**![C:\Users\Betty Barsch\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\F4TG9PY2\32860-4-cupid[1].png]()St. Pius X Women’s Society Newsletter February, 2022**

Hi Everyone:

It’s time to talk about what we’ve been up to and what’s coming. This

Society is made up of some pretty awesome ladies. We come together

and do some pretty amazing things.

**![C:\Users\Betty Barsch\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\6C2DG648\christmas-holly-1480978082a3g[1].jpg]() Christmas Fair** What happens when you combine amazing women with

an ultimate goal of helping our parish? You get the most fabulous Christmas

Fair ever. We donated $25,000 to the parish at our society Christmas party.

In total, we raised $32,318.65. This was the largest amount ever raised by the

Society at the Christmas Fair. Super work ladies.

Our **Christmas party** was lots of fun, nearly 50 people attended. We were

entertained with music and singing Christmas carol and old songs. The

Yankee Swap was so much fun. The dessert table was brimming with

delicious homemade treats. It overflowed so that many got to take treats

home.

![C:\Users\Betty Barsch\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\6C2DG648\33936320405_a6e400b928_b[1].jpg]() **Celebrate the Green Spring Raffle Kicks off 2/16/22**

Ladies we need your help! We need you to donate gift cards from stores or

restaurants and scratch lottery tickets of any denomination. You might have

gotten gift cards at Christmas that you will never use. Donate them to us.

Donations to buy these items will also be welcomed. They may be sent to

Sue Eastman or to the Parish office clearly marked outside Women’s Society

Spring Raffle.

Let’s make this first project of the year a huge success. Our flyer is attached to

this newsletter.

![C:\Users\Betty Barsch\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\SDJ7MOB5\750x450-vote[1].jpg]() **Elections for Executive Board and Committee Positions**

We have several positions open on the Executive Board and in the Committees.

Consider running for one of open positions or nominate someone who you

think would be an asset to the position. Contact Mary Petruzzi or Sue Eastman

to learn what positions are open. Nominations will be put forth to members in March

both at the meeting and via a newsflash.

**![C:\Users\Betty Barsch\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\AAZAR1ZA\BREAKING-NEWS1-25[1].jpg]() Newsflashes** Please note that when you get a newsflash about a

 cancellation or any changes in schedule, disregard any information in the bulletin.

 Bulletin information is submitted two weeks in advance and is not the most current

 information.

**![C:\Users\Betty Barsch\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\SDJ7MOB5\free-calendar[1].jpg]() Dates to Remember**

**2/16/22 Kickoff of Celebrate the Green Spring Raffle**

**3/1/22 Executive Board Meeting 1:30 pm in St. Francis Room in**

 **Parish Life Center**

**3/7/22 12:30 Brown Bag Lunches. Cancelled**

 **Special Meeting Date- Monday 3/7 not Tuesday 3/8**

 **Member Meeting Starts at 1:30 pm Parish Life Center.**

 **Guest speaker will be Father John Kelleher, our moderator.**

**4/5/22** **Executive Board Meeting 1:30 pm in St. Francis Room in**

 **Parish Life Center**

**4/12/22** **Member Meeting Starts at 6:30 pm Parish Life Center.**

**Reminder The March Member meeting will be on Monday, March**

**7th at 1:30 pm. Our moderator and pastor, Fr. John Kellerher will**

**be speaking with us on Lenten Reflections.**

**![C:\Users\Betty Barsch\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\AAZAR1ZA\DSC_8842[1].jpg]() Birthdays** Our sincerest apologies to anyone who had a

Birthday in January. We just could not get this done. We hope that

all of you January babies had the best day ever.

**January**

11 Barbara Cataldo

21 Madeline Manchuk

22 Betty Barsch

23 Doris Aubin

23 Grace Swindler

23 Susan Kelly

25 Annette Fiscina

25 Mary Jane Halloran

27 Marie Gates

27 Maureen Hickey

February

1 Marie Hamilton

2 Eileen Starbird

7 Patricia O’Riordan

7 Kathy Swann

11 Ann Cavanagh-Stein

13 Debby Silvia

16 Jeanne Florio

20 Jeanne Auretto

24 Phyllis DeFeo

**March**

2 Jean Kohr

6 Marguerite Ruel

7 Susan Rainville

9 Mary Ellen Clisham

12 Karen Puleo

14 Barbara Whitman

16 Adrienne Close

20 Marilyn Swenson

**Update on Tina Rose:**

Our bouncing ball of fur started Kindergarten last Saturday. We had been working with

her at home. She knew most of the commands asked of her where the others needed

to learn them.

She was not impressed by the big puppies and told them so by barking at them everytime

one came over to her. Five more weeks to go, then she graduates. We are proud of her.

She now walks on leash (almost) and tries to do stairs. Watch for more updates in the bulletin.

![C:\Users\Betty Barsch\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\AAZAR1ZA\valentines-day-1981760_1280[1].png]() We would like to wish all of our members the very happiest

Valentine’s Day. May it be filled with lots of love and goodies. You are all our

Valentine Ladies.

In the Heart of St. Joseph,

The Publicity Gals

The Boopster and Annette

**Luck of the Irish**



**Sponsored by the St. Pius X Women’s Society**

Mother Nature & the crazy pandemic haven’t made it easy to be outside or to be with friends.

**WE NEED OUR LUCK TO TURN AROUND!**

It’s time for a fun, festive, ***Celebrate Green*** Spring Raffle!

**The prizes are AMAZING!**

* A **green** cauldron filled with over 50 scratch tickets of different denominations
* A large basket loaded with items created by our knitter and crafter ladies
* Many gift certificates from local businesses (each raffled separately)

**It’s easy to enter…**

Just send in a check. Choose your amount from the list below:

1. $20 = one raffle entry
2. $50 = four raffle entries
3. $100 = 10 raffle entries

Make check payable to: ***St. Pius X Women’s Society***

**Send your donation to: or to:**

St. Pius X Women’s Society Susan Eastman

5 Barbara Street 200 Old Main Street

South Yarmouth, MA 02664 South Yarmouth, MA 02664

**Please include your phone number -** we hope to call you after the drawing!

Or leave check (Attention: St. Pius X Women’s Society) in the white, porch mailbox

 outside the Parish Office at the Barbara Street address above.

**Feeling lucky?**

Send in an amount of your choice. Whatever amount you send (minimum $20), your name will

be added to the Drawing Cauldron the appropriate number of times.

**Just for fun…**

If fickle Mother Nature smiles down upon us, make this a virtual 5K. Run or walk anywhere you would like. Plan your own 5K (3.1 miles) “route”. Wear **green** while you dash about and we’ll put your picture on the parish website! Email it to: stpiusxoffice@comcast.net



**THE DRAWING IS MARCH 17th!**

All entries & donations are due by March 10th

**MAY THE LUCK OF THE IRISH**

**& THE SUNSHINE OF MOTHER NATURE BE WITH YOU!**

All money raised goes directly to our parish, surely causing Fr. John Kelleher to dance a jig!

Winners will be called and results will be in the bulletin & on our parish website.