

Saint Pius X Parish
740 West Walnut Street
Mt. Pleasant, PA 15666

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Dear Parishioners,

I am happy to present you with this year's Parish Annual Report titled "*thanks*GIVING for God's Blessings." I am so thankful for the blessings that the Lord has bestowed upon this faith community, and you will see many of those blessings in this publication.

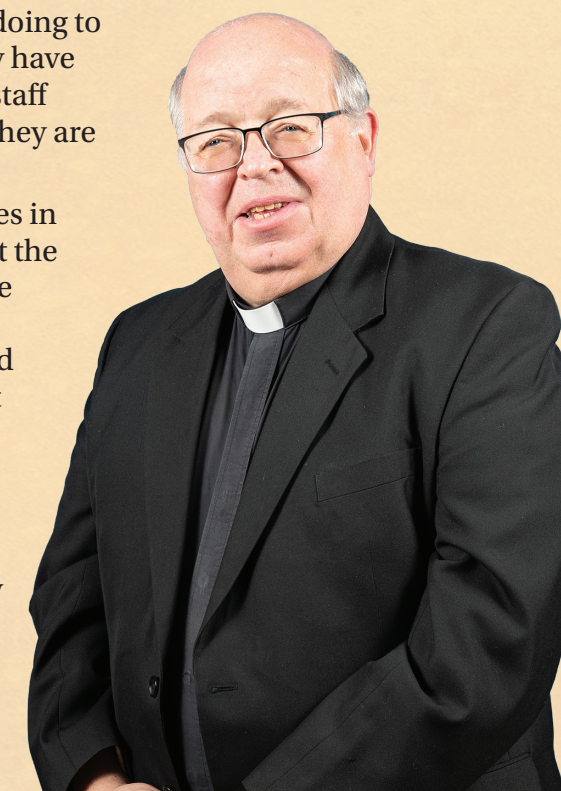
With gratitude to our volunteers, be sure to take a look at the many ways our parishioners are dedicating their time and talents to strengthening our faith community, like our homebound ministry that provides hope and spiritual healing. This report also includes a complete ministry listing that I pray will prompt you to get involved. Many others are feeling the call to service! In fact, we had many new volunteers for our parish fish fry and festival this year; the weather and the attendance were spectacular, and the events raised more than \$80,000!

With gratitude to our parish staff, take notice of the work they have been doing to light a fire for Christ in the hearts and minds of our parishioners. You may have heard that a National Eucharistic Revival is underway, which means our staff members are part of a grassroots effort to share the gift of the Eucharist. They are helping to build the foundation for the future of our Church!

With gratitude to each of you who attends Mass, offers prayers, participates in events and donates to the parish, take a look at the many ways you impact the culture and vitality of our parish. The next time you visit, I hope you notice the work underway. We have replaced two air-conditioning units in our church and an air conditioner at the parish rectory. We have relandscaped the corner of our parking lot and are preparing to improve our parking lot in front of our school building.

Living a life rooted in gratitude requires us to express our thanks. And so I ask you, with prayerful consideration to your current situation, to make a year-end gift to our parish to show your gratitude for the good work being done here. Or if you are able, perhaps you will increase your weekly or monthly offertory as a show of thanks for the blessings God has bestowed upon you.

Yours in Christ,
Father Paul A. Lisik



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Giving QR Code

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Become an Intentional Disciple

Enter into a deeper relationship with Christ and your brothers and sisters of the parish by attending one of these upcoming events:

- **November 5 – Christian Mothers Bingo**
- **November 12 – Omelet Breakfast**
- **December 11 – Holy Name Society Night of Reflection, 6:30 PM**
- **December 15 – “KNOW HIM: Saint Nicholas the Gift Giver and the Gift of the Eucharist,” 10 AM and 2 PM, Christ Our Shepherd Center, Greensburg**
- **December 16 – Breakfast with Saint Nicholas, 9:30 AM, Christ Our Shepherd Center, Greensburg**
- **December 16 – Christmas Night Market 2023, 3-8 PM, Christ Our Shepherd Center, Greensburg**



Our Parish by the Numbers:



Registered Households

2023: 745
2022: 745
2021: 752

Current Single Member Households

258



Baptisms

2023: 14
2022: 11
2021: 6

Weddings

2023: 1
2022: 3
2021: 1



Funerals

2023: 36
2022: 33
2021: 24

New to Our Parish

We welcome over the past year Joy Wallace, our new Facilities and Business Manager, and Erin Knizner, our new Administrative Assistant. Both Joy and Erin are welcome additions to our parish staff. Their vitality, knowledge and faith are important to our daily functions as a parish family. We are in the process of searching for a Director of Religious Education and a Pastoral Associate.

I would be remiss if I did not thank Linda Amdy, who served our parish as Secretary for 20 years and retired August 31. The dedication of our parish staff members past and present allows us to continue to build up God’s kingdom in our community.



Giving With Gratitude

We are excited to showcase our new Giving QR Code. Please scan it to make a year-end gift or to increase your offertory.



BY MAIL:
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IN PERSON:
Monday – Friday
9:30 AM – 11:30 AM
12:30 PM – 3:00 PM



ONLINE:
mpcatholicchurches.org

Parish Financials

	2022-23	2021-22	2020-21
Offertory	\$ 373,597	\$ 354,157	\$ 335,165
Other Ordinary Income <i>(monthly collections, votive candles)</i>	44,852	18,790	12,432
Extraordinary Income <i>(bequests, donations, fundraising, interest, rental income)</i>	108,311	39,084	25,515
Diocesan Lenten Appeal Refund	6,847	3,652	1,218
Other Non-Assessable Income <i>(The Catholic Accent, sale of property, insurance reimbursements and PPP Loan)</i>	6,795	59,688	44,021
Special Collections	12,133	21,519	14,409
Total Income	\$ 552,535	\$ 496,890	\$ 432,760
Expenses			
Administration	\$ 100,435	\$ 124,943	\$ 105,054
Church	41,468	58,059	54,562
Rectory	3,184	2,390	(3,564)
Education and Ministry	61,199	76,446	61,810
General Expenses	200,332	223,028	188,953
Special Collections	12,148	22,070	14,120
Extraordinary Expenses	29,929	7,155	9,394
Total Expenditures	448,695	514,091	430,329
Net Operating Income (Loss)	\$ 103,840	\$ (17,201)	\$ 2,431

Our Ministries:

- Altar Server
- Faith Formation Leaders
- Youth Ministry
- Choir
- Cantor
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- Funeral Altar Servers
- Homebound Ministry
- Ushers
- Lectors
- Greeters
- Money Counters
- Kitchen Crew
- Baptism Prep
- Marriage Prep
- Sacramental Prep
- RCIA Team

Organizations:

- Christian Mothers
- Knights of Columbus
- Holy Name Society
- St. Vincent de Paul Society
- Lay Apostles

We really do need volunteers to support our parish, specifically servers, lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, ushers, greeters and catechists. Please call the parish office today at 724-547-1911 so we can walk you through the process of becoming a volunteer.

