



Sunday Bulletin:
August 11th,
2024
St. Pius X Parish
*19th Sunday in
Ordinary Time*



Pastor's Message

Come Encounter the Lord

This week, our parish welcomes the Renewal Ministry of our Diocese. Every year the Renewal Ministry has a summer event geared towards growth in faith, living in the Spirit, encouraging one another and being strengthened to go out into the world to be ambassadors of Jesus. People come from all over our diocese and beyond (Kamloops, Victoria, Vancouver) to attend. Please join me to welcome them to our parish. Everyone is welcome to attend - to encounter the Lord.

Our Speaker

This year, we are excited to welcome back Pauline Dumas McGrath to help us encounter our Lord Jesus Christ, finding our identity in God to live our faith with practical activations to help us move forward in evangelization and healing. Realize the plan God has for you, be transformed, receive His joy and healing.

The event begins this Sunday with an evening Mass at 6:00 pm.

The program for the week is as follows:

Monday through Friday:

8 - 9:30 am: Breakfast, Rosary, Mass
(This is our usual parish Rosary and Mass. The renewal ministry will join us)

9:45 am: Praise and Worship, Talk 1, Activity

12:15 pm: Lunch, Confession, Prayer Ministry for anyone who wants prayers.

2:15 pm: Praise and Worship, Talk 2, Activity

5:00 pm: Dinner

Additional Prayer Events during the week

Monday, August 12th at 6:00 pm: Praise and Worship and Adoration

Thursday, August 15th: Praise and Worship at 6:30 pm

Everyone is welcome. Please pray that this will be a grace-filled event for all participants, for our families, for our parishes and for our dioceses.

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Welcome to St. Pius X Parish Kelowna!

We are happy that your life's journey has brought you here today to pray with us.

Our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal

This [annual appeal provides funding](#) for capital project rebates, Catholic education, social and pastoral programs, and many other key services in our Diocese as well as to our parish.

Diocesan Goal: \$39,450

Parish Goal: \$25,000

Total: \$64,450.

Raised to Date: \$31,380.81

Funds Still Required: \$33,069.19



We hope that everyone will participate in this year's appeal. Remember to fill out your pledge card and drop it along with a cheque/cash in the collection, or donate via e-transfer to: etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org For more information on how to give, contact St. Pius X office. **250-762-2587.**

Mass Schedule - St. Pius X

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 6:00 pm

No Mass July 16th

Wednesday Rosary 8:30, Mass 9:00 am

Thursday Rosary 8:30, Mass 9:00 am

Friday Rosary 8:30, Mass 9:00 am

Adoration/ Benediction

Every Friday
9:35 am - 10:00 am

Confession

Saturday 4:00 pm
or by appointment

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4 Weeks of Bread of Life Discourse

We continue our Bread of Life Discourse. The Eucharist is the Gift from the Father. Everything we do in Mass, in our life of faith is bringing us back to the Father. The Father who loves us so much that He sent His Son to die for us, die for our sins to set us free. Then the Spirit is sent into our lives so that we can truly live, not just God with us but God within us. All this requires a choice, a decision. Do I choose to live for God everyday? Do I choose to love Him and my neighbour in all things especially those that annoy me, those I don't like so much? Jesus in the Eucharist can help us. Let's pray at every Communion for a new love for God and for neighbour. Only God can satisfy. Only He can help us.

Pilgrimage of Faith

We are making progress in our campaign. We received good number of donations last week. Thank you dear parishioners for your response. I'm so grateful for your love and kindness. We are hoping that our Lord will provide for all our families so that we can support the work of God in our parish.

Some people are asking whether they can donate specifically for a particular item or project such as youth ministry or statues. Yes, you can. Kindly indicate that in the memo. Thank you for your kind donation. God is never outdone in generosity. Whatever we put in his hand, He receives it, multiplies it and makes it beautiful.

Holy Mass and Taste of the Nations (August - Philippines)

There is a sign up sheet in the foyer. This will help the organizers in food preparation. Thank you for signing up.

May you have a blessed Sunday!

God love you!

Your brother,
Fr. Obi

Holy Mass & Taste of the Philippines

Come and experience the beauty of the Catholic Faith and the Filipino Culture

Place: St. Pius X Parish
(1346 Gordon Drive)

Date: August 25

Time: 11am Mass

(followed by Food and activities in the hall)

Everyone is welcome!

Join us for faith, fellowship and community building



We're running our second Alpha this fall!

What is Alpha?



Alpha is a series of group conversations that explore the basics of the Christian faith in a friendly environment. It's a place to connect with people, where you can be yourself.

Everyone is welcome! No matter of background or beliefs.

All Alphas have 3 key elements:

Connect – all sessions start with a time to connect, share food, relax and build friendships.

Watch – the Alpha talks explore a new question of faith each week and are designed to spark conversation.

Discuss – an opportunity to discuss the session's topic together in an open, honest and friendly environment.

For more info contact Angela [250-317-7670](tel:250-317-7670).



*You are invited to
Gathering in the Spirit
Healing Mass*

*Thursday, August 15th
St. Pius X Parish*

*Praise and Worship 6:30pm
Mass 7:00*

THE PARISH



Message from The Knights of Columbus

Greetings to all the gentlemen of St. Pius X Parish!

Have you considered joining the
Knights of Columbus?

This is an invitation to do so.

We are guided by the principles of
charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism.

The Knights were started by Fr. Michael
J McGivney in New Haven Connecticut
to help families who were struggling,
especially when the primary wage
earner had died.

There are over 2 million members
around the world. To this end, the
Knights of Columbus offer spiritual,
family, community, and life programs as
well as insurance products.

We will be having an Exemplification
ceremony on August 24th to induct new
members.

Please consider this invitation.

Please contact Grand Knight Abel
Martins ([250-567-2549](tel:250-567-2549)) if you would
like to become a Knight of Columbus or
have any questions.

I would look forward to your call.
Thank-you.

Mass Intentions

*Saturday, August 10th, 5:00 pm
Lindsey Parlane & Tracey Jones

-INT-

Olivia Bland -R-

*Sunday, August 11th, 9:00 am
Parishioners of St. Pius X -INT-

*Sunday, August 11th, 11:00 am
Attilio & Albina Gemin -R-

*Sunday, August 11th, 6:00 pm
Ramon Mabanag -R-

*Tuesday, August 13th, 9:00 am
Antonia Guercio -R-
CWL -INT-

*Wednesday, August 14th, 9:00 am
John David Mazzei -R-

*Thursday, August 15th, 9:00 am
Lina & Walter Quarenghi -INT-

*Friday, August 16th, 9:00 am
The Dows Family -R-

Pray for the Sick

Please pray for the sick and injured
at home and in hospital, especially
for...

Juan Francisco Lorenzo, George
Levine, Bobbie Cascanette, Lina &
Walter Quarenghi, Beatriz
Hernandez, Helen Curran, Dinah
Beppe, Linda Kleintelder, Bill
Kipke, Liz Hmylycia, Janice James,
Walter Quarenghi, Gelindo Del Pino,
Tessa McGibbon, June Hanushchak,
Christine Zlogar, Vince Cummings,
James McGlinchey, Rita Gemin,
Betty Klinger, Desjardins Family,
Trudy Szulkies, Brenda Campbell,
Arlene Pilgrim, Ashleigh Landry,
Ernie Poitras, Manuela Ungureanu,
Dana Duguay, Cathie Lock, Rick
Lock, PJ Cuomo, Evelyn
Burzminski, Dan Ryder, Patricia
Graham, Anita Kurapatwa, Heather
Duguay, Pamela Renzi, Sandra
Martinez, Claudia Albarran,
Constance Cournane, Fionnuala
Kane, Wilai Basuwan, Jennifer Roa,
Rugene Valle, Grace Tumale, Beatriz
Hernandez, Dalia Whissell, Patricia
Cisakowski, Melissa Arriola, Majid,
Daren Reiter, Gloria Moyer.

If you have a loved one that you
would like on the prayer list or if
you know of someone who no
longer needs to be on the list please
contact Angelica at the Parish
office 250-762-2587 or by Email:
spxkelowna@nelsondiocese.org

*Merciful Jesus, grant them a
healing of mind and body, and
restore their strength and spirit.
Amen*

KOREAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

LEGIO meets
each Tuesday at
11:30 am in the Fr.
Martin Room.

COMMUNITY
meets 3rd Sunday
of the month at
12:30 pm in the
Fr. Martin Room.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

St. Pius X Parish is looking for
volunteers to support our
children's liturgy on Sundays this fall at 11 am mass.

If you interested please call parish office
[250-762-2587](tel:250-762-2587).

St. Pius X Catholic Women's League

Our CWL council is looking for individuals to
serve in as our Service & Social Justice leads.
Learn more at cwl.ca. If you are interested in the
positions, please contact president Mary Ann
Rehlinger 250-763-3396.



* Membership curious? Call Doris - [778-583-0222](tel:778-583-0222)

THE PARISH: Baptism, Catechism, Youth, Young Adult, Marriage, Seniors

People of Faith Prayer Group

This group is taking a break in August and will meet again on Tuesday, August 30th, at 6:00 pm at St. Pius X Parish.



Look forward to seeing you there..

For more information please call Piera 250-215-7100

A humble soul does not trust itself but places all its confidence in God.

~ St. Faustina Kowalska

Our 47th Annual Bazaar is just around the corner on Saturday, September 28th.

With the help of our dedicated volunteers, our Bazaar is always a resounding success.

Throughout the year, we work tirelessly to ensure this event is both enjoyable and prosperous.

We're continually on the lookout for fresh ideas and new volunteers—it's a wonderful opportunity to get involved and meet fellow parishioners.

Currently, we have several booths in need of coordinators.

If you're interested, don't worry!

Our amazing mentor group will provide guidance every step of the way.

Join us for a day filled with great people, delicious food, and perhaps discover that special treasure you've been waiting for!

For **volunteering opportunities** or more information about the Bazaar, please contact **Trish at 250-763-1090.**

ST. PIUS X PARISH EVENTS: August 10th to 17th

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| Saturday, August 10th | 5:00 pm | Holy Mass |
| Sunday, August 11th | 9:00 am | Holy Mass |
| | 11:00 am | Holy Mass |
| | 6:00 pm | Holy Mass |
| Monday, August 12th | 6:00 pm | ESL (English Class) —Parish Hall |
| Tuesday to Friday | 8:30 am | Rosary |
| | 9:00 am | Holy Mass |
| Tuesday, August 13th | 11:30 am | Korean LEGIO Group —Fr. Martin Room |
| Tuesdays | 6:00 pm | Prayer Group - to resume August 30th |
| Wednesday, August 14th | 10:00 am | Quilter's Day — Fr. Martin Room |
| Thursday's in September | 1:30 pm | Bible Study—Fr. Martin Room (no meetings June, July & August) |
| Friday, August 16th | 9:35 am | Adoration |
| Saturday, August 17th | 5:00 pm | Holy Mass |

QUILT RAFFLE TICKETS



Tickets are only \$2 each or \$20 for a book (10 tickets).

Purchase tickets as a gift for family & friends!

All proceeds go to St. Pius X Parish. Thanks you for your generosity!

English As A Second Language (ESL)

We continue to help immigrants who wish to learn or improve their English. If yourself or someone you know could benefit from this, you are welcome to join us every **Monday's at 6:00 pm in the parish hall.** Jenny Achtem, our teacher, is also our 9:00 am mass pianist. Jenny has a Master's degree in education with an emphasis in ESL. She has taught adult immigrants, refugees and international students.



Young Adult Group

17 years and older.

Meets every **Sunday at 4:00 pm** in the

St. Pius X church hall.

Come join us for prayers,

games, watch a really good video

on growing in our love for Jesus, getting to know

Him more and supporting each other as young

Catholics.

Everyone is welcome! Bring a friend!