

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 6, 2008

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(Pueblo West) - Temporarily Worshipping at St. Pius X Church



*“Take MY YOKE upon you
and LEARN from me,
for I am MEEK
and HUMBLE of heart;
and you will find
REST for yourselves.”*

MATTHEW 11:29

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**Please
Register**

If you have never registered with either of our churches, please do so. It is our only way of telling who we are serving. You may register online if you wish. Go to our website for further information.



Power Lab is almost here. This popular Vacation Bible School theme will have a distinctive “Catholic” twist to it. It begins July 14 and ends July 17. Call our offices if your child (Pre-school through grade 5) is not yet registered. You must register by Thursday, July 10.



SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

St. Pius X

Mon. July 7	Tues. July 8	Wed. July 9	Thurs. July 10	Fri. July 11	Sat. July 12	Sun. July 13
7:30 am—Word Communion Service	7:30 am—Mass	7:30 am—Mass 10:30 am—Staff Meeting 4:30 pm—Finance Meeting	7:30 am—Mass	7:30 am—Mass	3:30 pm— Confession 4:30 pm—Mass	7:30 am—Mass 9:00 am—Mass & *CLOW 11:00 am—Mass 3:00 pm—Adoration

St. Paul

Mon. July 7	Tues. July 8	Wed. July 9	Thurs. July 10	Fri. July 11	Sat. July 12	Sun. July 13
7:30 am—Word Communion Service 11:00 am— Northpoint	7:30 am—Mass	7:30 am—Mass	7:30 am—Mass	7:30 am—Mass	3:30 pm— Confession 4:30 pm—Mass	7:30 am—Mass 9:00 am—Mass 11:00 am—Mass & CLOW

The Pastor's Corner

Change is difficult. Routine seems easier because it is predictable, known, and habit-forming. One only need think of a gyroscope, used in ocean liners and in airplanes to stay the course and to prevent rapid movements. The gyroscope resists changes in orientation.

Today we experience change in our parish. However, it should not be disorienting. I will remain your pastor. In addition, Msgr. Ed Nuñez has been added to our staff. He is appointed as our "Parochial Vicar". What does that mean? It means he will be our "assistant" to use the language of the pre-Vatican church.

In addition to assisting me, he will begin work with the St. Paul's parishioners, getting acquainted with them as well as getting Pueblo West "revved" up to become it's own parish. This will relieve me of trying to oversee two parishes at the same time.

Because he is taking this parochial position, Deacon Steve Lambert will no longer be the pastoral associate for St. Paul's parish. He will remain with us as a volunteer deacon to assist us as needed, while serving at the diocesan offices as coordinator of the diaconal training courses. I suspect his wife, Socorro, likewise may be volunteering her services among us.

Cecilia Aragon, in charge of Ministry scheduling has been relieved of that position, partly due to staff changes and partly due to additional expenses we are incurring with these changes.

Today, after the 11 A.M. Mass, we will welcome Msgr. Ed and thank Deacon Steve, Socorro, and Cecilia for their assistance with our parish in their past positions. I hope you will participate to provide the gratitude and love we feel for them in our hearts.

Fa. Bill

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There is a popular television show in which contestants compete to lose the most weight. Each week, their progress is broadcast for the entire world to see, and interspersed throughout the show various contestants will relate how their lives will be so much better if only they can lose their extra pounds. Such pride; one wonders how successful a game show might be if it followed contestants' paths to spiritual healthiness!

Today's Gospel reading from Matthew is both a prayer and a request. Jesus gives thanks to his Father in heaven for revealing his word and truth to the "child-like," whose hearts are not burdened by pride. He then asks for us to put aside once and for all times the burdens of sin which we carry, and take him up as our yoke, because with him we are freed from guilt and shameful desires.



How do you pray? Do you ask for God's favors because you feel you need them or deserve them, or do you acknowledge a humble and contrite self, and welcome God's will? The Catechism reminds us that Jesus Christ taught that "he who humbles himself will be exalted," therefore humility is the foundation of prayer (CCC 2559). In your prayers today, acknowledge the uselessness of pride, and that you are helpless without God's love and Christ's guidance.

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**Music for July 13
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

- Morning Has Broken #636
- Come To The Feast #307
- Eye Has Not Seen #470
- Anthem #521

We also would like to acknowledge and thank Noah Cordova who participated in the St. Paul's Children's Choir. His name was left off in the bulletin two weeks ago.

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WWW.SAINTPIUSXCHURCH.ORG
AND
WWW.SAINTPAULAPOSTLECHURCH.ORG



St. Pius the Tenth—St. Paul the Apostle

Youth Ministry Intercession

Each week I will be asking all parishioners to help me in my ministry by praying for all our young people. Your prayers are needed. Thank you—Bobbie Jo

God help us pray!

Give us desire and ability to pray.

Provide for us the grace to earnestly pray in behalf of the youth of our community.

Help motivate us to fervently pray our vision for our teens into reality.

Amen!

Great News!



Thanks to all of you for your interest in the CD's, your generous donations and positive feedback. We have distributed nearly half of our initial order of CD's and wish to make a new order of different ones with new topics. Before we make a new order, we would like to distribute the remaining CD's we still have in stock. This way we can make room for the new ones. Please help us accomplish this by taking home some of the remaining CD's after Mass. Thanks again to everyone who has supported this wonderful ministry with your prayers and donations. Here are a few examples of some of the remaining CD's.

Do you ever feel like you want to get more out of Mass? Then this CD is definitely for you. This is a very exciting CD and Fr. Larry is a wonderful speaker, so give it a listen! *The Mass Explained—Fr. Larry Richards*

Ever wonder what Catholic CD has sold the most copies? Guess What! We have it in the back of the Church. *Why a Protestant Pastor Became Catholic—Dr. Scott Hahn*

Readings for the Week of July 6, 2008

- Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30
- Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22/Mt 9:18-26
- Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Mt 9:32-38
- Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Mt 10:1-7
- Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9/Mt 10:7-15
- Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Mt 10:16-23
- Saturday: Is 6:1-8/Mt 10:24-33
- Next Sunday: Is 55:10-11/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

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St. Paul the Apostle Church

FYI Members of the new Pastoral Finance Council for Pueblo West are the following:

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Note: if you have any questions about the budget for St. Paul's church in Pueblo West, you may contact any of the above for more information. If they do not have the answers, they will get them for you.

HELP! The "Hyperspeed Games" learning center needs the items listed below for "Power Lab" VBS. If you have any of these items that you could lend or donate, please call Mary Frances at 542-4264, ext. 106.

- Child size wading pool
- Hula Hoop
- Ping-pong ball
- Beach ball
- Long dowel
- Variety of bubble wades — (sizes and shapes)
- 4x6 index cards
- 7 swim noodles
- 2 bags of large balloons
- Leaf Blower
- Pepper

Thank you... Annette Aragon for donating rolls of tissue and Pat Montelongo for donating hard plastic cups and paper plates.

Parish Staff

- PASTOR.....Father J. William Huber
Extension 102
- PAROCHIAL VICAR.....Msgr. Edward Nuñez
Extension 105
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Call office & leave message
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