



# ST. PIUS X & ST. LEONARD PARISH



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**St. Pius X (SPX)  
and  
St. Leonard (STL)  
Campuses**

## FIRST SUNDAY OF

—  
**Sunday Mass  
Schedule**

**English**

Saturday Vigil

4:00 pm SPX

4:00 pm STL

Sunday

8:00 am SPX

8:00 am STL

10:00 am STL

10:30 am SPX

**Español**

1:30 pm STL

7:00 pm STL

# Advent



**NOVEMBER 27, 2022**

“You also must be prepared,  
for at an hour you do not expect,  
the Son of Man will come.”

MATTHEW 24:44

—  
**Daily Masses**

M 8:00 am SPX

5:15 pm STL

T 8:00 am SPX

5:15 pm STL

W 5:15 pm STL

H 8:00 am SPX

5:15 pm STL

7:00 pm STL (Esp)

F 8:00 am SPX

5:15 pm STL

S 8:00 am STL

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**Reconciliation**

Friday

6:00 pm-8:00 pm STL

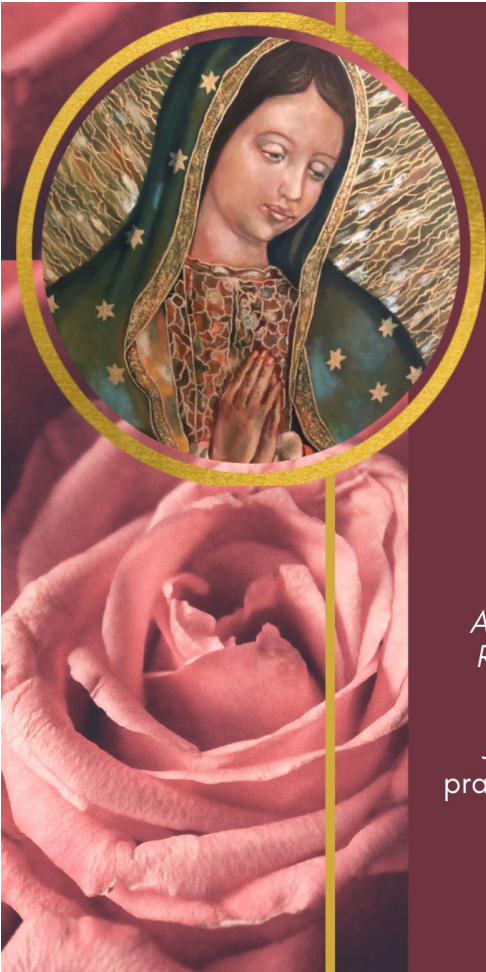
Saturday

8:30 am-10:00 am STL

3:15 pm-3:45 pm SPX

or by

appointment/o por cita



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# Novenario

a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

NEVER UNDERESTIMATE THE POWER OF PRAYER . . .

# Novena

to Our Lady of Guadalupe

**December** | 7:00pm – 8:30pm  
3 – 11 | nightly

*Acompáñenos cada noche para un tema Mariano y enseguida el Rosario. El novenario iniciará en la Iglesia de San Pio X luego se llevará a cabo 3 dias en cada Iglesia.*

Join us each night for a beautiful Marian Reflection talk and the praying of the Rosary The novena will begin at the St. Pius X Campus then will be held 3 nights in each Church.

**Location:**

St. Leonard Campus: December 4, 5, 6 & 10,11,12  
St. Pius X Campus : December 3, 7, 8, 9



## Christmas Sharing Tree

This year you have an opportunity to participate in the Catholic Charities' annual Season of Giving toy drive and our parish "Giving Tree," which will fulfill gift requests from local families that are in need this holiday season.

Tags for the local area family requests will resemble colorful paper ornaments; tags for the Catholic Charities' toy collection will be on white paper loops, and all of the tags will be available soon, hanging on a Christmas tree at a church near you!

To participate, just select a tag, purchase the requested gift, attach the tag to the gift and place your gift in the donation box at either Church.



NEW & UNWRAPPED TOYS



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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4 THE  
FINAL DAY FOR DONATIONS FOR  
CATHOLIC CHARITIES



MONDAY, DECEMBER 12TH  
FINAL DAY FOR THE "GIVING  
TREE" DONATIONS WILL BE

*Este año tiene la oportunidad de participar en la campaña anual de juguetes Season of Giving de Caridades Católicas y en nuestra parroquia "Giving Tree", que cumplirá con las solicitudes de regalos de las familias locales que lo necesitan en esta temporada navideña. Para participar, sólo tiene que seleccionar una etiqueta, comprar el regalo solicitado, adjuntar la etiqueta al regalo y colocar su regalo en la caja de donación en cualquiera de las Iglesias.*



## Advent Day of Service: Mission of Our Lady of the Angels

Every first Saturday of the month, the Mission of Our Lady of the Angels hosts a Mobile Food Pantry. They need our help to provide food, clothing, and household goods to about 250 families. The pantry is located outside, in the parking lot.

Please dress for the weather.

**Date:** Saturday, December 3,  
8 am – 12 noon

(meet at Kelly Hall/YMCA, 824 N. Hamlin, Chicago). If you have any questions, call Julie in the parish office at 708-484-0015 x. 105



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Cada primer sábado del mes, la Misión de Nuestra Señora de los Ángeles organiza una despensa móvil de alimentos. Ellos necesitan nuestra ayuda para distribuir ropa y artículos para el hogar a unas 250 familias. La despensa se encuentra afuera, por el estacionamiento. Favor de vestir adecuadamente según el tiempo.

**Fecha:** El Sábado, 3 de diciembre, de 8 am a 12 del mediodía (nos reuniremos en el Kelly Hall/ YMCA, 824 N. Hamlin, Chicago).

Si tiene alguna pregunta, llame a Julie en la oficina parroquial al 708-484-0015 x. 105



## THE SOLEMNITY OF THE *Immaculate Conception*

- December 8, 2022 -

*Join us as we celebrate  
Mary our Mother!*

St. Pius X Campus  
8 am & 7:00 pm Mass  
St. Leonard Campus  
5:15 PM Mass

*¡Únete a nosotros  
mientras celebramos a  
María nuestra Madre!*



## LECTOR TRAINING

### Entrenamiento de Lectores

#### Entrenamiento en Español

Acompáñenos **29 y 30 de noviembre** en la Iglesia de San Pío X a las **6pm** si desea ser parte de este maravilloso ministerio!

#### Lector Training

Join on us **December 13th and 15th** at **6pm** in St. Pius X Church if you would like to be part of this wonderful ministry!

*"Lovers of the Word, Breathing Life into  
Scripture"*



Sponsor Forms are at the back of St. Church and Online!

# Sponsor A Child

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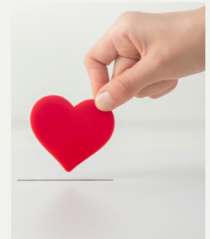
The word Oplatki means "Angel Bread." Czech, Polish, Slovak and Lithuanian families observe this centuries old Christmas Tradition. A wafer is given to each present at the Christmas table. The breaking of the wafer is a sign of charity, unity, and friendship. A Wafer bearing a simple design commemorative of Christ's birth is broken by the head of the family and distributed to each member. With a simple prayer for God's grace and the welfare of all present and absent members of the family, a piece of wafer is given to each one at the table. While doing so each member of the family is kissed and is wished a joyful feast. The other family members then greet one another in the same way. The spiritual lesson in this age old custom is unity of the family-the main pillar of society. The head of the family is the link in the unbroken chain of One Body, One Christ, and One Church. Christmas wafers will be available to purchase next weekend! Start the Oplatki Family Tradition this Season!



# Sunday

OFFERING

November 13, 2022



### St. Pius X Campus

Sunday Envelopes:.....	\$1,758.00
Sunday Loose:.....	\$227.00
Sunday Electronic:.....	\$TBD
August Project.....	\$0.00
Other.....	\$3,026.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$5,011.00</b>

### St. Leonard Campus

Sunday Envelopes:.....	\$6,868.26
Sunday Loose:.....	\$2,712.36
Sunday Electronic:.....	\$TBD
Other:.....	\$8,808.07
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$18,388.69</b>



ST. LEONARD SCHOOL INVITES YOU TO  
OUR 3RD ANNUAL:

# SILENT AUCTION & TRIVIA NIGHT

FRIDAY | DECEMBER 9TH

DOORS OPEN: 6:30PM

BIDDING ENDS: 8:00PM

TRIVIA STARTS: 8:00PM

EARLY REG: \$40 PER PERSON BY NOV 18TH  
FEE AFTER NOV 18TH: \$45 PER PERSON  
AT THE DOOR: \$55 PER PERSON

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SCAN CODE TO REGISTER:

Entrance fee includes: food, trivia,  
non-alcoholic drinks



# Core Uganda' Bill O'Connell Tribute Fundraiser

We are beyond speechless for the funds raised for the Bill O'Connell Tribute Fundraiser! The support was beyond special and everyone felt like family.

Here are numbers..

I gave Fr. Alex in cash and checks from the event \$16,200 to deposit!

There was \$4k in Go Fund Me during the tribute event time frame as we received an anonymous \$2k donation the Monday after the event.

We are expecting over \$2k in a Paypal check (it only cost us \$50 to use PayPal for credit cards).

Billy's cousin, Sean, gave Fr. Alex the check for \$2,500 for the match donation to sponsor a classroom. We raised \$5k for the matching to sponsor a classroom in less than 30 minutes!

I went over my estimated budget (Sorry) we spent \$3,491 instead of \$3k....(Includes 4 beer runs) and we paid all that off with money we raised from mainly food and drink sales. Costs were for food, beer, pop, water, tent rental, DJ/Sound and the band.

Prelim....we raised \$28k, spent \$3.5k and have raised over \$24k from the Tribute in one night!! Father Alex received more checks the week after the event. So I am only giving preliminary numbers until we receive the PayPal check and the bank statement. We feel so very blessed to send this money to Uganda.

Last week we had a meeting with the construction team and this \$25k will be used to build 3 classrooms!!

None of this could have been done without the support and hard work of our volunteers! There are too many to list, but we are grateful. Our volunteers started the first shift and stay all night!

God is Good!

I was told by Billy's brother that the date of Billy's first anniversary was more of a celebration of his life as the Tribute gave the family a sense of healing

- Blessings to you all, Annette Bennett and the CORE Uganda team

*Photo: Billy's children with the plaque for his school. Credit: Joey Lugay*



*Photo: Father Alex with Billy's parents, Tim and Rosemary O'Connell*







Paul Sacharczyk  
 Michael Lick  
 Josephine Ogiela  
 Blake Kraft  
 Marian DeFilippis  
 Lena Ramaglia  
 Baby Benjamin Tabor  
 Margaret Failla  
 Christine Rontos  
 Pauline Lindo  
 Len Hammond  
 Sara Soto  
 Matt Dvorak  
 Leticia Castillo  
 Darlene Krause  
 Katherine Spicer  
 Linda Kucera  
 Vito Martinkus  
 Bridget McAdams  
 Lourdes Jimenez  
 Wayne Piest  
 Glenn & Marianne  
 Kubat  
 Penelope Quin Burnes  
 Karen Downey  
 Joe Chmura

Fr. Tony Markus  
 Heather Stahulak  
 Gino Catania  
 Kathy Fanelli  
 Patrick Ridyard  
 Mary Ann Spelina  
 Ron Czerwinski  
 Gregory Martinkus  
 Ashley Bieda  
 Gabriel Meier  
 Joseph Tumpich  
 Jesse Ramos  
 Rosie Fanelli  
 John Gacek  
 Shannon Radze  
 Dr. Mark Ahearn  
 Peg Kocar  
 Sara Galiano  
 Gail Drankie  
 Betty & Dennis Te-  
 tens  
 Marian Bozovsky  
 Cyndie Pergram  
 Rita Loza  
 Keith Arndt  
 Alice Iwinski

# Eucharistic Adoration

**ST. PIUS X**  
 -First Friday of the month  
*primer viernes del mes*  
 8:30 am - 9:30 am

**ST. LEONARD**  
 -Every Friday of the month  
*todos viernes del mes*  
 6:30 am - 8:00 pm

Come and rest with Jesus...  
*Ven y descansa con Jesús*

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# BINGO NIGHT

ST. PIUS CAMPUS HALL

EVERY SATURDAY

DOORS OPEN AT:  
 3:45 P.M.  
 GAME BEGIN AT:  
 5:30 P.M.

JOIN US FOR FUN AND GAMES OF CHANCE.

## Bulletin Deadlines / Plazo del Boletín

Bulletin Date  
 November 27  
 December 18  
 December 25  
 January 1

Bulletin Due  
 Friday, November 18th  
 Friday, December 9th  
 Thursday, December 15th  
 Thursday, December 22nd

Please send the articles that you will like to be in the bulletin at a suitable time. Thank you!  
*Por favor, envíe los artículos que le gustaría estar en el boletín en un momento adecuado. Gracias!*





**St. Leonard Campus**  
*Campus de San Leonardo*

**Sunday, November 27, First Sunday of Advent**

8:00 am †Paul Cervantes  
 †Richard Bartosz  
 Mila Deddros and Malita Deddros  
 10:00 am †Joseph Maietta  
 Margarita Cerda  
 †Zosimo Austria  
 1:30 pm Isabella Emma Perez  
 7:00 pm †Eva Lopez

**Monday, November 28**

5:15 pm †Tony Lima

**Tuesday, November 29**

5:15 pm †Joseph and Georgiana Binder

**Wednesday, November 30**

5:15 pm †Lana Heitmann  
 †Lottie, Bill, and Paul Vergulak

**Thursday, December 1**

9:00 am †Joseph and Georgiana Binder

**Friday, December 2**

5:15 pm The Need & Intentions of the Iskali  
 Community  
 †Phillip Sakowski

**Saturday, December 3**

8:00 am †Joseph and Georgiana Binder

4:00 pm †George Wrobel  
 †Pauline Fortuna  
 †James & Alice Zeman  
 †George Cebelinski

**Sunday, December 4**

8:00 am Sharon Scornavacco  
 †Richard Bartosz  
 Mila Deddros and Malita Deddros  
 10:00 am Iglinski, Saenz, Guleiva & Tomanio  
 Families  
 †Joseph and Georgiana Binder  
 †Zosimo Austria  
 1:30 pm Bryan Beltran  
 7:00 pm



**St. Pius X Campus**  
*Campus de San Pio X*

**Sunday, November 27, First Sunday of Advent**

8:00am †Phillip Schmidt  
 †Simeon Alonso  
 †Peter Escoto  
 †Virgie Madrona  
 10:30am †Jackie Redhead Arnold  
 †Terry Salvino  
 †Miguel Pineda  
 Health for Marilyn Catalanello  
 Health of mind, body & spirit Ron Czerwinski

**Monday, November 28**

8:00am †Charles Francis Redhead  
 †Valdemar Gomez  
 Health of mind, body & spirit for Ron Czerwinski

**Tuesday, November 29**

8:00am †Shirley May Redhead  
 Poor Souls  
 †Romeo Lapak  
 Health of mind, body & spirit for Ron Czerwinski

**Wednesday, November 30 — No Mass**

**Thursday, December 1**

9:00am †Patricia Stasik  
 †Mabel Esquibel  
 Health of mind, body & spirit for Ron Czerwinski

**Friday, December 2**

**Benediction, confession adoration 8:30am -9:30am**

8:00am †Kathy Smeltzer  
 †Mabel Esquibel  
 Health of mind, body & spirit for Ron Czerwinski

**Saturday, December 3**

4:00pm †Errol George Lindo  
 Health of mind, body & spirit for Ron Czerwinski

**Sunday, December 4,**

8:00am †Stanislaw & Zuzanna Oraczewski  
 †Edgar Huezo  
 10:30am †Betty Smith  
 Health of mind, body & spirit Ron Czerwinski



Our Flag now flying is in honor of:  
**Staff Sgt. Charles Babinec,**  
**PFC Joseph Mikel & WWII Vets**

*With compassion, we pray for the repose of the soul of:*

*Phyllis Zeleny, Neftali Rodriguez, William Trinko*



**St. Pius X Campus****Office Hours/Horas de oficina****Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday**

9:00am - 1:00pm

**St. Leonard Campus****Office Hours/Horas de oficina****Monday-Friday**

9:00am - 7:30pm

\*Closed from 12:00pm-1:00pm

**Saturday**

8:00am - 12:00pm

**Sunday**

9:00am - 3:00pm

**Mass Intentions***Mass Intentions must be submitted 14 days prior to the requested date.***THANK YOU!***Por favor de agendar intenciones 14 días antes de la fecha que solicito.*

¡Gracias!

***Lector List for St. Pius X Campus /  
St. Leonard Church Campus*****St. Pius X Campus****Lectors for December 3th & 4th**

Saturday, 4:00 pm: Karen Piest

Sunday, 8:00 am: Patti Trotsky

Sunday 10:30 am: Maria Mendez

**St. Leonard Campus****Lectors for December 3th & 4th**

Saturday, 4:00 pm: Olivia Verduzco

Sunday, 8:00 am:

Sunday, 10:00 am: Steve Olavarria

Joe Soto

Domingo, 1:30 pm: Oracio de la Vega

Margarita Malagon

Domingo, 7:00 pm: Yahir Rocha

Jorge Rocha

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