



May the true joy of Christmas Day resonate within each of us as we welcome Christ and welcome each other. May abundant blessings be yours.

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### CHRISTMAS PRAYER

Loving Father, help us to remember the birth of Jesus, that we may share in the song of the angels, the gladness of the shepherds, and the worship of the wise men.



Close the door of hate and open the door of love all over the world. Let kindness come with every gift, and good desires with every greeting. Deliver us from evil by the blessing which Christ brings, and teach us to be merry with clear hearts. May the Christmas morning make us happy to be Thy children, and the Christmas evening bring us to our beds with grateful thoughts, forgiving and forgiven, for Jesus' sake. Amen! Robert Louis Stevenson

### *Come Join Us*

**St. Pius X Woman's Club Annual Luncheon & Fashion Show** will be held at the Coral Ridge Yacht Club on **Wednesday, January 25, 2006.**

We invite everyone to Come Join Us. A three-course luncheon will be served, followed by a Fashion Show (Fashions presented by Boca Stores). The cost is \$35.00 per person. Cocktails – cash bar at 11:00AM. Lunch will be served at noon. Fashion Show at 1:00PM. Mark the date. Send in your reservation as soon as possible to Mrs. Brenda Knight, 2300 NE 33 Avenue, #803, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33305.

FREE valet parking

This affair is the Woman's Club biggest fund-raiser -- which helps us to continue all our charitable work and support our parish during the year.

### CHRISTMAS OFFERING

The Christmas collection at St. Pius X is the largest collection of the year. We depend on it greatly to take care of the works of charity that we carry out in your name through the year, not to mention the administrative costs of operating a parish and supporting its programs. We do thank you for your generosity to St. Pius X in the past and for your continued generosity in the future.

### BINGO \*..... BINGO \*..... BINGO \*

BINGO at St. Pius X will start on Thursday, January 19, 2006 at 7:00PM with early bird games at 6:30PM. We invite all parishioners and friends to attend the "FREE" BINGO on January 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM in the parish hall.

We are in need of volunteers. A sign-up board is located at the south door of the church. Come and enjoy fellowship and help raise funds for the remodeling of our church in preparation for our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. If you are willing to volunteer as a regular or substitute worker, please call Leo Senesi at 954: 561-4849, cell 954:632-2226, or Joe Scerbo at 954:563-3735, cel 954:401-6428. This is a great opportunity to put your time and talent to work while building treasure for our church - and that is STEWARDSHIP!

### BRICK GARDEN

If you have not ordered your brick or bricks, please think about doing so now.

We would like phase three to be as successful as phase one & phase two and we need your order. Simply take an order form from the tables at the doors of the church or visit our website at.....  
<http://www.saintpiusthetenth.org> for pictures, updates & news regarding our parish activities.

For further information:

Call Barbara Scerbo, Garden Chairman, at 954: 563-3735 or Cell, 954: 610-5641

E-mail: [BSCERBO1935@AOL.COM](mailto:BSCERBO1935@AOL.COM)

The beautification memorials are as follows:

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| Platinum..... | \$1,000.00 | Gold.....   | \$ 750.00   |
| Silver.....   | \$ 500.00  | Bronze..... | \$...250.00 |

**Woman's Club Board Meeting**

St. Pius X Woman's Club Board Meeting....  
December 26, at 9:30AM in the Parish Hall.

**Woman's Club General Membership Meeting**

January 9<sup>th</sup> at 10:00AM

Program: Victor DiBranchi, Jr. Attorney at Law,  
will update us on changes in the law regarding  
wills & trusts. Parish invited to attend.



For the celebration of the Birth of Our Lord, the Christmas floral display in our sanctuary is in memory of our departed loved ones and friends. Envelopes for this offering can be found at the church entrances.

*The Sanctuary Lamp* signals the Eucharistic presence of the Lord Jesus in the tabernacle and burns continuously for 7 days. You may have the sanctuary lamp memorialized for either a sick person, a deceased loved one, or a special intention for a weekly donation of \$10.00. Please call the parish office to reserve a specific date.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for the intentions of the **Hibbs Family**.

*Prayer Requests for the sick...*

Deacon George Sutcavage, Jenee Dwyer, Norma Scheinler. Helen Quinlan, Roberta Insel, Robert Wilhelm, Edward Schneider, Kenny Suppa, Georgia Smith, Tori Taravella, Fr. Tomas Lavelle, Lina DiCicco, Ann DeMaio, and Lisa Holder.

**a time to die.** Gisela Metz, Norma Scheinler, Lily Collins, and Jamesy Kissane.



- SATURDAY – DECEMBER 24th**  
4:00PM **Valko & Rossi Families**  
5:30PM **John A. Reilly**  
MIDNIGHT **For Our Parish Community**
- SUNDAY – DECEMBER 25th**  
8:00AM **Valas Family**  
9:30AM **Margaret DeMaio**  
11:00AM **Dorothy Gill**  
12:30PM **Mary & Sal Bentivegna**
- MONDAY – DECEMBER 26th**  
8:00AM **Col. Fred & Eris Ehardt**  
9:00AM **Doris Campbell**
- TUESDAY – DECEMBER 27th**  
8:00AM **Bill Wright**  
9:00AM **Minnie Lahn**
- WEDNESDAY – DECEMBER 28th**  
8:00AM **Marian & Edward Stitzell**  
9:00AM **Mary Gillan**
- THURSDAY – DECEMBER 29th**  
8:00AM **Gertrude McArdle**  
9:00AM **Chris McDonald**
- FRIDAY – DECEMBER 30th**  
8:00AM **Mary Gillan**  
9:00AM **Chris McDonald**
- SATURDAY – DECEMBER 31st**  
8:00AM **For Our Parish Community**  
9:00AM **Janet Terry**

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The Priests, Deacon and Staff of St. Pius X Church wish you a very Blessed and Merry Christmas.

**Please Note:** The Rectory Office will be closed on Monday, December 26<sup>th</sup>.



**ST. PIUS X CHURCH**

Church Location: 2511 N. Ocean Blvd. (A1A)  
Mailing Address: 2500 N.E. 33 Avenue  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33305  
(954) 564-1763

**SUNDAY MASSES**

Saturday Vigil – 4:00 & 5:30PM  
Sunday – 8:00, 9:30, 11:00AM. & 12:30PM

**CONFESSIONS**

Saturday – 2:30 to 3:30PM

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday – Saturday 8:00 & 9:00AM

**Parish Clergy**

Rev. Patrick C. Slevin, Pastor  
Rev. Harry Ringenberger, Associate Pastor  
Rev. Mr. George Sutcavage, Deacon