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Mission Statement:
Living the Gospel of Our Lord as a Community of Faith.

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Office Hours
Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.

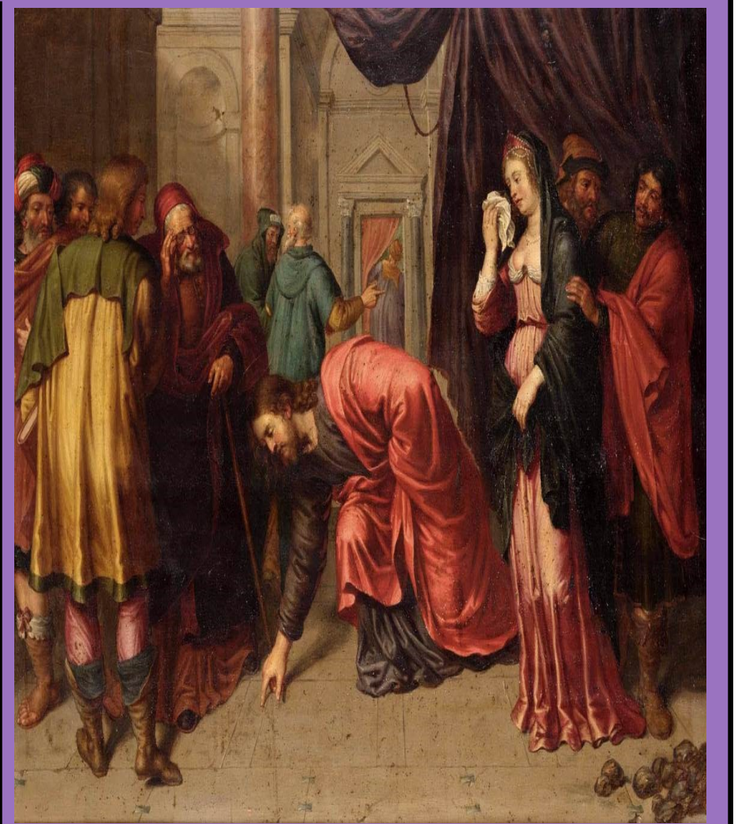
Closed all State & Federal Holidays

Food Pantry
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Weekday Mass
Monday to Saturday
7:30 a.m.

Weekend Mass
Saturday, 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Confessions
Saturday
5:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
or by appointment



"He who is without sin among you, let him *be the* first to throw a stone at her."
John 8:7

Upcoming Events

APRIL 8—14, 2019

8th - MONDAY
7:30 AM MASS - Church
8:00 AM Outreach—Hall/Kitchen
9:00 AM Crafty Ladies - Conf Room
10:00 AM Bible Study - Church Cry Rm
5:30 PM Hula - Hall

9th - TUESDAY
7:30 AM MASS - Church
9:00 AM Outreach - Hall / Kitchen
10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall
11:00 AM Funeral Mass—Church—
Matias Tak Cheung
5:00 PM Hula - Hall
5:00 PM Bell Choir - Conference Room
7:00 PM Korean Mass - Church

10th - WEDNESDAY
7:30 AM MASS - Church
9:00 AM Outreach - Hall / Kitchen
10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall
10:00 AM Bell Choir - Conf Room
10:00 AM Korean Mass - Church

11th - THURSDAY
7:30 AM MASS - Church
9:00 AM Sandwich Making-Hall/Kitchen
9:00 AM Hawaiian Quilting Club - Hall
9:00 AM Crafty Ladies - Conf Room

12th - FRIDAY
6:00 AM Fr. Don's Breakfast
7:30 AM MASS - Church
9:00 AM Crafty Ladies - Conf Room
10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall
6:00 PM Stations of the Cross—Church
7:00 PM Korean Mass - Church

13th - SATURDAY
7:30 AM MASS - Church
8:00 AM Church Cleaning - Church
4:00 PM Mass - Church
5:00 PM Confessions - Church

14th - SUNDAY
6:30 AM Korean Mass - Church
8:30 AM MASS - Church
11:30 AM Korean Mass - Church
3:00 PM Korean Mass - Church

Pastor's Corner

Fr. Thomas Joseph PHD

Dear Parishioners & Friends:

We have come to the fifth Sunday of Lent, this week. Next Sunday (April 14) we begin the Holy Week with Palm Sunday. It is time to redouble our efforts to sanctify this Holy Season. We will not be having another Penance Service at St Pius X Church. Those interested are encouraged to attend the Penance Service at Sacred Hearts Church on April 10 (Wednesday) at 6:30 pm. Possibilities to make your Lenten confessions are available after Saturday evening mass. You can always make an appointment for other times.

With Prayers & Blessings!
Fr. Tom

Sunday Reflection

Neither do I condemn you. Go, and from now on do not sin any more. (John 8:11)

Wouldn't you love to know what happened to this woman after she left Jesus that unforgettable day? John doesn't tell us. In fact, we almost never learn what happened to people in the Gospels after Jesus healed or forgave them. But these were real people who probably lived many years after their encounter with him. So let's try to imagine what happened next for this woman.

Jesus' refusal to condemn her must have affected her to the core. His act of mercy saved her life, not just physically, but spiritually as well. Maybe she was so grateful to Jesus that she became one of his followers. Maybe she went back to her husband to be reconciled. One thing we can't imagine is that she went back to living the way she had in the past.

This is what happens when we have an encounter with God's mercy. Our gratitude for what Jesus has done for us leads us to follow him more closely. It softens our heart and helps us be more merciful toward other people. And we receive the grace that strengthens us against further temptation to sin.

Do you want to have this kind of encounter? It's yours for the asking! The words Jesus spoke to this woman are essentially the same words the priest says to us in Confession: "I absolve you from your sins." Even if you feel as if other people are condemning you, even if you are condemning yourself, Jesus doesn't condemn you. He forgives you. He saves you.

Over these next two weeks, take advantage of the opportunities that will be offered at your parish or one nearby to go to Confession. Let Jesus' mercy set you free. Then spend the remaining days leading up to Easter thanking him for loving you so much. Let your gratitude move you to follow your Savior even more closely– and to be just as merciful to the people around you as he is to you.

"Jesus, thank you for your unending mercy!"

(Taken from The Word Among Us)

SUNDAY COLLECTION
March 31, 2019

Total Collection	**$**	**2,015.00**
Building Fund	$	85.00
Candles	$	58.00
Catholic Relief Services	$	145.00
Rice Bowl	$	96.69
Total Weekly Deposit	**$**	**2,399.69**

On Line Giving
March 25-29, 2019……$ 160.00

Stations of the Cross, Friday's during lent at 6:00 p.m. in St. Pius Church.

2019 Lent/Easter Season Celebration Schedule

4/13— Palm Vigil Sat.—4:00 pm

4/14—Palm Sunday—8:30 am

4/18—Holy Thursday—5:30 pm

4/19—Good Friday—3:00 pm

4/20—Easter Vigil Sat.—4:00 pm

4/21—Easter Sunday—8:30 am

Dinner for retired priests and Fr. Tom. Hosted by Joe and Pam

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

8:30 am—Sun., April 7
Mason Kieschnick+

7:30 am—Wed., April 10
Sr. Joan Chatfield+

7:30 am—Thurs., April 11
Nancy Nebel+

4:00 pm—Sat, April 13
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Readings for the Week

Sunday, April 7
Fifth Sunday of Lent
Isaiah 43:16-21
Philippians 3:8-14
John 8:1-11

Monday, April 8
Daniel 13:1-9,15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62
John 8:12-20

Tuesday, April 9
Numbers 21:4-9
John 9:21-30

Wednesday, April 10
Daniel 3:14-20, 91-92, 95
John 8:31-42

Thursday, April 11
Genesis 17:3-9
John 8:51-59

Friday, April 12
Jeremiah 20:10-13
John 10:31-42

Saturday, April 13
Ezekiel 37:21-28
John 11:45-56

Palm Sunday, April 14
The Passion of the Lord
Luke 19:28-40
Isaiah 50:4-7
Philippians 2:6-11
Luke 22:14-23:56 or 23:1-49