## 323rd Sunday in Ordinary Time November 19th, 2017

++On behalf of Father Ruben, Deacon John and the parish staff, we wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving!++
\*Our parish office will be closed Thursday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> and Friday, November 24<sup>th</sup>\*

Please join us in praying the Rosary in the Holy Spirit Chapel this Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

#### St. Paul the Apostle Parish Christmas Party

Please join us for the annual parish Christmas party on Sunday, *December 3, 2017 at 6:00 pm* in the Finn Center. Dinner and beverages are provided. (or you may bring your own beverage.).

To sign up call Barb Fuller@ 715.614.0105 or email dbfuller60@yahoo.com.

--We will NOT have First Saturday Social or K of C donuts due to Christmas party on Sunday.--

#### **Christmas Baskets**

Every year, our parish provides Christmas Baskets consisting of toys, clothing, and HEB gift cards to families unable to provide Christmas gifts for their families. The names of these families are obtained from the Helping and Crisis Centers. This year we have received bike requests from 19 kids! If you have the ability to help with these requests, please consider picking a child wanting a bike! You can pick up the gift requests information in Hecker Hall this weekend before and after Masses. Please take a white bag with gift request information attached; complete your shopping and return the white bag containing your unwrapped gifts to Mass on the weekend of December 2nd & 3rd. If you prefer, you can make a cash/check contribution (make checks payable to WWICS) and the Elves will do the shopping. For any questions or to make arrangements to return your gifts at another time, please contact Glenda Varga at glenda@varga-associates.com or 210.846.9024.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!

#### \*\*This weekends Second Collection – CCHD Catholic Campaign for Human Development\*\*

Over 46 million people in the United States live in poverty. With this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. 25 % of funds collected remains in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. <a href="www.usccb.org/cchd/collection">www.usccb.org/cchd/collection</a> for info.

#### **Pregnancy Center Collection**

This weekend <u>November 18th & 19th</u>; the Knights of Columbus will be collecting the bags to benefit the Pregnancy Center in Marble Falls, which serves women and their children.

Thank you for your generosity. God Bless!

#### THE SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

#### Phone (512) 755-3299 to request assistance or obtain information.

The good news of today's Gospel is the extravagance of what is being given us. All we need do is be faithful in "small matters." The cost of fidelity has no comparison to the reward given.

When you share your gifts with the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, you are sharing God's extravagant love.

During the prior month of October, through your financial support, our Conference assisted 36 families with housing expense, utility bills, food, and other expenses. **Thank you!** 

#### **ALL SOULS**

As is our tradition, you are invited to write the names of your dearly departed loved ones in our Memorial Book, and they will be **remembered at all our Masses in November**. *The Memorial Book is near the Baptismal font*.

#### **Coming Holidays Means "Tamale Time"**

The Knights will be taking orders through November. Orders must be placed before December 6<sup>th</sup>. You can call Justin Bochat, 830-598-4932, or Bob Baker, 214-762-7125 to place an order. Pork Medium or Spicy. Price: \$8.00 a dozen or \$20.00 for 2.5 dozen. The tamales can be picked up after the masses on the weekends of December 9-17.

#### **Armed Forces Honor Garden Update**

The Flag Wall is up and many of the pavers are in place. Please take a moment to view the final piece of our Honor Garden. Forms for memorials and messages for the Plaques, Stars and Pavers are available at *St. Paul's parish office* (830-598-8342) or by going to the web site at http://stpaulshorseshoebay.org. The Memorial Stars are priced at \$250; 5x3 plaques at \$200 or 15x5 plaques at \$600; and paving stones at \$150 each . Forms are available in Hecker Hall.

#### **Update on our Parish Cookbook**

It's fantastic to know that our cookbook that came out in April of 2016 was such an amazing success. We ordered 1,130 cookbooks and only have 55 left. The cost is still \$15.00. This book contains 415 recipes from our wonderful parish cooks. If you would like to get one (or more) they are available in the Parish office Monday through Friday. We thank all of you for your support of this project. Thanks to your help, we have been able to give over \$11,000 to help reduce our parish debt.



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#### **Catholic Services Appeal - CSA**

Thank you to all who responded generously to the Catholic Services Appeal. Each year the success of this appeal depends on you. This year, you have done a wonderful thing—your gifts have helped to assure that the Catholic Services Appeal will be able to continue its mission of fostering the Kingdom of God here in Central Texas.

#### **Ethics and Integrity in Ministry (EIM)**

Ethics and Integrity in Ministry (EIM) compliance is required of all clergy, religious, seminarians, diocesan employees, parish and Catholic school employees, and adult lay persons who volunteer in ministry with minors or vulnerable adults; or in any ministry, program or organization that serves youth or vulnerable adults in any manner, or functions at a time and place where they are typically present. To be compliant, one submits an EIM Application for Ministry (one time only) and attends an EIM Workshop every three years. Deacon John de la Garza will be facilitating an *EIM workshop* at St. Paul the Apostle on Monday, *November* 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017 from 5:30 – 7:30 pm in the parish sacristy. An application can be completed on the diocese website at <a href="https://austindiocese.org/application">https://austindiocese.org/application</a>.

#### **Annulment: Pathway to Healing**

On Saturday, <u>December 2, 2017</u>, from 8:45am to 4 pm. St John the Evangelist in Marble Falls is hosting "Annulment: Pathway of Healing" – A Spiritual and Emotional Healing Experience". This seminar is for persons who are divorced, considering an annulment, or experiencing major marital problems. This day is one of a kind and promises to be a spiritual and healing experience for those attending to move on with their lives and their faith. For more info contact *Pat Thompson at the Canonical and Tribunal Office* (512) 940-2473 or (512) 970-7063.



Thank you for your generous contributions totaling \$7,207.00

Weekday Mass Schedule

| Nov. 18 | Jennifer Ramirez+ | 5:30 p.m.  | Nov. 25 | Jennifer Ramirez+ | 5:30 p.m.  |
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| Nov. 19 | Paul McLean +     | 8:30 a.m.  | Nov. 26 | Jack Boyd +       | 8:30 a.m.  |
| Nov. 19 | Jim May +         | 10:30 a.m. | Nov. 26 | Judy Smith +      | 10:30 a.m. |
| Nov. 22 | For the Parish    | 5:30 p.m.  | Nov. 29 | Lyle Jones        | 5:30 p.m   |
| Nov. 23 | Jennifer Ramirez  | 8:00 a.m.  | Nov.30  | Holy Souls        | 8:00 a.m.  |
| Nov. 24 | No Mass           | 8:00 a.m.  | Dec. 1  | Michael Smith     | 8:00 a.m.  |

#### **Liturgical Ministers**

November 18 5:30 p.m.

Lectors-Rene Pfiffner, Mary Beth Madsen E.M.- Mike Kerr, Brenda Kerr, Jeanette Matzinger

Ushers-Frank Gracely, Phil Schoch Sacristan & Altar Server – Gary Olfers

November 19 8:30 a.m.

Lectors - Elizabeth Zarsky, Bill Steffek
Ushers - Jerry Kramer, Jerry Pawelek
E.M. - Jackie Scott, Sam Morrison, Lynette Morrison
Sacristan & Altar Server - JJ Castro, w Duane Young

November 19 10:30 a.m.

Lectors - Sara Bray, Penny Breedlove
Ushers - Bob Schweizer, Jack Gless
E.M.- Grace Gless, Marie D'Arcy, Tom D'Arcy
Sacristan-Barbara Fuller Altar Server – Denny Fuller

#### **Happy Birthday**

Happy birthday to Francie Dix & Eileen Fournier whose birthdays are November 18th, and to Greg Langley whose birthday is November 20th. *Enjoy a wonderful Year!* 

#### **Happy Anniversary**

Happy anniversary to Ron & Pauline Estes who celebrate their 56th anniversary on November 18th, to Jim & Susan Araas, celebrating their 34th on November 19<sup>th</sup>, to Chris & Shellye Purcell, who will celebrate their 23rd on November 22<sup>nd</sup> and Mike & Cindy Dewan celebrating 46 years of marriage on November 24<sup>th</sup>.

May God continue to bless your marriage.

#### Prayer Request

Please pray for Stephen Joseph Kuehler, George Abraham, Brandon Ross, Robert Rocha, Rachel Webb, Jim Jones, Bailey King, Lorraine Coussons, Victoria Gracia ,Shelby Spangler, Ariel Christine Igoe, Mark Ward, Vicki Monselt, Lucia Calancea, Frank Matzinger, Trisha Belota, Emily Fenlon, Bill Kiper, ,John Milton, Jon Norstrom, Marcus & Johnny Perez Families, Doreen Drinkard, Marian Averyt, Harry Kelly, John Swagart, KK Rice, Ed Steiniger, Barbara Erlenmeyer, Stacey Ashbranner, Syl Gaisbauer, GiGi Fisher, Seawillow Schmidt, Jaime Campbell, Father Scott Mikkelson, Juanita Burson, Anita Fey, Jamie Enerson, Susan Robinson, Linda Baker, Jody Jamail, Samantha Gosselin, Steven Patrick Kopenitz, Donia Caspersen, Michael Jamail and Jonathan Hulme, Taylor Shelton, Claire Blanchard, Adolfo Gracia Jr., John Milton, the Riveria Family, Roger Johnson, Marge Hoss, Michael Woyton, Patsy Wiley, Bill Mickey and Nancy Reynolds.

#### Please pray for those in our Armed Services

Staff Sgt. Josh Zabierek Army Spc. Warren Andrews Sgt. Corey K. Bradford Captain Sean Zarsky, USAF Major Andrew Bochat Captain Eric Barton Michael Cook Matthew Anderson, USN
SFC Erick DeAlba
Lt. Christopher Carr
Staff Sgt. Adam Long
SFC Mary McLean
Branden Carlson
Col. Maria Bochat
Captain Heather Barton
Tiffanie Boetchner

Matthew Anderson, USN
Lt. Christopher Carr
SFC Mary McLean
Branden Carlson
LCDR Darby Gray
Pvt. Ethan Cook

# St. Paul the Apostle Parish

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#### **MASSES**

Saturday at 5:30 p.m. Sunday at 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. Thursday & Friday at 8:00 a.m.

**CONFESSIONS** 

Wednesday & Saturday - 4:45 - 5:15 p.m.

**ADORATION** 

First Fridays - 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., followed by Benediction

<u>Pastor</u>: Father Rubén Patiño, C.S.P. email: rmpatino@aol.com Deacon: John De La Garza: 512-771-6627 inksgranite@yahoo.com

**Paulist Fathers: Website: www.paulist.org** 

Parish Business Administrators: Sandy Gracia/Penny Breedlove

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Office Hours: M-F 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Church Email: stpaul@zeecon.com

Parish Website: www.stpaulshorseshoebay.org

#### **PASTORAL COUNCIL**

President – Frank Trogus 830-596-8470 Finance Council Chair – Brian Limoges 806-886-0335 Liturgical Ministries – Esther Ellis 512-694-8945 emellis@nctv.com

Music – Mary Williams 325-388-9120

### St. Vincent de Paul Help Line: 512-755-3299

Children's Faith Formation - Keith Nesrsta 214-693-4063

Maintenance - Homer Ahr 830-598-2991

Finn Family Life Center - Ed & Pam Wenzel 214-263-4423

The Samaritans...reaching out: Georgina Christy 830-693-8001

Social Activities - WWICS/Social - Claudia Haydon 830-598-9364

**Communications – Pat Schoch 830-22-2201** 

Benevolence -Jackie Scott - jacalynscott@mac.com, Diana Virdell- mdvirdell@yahoo.com

Adult Faith Formation – Lowell Crable - lowellcrable@gmail.com

**Development – Ed Wenzel 214-263-4424** 

#### A Word from Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers

"I cannot speak of myself as I would. I feel interior sympathies which control my speech. I would make these sympathies definite but nothing that I can do defines them. Nothing but He who is All, above All, and in All, can meet and satisfy them." [Diary, January 20, 1845]

If you have asked Father Hecker to pray for you or another person who is ill, and you believe something miraculous has happened, please phone Father Paul Robichaud, CSP, at 212-265-3209 x350 and tell him your story.

