

## St. Pius X Catholic School students to perform Christmas play

By Community Contributor on December 7, 2011 at 1:10 p.m.



The cast of "Once Upon a Starry Night" From left, top row: Stormy Schaeffer, Clio; Jennessa Green, Flint. Second row: Brendan Convis, Flint; Kiyana Perkett, Flint; Alayna Gotham, Swartz Creek; Julianna Decroce, Clio; Courtney Reddy, Flint; Taylor Drevon, Flint; Steven Van Camp, Swartz Creek; Ally Putney, Swartz Creek. Third row: Patrick Campbell, Grand Blanc; Blase Haynes, Flint; Sophia Huber, Swartz Creek; Andrew Hatton, Flint; Sarah DeDolph, Swartz Creek; Kathryn Rabine, Flint; Eva Saseen, Flint; Kristyn Matte, Swartz Creek. Front row: Charity Sumpter, Flint; Emma Wellman, Swartz Creek; Megan Convis, Flint.

Photo by R.J. Kaplan

Students at St. Pius X Catholic School in Flint Township will perform the musical "Once Upon a Starry Night" at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 21 in the St. Pius Community Room.

Stars, kings, shepherds, an angel, a camel, and some sheep will tell the story of Jesus' birth in Bethlehem. All the school children will join in the singing of "Stars Across the Heavens," "The Comet's Tale," "Jesus Has Come," and, just for fun, "I'm Not Getting on That Camel." Diane Pierce will direct the music; Sue Miller and Sr. Paula Gero have also been helping with rehearsals.

The school band, under the direction of Daniel Zimmicky, will perform several numbers, including "Carol of the Bells," "Oh Come Oh Come Emmanuel," "Sleigh Ride," and "Joy to the World." The junior kindergarten and preschool, led by Carrie Hatfield and Aimee Boan, will sing "I Want a Hippopotamus for Christmas" and "Happy Birthday Jesus."

St. Pius X Catholic School is at 3139 Hogarth in Flint Township. For more information, call 810-235-8572.

*Submitted by St. Pius X Catholic School*