



ST. PIUS X
MOBERLY, MO



**SECOND SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

“Behold, the Lamb of God.”

January 14, 2024

We the members of St. Pius X are a people of the land who are on a pilgrimage to the Father. Guided by the Holy Spirit, God’s Word, and our Catholic tradition, we reach out to others with love and service.

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Louis M. Nelen Pastor
 Email lnelen@diojeffcity.org
 John Hill Permanent Deacon
 Chris Sago Permanent Deacon
 Sarah Mefford Parish Secretary
 Evan Schumann Director of Religious Education
 Libby Adler Bookkeeper
 Regina Summers Office Assistant
 Marla Yowell Director of Stewardship
 Cassie Schmidt Director of PSR
 Amanda Brown Youth Minister
 Melanie Holtzclaw RCIA Coordinator
 Mike Aulbur School Principal
 Johnna Schumann Early Childhood Center Director

OFFICE HOURS

Tue-Wed-Thurs - 9:00am to 4:00pm

PARISH REGISTRATION

Please call or visit the Parish Office during regular office hours.

MARRIAGES

Contact the pastor six months in advance.

BAPTISMS

Parents should contact the Parish Office for instructions.

BECOMING CATHOLIC / RCIA

Anyone interested in becoming Catholic, contact Parish office.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office263-5243
 St. Pius X School263-5500
 Undercroft.....263-9168
 Early Childhood Center263-1840

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:15pm
 Sunday 8:00am & 11:00am

RECONCILIATION/PENANCE

Saturday4:30pm
 Sunday.....7:30am & 10:30am
 Anytime by appointment.

THE BULLETIN DEADLINE IS TUESDAY AT NOON

PSR KIDS’ FAITH FOUNDATIONS

September-May from 9:30am-10:45am at the school.
 Call the Parish office for information.

ROSARY

A rosary will be said 25 minutes before each Mass on the weekend.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Please keep us informed that we might minister to those who are ill at home, in the hospital, or nursing care facility.

For death or spiritual emergency, please call the parish office and press 7 for the Pastor.

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MASS INTENTIONS



Tue 1/16	5:30pm	†In Thanksgiving for Scott & Ellen Harvey
Wed 1/17	8:00am	†Roy L. King, Jr.
Thu 1/18	8:00am	Health & Welfare of Pat & Gary Bush
Fri 1/19	8:00am	Health & Welfare of Cheryl Frost
Sat 1/20	5:15pm	†Eugene & Isabelle Koenig
Sun 1/21	8:00am	People of the Parish
Sun 1/21	11:00am	†Sandy Thieman

We are streaming live on Facebook for All Daily Masses & the 5:15 pm Weekend Mass!

MARTHAS

Jan 20th

Vicki Ritter	660-263-7118
Liz Schopp	660-833-7375

Jan 27th

Clarice Shriver	660-998-6689
Ronda Stoecklein	660-263-0724

The first person on the list calls other to set up a time to clean, and pick up the key at the Parish Office. If you are unable to be there, please find your own sub.



ROSARY LEADERS FOR WEEKEND

Jan 20th & 21st Masses

5:15pm Mass Jan 20th - Cole Davis
8:00am Mass Jan 21st - Pete Koenig
11:00 am Mass Jan 21st- Ann Phelps

St. Pius X Weekly Mass Counts

1/6/24 - 5:15pm Mass = 120
1/7/24 - 8:00am Mass = 177
1/7/24 - 11:00am Mass = 278



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Father of Love, hear our prayer for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid their suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as You cure illness and make broken bodies whole. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believe. Amen.

Addi Sullivan
Amy Denton
Anju Jibin
Aunt Noma
Bella Rader
Bert Dooley
Bob Boots
Brian Herrin
Brooks Burton
Carole Hays
Charles Cahill
Charles Mitchell
Charles Stutsman
Cheryl Frost

Connie Gulick
Dorothy Denver
Dorothy Turner
Elizabeth Harbal
Emily Hakim
Evelynn Statesel
Evie Keene
Gary Bush
Gayle Wolfe
Greg Prange
Gregory Walsh
Isla Garmon
Jason Eastman
Jason Tindle

Jayden Pearman
Jessica Herrin
Jim Bussen
Josh
Joy Kelly
Joyce Hunter
Kambel Overfelt
Karen Powell
Kelly Carmichael
Huffman
Kristy Ellison
Laney Cleavinger
Lawrence Dale
Leelamma Thomas

Linda Wilkins
Mary Beth Carver
Mary Ellen Wolfe
Mary Mihalevich
Michelle Hollingsworth
Nancy Christal
Nichole Lawson
Pat Bush
Paul Gingrich
Ralph Hunter
Ronda Blakley
Rick Williams
Sandy Stuart
Shirley Thieman

Tammy Mattox
Tom Clawson
Tom & Karen Boss
Tom Frost
Valerie Nicholas
Veronica Drew
Zara Lear
Zeke Price

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Thus 1/18	5:00pm	Parish Liturgy Committee Meeting, Ed Building
Thu 1/18	6:00pm	Parish Council Mtg, Ed Building
Sat 1/20	10:00am	Stitch, Pray, Love, Ed Building
Sun 1/21	9:00am	Schumann Family Baptism, Undercroft

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEMBERS

Let us pray for our brothers and sisters as they go forth with courage and determination to face the forces of violence, weapons of destruction,



Ben Watkins
Jordan Ruiz
Rick Coffman
Samuel Peterson
Rico Hernandez

Michael Willard
Natalie Ruiz
Joshua Howard
Jayden Pearman



CHRISTOS CENTER - HELP IS NEEDED!

The 3rd TUESDAY of odd numbered months is St. Pius X day to unload the truck at the Christos Center! Please come at approximately 3:30 pm to help ~ many hands make light work! This would make a great service project for RCIA, youth group, K of C groups—anyone junior high through retirement age! Following are the dates for 2024 and our first date is next week: **January 16th**, March 19th, May 21st, July 16th, September 17 and November 19th. Please join us!



ALL PARISIONERS ARE INVITED!!

Let's Welcome Father Louis Nelen along with new 2023 parishioners on Saturday, January 20, 2024 in the St. Pius X School Gym after the 5:15 Mass. Fried Chicken will be supplied — you bring a side dish. If you were a new parishioner in 2023, bring yourself and your smile to meet Fr. Lou and greet those you haven't met before. Cake will be provided too! Want to help with this fun event? Call Wanda Finnigan at 660-651-7460. Let's get this welcoming party started!

Keep these and all of St. Pius X family members and friends in your prayers. **Call the Parish Office with updates.**

KNIGHT'S KORNER



Jan 23rd 7:00pm Meeting
Knights of Columbus Hall

Feb 13th 7:00pm Meeting
Knights of Columbus Hall

**2024 Knights of Columbus Basketball Free
Throw Championship - SUNDAY 1/21/24**

St. Pius Gym - 1-3pm

Ages 9-14(as of 1/1/24) boys and girls

The Missouri State Council awards 11 scholarships every year. The student must be a member of the Knights of Columbus, or the son, daughter, or wife of a member of the Knights of Columbus in good standing, or of a deceased member of the Knights of Columbus. Application deadline for 2024-2025 scholarships is 20 February 2024. Go to mokofc.org/announcements/ Family Section for application forms and more details.

*Stop Abortions • Pray the Rosary
Support & Join the Knights*

So, he said to Samuel, "Go to sleep, and if you are called, reply, 'Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.'" When Samuel went to sleep in his place, the Lord came and stood there, calling out as before: "Samuel, Samuel!" Samuel answered, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

1 Samuel 3:9-10

God is constantly inviting us into a relationship with Him. All we have to do is say the words of Samuel: "Speak, for your servant is listening."



Confirmation Class

The next meeting will be Monday, January 15th at 6:30 to 7:30 in the Undercroft.

We will be doing Lesson 4 in the workbook. Bring your Bibles! Confirmation sponsor paperwork will be handed out. Please be there!



COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Applications due
March 28, 2024

The Diocese of Jefferson City is pleased to offer our parish families college scholarship opportunities through a generous donation from the families of William H. (Bill) Simon and John L. Warack



FOR ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS AND TO COMPLETE AN APPLICATION, VISIT:

diojeffcity.org/scholarships



January 14, 2024 | Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19 | 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20 | Jn 1:35-42

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

When Samuel hears the Lord speak in today's first reading, he mistakes it as Eli calling out to him in the temple. The third time Samuel asks if he called, Eli is wise enough to realize what is going on and guides Samuel: "Go to sleep, and if you are called, reply, Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening." Samuel required guidance because he "was not familiar with the Lord, because the Lord had not revealed anything to him as yet." In a similar way does the Apostle Andrew come to the Lord. In today's Gospel, Andrew didn't know who Jesus was until John the Baptist told him: "Behold, the Lamb of God." Andrew then began to follow Jesus, and to bring others to him. There may be times when we, like both of these men, need someone else to help us hear the call of the Lord clearly, or see his presence among us. Those who serve the Lord in this way are a great gift to us, and enable us to be that gift for others. Pray for the grace to hear what we need to hear, to see what we need to see, and to say to others, "come, we have found the Messiah."

INVITATION We are all called to a life of holiness. But it's not always easy to grow in holiness and strengthen one's relationship with God on our own. Consider reaching out to your parish and asking about spiritual direction - a spiritual director will help you fine tune your ears to be more attentive to the Lord's voice.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Despite our best efforts, the time and attention we give to our lives of faith can ebb and flow. Sometimes we can feel so connected with God that we sense his presence everywhere. But there may also be times when God feels distant and we struggle to hear his voice. Notice in today's readings how Samuel "was not familiar with the Lord" but was sleeping in the temple, close to the ark; notice how Andrew was hanging around John the Baptist and immediately followed Christ when told who he was. We can see that, already before "knowing," is a "desire to know." The Lord created us, formed us into being, and calls us to a relationship with him. We are drawn to him even before we can see or know what he has revealed to us. He is our source, and our ultimate end. We seek eternal life with Christ and a path of holiness to help us on our way. The stories of Samuel and the disciple Andrew impress upon us that God is always near and calling to us - we simply must give him the opportunity to speak, sometimes when we least expect it.



UPCOMING EVENTS

January: Redono tickets/table on sale

January 12: Iowa Assessment Tests go home

January 15th: **No School**

January 15th: Confirmation Meeting

January 21st: Knights Free Throw

*Be Respectful,
Be Responsible,
Be Safe,
and Live Your
Faith*

VBS 2024
SCUBA
Looking for Volunteers!
diving into friendship with god
initially catholic

We are looking into a potential Summer 2024 Vacation Bible School. But we will need roughly 12-15 volunteers in order to make it work! Please contact the parish office or Evan Schumann at eschumann@spxmoberly.edu if you would be interested in volunteering for this.

Interested in the Diaconate?

Join our information session!

Saturday, Feb. 24th, 9:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.
St. Pius X Catholic Church
Undercroft — Enter through the north door
209 S Williams, Moberly, MO 65270
For help with directions, contact
Deacon John Hill at (660) 651-1960

Learn about the application and formation process. The session is open to anyone and their spouse who has wondered if they were being called to a vocation to the Diaconate.

RSVP to Deacon John Schwartz at jschwartz@diojeffcity.org.

REDONO—FEBRUARY 10TH

TICKET & TABLES ARE SELLING FAST. CALL 660-651-2721 OR THE SCHOOL OFFICE TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS. THE COST IS \$50.00 PER TICKET. YOU HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE A TABLE FOR \$100.00 WITH THE PURCHASE OF 8 REDONO TICKETS. WE ARE LOOKING FOR SPONSORS, SILENT AUCTION ITEMS AND LIVE AUCTION ITEMS FOR REDONO - PLEASE CALL 660-651-2721

REDONO RAFFLE

GRAND PRIZE
\$ 10,000

Drawing will be held at the Redono auction 10 Feb. 2024.
You do not have to be present to win!
Get your ticket For a chance at \$10,000!
Tickets are \$100 each. Ticket sales will be after weekend masses and/or by contacting
Gacy Miller 660-888-2727

WE NEED YOU.....Night School coming February 1st, from 5:30-7:30pm. Looking for volunteers to teach 15 minute intervals that night. If interested, please contact the school office by calling 660-263-5500.

St. Pius X Church Collection Report

Yearly Budget: Income	Weekly Income	Weekly Goal	Dec. 31 - Jan. 6		Yearly Budget
			YTD	YTD Goal	
#1 ECC Income	\$2,410	\$10,146	\$150,343	\$273,942	\$527,610
#2 School Income					
Non Catholic Tuition	\$453	\$1,891	\$28,997	\$51,057	\$98,331
School Fees		\$1,887	\$33,969	\$50,949	\$98,100
#2 Total School	\$453	\$3,778	\$62,966	\$102,006	\$196,431
#3 Church Income					
Envelopes	\$9,059	\$21,084	\$396,654	\$569,268	\$1,096,347
Loose	\$890	\$482	\$26,657	\$12,984	\$25,064
Online	\$5,445	\$6,101	\$118,795	\$164,727	\$317,258
#3 Total Tithing	\$15,394	\$27,667	\$542,106	\$746,979	\$1,438,669
TOTAL	\$18,257	\$41,591	\$755,415	\$1,122,927	\$2,162,710

YOUTH

UPDATE

Youth Group will meet on **TUESDAY JANUARY 16TH AT 3:00PM** to help unload the truck at the Christos Center. We will leave St. Pius at 3pm, every youth attending will need to have a permission form. I will be sending out more details. Pick up time will be 5:00pm that night.

Amanda Brown
Youth Minister

January 20 - January 21: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:15 PM (Sunday Vigil Mass)	Sunday, 8:00 AM (Sunday Mass)	Sunday, 11:00 AM (Sunday Mass)
Director of Worship	Arnold Hoch	Ken Schroeder	Craig Mattox
Lector	Schila Hudson Bob Thieman	Mike Mattox Elizabeth Schopp	Gretchen Hauge Ann Phelps
Mass Attendance Recorder	Tony Carver	Theodore Sander	Audrey Harris
Eucharistic Minister	Mary Carver Travis Ginter Bethany Kelly Kathy Sasek Mary Wideman Denise Wood	Martha Link Libby Mattox Therese Sander Theodore Sander Elizabeth Schroeder Chuck Schumann	Sandra Aulbur Michael Aulbur Tempy Holman Tammy Mattox Bill O'Brien Jeremy Skinner
Usher	Connie Nichols Sarah Norris Johnny Norris Edgar Powell	Meghan Lees Kevin/Ronda Stoecklein Doris Whelan Jim Whelan	Mary Brink Colby J. Fusselman Jack Pretz Shari Pretz
Greeter	Katie Gibbs Andrea Hulett Jerrid Hulett	Harold/Karen Fuemmeler Gerald Link Martha Link	Cory Hauge Gretchen Hauge Angela Ritter
Altar Server	Olyvia Schultz Colton Schultz Addyson Schultz	Holden Stapleton Taygen Stapleton Tinsley Stapleton	Owen O'Brien Aiden O'Brien Granger Sedore
Gift Bearer	Johnny Norris	Jim Whelan	Kellie O'Brien
Videographer	Bella Shannon (sub req.)		
Musician	Jane Green Denise Caldarello NOT FILLED	Marsha Schmidt Elijah Elliott Bob Thieman	Bridgett Martin

January 27 - January 28: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:15 PM (Sunday Vigil Mass)	Sunday, 8:00 AM (Sunday Mass)	Sunday, 11:00 AM (Sunday Mass)
Director of Worship	Arnold Hoch	Timothy O'Connor	Nannette Sago
Lector	Mary Carver Bill Hagedorn	Melanie Holtzclaw Evan Schumann	Pat Bush Cliff Miller
Mass Attendance Recorder	Jessica Tremain	Cindy Blackmore	Cliff Ancell
Eucharistic Minister	Tony Carver Jim Finnigan Wanda Finnigan Sandy Gamble Brandon Kelly Bethany Kelly	Shelly Borges Sarah Mefford Kyley Mefford Michael Schumann Chuck Schumann Regina Summers	Linda Ancell Holly M. Bennett Nancy Conley Jerry Fleming Ann Phelps Annette Schulte
Usher	Lilly Elliott David Elliott Amy Meystrik John Meystrik	Ken Gelski Jeanie Gelski Edgar Powell Jeanette Schirmer	Marshall Wortmann Ann Wortmann Emma Wortmann Marty Wortmann
Greeter	Kristina Flores Steve Kelly Cathy Kelly	Carol Gerhard Aliciah Mefford Elizabeth Schopp	Scott Harvey Dwight Wheeler Dorothy Wheeler
Altar Server	Eli Kelly Carter Knaebel Beckett Miller	Quintin Borges Henry Boss Leland Boss	Xander Bennett Grant Miller Ryan Miller
Gift Bearer	Sydney Miller	Elizabeth Schopp	Emma Wortmann
Videographer	Megan Tremain		
Musician	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Andy Rowland NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Andy Rowland NOT FILLED NOT FILLED