

Pastor's Greetings

From one generation to the next people pass on their genes, their real estate, buildings, furniture, art works, books, papers, jewelry, sometimes wealth, and other things, with some success. Through education, likewise, at the expense of much greater effort, we pass along language, lore, customs, sciences, views, laws, governments, histories and memories, and many other less tangible things. Much of what is offered in the education of children and youth, even if learned for a period of time, unless it comes to be appreciated for its inherent or practical worth will be deliberately discarded or quickly forgotten. What I am busy about as an adult forty years after high school does not require my use of the algebra I learned there. I did enjoy it at the time. But major efforts of retrieval would be necessary for me to have any proficiency in it today. I have even forgotten much of the Latin, Greek, Hebrew, and German with which I worked in graduate studies. But that's the way it goes. Much of what is offered in the educational process by which we pass along our culture lingers only, if at all, in a vague familiarity or memories of things now past. It is not bad to be rich in the traces of things once learned. But what of the loss of things vital?

In the Church we strive to hand on our faith and its practice. Often we imagine that we can easily pass on the deep appreciations we have learned in the experiences of our lives. We are gratified as our children and youth welcome the prayers, sacraments, and religious practices we offer them and expect them to accept. We tell them how important these realities are and, hopefully, even demonstrate this importance by our own devout practice. We seem to forget that we ourselves did not truly receive our appreciation of the mysteries of faith from those who went before us but from our own living of these mysteries. As with all education, what is learned about Christianity and its life practice in childhood and youth, "unless it comes to be appreciated for its inherent or practical worth will be deliberately discarded or quickly forgotten." This is especially true if our faith formation is countered by a more attractive culture of pleasure, wealth, and power. Christian love and faith require choices against one's self-inclinations. When, for faith and love's sake, sacrifice is pitted against pleasure, pleasure often wins. Each individual and each generation faces the same kind of decision which Genesis narrates was faced by the very first humans. Will we trust and taste life only with God and abide God's time and will for us, or will we refuse, set our own terms, and taste life and death as we please, making gods of ourselves?

Christianity and Catholicism, for all the monuments of our faith tradition and history, is humanly never more than one generation deep on this earth.

True, the Church is the entire assembly of those triumphant in Heaven, of those transitioning to God in a blessed but purgatorial judgment, and of those on earthly pilgrimage. But on this earth, if even one generation should completely be removed from the story, it would be over. We are a continuous relay race, passing on the baton of the gospel and apostolic faith from one willing generation's hands to the next willing generation. I can believe, hope, and love in Christ and his Church and I can do it so that the rising generation may find it inviting to take up the cross with willing and loving hearts. But no earthly power can make them do so. It is divine Grace borne in fragile human vessels and sacramental signs through the faithfulness of Christ which upholds the Church through time, and chance, and every attack the gates of hell can devise. The Plan of God, loving and inviting love from the height of the Cross, risks so much respecting each human heart in each passing generation. It is tested by sins within the Church, persecution from without, but even worse by indifference on all sides.

In wondering and worrying that many of our young and adult members walk or drift away, we often forget the temptations we have faced and the times fallen. We need to remember how and through whom God brought us back and how long each journey was. In humbly returning to Grace we have been given a witness and a wisdom this old world and our own strayed need. Christ expects us to be his light and salt in our time for the sake of the world. He is the Shepherd who forsakes no one up to judgment day, and neither should we. If our own children and youth, given all the initiation and formation we can offer them, follow the world's siren call, think how perilous it is for those who have never known the gospel or the sacraments of faith. The vision of those who have accepted Grace has always searched and reached beyond the storms and trials of temptation, weakness, and sin, to the hope which never fails us. Even as does Jesus Christ, we bind this human race to ourselves in hope. World-wise and Grace-readied, we throw the life-line of Christ to each and to all. Why else did the Lord make us the fishers of the human race?
Fr. Richard

St. Pius X Women's and Men's Retreat

We will hold a men and women's retreat on Saturday, July 24, beginning at 8:30am with registration. The retreats will start at 9:00am and end at 4:00pm. The topic for this year's retreat for both men and women will be "What were you thinking?" Please check your calendars and plan on joining us for prayer, conversation and discernment. More information to come in the weeks ahead.

Gospel: Luke 9:18-24 (The Son of Man Must Suffer)**Adults**

What will people learn about Jesus if they see me at work or driving or interacting with my spouse and children?

Children

What can I do this week so that people see Jesus when they see me?

First Communion Pictures and Banners may be picked up during regular office hours from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Religious Education Pre-Registration/Registration will take place during the month of July. Registration packets will be available in the vestibule during the month of July. Thanks!!! If you have any questions, please contact Nancy at the parish office, 684-4745.

Information For Growth (IFG) A new session has been set up online for anyone who would like to take the assessment online. The new session begins on 6-21-10 and ends 7-31-10. The IFG may be assessed at <http://ifg.caltesting.org>. Then click on downloads and follow the download prompts. The session ID is TT_VVMO5362 and the password is ifg123. If you haven't taken the assessment, you may do so anytime during the session time frame. You will receive by email a confidential report of your IFG score. If you have any questions, please contact Nancy at the parish office, 684-4745 ext. 205 or by email nmtg54@aol.com.

Picnic Winners

Cheeta Clean Car Wash -5 free Car washes – Lori Ferguson
 Real Hacienda – 2 free dinners – Joseph Mattingly
 Beef O’Brady’s – 2 free dinners – Bettie Wagner
 Briarpatch – \$30.00 gift certificate – Sara Clark
 Chick-fil-a – 12 free sandwiches – Wesley Roberts
 Golf Plus - \$25.00 gift certificate – Judy Payne
 Purcell Tire – Oil lube & filter, Rotate & Balance – Joe Brooks
 The Edge Ice Arena – 25 free passes – Kim Mills
 Ritzy’s – 4 \$5.00 gift certificates – Brenda Thomson
 Culver’s – 10 free sundaes – Alice Boarman
 Hagan’s Outdoor Equipment - \$25.00 gift certificate – Cindy Mattingly
 Checkered Flag Speedway – 3 race pack – Vince Hayden
 Great Harvest Bread – 5 \$10.00 gift certificates – David Zoglmann
 Papa Murphy’s - \$10.00 gift certificate – Colleen Bachmeier
 Dairy Queen – gift certificates – Jim Bruton
 Valor LLc – 4 \$25.00 gas cards – Wil Storm
 Quilts – David Appleby & John Wick

\$500.00 winners

Stella Payne-Gerry Hamburg-Tracy Johnson-Wallace Quinn

A huge **THANK YOU** to all those who sold their raffle tickets; the rough total is \$10,545.00. A special thanks to all those who sold raffle tickets at the Bar-b-que Festival, handed out tickets before & after the Masses during the past few weeks, and to the hard workers at the Capital Prize Booth. Thanks to Linda Roby for selling around \$300.00. Thanks to those who took extra envelopes and sold them.

I am so proud to be a member of such an awesome church. We are a light shining from the hilltop!

Alicia Wells,

Capital Prize Chair

**ST. PIUS X
YOUTH MINISTRY**

**Up Coming Middle School Dates
Ozone Laser Tag
Located on 533 Triplett Street
Sunday, June 27 2-3:30pm**

There is no cost to youth. All incoming sixth grade and returning middle school youth are invited for fun and laser blasting!

**Up Coming High School Dates
High School Laser Tag
July 17 2-3:30**

There is no cost to youth. All incoming freshmen and returning high school youth are invited for fun and laser blasting!

**Ring Making
June 21 & 24
6-8pm
Youth Room**

For all youth and parents interested, we will be making rings with Fr. Richard. The rings will be made out of silver coins by using hammers and anvils. This will take two meetings to accomplish because of the time it takes to craft them. If interested in making rings, a sign up sheet is available in the Vestibule .

Trash for Cash

On June 26 from 7-11:30 am the SPX Youth Ministry will have a fundraising opportunity which will also help the Daviess County area. This opportunity is open for both middle & high school. Sign ups will be in the Vestibule.

**Holiday World & Splashin' Safari
Wednesday, June 30 8am-8pm**

Cost \$15 a person (doesn't cover food).

Do you want to take a fun trip this summer? Then what better place then Holiday World and Splashin' Safari. In order to attend tickets must be reserved ahead of time.

Deadline to reserve tickets is Monday, June 21 with payment turned in by 4p.m. This event is open to both middle and high school youth. Chaperones are always needed and tickets will be paid for.

**For information on Youth Ministry events contact
Matthew Hunt 270 684-4745 ext 206**

"Don't let anyone think less of you because you are young. Be an example to all believers by what you say and do, in the way you live, in your love, your faith, and

Musicians Schedule-June 26 & 27

5:00pm Mary Lou & Vacation Bible
8:00am Paula, Rosemary, Phyllis & Sarah
11:00am Susan, Margie & Tracie

Vocation Crucifix-June 26 & 27

5:00pm Dennis & Joyce Payne
8:00am Danny & Sandy Morris
11:00am Brenda Thomas

God's Housekeepers - June 21-26

Martha & Wayne Carrico, Tim & Betty Bowen, Steve & Sharon Clark, Betty Whitehouse

SCRIP Schedule—June 26 & 27

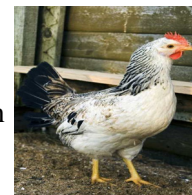
5:00pm Brandon & Tammy Millay
Don & Linda Johnson
8:00am John & Carolyn McCarty
Joseph & Jane Brand
11:00am Sherry Nash
Beth & John Clements

Vacation Bible School News:

Vacation Bible School begins Monday, June 21 through Friday, June 25 from 9am until 12noon.

Pilgrims of Hope Fundraiser

Pilgrims of Hope will conduct a Chicken Dinner fundraiser on Sunday, July 25, from 11 am-1 pm, in the Parish Hall at St. Ann's Parish in Morganfield. Pilgrims of Hope will use these funds on their trip to Mandeville, Jamaica, -- September 19-25 - to purchase chickens and build chicken coops for the poor. Tickets are \$8 and available at the door. Please come and support this effort to assist the poor of Jamaica.



The office will be closed July 5 in observance of the July 4 holiday.



Happy Fathers Day!

Mass Intentions - June 21-27

21-Mon.	8am	Mary T. Coy
22-Tue.	8am	Gladys Higgins
23-Wed.	6pm	Tony Wheatley
24-Thur	8am	Pat Burns
25-Fri	8am	Margie Sloan
26-Sat	5pm	Tony Mayfield
27-Sun	8am	Estella Ubelhor
	11am	Parish Family
	8pm	Bill Brown



A Summer Tea

All ladies young and old are invited to bring a friend and join us for a summer tea on Sunday, JULY 11, 2010 at 3:30 pm in the Parish Center. Food and entertainment will be provided and a silent auction will be held. Tickets are only \$10.00 per person. Please reserve your spot by Friday, June 25th. Tickets available after masses or by calling Mary Jo at 281-4771 or Alicia at 688-8324. Come join the fun. We look forward to seeing you there! The proceeds will be split between the Youth Group and Capital Campaign.

Attention Ladies:

All ladies who will be hostesses please attend a follow up **meeting on June 24th 5:30 pm.** Meeting will be held in the parish center (room next to kitchen). This is the final meeting before set-up on July 10th.

Dear St. Pius X Parish Family

Thank You so much for the donations from Baby Bottles! Your support and prayers allow us to fight for "Life"! **2010 Total: \$493.12.** God Bless, Birthright

Shower for Sarah Warren and Lorhn Frazier on June 27 at 3pm in the Vestibule. Parishioners Welcome!

Events for the Week

- * Vacation Bible School-June 21-25
- * St. Vincent de Paul meeting-June 24, 5:30pm

Grief Camp for Kids-Age 6-16

Grief Camp for Kids @ Mount St. Joseph Retreat Center on Saturday, July 24. To register call Pastoral Center Family Life Office or register on line www.rcdok.org

Tithing's-June 13, 2010

Goal	Actual
13,360.00	11,105.42

Children's Coll.....
Parish Relief.....35.00

Stewardship ~ April 2010

Total Income.....67,327.95
Total Expenses...83,701.55
Difference.....(16,373.60)
YTD Income.....635,113.78
YTD Expenses....643,435.93
Difference.....(8,322.15)

Capital Campaign-June 13, 2010

Goal	Actual
3,000.00	1,513.00

Capital Campaign ~ April 2010

Total Income.....5,520.83
Total Expenses.....9,544.07
Difference..... (4,023.24)
YTD Income.....115,238.63
YTD Expenses.....102,526.47
Difference.....12,712.16
New Balance as of 4/30/2010.....433,094.15

Daycare

Total Income.....42,801.60
Total Expenses.....44,677.40
Difference.....(1,875.80)
YTD Income.....374,263.08
YTD Expense.....357,677.59
Difference.....16,585.49

Stewardship: Jesus ask his disciples, "Who do the crowds say that I am?" They respond with several names or possibilities. Then Jesus ask, "But who do you say that I am?" Now the question is personal. To answer they must reveal what is in their heart and head. Their answer will tell Jesus how they feel about him. Peter says: "You are the Christ of God." That took great faith and courage. The implications were enormous; Jesus waste no time in bluntly telling them that the "Christ of God" was going to suffer; be rejected by the authorities; killed and rise on the third day." Jesus leaves nothing to the imagination. Then he adds what his closest friends were most afraid to hear: "If anyone wishes to come after me, he must deny himself, take up his cross daily and follow me." We may be relieved that we were not present with Jesus two thousand years ago. But Jesus is present with us today - in the Eucharist; in his Church. He ask each of us, "Who do you say that I am?" How do we answer him? Are we willing to accept the consequences?

**Praying Hands Prayer Chain-Call 929-4914,
281-4729 or 686-8098, dgfas@earthlink.net**

Becky Howard, Louise Miles, Richard Horn, Charles Aud, Chann Harris, Pat Yeckering, Christina Downing, Linda McKinney, Donna Powers, James Martin, Billy Brackett, Mandy Lloyd, Johnnie Dunbar, Robin Spinks, Kenneth Wright, Susan Sweat, Barbara Alvey, Cody Cox, Mike Murphy, Tony Hamilton, Debra Morse, Billie Quisinberry, Louise McDaniels, Dale Greenwell, Wendy Phelps, Laura Donahue, Aline Garrett, Pam Kehr, Mary Collins, Ann & James Wood, Roger Warren, Barbara Stites, Terrence Miller, Morgan Young, Lukas Hall, Robert Massie, Robert Newton, Nancy Bickett, David Baker, Scott Carter, Sharon Clary, Marsha Bradley, Edward Dowdy, Marvin Morris, Brigit Jones, Brian King, Carol & Gerald Head, Glenn Grigsley, James Cummins, Ethel Larossa, Anna Clements, Becky Smith, Sue Willet, Kim Burcham, Deanna Wright, Tracy Blair, Norbert Smith, Jr., Larry Elliott, Paul Smith, Jo Ann Kimmel, Jane Smith, Dicki Conkright, Eleanor Richey, Theresa Wilkerson, Mary Hoover, Larry & Martha Stites, Preston Chappell, Dylan Evans, Jason Chambers, Lori Stanley, Eugenia Shultz, Easton Pedley, Christine Mulligan, Ray Riley, Mike Marsh, Jerry Clark, Anthony Clark, Bernice Bertke, James Barnett, Emily Storm, Harlan Best, Carol Atwell, Tom Franey, Deborah Watts, Joseph Roach, Mary Jo Jones, Kristi Rehrauer, Pamala Chapman, Sharri Browning, David Leach, Todd Melton, Helen McCarty, Kathleen Kirk, Amy Cox, Barbara Carrico, Vicki Troutman, Joe McCrystal, Brooklyn Kessenger, Christina Booth, Tara Phelps, David Vanover, Rhonda Williams, Tim & Zoila Davis, Jan Mulligan, Kathleen Wettstain, Erika Vandiver, Ron Thomas, Neil Devine, Lisa Russellburg, Judy Byrer, Earl Cecil, Shane Isbill, Megan Boarman, Charles Mayfield, Margaret Fischer, Joe Raley, Mary Ellen Clark, Morgan Nave, Sue Leeper, Nichole Gowen, Terra Stone, Melissa Manning, Wesley Cook, J.C. & Jeanette Mayfield, Linda Jackson, Jonathan Boarman, Larry Murphy, Jayden Hamilton, Mike Aud, Jennifer McDaniel, Gary Noel, Martha Froehlich, Crysta Morris, Gail Harrison, Mary Jo Smith.

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**Military Prayer List:** 1 SG. David Bernosky, Ft. Dix, New Jersey, L/CPL Jimmy Wolter, Afghanistan, Airman David M. Smith, T. Sgt. Kevin Payne, SGT John R. Zaremba, LTC Jason Jones, Sgt. Robert Timothy Wells-Afghanistan, Airman Kaleb Hedden—Iraq, SFC Erick Weber-Iraq, Third Tour, Daniel Scott, Fort Huachuca, Arizona, Brian A McDaniel, Marine Corp, Ben Hedges, US Army, Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

**Thank You**

The family of Mary T. Coy would like to thank St. Pius X Parish Family for all the prayers, cards, visits and concern during her illness & death. Special Thanks to Frs. Richard & Titus. Thanks to the Choir and for the delicious meal after the funeral.

**June 26 5:00pm**

**Euch.** Carol Schlachter/B-1, Steve Clark/C-1, Father/B-2, Stacey Freels/C-2, Jim Fleischmann/B-3, Keith Franey/C-3, Kathy Clary/B-4, Laura Naviaux/C-4, Wilsie Ward/Bal-B, Larry Freels/Bal-C

**Gifts** Gerald & Janice Masterson

**Lectors** Karen Wells, Steve Hollman

**Greeters** Beverly Aud/D-1, Tammy Millay/D-2, Tom & Libby Johnson/D-3 & 4

**Servers** Emily Storm, Brian Storm

**Ushers** Steve Hollman, Tom Fogle  
Randy Blincoe, Jeff Fulkerson

**June 27 8:00am**

**Euch.** Linda Calhoun/Capt.B-1, Ed Calhoun /C-1, Father/B-2, Carol Payne/C-2, David Fleischmann/B-3, Charlotte Hedges/C-3, Charlie Moore/B-4, Robert Johnson /C-4, Paula Annin/Bal-B, Cathy Foster/Bal-C

**Gifts** Gary & Joanne Warren

**Lectors** Ed & Linda Calhoun

**Greeters** Dan & Barbara Durbin/D-1 & 2  
Steve & Michelle Mattingly/D-3 & 4,

**Servers** Nathan Mills, David Hayden

**Ushers** Danny Morris, Joe Rhinerson  
Jerry Wells, David Goetz

**June 27 11:00am**

**Euch** Kathy Edge/Capt.B-1, Taylor Edge/C-1, Father/B-2, Rob Edge/C-2, Shirley Millay/B-3, Gary Estes/C-3, Karen Payne/B-4, Michelle Jones/C-4, Joe Bachmeier/Bal-B, Colleen Bachmeier/Bal-C

**Gifts** Chris & Pam Howard

**Lectors** Rob Edge, Wayne Zoglmann

**Greeters** Jeff & Michelle Jones Fam/D-1 & 2,  
Becky Krampe/D-3,  
Becky & Morgan McCubbins/D-4

**Servers** Colton, Kelby & Kennedy Roberts

**Ushers** Wayne Zoglmann, David Zoglmann  
Joe Knott, Dale Murphy

**Thanks To All Liturgical Ministers**

**June 20 through June 27, 2010**

**Sunday:** Zec 12:10-11;13:1; Ps 63:2-6,8-9;  
Gal 3:26-29 ; Lk 9:18-24

**Monday:** 2 Kgs 17:5-8,13-15a,18; Ps 60:3-5,12-13;  
Mt 7:1-5

**Tuesday:** 2 Kgs 19:9b-11,14-21,31-35a,36;  
Ps 48:2-4,10-11; Mt 7:6,12-14

**Wednesday:** 2 Kgs 22:8-13;23:1-3; Ps 119:33-37,40;  
Mt 7:15-20

**Thursday:** Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1b-3,13-15;  
Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66,80

Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12; Ps 137:1-6; Mt 8:1-4

Saturday: Lam 2:2,10-14,18-19; Ps 74:1b-7,20-21;  
Mt 8:5-17

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:16b,19-21; Ps 16:1-2,5,7-11;  
Gal 5:1,13-18; Lk 9:51-62

**Stress in Your Marriage?** – Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even how to communicate this with their spouse. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the August program beginning with a weekend on Aug 13-15 call 270-683-1545 ext. 357 or email: [sherryvincent@insightbb.com](mailto:sherryvincent@insightbb.com) or visit the web site at [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org).

**The 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual St. Pius X Picnic**

God received many prayers of thanks and praise at our picnic with each gust of wind that cooled us regularly throughout the heat of the day. And what a grand day it was, however hot! The Picnic Committee and the many, many other parish volunteers worked together with humor, energy, sweat, and generosity to put on an excellent and enjoyable event. The expense of personal energy is immense on the part of those souls who organized the picnic and then made it happen. Those who walk onto the scene find an attractive, even beautiful, picnic park ready for summertime fun and great food. The trees even looked happy, dark green with leaves rustling in the frequent breezes and offering welcomed shade. The picnic is an expensive venture considered from any angle and would be more than disappointing should it fail to net a sizable income. The community formed, however, by the picnic committee, booth captains, cooks, quilters, craft makers, ticket sellers, bankers, and booth-staffing volunteers enjoys a closeness that goes a very long way to reward in itself all the hard work and worry invested in the event. The gratitude of the whole parish for the picnic is celebrated for days afterward and makes for fine memories. As an annual event, the picnic is part of the very structure of this parish's history. Each year it all culminates with a sweaty assembly dressed mostly in red celebrating the Picnic Mass with deep joy and fatigue. There is always the take down/put away to follow later, but that's in the comforting sense of a job well done. Thanks be to God for such generous and faithful, fun-loving people. Fr. Richard