July 16, 2017 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Ministry Schedule for July 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>* 

<u>Lectors</u> Sat. Janeen Torres Sun. Jared Smith

**Eucharistic Ministers** 

Sat. Nan Miller Patty Meierdierks Sun. Colleen Smith Guido Smith

<u>Ushers</u>

Sat. Bob Meierdierks TBA Sun. Jim McGann Patrick Trim

> Coffee Hostess for This Week: \*No Coffee Social This Weekend

<u>Coffee Hostess for Next Week:</u> \*No Social Next Week

## **Prayer Line**

If you would like prayers for any serious health or personal reason, you can call Patti at 259-5290 and she will activate the prayers of at least 20 others.

Daily Masses are celebrated at St. Pius on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 8:30 a.m. No daily Mass is celebrated on Thursday or Friday. Last Sunday's Collection \$2087

## **Mass Intentions for the Week**

Sat.— 5:00 p.m. \*SCAP--No Mass Intention Sun: 9:00 a.m. \*SCAP--No Mass Intention 12 Noon \*SCAP—No Mass Intention (Monticello) Mon.— \*No Mass Intention

Tues.—\*No Mass Intentions

Wed.—\*No Mass Intention

Thur.—No Mass Fri.— No Mass

Sat.—(7/22) Repose of Soul: Daniel Benedict Sun.—(7/23) Special Needs of the John Magill Family 12 Noon \*SCAP—No Mass

## Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday:\*No 8:30 a.m. MassTuesday:\*No 8:30 a.m. MassWednesday:\*No 8:30 a.m. MassThursday:No MassFriday:No Mass

Confessions: No Confessions will be heard this weekend. Saturday confessions will resume next Saturday at 4:15 to 4:45 p.m.

**Special Collection Next Weekend:** A special collection will be taken up next week to show solidarity with the developing Church in Africa. The money from this collection supports Catholic missionary work, the training of priests and religious sisters and the building of Catholic Churches on the African continent. The African Catholic Church is one of the fastest growing in the world and many African priests are now serving in diocese throughout the United States experiencing a critical clergy shortage. (The new pastor of St. Pius, Fr. Rowland, is one of those missionary priests from Nigeria who came to the United States to *help fill the critical shortage of priests.*) Envelopes for this collection are on the back tables and will be in the pews next weekend and anyone wishing to contribute to this collection can put their envelope in with the regular Sunday collection.

## Father Bill is Out of Town this Week:

Father Bill will be out of town this week until Tuesday evening. SCAP celebrations will be held this weekend and no daily Masses will be celebrated this week.. Daily Masses will resume on July 24<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m.

**SCAP Celebration This Weekend:** This weekend there will Sunday Celebration in the Absence of a Priest (SCAP) conducted by one of our trained lay ministers. This is

the Church approved liturgical service for a weekend if a priest is unavailable. **Pastoral Change:** The new pastoral administrator of St. Pius and St. Joseph Parishes, Father Rowland Nwokocha, will arrive in Moab after August 3<sup>rd</sup> and will be here to celebrate his first Masses in the Parishes on August 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>. Father Rowland is from Nigeria and is currently serving as a hospital chaplain for the University of Utah medical center in Salt Lake City. (*Father Bill Wheaton, who has been Pastor at St. Pius Church for eight years, will become Pastor of Holy Family Catholic Church in Ogden, UT.*)

**Catholic Lagoon Day:** The Annual Catholic Day, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus/Council 602, will be held at Lagoon Amusement Park in Farmington, UT (about 15 miles north of Salt Lake City) on Sunday, August 20. There will be a full day of activities offered beginning at 11:00 a.m. An outdoor Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon. There will be games, food and prizes. There is a discounted Single Day Passport available for participating Catholic for \$37.00 which permits entry to all rides and attractions. This is available at the ticket window by telling them you are there for Catholic Day.

**Farewell Sunday Social:** There will be a farewell Sunday Social to say goodbye to Fr. Bill after the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass on July 30. Father Bill has served as Pastor of St. Pius and the Missions of Southeastern

Utah for eight years and has been transferred to Ogden, Utah.