



# *Love in Action*

## *St. Pius X May*

### *Service Opportunities*

"The good Lord does not do things by halves; He always gives what we need. Let us then carry on bravely." – St. Zélie Martin

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#### **SPRING FLING AT SCHUYLER INN**



**WHEN:** Friday, May 10th  
5:00 PM - 7:30PM

**WHERE:** Schuyler Inn  
575 Broadway in Menands, NY

Let's provide a fun night for the families staying at Schuyler Inn! We'll need volunteers to help with games, snack stations, and crafts. Please sign up to help - this is a wonderful opportunity to bring some joy to those possibly going through some trials. Thank you for your help!

Ready for Spring Fling  
Fun!

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#### **MOTHER'S DAY COLLECTION**



Celebrate Mother's Day by helping us collect items for Community Maternity Services and Capital City Rescue Mission. These agencies help fill gaps in care for mothers and babies going through tough times in our communities. Cribs will be located at each entrance starting May 6th! Thank you so much for your generosity!

**WHEN:** Weekend of May 11th - 12th (Mother's Day Weekend - just a friendly reminder!)

Items Needed

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#### **CAPITAL CITY RESCUE MISSION**



**WHEN:** Monday, May 27th  
5:30PM - 7:30PM

**WHERE:** Capital City Rescue Mission  
259 S Pearl St in Albany

Join us to help prepare and serve a meal to those residing at the Capital City Rescue Mission. Sign up using the link below. Thank you!

Here to  
serve!

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## MEAL MINISTRY TEAM



**WHEN:** Wednesday, May 29th  
3:30 - 4:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Circular Driveway @ SPX

Our wonderful meal ministers make monthly meals for the **Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless (IPH)**. **IPH now serves 4 different facilities and the need is ever growing.** They also make meals on an as needed basis for our fellow parishioners needing support in some way. The May date is listed above. Click on the button below to send an e-mail to our meal coordinator, Patti Audino, and join in the fun and/or get details.

Sign me up,  
Patti!

Learn more about Interfaith Partnership for the  
Homeless

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## MAY FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

**WHEN:** Weekend of May 18-19th

**WHERE:** All entrances of Church

Please join us in supporting the Sacred Heart Food Pantry this month with essentials. Click on



the button for a list of needed items. Bins will be at the entrances of Church the week prior to the collection and after all Masses on the weekend listed above. Thank you for your generosity!

May Items  
Needed

## HELP NEEDED AT THE FOOD PANTRY



Sister Mary Ellen Owens needs more help bagging items for those visiting the Food Pantry on the days and times below. A great way to be actively helping our neighbors. Please sign up at the link below! Thank you so much!

**Tuesdays: 12:45PM - 2:45PM**  
or  
**Thursdays: 9:45AM - 11:45AM**

Sister - I can  
help!

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## MEN'S SERVICE MINISTRY



Ready to get out there and serve with other incredible men in our parish? Join our Men's Service Ministry THIS Weekend to clean up a few yards for our seniors. A great way to meet other people and do some good!

**WHEN:** Saturday May 4th  
and/or Sunday May 5th  
**9:30am-12pm**

Sign me  
up!

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## VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT



Saying 'Thank You' doesn't seem enough, but I would truly like to say Thank You for all you do for our community and those in need. It's a true joy to work with each and every one of you!

Please come out for a night to celebrate all of you and the incredible impact you make. Whether you're a religious HATAS volunteer or you've come out for a collection - no matter what - we want to thank you for all you do!

**WHEN:** Thursday, May 16th 6:00 - 7:30PM

**WHERE:** Parish Hall at St. Pius

RSVP  
Here!

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## MARIAN GARDEN MINISTRY



Our beautiful garden is in full Spring mode! We'll continue to need lots of helpers to prune, water, weed, and care for the Marian Garden and Christ the Teacher Garden this season. Please consider getting your hands in the dirt and drawing closer to God through our gardens. Sign up at the link below! Thank you!

I can dig  
it!

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## HATAS FEED AND READ - last one till the Fall!



**WHEN:** Wednesday, May 22nd  
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** HATAS Warehouse  
226 N. Allen Street in Albany

Join us at HATAS as we pack weekend meals for children within the Albany School System who live in food insecure homes. Every backpack includes essentials for the children they serve. All ages are welcome!

I want to  
help!

Learn more about Homeless and Travelers Aid  
Society

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Have questions about opportunities listed here? Have ideas or want to explore ways you can use your gifts and talents? Please feel free to contact Johanna Hackemack, Service & Outreach Coordinator, anytime at (518) 462-1336 or via e-mail below.

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