for the Order of Christian Initiation Adapted for children classes. Classes are held in person and through zoom. **Registration is ongoing.** Please come to the rectory during business hours and fill out an application. Bring in your child's baptismal certificate.

Proximate Preparation: As per the diocese, the sacraments should be received in the parish you worship in. If your child is going to receive the sacraments of First Holy Communion or Confirmation this spring and is enrolled in a Catholic school, please call Mrs. Jean.

Tax Letter— If you would like a record of your 2023 Weekly Envelope Contributions for tax purposes, please call the rectory and have your envelope number on hand.

SAVE THE DATE
Saturday, April 13, 2024
St. Pius X Dinner
Dance Fundraiser

Evenman pwvas yo

Edikasyon relijye - Nou enstwè timoun ki soti nan jadenfanan jiska nivo 8 ki bezwen fomasyon lafwa ak pou preparasyon sakreman rekonsilyasyon, ekaristik ak konfimasyon. **Aprè resepsyon Sent Ekaristik, timoun yo bezwen enskri pou klas swivi nan preparasyon Sentsen Konfimasyon an.** Nou gen enstriksyon tou pou timoun 8 an oswa plis ki poko batize. Si w gen yon timoun oswa ou konnen yon timoun konsa, tanpri anrejistre yo pou klas Lòd Inisyasyon Kreyen Adapte pou timoun yo. Klas yo fèt an pèsòn ak atravè rale. **Enskripsyon an ap kontinye.** Tanpri vini nan rektorat la pandan lè travay epi ranpli yon aplikasyon. Pote sètifika batèm pitit ou a.

Preparasyon Pwoksism: Dapre dyosèz la, sakreman yo ta dwe resevwa nan pawas w ap adore a. Si pitit ou a pral resevwa sakreman Premye Kominyon oswa Konfimasyon prentan sa a epi li enskri nan yon lekòl Katolik, tanpri rele Madan Jean.

Lèt taks: Si ou ta renmen yon dosye sou Kontribisyon anvlop 2023 ou chak semèn pou rezon taks, tanpri rele rektorat la epi fè nimewo anvlop ou nan men.

HAUP - Haitian Americans United for Progress is a non-profit community based organization dedicated to empowering and serving the community. 197-17 Hillside Ave, Hollis, NY 11423. 718-527-3776. haupinc.org

SOVE DAT LA
Samdi 13 avril 2024 - Saint Pius X Dine - Dans Fundraiser

Eventos Parroquiales

Educación religiosa - Instruimos a niños desde jardín de infantes hasta el nivel 8 que necesitan formación en la fe y preparación para los sacramentos de la Reconciliación, la Eucaristía y la Confirmación. **Después de recibir la Sagrada Eucaristía, los niños deben registrarse para clases de seguimiento en preparación para el sacramento de la Confirmación.** También tenemos instrucciones para niños de 8 años en adelante que aún no han sido bautizados. Si tienes un hijo o conoces a un niño así, por favor inscríbalo en las clases de la Orden de Iniciación Cristiana Adaptada para niños. Las clases se imparten de forma presencial y a través de zoom.

El registro está en curso. Por favor venga a la rectoría durante el horario comercial y complete una solicitud. Traiga el certificado de bautismo de su hijo.

Preparación próxima: Según la diócesis, los sacramentos deben recibirse en la parroquia en la que rinde culto. Si su hijo va a recibir los sacramentos de la Primera Comunión o la Confirmación esta primavera y está inscrito en una escuela católica, llame a la Sra. Jean.

Carta de impuestos: si desea un registro de sus contribuciones al sobre semanal de 2023 para fines fiscales, llame a la rectoría y tenga a mano su número de sobre.

RESERVA LA FECHA
Sábado, 13 de abril de 2024
Cena de San Pío X
Recaudación de fondos para la danza

Sunday, February 18, 2024 First Sunday of Lent

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest. And on earth peace to men of good will. We praise You. We bless You. We adore you. We glorify You. We give You thanks for Your great glory. Lord God, heavenly King, O God almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only-begotten Son. Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord. You alone are the most high, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

First Reading

Gn 9:8-15

God said to Noah and to his sons with him: "See, I am now establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you and with every living creature that was with you: all the birds, and the various tame and wild animals that were with you and came out of the ark. I will establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all bodily creatures be destroyed by the waters of a flood; there shall not be another flood to devastate the earth." God added: "This is the sign that I am giving for all ages to come, of the covenant between me and you and every living creature with you: I set my bow in the clouds to serve as a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth, and the bow appears in the clouds, I will recall the covenant I have made between me and you and all living beings, so that the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all mortal beings." **The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

R. (cf. 10) Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

Your ways, O LORD, make known to me; teach me your paths, Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my savior.

R. Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

Remember that your compassion, O LORD, and your love are from of old. In your kindness remember me, because of your goodness, O LORD.

R. Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

Good and upright is the LORD, thus he shows sinners the way. He guides the humble to justice, and he teaches the humble his way.

R. Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

Second Reading 1 Pt 3:18-22

Beloved: Christ suffered for sins once, the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous, that he might lead you to God. Put to death in the flesh, he was brought to life in the Spirit. In it he also went to preach to the spirits in prison, who had once been disobedient while God patiently waited in the days of Noah during the building of the ark, in which a few persons, eight in all, were saved through water. This prefigured baptism, which saves you now. It is not a removal of dirt from the body but an appeal to God for a clear conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers subject to him. **The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.**

Gospel

Mk 1:12-15

Glory to you, O Lord

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him. After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." **The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

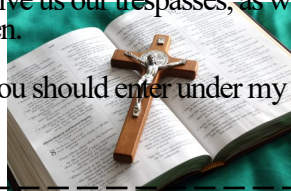
Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Holy - Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Lord's Prayer - Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Communion Prayer - Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.



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VIRTUS - The parish of St. Pius X complies with all Safe Environment mandates set forth by the Diocese of Brooklyn and the US Conference of Catholic Bishops. Paid employees, and all volunteers who have contact with children must attend a Virtus session, sign a code of conduct and submit to a background search. If you need to register for a virtual Virtus session, please do so at www.virtus.org. Next sessions are at Mary of Nazareth Parish (Brooklyn) in Spanish Saturday, February 24 at 2 pm; 310 Prospect Park West (Brooklyn) Tuesday, March 12 at 6 pm and Immaculate Conception Center, Thursday, March 14 at 6 pm.

St. Clare Catholic Academy - St. Clare Catholic Academy is affiliated with our parish. Tuition discounts and scholarships are available for students who are catholic and are active in their parish. Free UPK. The Academy is located at 137-25 Brookville Blvd., Rosedale. Please call 718-528-7174 to schedule a school visit and for more information or visit our website: <http://stclarecatholicacademy.org>.

GiveCentral - St. Pius X parish appreciate your prayers, time, and monetary support as we grow together in God. As such, we are proud to introduce our new online giving program called GiveCentral. Over 1400 Catholic parishes currently use GiveCentral, and it has proven to be convenient and user friendly for both the donor and the church staff members. You can get more information by clicking on these links. Please click on this link to donate to our church. <https://www.givecentral.org/location/692> - You can also text your donation at 929-348-2428. If you are homebound, please use this link; <https://www.givecentral.org/pew-card/692>

Food Pantry at Christ the King, Farmers Blvd. Tuesdays 1:30 pm-3:30 pm; Last Saturday of the month 10-12 noon.

Online Citizenship Class with Julian (Virtual) - Learn everything you need to know about American history, government and customs to pass the citizenship exam. We encourage you to attend all ten sessions of this class to get the best results. Mondays, January 8-March 4. (No class January 15 and February 19) - Register at queenslibrary.org.

For students, ages 16-24, **Young Adult Learning Services (YALS)** is an easy direct, and free path to obtaining a High School Equivalency diploma. Classes are available virtually, in-person and hybrid. In-person at Central Library, Far Rockaway Teen Library and Long Island City. For more information, please email HSE@queenslibrary.org or call 718-990-0754. Preregister at queenslibrary.org.

Learn English and Earn a professional Certificate - in as little as 4 months. Receive all training need to work as a Home Health aide, Childcare Provider or Hospitality/Tourism Professional. Contact QPL for more information. Queens Public Library.



Follow Bishop Brennan's podcast "Big City Catholics" every Friday. The weekly conversations allow the listener to be a part of the exploration of our faith that impacts their everyday life as a parent, a friend and a professional. <https://www.facebook.com/bishopofbklyn>

2024 SCHEDULE OF WORKSHOPS—Diocesan Liturgical New Ministers Training Workshop - Online Registration is open - Visit www.bqliturgy.org and select Liturgical Formation. If you have questions, please do not call the school or parish, contact the Liturgy Office. Christine Georgi 718-281-9544 and Christine Dost 718-281-9612. Next workshop is March 9, 2024 at the Mary Louis Academy. Registration closes 2/26/24.

Youth and Young Adults: Stay connected for updates and additional information on our website and social media. www.bqcatholicyouth.org <https://www.instagram.com/bklynouth/>

Lenten Pilgrimage - February 14 - March 27. This pilgrimage is an opportunity to visit the beautiful and Historic Churches of our Diocese in Brooklyn and Queens. We will connect with other communities and experience our faith together during this preparation season. Visit 20 or more of the Station Churches during the pilgrimage and qualify for a certificate and special recognition. Questions: 718-965-7313 or visit *Diocese of Brooklyn Lenten Pilgrimage* for participating sites.

Black History Month



Daniel A. Rudd was a religious Black Catholic. He was born in slavery in Kentucky in August 7, 1854. He became a journalist, owning the first black newspaper printed for and by Black Americans. The newspaper also supported the Catholic Church as a place where African Americans can find equality and social justice. He was also an early civil rights leader, founding the Colored Catholic Congress in 1889, to speak about Black issues such as discrimination and inequality.

Please keep our church clean. Do not leave any used materials behind. Thank you. Visit our website at: stpiousx-queens.org Please silence your phone upon entering the church.



Lent is a time for prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. This helps us focus on our preparation for Good Friday when Jesus gave up his life for us and his resurrection on Easter Sunday. Many people use this time to give up their favorite food to control their weight. While it does help with our own health, why not give up your time to help someone else. You can read the Bible or join a Bible group to increase your knowledge of God. Clean out your closet and give to the people in need. We are to take care of ourselves and others.

Join us for the **Stations of the Cross** every Friday starting February 16 through March 22 at 7 PM

Friday, February 23, 2024 - 7 PM - Stations of the Cross

Friday, March 1, 2024 - 7 PM - Stations of the Cross

Friday, March 8, 2024 - 7 PM - Stations of the Cross

Friday, March 15, 2024 - 7 PM - Stations of the Cross

Friday, March 22, 2024 - 7 PM - Stations of the Cross



Faith Sharing and Commentary on the Sunday Readings every Tuesday at 7 pm on Zoom. Meeting ID: 506 623 5936 Passcode: E25vcZ

ST. PIUS X PARISH

DINNER Dance FUNDRAISER
APRIL 13TH, 2024
 7:00PM - 12 MIDNIGHT
"All profits will go towards the maintenance of the church building"
 \$100
 Silent Auction * Door Prizes
 CATERED EVENT/RSVP NOW
 &
Save the Date
 CONTACT: PARISH RECTORY 718 525 9099

Celebrating the simple depths of
baptism

Welcome to Emiliano Chowdhury, Ashton S. Combs, and Amari K. Sultan to St. Pius X family. We congratulate their families and pray that the Holy Spirit guide them throughout their lives.