

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

AGES 5-10

SUNDAYS AT 10AN

Resuming 8/31!!

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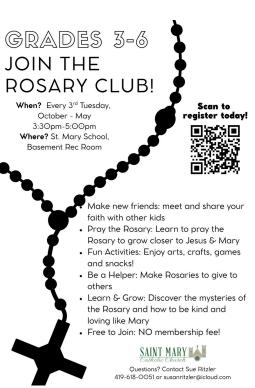
2025 -2026 First Class - September 10, 2025

ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS of St. Mary Parish entering grades 1-8

\*more details sent via e-mail after registration









# August 16 & 17 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time (year C)



Children's Mission of the Week:
When you are tempted to do something wrong,
ask the Lord to make your strong!

## FEAST DAYS EXPLAINED

#### St. Pius X - August 21

**Quick Facts:** Pope Pius X lived from 1835 to 1914 and was pope during a time of significant social and intellectual change, including the rise of modernism.

St. Pius X's devotion to the Eucharist was truly inspiring! He lowered the age of First Communion to seven years old, encouraging young hearts to encounter Christ early-on. He also advocated that everyone, regardless of their social class, should have access to the Eucharist.

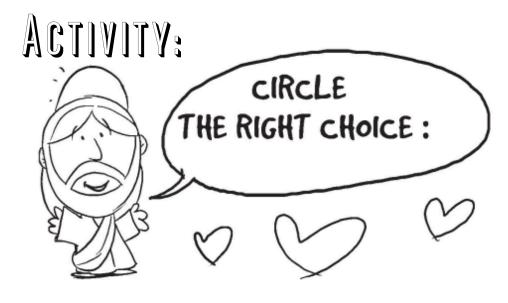
Patron of: first Communicants and pilgrims



## Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

Jesus came to make people choose sides. If your sister wants you to steal a toy at the store, Jesus wants you to choose to work for the money to buy it. If your brother wants you to beat up a boy, Jesus wants you to talk instead. When you want to keep all of your lollipops, he wants you to share. He wants you to choose his way of goodness, not evil.

Dear Jesus, help me to stay close to you always.



I-STEAL TOY / PAY FOR TOY

Z-FIGHT / TALK NICELY

3-LOVE / HATE

4-HIDE CANDY / SHARE CANDY