

ORDINARY TIME

July 3, 2016

TODAY

- Nursery (Room #102) during the 10:30 Mass

MONDAY | July 4

Hos 2:16-18, 21-22 / Mt 9:18-26

- Mass for Independence Day (Church) 8:30am
- Offices Closed

TUESDAY | July 5

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13 / Mt 9:32-38

- Mass in Chapel (+Joe & Mary Belisle) 8:30am
- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (Chapel) 9am-7pm

WEDNESDAY | July 6

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12 / Mt 10:1-7

- Mass in Chapel (+Bill Aman) 6:30pm

THURSDAY | July 7

Hos 11:1-4, 8-9 / Mt 10:7-15

- Campus & Facilities Planning Committee (Room #101) 7pm

FRIDAY | July 8

Hos 14:2-10 / Mt 10:16-23

- Mass in Chapel (+Beatrice Brougham) 8:30am

SATURDAY | July 9

Is 6:1-8 / Mt 10:24-33

- Reconciliation/Confessions (Church) 4-4:45pm
- Contemporary Choir Practice (Church) 4:30pm

LORD'S DAY LITURGIES | July 10, 2016

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 30:10-14 / Col 1:15-20 / Lk 10:25-37

5:30pm Saturday

+Sharon Nash (First Anniversary)
+Lorraine Lutker +Dorothy Oppeneer

8:30am Sunday

+Francis Homrig +Paul Doerr

10:30am Sunday

Parish Family

Weekend of July 9 & 10

- Blood Pressure Readings~ after all Masses



REAL PEOPLE + REAL PRESENCE

... a welcoming Roman Catholic family of God
empowered by the Holy Spirit
to grow our relationship with God
and with one another
as we learn, pray, worship and serve.

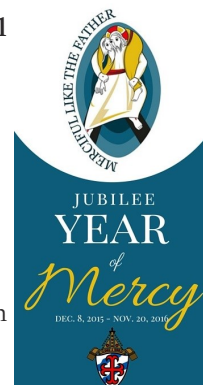


Living in Mercy

Be sensuous. Be bold. Be sent. Two great stories are heard today. Isaiah invites us to look around and notice how a mother comforts her child. God says to Israel: "That's exactly how I comfort you." And God says it to us today! So let us be bold and be like God. Give comfort. Luke invites us to go ahead of the Lord, just like the 72 sent out to the nations. Say "Peace." Then take care of the sick. Can we be bold just like them?

- Who needs comfort today? What will I do?
- Who is sick? What peace and comfort will I bring?
- How will I be bold?

Prepare: For next Sunday, read and reflect on the texts for the 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time (beginning on pg. 314) in the "Living Liturgy" missal.



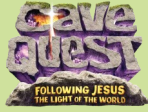


Faith Formation | Religious Education

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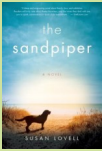
CAVE QUEST VBS ~ Following Jesus the Light of the World

Come join in the fun and adventure as we go spelunking through unforgettable Bible stories, team-building games, cool Bible Songs, friendships, tasty treats, and so much more! The adventure runs **July 18-22 from 9am-Noon**. For more information or to register see the parish website, call the Formation Office (538-2600) or visit groupvbsspro.com/vbs/ez/spxcatholic2016.



MIDDLE SCHOOL CAMP EDGE ~ Keep Calm & Have Mercy!

Our 3rd annual Middle School Summer Camp will be the week of July 25. We will be embracing the Jubilee Year of Mercy by traveling around Michigan, seeing various things, playing countless games and doing a variety of service projects. **Space is limited** and registration has begun! Check the website or email me at epost@spxcatholic.org to register or for more information.



NOVEL READERS BOOK CLUB meets at 7pm Monday, Aug. 1 in McDuffee to discuss *The Sandpiper* by Susan Lovell. Contact Linda Stray (lindastray@yahoo.com or 249-8034) or Mary Boehm (meb2904@aol.com or 538-9635) with inquiries.

High School Youth Ministry

MERRY HASS
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CHWC APPRECIATION SOCIAL ~ Tuesday, July 12 ~ 6:30pm

The teens and chaperones who attended CHWC would like to invite all those that have supported them through prayer, fundraising, Master's Mission and/or Spiritual Stock to come hear about their week. This would be a good chance for you to hear what Catholic Heart Work Camp is all about through some inspirational and sure to be funny memories of the week.

The teens will be serving **homemade desserts** for all. There is no need to RSVP. All are welcome!

HS YOUTH MINISTRY SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES!

- **July 12** | Dessert Social for CHWC (6:30pm) followed by a HS Youth Ministry Summer Celebration from 7:30-10:30pm.
- **July 13** | Knockerball Play Night at St. Sebastian ~ 6-8pm
- **July 28** | Vocation & Vacation Day at Heritage Park ~ 6-8pm
- **July 30 & 31** | World Youth Day in Detroit
- **Aug. 7** | 3rd Annual Beach Volleyball Tournament at St. Sebastian ~ Noon-2:30pm

See the parish website for flyers and permission slips. RSVP required for some events.

ST. PIUS X CATHOLIC PARISH

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9am—Noon; 1-5pm Mon-Thurs
9am—Noon on Fridays

Formation Office closed on Fridays during the summer

A new Father's Life

ANDY REBOLLAR
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How quickly a world can change for the good!

My wife, Andi, and I found this out May 18th when we got the call (a month earlier than expected) to come to Lansing because the girl we hoped to adopt would most likely be born that evening. At that point, we had five things checked off of a list of 75 things we needed to do to get ready! We were woefully underprepared. It was not how we imagined it, but little of our journey to parenthood had gone as planned, so this also followed the pattern. Luckily, God's plan won out, and **Mila Kimani Rebollar** entered into the world at 11:25pm that night, weighing 5lbs. 11oz, forever changing our lives.

We have been humbled by the generosity of friends and family who in large and small ways have helped transition two active thirtysomethings into doting parents. We have been inspired by our newfound capacities to love another in unexpectedly new ways. And most of all, we have felt blessed by the courageous decision Mila's birthmother made to entrust us with the responsibility of giving Mila the fullest life we can. We had no idea parenthood would be like this, but that's how our God of surprise works, isn't it? God's ways are not ours. Our mighty Mila is doing well, sleeping and eating well, and continuing to be the best world changer ever. Thank you for your ongoing love, support, and prayers!



A baby blessing...a gift from heaven! Andy Rebollar, Pastoral Associate for Parish Life, his wife, Andi, and daughter, Mila.

PARENTS & EXPECTANT PARENTS if you seek to raise your child as a follower of Jesus Christ, you are urged to present your child for the Sacrament of Baptism. Our next baptism class is on Wednesday, July 20 at 7pm in the McDuffee Room. Sign up by contacting the parish office at 532-9344.



50+ EVENTS: Join us on July 21 for the Grand Lady Riverboat Cruise. Cost is \$23 for the cruise and food; cruise only is \$10. Please RSVP and payment needs to be received to the parish office by **July 12**. Boarding begins at 6pm with cash bar; boat departs at 7pm sharp and returns at 9pm.

The 50+ Picnic has been rescheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 9 at 11:45am in Danner Hall. More details will follow.



LIKE US ON FACEBOOK: We have an active presence at St. Pius X Catholic Parish. "LIKE" us for updates on parish events and for resources and articles to help you grow in faith.

real people + real presence

Growing in Christ

Weekly Stewardship Report

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT — In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus inviting his disciples to be evangelizers. "The harvest is abundant," Jesus says. But those who are willing to invite others to a deeper relationship with the Lord are few. Good stewards who are willing to witness their Catholic faith to others know they are "like lambs among wolves." They are encouraged to be gentle, patient and loving, knowing they may face rejection and even fierce opposition.

The Year of Mercy invites us to be better stewards of our faith, to give positive, courageous, joyful witness to others who have turned away from their relationship with Jesus. Is there someone we should be reaching out to this week? *from the ICSC Catholic Stewardship July 2016 e-bulletin*

Time and Talent

MASS ATTENDANCE

June 25 & 26: 5:30pm—184 | 8:30am—232 | 10:30am—357

Treasure

CHRISTIAN SERVICE FOOD PANTRY needs the following items: all-purpose cleaner, toilet bowl cleaner, aluminum foil, and corned-beef hash. Your donations to the pantry help in filling weekly orders to those in need. Thank you!

PARISH SUPPORT Fiscal Year 2015-16 Week 52/52	Last week 6/25 & 6/26	Year to Date	Prior Year to Date
Adult Envelopes	\$ 10,752	\$ 678,393	\$ 697,697
Electronic Giving spxcatholic.org	\$ 3,140	\$ 222,763	\$ 201,507
Youth Envelopes	\$ 1	\$ 201	\$ 485
Loose Offerings	\$ 528	\$ 36,122	\$ 34,560
Total Contributions	\$ 14,421	\$ 937,479	\$ 934,249
Budget Overage/(Shortfall)	\$ (4,134)	\$ (5,176)	
OTHER GIVING			
Master's Mission	\$ 195	\$ 32,345	\$ 34,295

St. Pius X has 942 registered households. Last week, 263 contributed either by using an offertory envelope or electronically. Every gift is gratefully received as a sacrifice united with Christ's own self-offering in the Eucharist to share God's love.

Mass Assignments for July 9 & 10

Mass Coord.	5:30pm	8:30am	10:30am
	Mary Carter	Mike & Brenda Grandy	Frank Cegelis
Greeters	The Welscott Family	Sue Mueller Janine Skavnak 2 Volunteers Needed	Pat Milanowski Shaun Purvis Barbara Rouster Paul Sundstrom
Servers	Isabel Castro Lucas Castro Volunteer Needed	Noah Kusmierski Noah Ziegler Volunteer Needed	Jonathan Fuller Emma Ruemenapp Loren Wilkie
Eucharistic Ministers	Mo Belliel Julie Burns Margaret Jastifer Victoria Talsma Mike Tyler Monica Tyler 3 Volunteers Needed	Dave Bristol Mary Bristol Amanda London Jerry London Michele Stutzky Elaine Szarowicz Paul VanGessel Dave Zabler Lynn Zabler	Linda Hinds Bill Jenkins Kathleen Kelly Jim Kohmescher Sharon Love Meg Lyons Pat Milanowski Mike Miller Jacob Ruemenapp Kate Ruemenapp Linda Vandenberg Ann Villemure Cheryl Yskes
Lector	Jennifer Castro Jonathan Welscott	Rick Verburg Chris Verburg	Frank Cegelis Amber Swift
LWC			Bill McInnis
	Ushers: Team C	Ushers: Team D	Ushers: Team G

Our prayer list for healing

Please continue to pray for the following and all the sick in our Parish, their families and friends, those hospitalized and home-bound, and those in care facilities. To be included on the Prayer Chain (separate from this bulletin list), call Jason George at (231) 736-7487.

Jenny Walsh	Gerry Dekkinga	Bob Brock	Joe Capriglione
Kenneth Schumacher	Mary LaSarge	Deacon Norm Riksen	Erika Yonker
Kelsey Gibson	Andre Miles	Lenore Nufrio	Marie Nevins
Robert Kasperlik	Catherine Cesare	Diane & Mary Prindle	Andy Wierzbicki
Joe Lemont	Henry Visscher	Betty DiTrapani	Diane Rudnik
Beverwyk Family	Joe & Margaret Grandy	Rose Reilly	Clara Raaymakers
Anthony McAndrew	M. Forrester	Laurie Bialik	Sally Thome
Jennifer Hassell	Marty Schumacker	Margaret Harman	Pat Chichester
Mick Vaughn	John Stoddard	Carol Guffy	Bob & Holly Ann Ott
Ben Baird	Derek Bull	Shannon Olman	Diane Austin
Rich Hubbard	Stephen Meurer	Dorothy Rennager	Linda Meagher
Kathy Maslowski	Charles & Mag Frodl	Patrick Bartz	Ilene Topolinski
Deb Russo	Tom & Becky Hoffmann	Ellen O'Toole	Sarah Johnson
Catherine Owens	Mike Connell	Edward Kaminski	Justin Vriezema
Jeff Zylstra	Mary Jebb	Markell Barnhart	Lindsey Read
Marlene Strong	Mary Beth Jensen	Pat Rummer	Robert Ryzanca
Cindy Cole	Megan Reynolds	Chris VanderSlice	Mary Benson-Slosser
Jill Moyer	Jim & Mary Norcutt	Leo Raap	Deb Finnigan
Neil Wouters	Allen Mulligan	Jim & Madeleine Stotenbur	Martha VanDyke
Brianne Bassett	Matt Rich	Bpb Bagin	Ken Jenkins
Tom Wojtas	Joe & Winnie Kulaga	Jonathan Kolenda	Sandy Ressel
Kerry Deboer	Donna Waters	Diane Remenak	John Blanchard
Sr. Jean Marie Wojtas	Pat DeJong	Norm Pokora	Linda Wood
Terri Bernott	Clara Jo Braybrook	Barbara Barney	Zachary Matzke
Ann Berg	Jane Voss	Karen Bourassa	Pam Willemstein
Virginia Bieber	John Wheat	Judy Perrin	



*We offer the sympathy, love, and prayers
of our parish to the family of:*

JUDY BONZHEIM

wife of Chris Bonzheim



Welcome back teens and chaperones from a week of service in Springfield, IL. Look in next week's bulletin for more pictures on how St. Pius X Youth Ministry *Made a Difference in our World!*

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Christopher Stock, M.D.

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